

1. If n is an even integer then $7n+4$ is an even integer.

$$\text{Let } n = 2k, k \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} 7n+4 &= 7(2k)+4 \\ &= 2(7k+2) \end{aligned}$$

$7k+2 \in \mathbb{Z} \therefore 7n+4$ is an even integer.

2. If m is an even integer and n is an odd integer then $m+n$ is an odd integer.

$$\text{Let } m = 2k \text{ and } n = 2p+1, m, n, k, p \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} m+n &= 2k+2p+1 \\ &= 2(k+p)+1 \end{aligned}$$

$k+p \in \mathbb{Z} \therefore m+n$ is an odd integer

3. If m is an even integer and n is an odd integer, then mn is an even integer.

$$\text{Let } m = 2k, n = 2p+1, m, n, k, p \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} m \cdot n &= 2k \cdot (2p+1) \\ &= 2[k(2p+1)] \end{aligned}$$

$k(2p+1) \in \mathbb{Z} \therefore m \cdot n$ is an even integer.

1. If a, b and c are integers such that a divides b and b divides c , then a divides c .

$$\text{Let } b = ka \text{ and } c = pb, k, p \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

$$b = \frac{c}{p}; \quad \frac{c}{p} = ka; \quad c = pk \cdot a$$

since $p \cdot k \in \mathbb{Z}$
 $\therefore a$ divides c exactly.