

Module 3: Rational Numbers

Part A – Absolute value, positive and negative rational numbers, fractions to mixed numbers

To enter a negative number, use the -5 negative key (-). (-) [5] = If you enter the negative sign -(-5)repeatedly the calculation will change accordingly (-) (-) [5] = To convert a number from a decimal Math ▲ 35.75to a fraction and a mixed number. type in the decimal form of the 143 number and press the following keys. 35.75 3 5 • 7 5 = Convert to a mixed number press SHIFT S+D $\left(a\frac{b}{c}+\frac{d}{c}\right)$ Math ▲ 1-3.251 To find the absolute value of any number use the Abs button. Abs (-) 3 • 2 5 = 1-3.251 SHIFT S+D $\left(a\frac{b}{c}+\frac{d}{c}\right)$