

# Integers and Signed Numbers Glossary

## I

### integers

whole numbers that have a positive (+) value or a negative (-) value

**Zero (0)** is also an *integer*

**Examples:** ... -2, -1, 0, +1, +2, +3...are *integers*

## N

### negative integers

whole numbers that have a value less than zero (0)

**Examples:** -1, -2, -3, -4, -5...

## P

### positive integers

whole numbers that have a value greater than zero (0)

**Examples:** +1, +2, +3, +4, +5... or they can be written 1, 2, 3, 4, 5...

## S

### signed number

a *number* preceded by a plus sign (+) to indicate a positive quantity or by a minus sign (-) to indicate a *negative* quantity

**Example:** +3, -2