

3-2 Complex Numbers

Simplify.

1. $\sqrt{-81}$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt{-81} &= \sqrt{-1 \cdot 9 \cdot 9} \\ &= \sqrt{-1} \cdot \sqrt{9^2} \\ &= 9i\end{aligned}$$

2. $\sqrt{-32}$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt{-32} &= \sqrt{-1 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2} \\ &= \sqrt{-1} \cdot \sqrt{2^2} \cdot \sqrt{2^2} \cdot \sqrt{2} \\ &= i \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot \sqrt{2} \\ &= 4i\sqrt{2}\end{aligned}$$

3. $(4i)(-3i)$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}(4i)(-3i) &= -12i^2 \\ &= -12(-1) \\ &= 12\end{aligned}$$

4. $3\sqrt{-24} \cdot 2\sqrt{-18}$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}3\sqrt{-24} \cdot 2\sqrt{-18} &= 3 \cdot \sqrt{-1 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3} \cdot 2 \cdot \sqrt{-1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 3} \\ &= 3 \cdot i \cdot 2 \cdot \sqrt{2} \cdot \sqrt{3} \cdot 2 \cdot i \cdot \sqrt{2} \cdot 3 \\ &= 72 \cdot i^2 \cdot \sqrt{3} \\ &= 72 \cdot (-1) \cdot \sqrt{3} \\ &= -72\sqrt{3}\end{aligned}$$

5. i^{40}

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}i^{40} &= (i^2)^{20} \\ &= (-1)^{20} \\ &= 1\end{aligned}$$

6. i^{63}

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}i^{63} &= i^{62} \cdot i \\ &= (i^2)^{31} \cdot i \\ &= -1 \cdot i \\ &= -i\end{aligned}$$

Solve each equation.

7. $4x^2 + 32 = 0$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}4x^2 + 32 &= 0 \\ 4x^2 &= -32 \\ x^2 &= -8 \\ x &= \pm\sqrt{-8} \\ x &= \pm\sqrt{-1 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2} \\ x &= \pm 2i\sqrt{2}\end{aligned}$$

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8. $x^2 + 1 = 0$

SOLUTION:

$$x^2 + 1 = 0$$

$$x^2 = -1$$

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

$$x = \pm i\sqrt{1}$$

$$x = \pm i$$

Find the values of a and b that make each equation true.

9. $3a + (4b + 2)i = 9 - 6i$

SOLUTION:

Set the real parts equal to each other.

$$3a = 9$$

$$a = 3$$

Set the imaginary parts equal to each other.

$$4b + 2 = -6$$

$$4b = -8$$

$$b = -2$$

10. $4b - 5 + (-a - 3)i = 7 - 8i$

SOLUTION:

Set the real parts equal to each other.

$$4b - 5 = 7$$

$$4b = 12$$

$$b = 3$$

Set the imaginary parts equal to each other.

$$-a - 3 = -8$$

$$-a = -5$$

$$a = 5$$

Simplify.

11. $(-1 + 5i) + (-2 - 3i)$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} (-1 + 5i) + (-2 - 3i) &= (-1 - 2) + (5i - 3i) \\ &= -3 + 2i \end{aligned}$$

12. $(7 + 4i) - (1 + 2i)$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} (7 + 4i) - (1 + 2i) &= 7 + 4i - 1 - 2i \\ &= 6 + 2i \end{aligned}$$

13. $(6 - 8i)(9 + 2i)$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} (6 - 8i)(9 + 2i) &= 6(9) + 6(2i) - 8i(9) - 8i(2i) \\ &= 54 + 12i - 72i - 16i^2 \\ &= 54 + 12i - 72i - 16(-1) \\ &= 54 + 12i - 72i + 16 \\ &= 70 - 60i \end{aligned}$$

14. $(3 + 2i)(-2 + 4i)$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} (3 + 2i)(-2 + 4i) &= 3(-2) + 3(4i) + 2i(-2) + 2i(4i) \\ &= -6 + 12i - 4i + 8i^2 \\ &= -6 + 12i - 4i + 8(-1) \\ &= -6 + 12i - 4i - 8 \\ &= -14 + 8i \end{aligned}$$

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15. $\frac{3-i}{4+2i}$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{3-i}{4+2i} &= \frac{3-i}{4+2i} \cdot \frac{4-2i}{4-2i} \\ &= \frac{(3-i)(4-2i)}{(4+2i)(4-2i)} \\ &= \frac{12-6i-4i+2i^2}{16-4i^2} \\ &= \frac{12-6i-4i-2}{16-4(-1)} \\ &= \frac{10-10i}{20} \\ &= \frac{10(1-i)}{2 \cdot 10} \\ &= \frac{1-i}{2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}i\end{aligned}$$

16. $\frac{2+i}{5+6i}$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{2+i}{5+6i} &= \frac{2+i}{5+6i} \cdot \frac{5-6i}{5-6i} \\ &= \frac{(2+i)(5-6i)}{(5+6i)(5-6i)} \\ &= \frac{10-12i+5i-6i^2}{25-36i^2} \\ &= \frac{10-12i+5i-6(-1)}{25-36(-1)} \\ &= \frac{10-12i+5i+6}{25+36} \\ &= \frac{16-7i}{61} \\ &= \frac{16}{61} - \frac{7}{61}i\end{aligned}$$

17. **ELECTRICITY** The current in one part of a series circuit is $5 - 3j$ amps. The current in another part of the circuit is $7 + 9j$ amps. Add these complex numbers to find the total current in the circuit.

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Total current} &= (5 - 3j) + (7 + 9j) \\ &= 5 - 3j + 7 + 9j \\ &= 12 + 6j \text{ amps}\end{aligned}$$

CCSS STRUCTURE Simplify.

18. $\sqrt{-121}$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt{-121} &= \sqrt{-1 \cdot 11 \cdot 11} \\ &= \sqrt{-1} \cdot \sqrt{11^2} \\ &= 11i\end{aligned}$$

19. $\sqrt{-169}$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt{-169} &= \sqrt{-1 \cdot 13 \cdot 13} \\ &= \sqrt{-1} \cdot \sqrt{13^2} \\ &= 13i\end{aligned}$$

20. $\sqrt{-100}$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt{-100} &= \sqrt{-1 \cdot 10 \cdot 10} \\ &= \sqrt{-1} \cdot \sqrt{10^2} \\ &= 10i\end{aligned}$$

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21. $\sqrt{-81}$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt{-81} &= \sqrt{-1 \cdot 9 \cdot 9} \\ &= \sqrt{-1} \cdot \sqrt{9^2} \\ &= 9i\end{aligned}$$

22. $(-3i)(-7i)(2i)$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}(-3i)(-7i)(2i) &= (-3 \cdot -7 \cdot 2)(i \cdot i \cdot i) \\ &= (-3 \cdot -7 \cdot 2)(-1 \cdot i) \\ &= -42i\end{aligned}$$

23. $4i(-6i)^2$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}4i(-6i)^2 &= (4i)(36i^2) \\ &= (-144)(i) \\ &= -144i\end{aligned}$$

24. i^{11}

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}i^{11} &= i^{10} \cdot i \\ &= (i^2)^5 \cdot i \\ &= -1 \cdot i \\ &= -i\end{aligned}$$

25. i^{25}

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}i^{25} &= i^{24} \cdot i \\ &= (i^2)^{12} \cdot i \\ &= 1 \cdot i \\ &= i\end{aligned}$$

26. $(10 - 7i) + (6 + 9i)$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}(10 - 7i) + (6 + 9i) &= (10 + 6) + (-7i + 9i) \\ &= 16 + 2i\end{aligned}$$

27. $(-3 + i) + (-4 - i)$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}(-3 + i) + (-4 - i) &= (-3 - 4) + (i - i) \\ &= -7\end{aligned}$$

28. $(12 + 5i) - (9 - 2i)$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}(12 + 5i) - (9 - 2i) &= 12 + 5i - 9 + 2i \\ &= 3 + 7i\end{aligned}$$

29. $(11 - 8i) - (2 - 8i)$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}(11 - 8i) - (2 - 8i) &= 11 - 8i - 2 + 8i \\ &= 9\end{aligned}$$

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30. $(1 + 2i)(1 - 2i)$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}(1 + 2i)(1 - 2i) &= 1(1) + 1(-2i) + 2i(1) + 2i(-2i) \\ &= 1 - 2i + 2i - 4i^2 \\ &= 1 - 2i + 2i - 4(-1) \\ &= 1 + 4 \\ &= 5\end{aligned}$$

31. $(3 + 5i)(5 - 3i)$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}(3 + 5i)(5 - 3i) &= 3(5) + 3(-3i) + 5i(5) + 5i(-3i) \\ &= 15 - 9i + 25i - 15i^2 \\ &= 15 - 9i + 25i + 15 \\ &= 30 + 16i\end{aligned}$$

32. $(4 - i)(6 - 6i)$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}(4 - i)(6 - 6i) &= 4(6) + 4(-6i) - i(6) - i(-6i) \\ &= 24 - 24i - 6i + 6i^2 \\ &= 24 - 24i - 6i - 6 \\ &= 18 - 30i\end{aligned}$$

33. $\frac{2i}{1+i}$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{2i}{1+i} &= \frac{2i}{1+i} \cdot \frac{1-i}{1-i} \\ &= \frac{2i(1-i)}{(1+i)(1-i)} \\ &= \frac{2i - 2i^2}{1 - i^2} \\ &= \frac{2i + 2}{1 + 1} \\ &= \frac{2i + 2}{2} \\ &= 1 + i\end{aligned}$$

34. $\frac{5}{2+4i}$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{5}{2+4i} &= \frac{5}{2+4i} \cdot \frac{2-4i}{2-4i} \\ &= \frac{5(2-4i)}{(2+4i)(2-4i)} \\ &= \frac{10 - 20i}{4 - 16i^2} \\ &= \frac{10 - 20i}{4 + 16} \\ &= \frac{10 - 20i}{20} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} - i\end{aligned}$$

35. $\frac{5+i}{3i}$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{5+i}{3i} &= \frac{5+i}{3i} \cdot \frac{3i}{3i} \\ &= \frac{3i(5+i)}{9i^2} \\ &= \frac{15i + 3i^2}{9i^2} \\ &= \frac{15i + 3(-1)}{9(-1)} \\ &= \frac{15i - 3}{-9} \\ &= \frac{1}{3} - \frac{5}{3}i\end{aligned}$$

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Solve each equation.

36. $4x^2 + 4 = 0$

SOLUTION:

$$4x^2 + 4 = 0$$

$$4x^2 = -4$$

$$x^2 = -1$$

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

$$x = \pm i$$

37. $3x^2 + 48 = 0$

SOLUTION:

$$3x^2 + 48 = 0$$

$$3x^2 = -48$$

$$x^2 = -16$$

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

$$x = \pm 4i$$

38. $2x^2 + 50 = 0$

SOLUTION:

$$2x^2 + 50 = 0$$

$$2x^2 = -50$$

$$x^2 = -25$$

$$x = \pm\sqrt{-25}$$

$$x = \pm 5i$$

39. $2x^2 + 10 = 0$

SOLUTION:

$$2x^2 + 10 = 0$$

$$2x^2 = -10$$

$$x^2 = -5$$

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

$$x = \pm i\sqrt{5}$$

40. $6x^2 + 108 = 0$

SOLUTION:

$$6x^2 + 108 = 0$$

$$6x^2 = -108$$

$$x^2 = -18$$

$$x = \pm\sqrt{-18}$$

$$x = \pm 3i\sqrt{2}$$

41. $8x^2 + 128 = 0$

SOLUTION:

$$8x^2 + 128 = 0$$

$$8x^2 = -128$$

$$x^2 = -16$$

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

$$x = \pm 4i$$

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Find the values of x and y that make each equation true.

42. $9 + 12i = 3x + 4yi$

SOLUTION:

Set the real parts equal to each other.

$$9 = 3x$$

$$3 = x$$

Set the imaginary parts equal to each other.

$$12 = 4y$$

$$3 = y$$

43. $x + 1 + 2yi = 3 - 6i$

SOLUTION:

Set the real parts equal to each other.

$$x + 1 = 3$$

$$x = 3 - 1$$

$$x = 2$$

Set the imaginary parts equal to each other.

$$2y = -6$$

$$y = -3$$

44. $2x + 7 + (3 - y)i = -4 + 6i$

SOLUTION:

Set the real parts equal to each other.

$$2x + 7 = -4$$

$$2x + 7 - 7 = -4 - 7$$

$$2x = -11$$

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

Set the imaginary parts equal to each other.

$$3 - y = 6$$

$$y = -3$$

45. $5 + y + (3x - 7)i = 9 - 3i$

SOLUTION:

Set the real parts equal to each other.

$$5 + y = 9$$

$$y = 4$$

Set the imaginary parts equal to each other.

$$3x - 7 = -3$$

$$3x - 7 + 7 = -3 + 7$$

$$3x = 4$$

$$x = \frac{4}{3}$$

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46. $a + 3b + (3a - b)i = 6 + 6i$

SOLUTION:

Set the real parts equal to each other.

$$a + 3b = 6 \rightarrow (1)$$

Set the imaginary parts equal to each other.

$$3a - b = 6 \rightarrow (2)$$

Multiply the second equation by 3 and add the resulting equation to (1).

$$\begin{array}{r} a + 3b = 6 \\ 9a - 3b = 18 \quad (+) \\ \hline 10a = 24 \end{array}$$

$$a = \frac{24}{10}$$

$$a = \frac{12}{5}$$

Substitute $a = \frac{12}{5}$ in (1).

$$\begin{array}{r} \frac{12}{5} + 3b = 6 \\ \frac{12 + 15b}{5} = 6 \\ \frac{12 + 15b}{5} \cdot 5 = 6 \cdot 5 \\ 12 + 15b = 30 \\ 15b = 18 \\ b = \frac{18}{15} \\ b = \frac{6}{5} \end{array}$$

47. $(2a - 4b)i + a + 5b = 15 + 58i$

SOLUTION:

Set the real parts equal to each other.

$$a + 5b = 15 \rightarrow (1)$$

Set the imaginary parts equal to each other.

$$2a - 4b = 58 \rightarrow (2)$$

Multiply the first equation by 2 and subtract the second equation from the resulting equation.

$$\begin{array}{r} 2a + 10b = 30 \\ 2a - 4b = 58 \quad (-) \\ \hline 14b = -28 \\ b = -2 \end{array}$$

Substitute $b = -2$ in (1).

$$\begin{array}{r} a + 5(-2) = 15 \\ a - 10 = 15 \\ a = 25 \end{array}$$

Simplify.

48. $\sqrt{-10} \cdot \sqrt{-24}$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{-10} \cdot \sqrt{-24} &= \sqrt{-1 \cdot 2 \cdot 5} \cdot \sqrt{-2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3} \\ &= \sqrt{-1} \cdot \sqrt{2} \cdot \sqrt{5} \cdot \sqrt{-1} \cdot 2 \cdot \sqrt{2} \cdot \sqrt{3} \\ &= i \cdot 2 \cdot \sqrt{15} \cdot i \cdot 2 \\ &= -4\sqrt{15} \end{aligned}$$

49. $4i \left(\frac{1}{2}i\right)^2 (-2i)^2$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} 4i \left(\frac{1}{2}i\right)^2 (-2i)^2 &= 4i \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 i^2 (-2)^2 i^2 \\ &= 4i \left(\frac{1}{4}\right) (-1)(4)(-1) \\ &= 4i \end{aligned}$$

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50. i^{41}

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}i^{41} &= i^{40} \cdot i \\ &= (i^2)^{20} \cdot i \\ &= 1 \cdot i \\ &= i\end{aligned}$$

51. $(4 - 6i) + (4 + 6i)$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}(4 - 6i) + (4 + 6i) &= 4 + 4 - 6i + 6i \\ &= 8\end{aligned}$$

52. $(8 - 5i) - (7 + i)$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}(8 - 5i) - (7 + i) &= 8 - 5i - 7 - i \\ &= 1 - 6i\end{aligned}$$

53. $(-6 - i)(3 - 3i)$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}(-6 - i)(3 - 3i) &= -6(3) - 6(-3i) - i(3) - i(-3i) \\ &= -18 + 18i - 3i - 3 \\ &= -21 + 15i\end{aligned}$$

54. $\frac{(5+i)^2}{3-i}$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{(5+i)^2}{3-i} &= \frac{(5+i)^2}{3-i} \cdot \frac{3+i}{3+i} \\ &= \frac{(5+i)^2(3+i)}{(3-i)(3+i)} \\ &= \frac{(25-1+10i)(3+i)}{9+1} \\ &= \frac{(24+10i)(3+i)}{10} \\ &= \frac{72+30i+24i+10i^2}{10} \\ &= \frac{72+30i+24i-10}{10} \\ &= \frac{62+54i}{10} \\ &= \frac{31}{5} + \frac{27}{5}i\end{aligned}$$

55. $\frac{6-i}{2-3i}$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{6-i}{2-3i} &= \frac{6-i}{2-3i} \cdot \frac{2+3i}{2+3i} \\ &= \frac{(6-i)(2+3i)}{(2-3i)(2+3i)} \\ &= \frac{12+18i-2i-3i^2}{4+9} \\ &= \frac{12+18i-2i+3}{13} \\ &= \frac{15+16i}{13} \\ &= \frac{15}{13} + \frac{16}{13}i\end{aligned}$$

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56. $(-4 + 6i)(2 - i)(3 + 7i)$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} & (-4 + 6i)(2 - i)(3 + 7i) \\ &= (-4(2) - 4(-i) + 6i(2) + 6i(-i))(3 + 7i) \\ &= (-8 + 4i + 12i + 6)(3 + 7i) \\ &= (-2 + 16i)(3 + 7i) \\ &= -2(3) - 2(7i) + 16i(3) + 16i(7i) \\ &= -6 - 14i + 48i - 112 \\ &= -118 + 34i \end{aligned}$$

57. $(1 + i)(2 + 3i)(4 - 3i)$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} & (1 + i)(2 + 3i)(4 - 3i) \\ &= (1(2) + 1(3i) + i(2) + i(3i))(4 - 3i) \\ &= (2 + 3i + 2i - 3)(4 - 3i) \\ &= (-1 + 5i)(4 - 3i) \\ &= -1(4) - 1(-3i) + 5i(4) + 5i(-3i) \\ &= -4 + 3i + 20i + 15 \\ &= 11 + 23i \end{aligned}$$

58. $\frac{4 - i\sqrt{2}}{4 + i\sqrt{2}}$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{4 - i\sqrt{2}}{4 + i\sqrt{2}} &= \frac{4 - i\sqrt{2}}{4 + i\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{4 - i\sqrt{2}}{4 - i\sqrt{2}} \\ &= \frac{(4 - i\sqrt{2})(4 - i\sqrt{2})}{(4 + i\sqrt{2})(4 - i\sqrt{2})} \\ &= \frac{(16 - 2 - 8i\sqrt{2})}{16 + 2} \\ &= \frac{14 - 8i\sqrt{2}}{18} \\ &= \frac{7}{9} - \frac{4i\sqrt{2}}{9} \end{aligned}$$

59. $\frac{2 - i\sqrt{3}}{2 + i\sqrt{3}}$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{2 - i\sqrt{3}}{2 + i\sqrt{3}} &= \frac{2 - i\sqrt{3}}{2 + i\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{2 - i\sqrt{3}}{2 - i\sqrt{3}} \\ &= \frac{(2 - i\sqrt{3})(2 - i\sqrt{3})}{(2 + i\sqrt{3})(2 - i\sqrt{3})} \\ &= \frac{(4 - 3 - 4i\sqrt{3})}{4 + 3} \\ &= \frac{1 - 4i\sqrt{3}}{7} \\ &= \frac{1}{7} - \frac{4i\sqrt{3}}{7} \end{aligned}$$

60. **ELECTRICITY** The impedance in one part of a series circuit is $7 + 8j$ ohms, and the impedance in another part of the circuit is $13 - 4j$ ohms. Add these complex numbers to find the total impedance in the circuit.

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Total impedance} &= 7 + 8j + 13 - 4j \\ &= 20 + 4j \text{ ohms} \end{aligned}$$

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ELECTRICITY Use the formula $V = C \cdot I$.

61. The current in a circuit is $3 + 6j$ amps, and the impedance is $5 - j$ ohms. What is the voltage?

SOLUTION:

We know that voltage can be calculated by

$$V = C \cdot I.$$

V = Voltage

C = current

I = impedance

$$\begin{aligned} V &= (3 + 6j)(5 - j) \\ &= 15 - 3j + 30j + 6 \\ &= 21 + 27j \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the voltage is $21 + 27j$ Volts.

62. The voltage in a circuit is $20 - 12j$ volts, and the impedance is $6 - 4j$ ohms. What is the current?

SOLUTION:

We know that voltage can be calculated by

$$V = C \cdot I.$$

V = Voltage

C = current

I = impedance

$$\begin{aligned} 20 - 12j &= I(6 - 4j) \\ I &= \frac{20 - 12j}{6 - 4j} \\ &= \frac{20 - 12j}{6 - 4j} \cdot \frac{6 + 4j}{6 + 4j} \\ &= \frac{(20 - 12j)(6 + 4j)}{(6 - 4j)(6 + 4j)} \\ &= \frac{120 + 80j - 72j + 48}{36 + 16} \\ &= \frac{168 + 8j}{52} \\ &= \frac{42}{13} + \frac{2}{13}j \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the current is $\frac{42}{13} + \frac{2}{13}j$ Amps.

63. Find the sum of $ix^2 - (4 + 5i)x + 7$ and $3x^2 + (2 + 6i)x - 8i$.

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} &ix^2 - (4 + 5i)x + 7 + 3x^2 + (2 + 6i)x - 8i \\ &= (3 + i)x^2 - 5ix - 4x + 2x + 6ix + 7 - 8i \\ &= (3 + i)x^2 + ix - 2x + 7 - 8i \\ &= (3 + i)x^2 + (-2 + i)x + 7 - 8i \end{aligned}$$

64. Simplify $[(2 + i)x^2 - ix + 5 + i] - [(-3 + 4i)x^2 + (5 - 5i)x - 6]$.

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} &[(2 + i)x^2 - ix + 5 + i] - [(-3 + 4i)x^2 + (5 - 5i)x - 6] \\ &= [(2 + i)x^2 - ix + 5 + i] - (-3 + 4i)x^2 - (5 - 5i)x + 6 \\ &= 2x^2 + ix^2 - ix + 5 + i + 3x^2 - 4ix^2 - 5x + 5ix + 6 \\ &= 5x^2 - 3ix^2 + i - 5x + 4ix + 11 \\ &= (5 - 3i)x^2 + (-5 + 4i)x + i + 11 \end{aligned}$$

65. **MULTIPLE REPRESENTATIONS** In this problem, you will explore quadratic equations that have complex roots. Use a graphing calculator.

a. Algebraic Write a quadratic equation in standard form with $3i$ and $-3i$ as its roots.

b. Graphical Graph the quadratic equation found in part **a** by graphing its related function.

c. Algebraic Write a quadratic equation in standard form with $2 + i$ and $2 - i$ as its roots.

d. Graphical Graph the related function of the quadratic equation you found in part **c**. Use the graph to find the roots if possible. Explain.

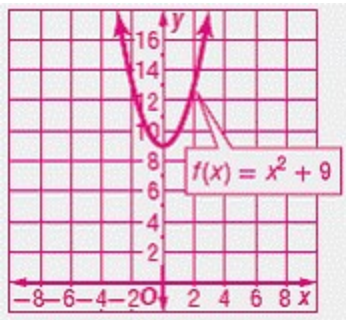
e. Analytical How do you know when a quadratic equation will have only complex solutions?

SOLUTION:

a. Sample answer: $x^2 + 9 = 0$

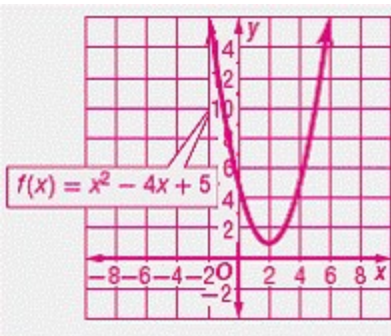
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b.



c. Sample answer: $x^2 - 4x + 5 = 0$

d.



e. Sample answer: A quadratic equation will have only complex solutions when the graph of the related function has no x -intercepts.

66. **CCSS CRITIQUE** Joe and Sue are simplifying $(2i)(3i)(4i)$. Is either of them correct? Explain your reasoning.

<p>Joe</p> $24i^3 = -24$
<p>Sue</p> $24i^3 = -24i$

SOLUTION:

Sue; $i^3 = -i$, not -1 .

67. **CHALLENGE** Simplify $(1 + 2i)^3$.

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} (1 + 2i)^3 &= (1 + 2i)(1 + 2i)(1 + 2i) \\ &= (1 - 4 + 4i)(1 + 2i) \\ &= (-3 + 4i)(1 + 2i) \\ &= -3 - 6i + 4i - 8 \\ &= -11 - 2i \end{aligned}$$

68. **REASONING** Determine whether the following statement is *always*, *sometimes*, or *never* true. Explain your reasoning.

Every complex number has both a real part and an imaginary part.

SOLUTION:

Sample answer: Always. The value of 5 can be represented by $5 + 0i$, and the value of $3i$ can be represented by $0 + 3i$.

69. **OPEN ENDED** Write two complex numbers with a product of 20.

SOLUTION:

Sample answer: $(4 + 2i)(4 - 2i)$

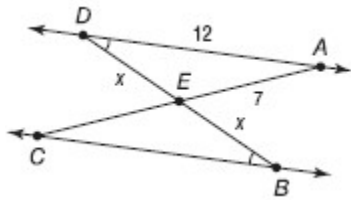
70. **WRITING IN MATH** Explain how complex numbers are related to quadratic equations.

SOLUTION:

Some quadratic equations have complex solutions and cannot be solved using only the real numbers.

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71. **EXTENDED RESPONSE** Refer to the figure to answer the following.



- Name two congruent triangles with vertices in correct order.
- Explain why the triangles are congruent.
- What is the length of \overline{EC} ? Explain your procedure.

SOLUTION:

a. $\triangle CBE \cong \triangle ADE$

b. $\angle AED \cong \angle CEB$ (Vertical angles)

$\overline{DE} \cong \overline{BE}$ (Both have length x .)

$\angle ADE \cong \angle CBE$ (Given)

Consecutive angles and the included side are all congruent, so the triangles are congruent by the ASA Property.

c. $\overline{EC} \cong \overline{EA}$ by CPCTC (corresponding parts of congruent triangles are congruent.) $EA = 7$, so $EC = 7$.

72. $(3 + 6)^2 =$

A $2 \times 3 + 2 \times 6$

B 9^2

C $3^2 + 6^2$

D $3^2 \times 6^2$

SOLUTION:

$(3 + 6)^2 = 9^2$

So, the correct option is B.

73. **SAT/ACT** A store charges \$49 for a pair of pants. This price is 40% more than the amount it costs the store to buy the pants. After a sale, any employee is allowed to purchase any remaining pairs of pants at 30% off the store's cost. How much would it cost an employee to purchase the pants after the sale?

F \$10.50

G \$12.50

H \$13.72

J \$24.50

K \$35.00

SOLUTION:

Let x be the original amount of the pants.

$\$49 = 40\%x + x$

$\$49 = 0.4x + x$

$\$49 = 1.4x$

$x = \$35$

$\$35 \cdot \frac{30}{100} = \10.50

$\$35 - \$10.50 = \$24.50$

So, the correct option is J.

3-2 Complex Numbers

74. What are the values of x and y when $(5 + 4i) - (x + yi) = (-1 - 3i)$?

A $x = 6, y = 7$

B $x = 4, y = i$

C $x = 6, y = i$

D $x = 4, y = 7$

SOLUTION:

Set the real parts equal to each other.

$$5 - x = -1$$

$$x = 6$$

Set the imaginary parts equal to each other.

$$4 - y = -3$$

$$y = 7$$

So, the correct option is A.

Solve each equation by factoring.

75. $2x^2 + 7x = 15$

SOLUTION:

Write the equation with right side equal to zero.

$$2x^2 + 7x - 15 = 0$$

Find factors of $2(-15) = -30$ whose sum is 7.

$$10(-3) = -30 \text{ and } 10 + (-3) = 7$$

$$2x^2 + 10x - 3x - 15 = 0$$

$$2x(x + 5) - 3(x + 5) = 0$$

$$(x + 5)(2x - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 5 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad 2x - 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -5 \quad \text{or} \quad x = \frac{3}{2}$$

Therefore, the roots are -5 and $\frac{3}{2}$.

76. $4x^2 - 12 = 22x$

SOLUTION:

Write the equation with right side equal to zero.

$$4x^2 - 22x - 12 = 0$$

Find factors of $4(-12) = -48$ whose sum is -22 .

$$-24(2) = -48 \text{ and } 2 + (-24) = -22$$

$$4x^2 - 24x + 2x - 12 = 0$$

$$4x(x - 6) + 2(x - 6) = 0$$

$$(x - 6)(4x + 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 6 = 0 \text{ or } 4x + 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 6 \quad \text{or} \quad x = -\frac{1}{2}$$

Therefore, the roots are $-\frac{1}{2}$ and 6.

77. $6x^2 = 5x + 4$

SOLUTION:

Write the equation with right side equal to zero.

$$6x^2 - 5x - 4 = 0$$

Find factors of $6(-4) = -24$ whose sum is -5 .

$$-8(3) = -24 \text{ and } 3 + (-8) = -5$$

$$6x^2 - 8x + 3x - 4 = 0$$

$$2x(3x - 4) + 1(3x - 4) = 0$$

$$(2x + 1)(3x - 4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 1 = 0 \text{ or } 3x - 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -\frac{1}{2} \quad \text{or} \quad x = \frac{4}{3}$$

Therefore, the roots are $-\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{4}{3}$.

3-2 Complex Numbers

Determine whether each trinomial is a perfect square trinomial. Write *yes* or *no*.

78. $x^2 - 12x + 36$

SOLUTION:

$x^2 - 12x + 36$ can be written as $(x - 6)^2$.

So, $x^2 - 12x + 36$ is a perfect square trinomial. The answer is “yes”.

79. $x^2 + 8x - 16$

SOLUTION:

We cannot write the given trinomial as the perfect square format. So, the answer is “no”.

80. $x^2 - 14x - 49$

SOLUTION:

We cannot write the given trinomial as the perfect square format. So, the answer is “no”.

81. $x^2 + x + 0.25$

SOLUTION:

$x^2 + x + 0.25$ can be written as $(x + 0.5)^2$.

So, $x^2 + x + 0.25$ is a perfect square trinomial. The answer is “yes”.

82. $x^2 + 5x + 6.25$

SOLUTION:

$x^2 + 5x + 6.25$ can be written as $(x + 2.5)^2$.

So, $x^2 + 5x + 6.25$ is a perfect square trinomial. The answer is “yes”.