

Chapter 9: Quadratic Equations

Test III

$$2b. \quad \frac{4}{3n^2 - 27n + 60} - \frac{4}{4n^2 - 20n}$$

$$\frac{4}{3(n^2 - 9n + 20)} - \frac{\cancel{4}}{\cancel{4}n(n-5)}$$

$$\frac{4n}{3(n-4)(n-5)n} - \frac{1-3(n-4)}{n(n-5)3(n-4)}$$

$$\frac{4n - 3(n-4)}{3(n-4)(n-5)n}$$

$$\frac{4n - 3n + 12}{3n(n-4)(n-5)} = \frac{n + 12}{3n(n-4)(n-5)}$$

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$$\frac{\frac{7(x-8)}{(x-6)(x-8)} + \frac{x(x-6)}{(x-8)(x-6)}}{\frac{2(x-6)}{(x-5)(x-6)} - \frac{1(x-5)}{(x-6)(x-5)}} = \frac{7(x-8) + x(x-6)}{(x-6)(x-8)}$$

$$\frac{2(x-6) - (x-5)}{(x-5)(x-6)}$$

$$\frac{7x - \cancel{56} + x^2 - 6x}{(x-6)(x-8)} = \frac{(x-5)\cancel{(x-6)}}{2x - 12 - x + 5}$$

$$\frac{x^2 + x - \cancel{56}}{x-8} \cdot \frac{x-5}{x-7}$$

$$\frac{(x+8)\cancel{(x-7)}(x-5)}{(x-8)\cancel{(x-7)}}$$

$$\frac{(x+8)(x-5)}{x-8}$$

$$1. \quad \frac{x-1}{x+2}$$

$$x+2 = 0$$

$$x = -2$$

$$2. \quad \frac{x^2 - 9x - 7}{2}$$

$$2 = 0$$

none

$$\text{EX: } x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0$$

$$(x-2)(x-3) = 0$$

$$x-2 = 0$$

$$x = 2$$

$$x-3 = 0$$

$$x = 3$$

9.1: Solving Quadratic Equations by the Square Root Property

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0, \quad a \neq 0$$

EX:

$$x^2 = 0$$

$$x = 0$$

$$x = 0$$

$$x = 0$$

$$x^2 = 9$$

$$x = 3, -3$$

$$x^2 - 9 = 0$$

$$(x+3)(x-3) = 0$$

$$x+3=0$$

$$x-3=0$$

$$x = -3$$

$$x = 3$$

$$w^2 = 16$$

$$w = 4, -4 \quad \text{or} \quad \pm 4$$

$$t^2 = 7$$

$$t = \sqrt{7}, -\sqrt{7} \quad \text{or} \quad \pm \sqrt{7}$$

Aside \sqrt{x} is that positive number
(non-negative) that when squared
equals x .

$$\sqrt{9} = 3$$

$$x = \sqrt{9}$$

$$x = 3$$

$$x^2 = 9$$

$$x = \pm 3$$

Square Root Property

If $x^2 = a$ for $a \geq 0$, then

$$x = \sqrt{a} \quad \text{or} \quad x = -\sqrt{a}$$

Ex: (p 560)

$$2. \quad x^2 = 121 \quad x = \pm 11$$

$$4. \quad x^2 = 22 \quad x = \pm \sqrt{22}$$

$$10. 5x^2 = 2$$

$$12. 2x^2 = 9$$

$$5x^2 = 2$$

$$x^2 = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{\frac{2}{5}}$$

$$2x^2 = 9$$

$$x^2 = \frac{9}{2}$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{\frac{9}{2}} = \pm \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$14. x^2 - 15 = 0$$

$$16. 7x^2 - 21 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 15 = 0$$

$$x^2 = 15$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{15}$$

$$7x^2 - 21 = 0$$

$$7x^2 = 21$$

$$x^2 = 3$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{3}$$

$$22. (x - 7)^2 = 2$$

$$24. \left(m + \frac{1}{3}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{9}$$

$$(x - 7)^2 = 2$$

$$x - 7 = \pm \sqrt{2}$$

$$x = 7 \pm \sqrt{2}$$

$$w^2 = 2$$

$$w = \pm \sqrt{2}$$

$$\left(m + \frac{1}{3}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{9}$$

$$m + \frac{1}{3} = \pm \frac{1}{3}$$

$$m + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$m = 0$$

$$m + \frac{1}{3} = -\frac{1}{3}$$

$$m = -\frac{2}{3}$$

$$30. (z + 7)^2 = -20$$

$$32. (3x - 17)^2 = 28$$

$$(z+7)^2 = -20 \quad \text{undefined (for right now)}$$

$$z+7 = \pm \sqrt{-20}$$

$$z = -7 \pm \sqrt{-20}$$

$$(3x-17)^2 = 28$$

$$3x-17 = \pm \sqrt{28}$$

$$3x = 17 \pm \sqrt{28}$$

$$x = \frac{17 \pm \sqrt{28}}{3}$$

$$34. (5x - 11)^2 = 54$$

$$36. (3p - 1)^2 = 4$$

$$(\sqrt{5}x - 11)^2 = \sqrt{54}$$

$$\sqrt{5}x - 11 = \pm \sqrt{\sqrt{54}}$$

$$\sqrt{5}x = 11 \pm \sqrt{\sqrt{54}}$$

$$x = \frac{11 \pm \sqrt{\sqrt{54}}}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$(3p - 1)^2 = 4$$

$$3p - 1 = \pm 2$$

$$3p - 1 = 2$$

$$3p = 3$$

$$p = 1$$

$$3p - 1 = -2$$

$$3p = -1$$

$$p = -\frac{1}{3}$$

9.2: Solving Quadratic Equations by Completing the Square

Ex: (p 566)

10. $x^2 - 10x = -24$

12. $z^2 + 6z - 9 = 0$

14. $y^2 + 4y = 0$

18. $x^2 - 4x + 2 = 0$

20. $y^2 - 5y + 6 = 0$

24. $3x^2 - 12x + 14 = 0$

26. $4x^2 = -20x + 3$

9.3: Solving Quadratic Equations by the Quadratic Formula

Find the Quadratic Formula

Ex: (p 574)

8. $x^2 - 5x - 6 = 0$

10. $7k^2 + 3k - 1 = 0$

18. $5x^2 = 15$

20. $m^2 - 14 = 5m$

38. $5y^2 = 4 - y$

40. $2z^2 = z + 3$

42. $k^2 + 2k + 5 = 0$

48. $\frac{m^2}{2} = 3m - 1$

54. $\frac{2}{3}x^2 - 2x - \frac{2}{3} = 0$

58. $y^2 - 2\sqrt{5}y - 1 = 0$

9.4: Complex Solutions of Quadratic Equations

Imaginary Unit i

The imaginary unit, written i , is the number whose square is -1 . That is,

$$i^2 = -1 \quad \text{and} \quad i = \sqrt{-1}$$

Complex Numbers and Pure Imaginary Numbers

A complex number is a number that can be written in the form

$$a + bi$$

where a and b are real numbers. A complex number that can be written in the form

$$0 + bi$$

$b \neq 0$, is also called a pure imaginary number.

Ex: (p 583)

10. $(-7 + 2i) + (5 - 3i)$

14. $(-6 + i) - (3 + i)$

18. $-2i(5 + 4i)$

20. $(6 + 2i)(4 - i)$

22. $(-9 + 2i)(-9 - 2i)$

34. $y^2 - 2y + 5 = 0$

36. $8x^2 - 7x + 2 = 0$

38. $5m^2 - 6m + 7 = 0$