

(A) Polynomial Operations

- Combining like terms
- Distributive property
- FOIL method of multiplying binomials
- Multiplying polynomials with 3 or more terms

1.)  $4(2x^2 - 7x + 3) - (3x + 7)(x - 3)$

$$8x^2 - 28x + 12 - (3x^2 - 9x + 7x - 21)$$

$$8x^2 - 28x + 12 - 3x^2 + 9x - 7x + 21$$

$$\boxed{5x^2 - 26x + 33}$$

2.)  $(4x^2 - x + 5)(3x^2 + 2x + 10)$

	$3x^2$	$+ 2x$	$+ 10$
$4x^2$	$12x^4$	$8x^3$	$40x^2$
$-x$	$-3x^3$	$-2x^2$	$-10x$
$+5$	$15x^2$	$10x$	$50$

$$\boxed{12x^4 + 5x^3 + 53x^2 + 50}$$

(B) Simplifying Radicals

- Perfect square factor inside radical
- Square root in the denominator
- Fraction inside the radical
- Adding and subtracting radicals

3.)  $\sqrt{480}$

$$\sqrt{48 \cdot 10}$$

$$\sqrt{16 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot 2}$$

$$\sqrt{4 \cdot 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot 2}$$

$$\boxed{4\sqrt{30}}$$

4.)  $\sqrt{72} - \sqrt{32} + \sqrt{27}$

$$\sqrt{36} \sqrt{2} - \sqrt{16} \sqrt{2} + \sqrt{9} \sqrt{3}$$

$$6\sqrt{2} - 4\sqrt{2} + 3\sqrt{3}$$

$$\boxed{2\sqrt{2} + 3\sqrt{3}}$$

5.)  $\frac{21}{\sqrt{98}} = \frac{21 \cdot \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{98} \cdot \sqrt{2}}$

$$= \frac{21\sqrt{2}}{14}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2}}$$

6.)  $\sqrt{\frac{81}{24}} = \frac{\sqrt{81}}{\sqrt{24}}$

$$= \frac{9}{\sqrt{24}}$$

$$= \frac{9 \cdot \sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{4 \cdot 6}}$$

$$= \frac{9 \cdot \sqrt{6}}{2\sqrt{6} \cdot \sqrt{6}}$$

$$= \frac{9\sqrt{6}}{12}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{3\sqrt{6}}{4}}$$

(C) Radicals with Conjugates

- Simplifying with radical in denominator along with another term

7.)  $\frac{1}{2 + \sqrt{6}} \frac{(2 - \sqrt{6})}{(2 - \sqrt{6})}$

$$\frac{2 - \sqrt{6}}{4 - 2\sqrt{6} + 2\sqrt{6} - 6}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{2 - \sqrt{6}}{-2}}$$

or

$$\frac{\sqrt{6} - 2}{2}$$

8.)  $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{5 - \sqrt{10}} \frac{5 + \sqrt{10}}{5 + \sqrt{10}}$

$$\frac{5\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{50}}{25 - 10}$$

$$\frac{5\sqrt{5} + 5\sqrt{2}}{15} \div 5$$

$$\boxed{\frac{\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{2}}{3}}$$

9.)  $\frac{8 - \sqrt{6}}{1 + \sqrt{3}} \frac{(1 - \sqrt{3})}{(1 - \sqrt{3})}$

$$\frac{8 - 8\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{6} + \sqrt{18}}{1 - 3}$$

$$\frac{8 - 8\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{6} + 3\sqrt{2}}{-2}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{-\sqrt{6} - 8\sqrt{3} + 3\sqrt{2} + 8}{-2}}$$

or

$$\frac{\sqrt{6} + 8\sqrt{3} - 3\sqrt{2} - 8}{2}$$

(D) Simplifying solutions using the Quadratic Formula

- Two real solutions
- One real repeated solution
- Two imaginary solutions

Solve the following equations using the Quadratic Formula. Give the exact solutions in simplified form.

10.)  $x^2 - 2x - 15 = 0$

$$x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4 - 4(1)(-15)}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{64}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{2 \pm 8}{2}$$

$$x = 5, -3$$

11.)  $3x^2 + 27 = 18x$

$$\frac{3x^2 - 18x + 27 = 0}{3}$$

$$x^2 - 6x + 9 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{36 - 4(1)(9)}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{6 \pm 0}{2}$$

$$x = 3$$

12.)  $x^2 + 2x + 12 = 0$

$$x^2 + 2x + 12 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 - 4(1)(12)}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{-44}}{2} \rightarrow \sqrt{4}\sqrt{11}$$

$$x = \frac{-2 \pm 2\sqrt{11}}{2}$$

$$x = -1 \pm \sqrt{11}$$

(E) Imaginary Numbers – What are they (Negative inside a root)

- The letter  $i$  as a number
- Powers of  $i$ ,  $i^2 = -1$  most important

Solve the following quadratic equations. Express your solution(s) in simplified form.

13.)  $x^2 = -16$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{16}$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{16}i$$

$$x = \pm 4i$$

14.)  $4x^2 + 32 = 0$

$$4x^2 = -32$$

$$x^2 = -8$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{8}$$
$$\sqrt{8}\sqrt{1}$$
$$\sqrt{4}\sqrt{2}$$

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

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

15.)  $(x^2 - 1)(x^2 + 9) = 0$

$$x^2 - 1 = 0 \quad x^2 + 9 = 0$$

$$x^2 = 1 \quad x^2 = -9$$

$$x = \pm 1, \pm 3i$$

Express the powers of  $i$  in simplest form (no powers of  $i$  greater than 1).

$$i^0 = 1 \quad i^1 = i \quad i^2 = -1 \quad i^3 = -i$$

16.)  $i^7$   $7 \div 4 = 1 \text{ r. } 3$

$$i^7 = i^3$$

$$i^3 = -i$$

17.)  $i^{10} + i^{12}$

$$10 \div 4 = 2 \text{ r. } 2 \quad 12 \div 4 = 3 \text{ r. } 0$$

$$i^2 + i^0$$

$$-1 + 1 = 0$$

18.)  $i \cdot i^3 \cdot i^5 \cdot i^7$

$$i^{1+3+5+7}$$

$$i^{16} \quad 16 \div 4 = 4 \text{ r. } 0$$

$$i^4 = i^0$$

$$1$$

19.)  $(i^{11})^5$

$$i^{55}$$

$$55 \div 4 = 13 \text{ r. } 3$$

$$i^3 = -i$$

$$-i$$

(F) Complex Numbers

- Algebraic Perspective

- Adding, subtracting and multiplying complex numbers
- Dividing complex numbers using complex conjugates

Determine the real and imaginary part of the following expressions.

20.)  $1 - 4i + 7 + 8i - 11$

$$\boxed{-3 + 4i}$$

21.)  $2(3 + 2i) - 7(5 + 6i)$

$$\boxed{-29 - 38i}$$

22.)  $(4 - 9i)(7 - 8i)$

$$\boxed{-44 - 95i}$$

23.)  $\frac{2(1-i)}{1+i}$

$$\boxed{1-i}$$

24.)  $\frac{6i(4+3i)}{4-3i}$

$$\boxed{\frac{-18 + 24i}{25}}$$

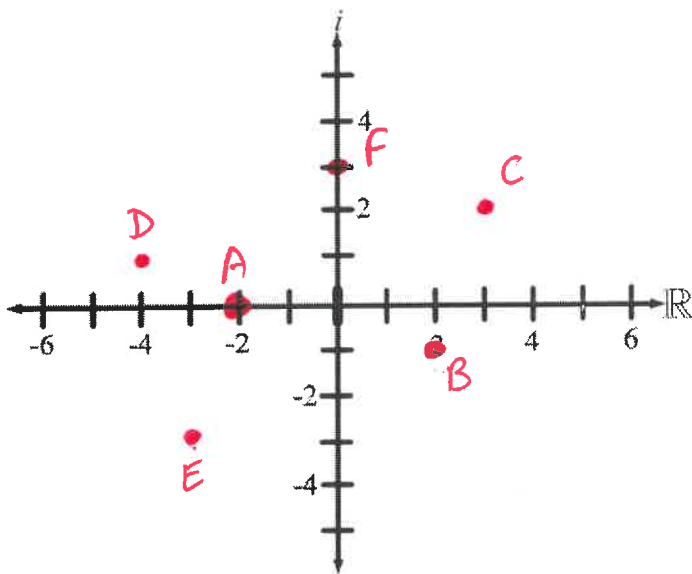
25.)  $\frac{6-5i}{3-2i}$

$$\boxed{\frac{28-3i}{13}}$$

- Graphical Perspective

- Argand diagram with real and imaginary axes
- Complex numbers as vectors (skipping for now)
- Tip to tail method of adding vectors (skipping for now)

26.) Plot the following complex numbers on the complex plane (Argand diagram) below.



- 2 A
- $2 - i$  B
- $3 + 2i$  C
- $-4 + i$  D
- $-3 - 3i$  E
- $3i$  F