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9. Additive inverse of  $\frac{-7}{19}$ 

$$= -\left(\frac{-7}{19}\right)$$
$$= \frac{7}{19}$$

- 10. Multiplicative inverse of a negative rational number is a negative rational number.
- 11. x + 0 = 0 + x = x which is a rational number, then 0 is called identity for addition of rational numbers.
- 12. To get product 1, we should multiply  $\frac{8}{21}$  by  $\frac{21}{8}$ .
- 13. -(-x) is same as x.
- 14. The multiplicative inverse of  $-1\frac{1}{7}$  is  $\frac{-7}{8}$
- 15. If x be any rational number then x + 0 = x
- 16. The reciprocal of 1 is 1
- 17. The reciprocal of -1 is -1
- 18. The reciprocal of 0 is not defined.
- 19. The reciprocal of any rational number  $\frac{p}{a}$  where p and q are integers and q  $\neq$  0 is
- $\frac{q}{p}$  (for any non zero rational number  $\frac{p}{q}$ )
- 20. If y be reciprocal of rational number x, then the reciprocal of y is x.