

$$3 - [-2 + (4 - 5) - (3 + 6)] - (2 - 4) =$$

$$3 - [-2 + (-1) - (+9)] - (-2) =$$

$+(-9) \quad +(+2)$

$$3 - [-2 - 1 - 9] + 2$$

$$3 - [-12] + 2$$

$+ [+12]$

$$3 + 12 + 2 = 17$$