

Order of Operations without Parentheses

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Math 5

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$$18 - 5$$

13**Solution B**

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$$14 \times 2 - 5$$

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$$2 + 1$$

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