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LESSON

Practice B

5-5

Complex Numbers and Roots

Express each number in terms of i .

1. $\sqrt{-32}$

2. $2\sqrt{-18}$

3. $\sqrt{-\frac{1}{9}}$

Solve each equation.

4. $3x^2 + 81 = 0$

6. $\frac{1}{4}x^2 + 12 = 0$

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

8. $2x - 20i = 8 - (4y)i$

9. $5i - 6x = (10y)i + 2$

Find the zeros of each function.

10. $f(x) = x^2 - 2x + 4$

11. $g(x) = x^2 + 6x + 14$

Find the zeros of each function by using the Quadratic Formula.

3. $h(x) = x^2 - x + 12$

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

Complex Numbers and Roots

$3x + 1$ $(7i - 1)$ $(-2i)$ $\sqrt{8}$
 Expressing $\sqrt{-1}$? i
 Are they of i ? -1
 Complex number $a + bi$? a
 If the complex number $a + bi$? bi

of i .
 7. $3\sqrt{-9}$ 8. $-\sqrt{-81}$
 $9i$ $-9i$
 10. $\sqrt{-25}$ 11. $3\sqrt{-49}$
 $5i$ $21i$

bi is $a - bi$. What is the complex conjugate?
 13. $5i$ 14. $2 - 3i$
 $-5i$ $2 + 3i$

equation $x^2 = -25$?
 $= \sqrt{-25}$, so $x = 5i$ and $-5i$.

Are these roots correct?
 You could multiply $(x + 5i)(x - 5i)$ to get the original expression.

equation $4x^2 + 3x^2 = 0$?
 $= \sqrt{-16}$, so $x = 4i$ and $-4i$.

Are these roots correct?
 You could multiply $(x + 4i)(x - 4i)$ to get the original expression.

Complex Numbers and Roots

2. $3x^2 + 14 = -19$

$x = \pm i\sqrt{11}$

4. $g(x) = -2x^2 + 8x - 16$ 5. $h(x) = x^2 - 2x + 3$
 $x = 2 \pm 2i$ $x = 1 \pm i\sqrt{2}$

make each equation true.
 7. $-40i + 2x = (5y)i - 12$ 8. $-8y + 14i = (7x)i - 2$
 $x = -6, y = -8$ $x = 2, y = 0.25$

10. $-5i + \frac{12}{5}$ 11. $-2 - 1.5i$
 $\frac{12}{5} + 5i$ $-2 + 1.5i$

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 $4i\sqrt{2}$ $6i\sqrt{2}$ $\frac{1}{3}i$

Solve each equation.

4. $3x^2 + 81 = 0$ 6. $\frac{1}{4}x^2 + 12 = 0$
 $x = \pm 3\sqrt{3}$ $x = \pm 4i\sqrt{3}$

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

8. $2x - 20i = 8 - (4y)i$ 9. $5i - 6x = (10y)i + 2$
 $x = 4, y = 5$ $x = -\frac{1}{3}, y = \frac{1}{2}$

Find the zeros of each function.

10. $f(x) = x^2 - 2x + 4$ 11. $g(x) = x^2 + 6x + 14$
 $x = 1 \pm i\sqrt{3}$ $x = -3 \pm i\sqrt{5}$

3. $h(x) = -x^2 - x + 12$

$x = \frac{1 \pm i\sqrt{47}}{2}$

An imaginary number is the square root of a negative number. Use the definition $\sqrt{-1} = i$ to simplify square roots.

Simplify.

$\sqrt{-25}$
 $\sqrt{(25)(-1)}$ Factor out -1 .
 $\sqrt{25}\sqrt{-1}$ Separate roots.

$5\sqrt{-1}$ Simplify.
 $5i$ Express in terms of i .

$-\sqrt{-48}$
 $-\sqrt{(48)(-1)}$ Factor out -1 .
 $-\sqrt{48}\sqrt{-1}$ Separate roots.

$-\sqrt{16}\sqrt{3}\sqrt{-1}$ Factor the perfect square.
 $-4\sqrt{3}\sqrt{-1}$ Simplify.
 $-4i\sqrt{3}$ Express in terms of i .

Real Imaginary

Complex numbers are numbers that can be written in the form $a + bi$.