

$\sqrt{4}, 9, 16, 25, 36, 49, 64, 81$

$$\sqrt{4} \leftrightarrow 2$$

$$2\sqrt{2} \rightarrow \sqrt{2(2^2)} \rightarrow \sqrt{2 \cdot 4} = \underline{\underline{\sqrt{8}}}$$

simpl. f

$$\downarrow$$
$$(7 \cdot 7)$$

$$\downarrow$$
$$7^2$$

$$\sqrt{x^3}$$

$$\rightarrow \sqrt{\underline{\underline{x \cdot x \cdot x}}}$$

$$x\sqrt{x}$$

add

add/subtract "same" things.

$$3x + x = 4x$$

$$\underline{3x} + \underline{y} = 3x + y$$

$$3\sqrt{x} + 3\sqrt{x+1} =$$

$$3\sqrt{x} + 2\sqrt{x} =$$

$$3\sqrt{x} - \sqrt{x} = 2\sqrt{x}$$

multiply/  
divide

$$2\sqrt{2} (\sqrt{3} + 2)$$

$$\frac{2\sqrt{2(3)}}{2\sqrt{6}} + 2(2)\sqrt{2}$$

$$+ 4\sqrt{2}$$

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

we don't like radical bottoms.

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

$\hookrightarrow = 1$

conjugate

$$\frac{1}{1+\sqrt{2}} \cdot \left( \frac{1-\sqrt{2}}{1-\sqrt{2}} \right) = \frac{1-\sqrt{2}}{1-\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{2} - 2}$$

$\hookrightarrow$  cancel

$$\frac{1-\sqrt{2}}{-1} = \frac{1-\sqrt{2}}{1-2} = \frac{1-\sqrt{2}}{-1} = \sqrt{2}-1$$

$$= -(1-\sqrt{2})$$

$$= -1 + \sqrt{2}$$

$$= \sqrt{2} - 1$$

# Adding and Subtracting Radicals

How hard can adding be?

**You just have to remember that you can't take the square root of a negative number!** Not yet...

State the restriction:

$\sqrt{4-x}$ $\rightarrow$ is positive	$\sqrt{2-3x}$
$4-x \geq 0$	$2-3x \geq 0$
$4 \geq x$	$-3x \geq -2$
$\uparrow$	$x \leq \frac{-2}{-3}$
one additional rule multiply by $(-1)$ then flip the sign.	$x \leq \frac{2}{3}$

Solve:

$$\sqrt{x+1} + 3 = 5$$

Here are the steps you want to follow every time you have a radical in your expression:

1. Isolate the radical
  - Get the root **alone** on one side of the equation
2. Square both sides
  - This gets **rid of the radical**. Back to easy mode after this!
3. Solve for x
- ④ Check for extraneous roots
  - Sometimes you may find answers that are not allowed. Non Permissible Values (NPV)

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{x+1} + 3 &= 5 \\ \sqrt{x+1} &= 5 - 3 \\ (\sqrt{x+1})^2 &= (2)^2 \\ x+1 &= 4 \\ x &= 4 - 1 \\ x &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

check

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{3+1} + 3 &= 5 \\ \sqrt{4} + 3 &= 5 \\ 2 + 3 &= 5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} x+1 &\geq 0 \\ x &\geq -1 \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$(x-2)(x-2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \sqrt{x+10} + 2 \\ (x-2)^2 &= (\sqrt{x+10})^2 \\ x^2 - 2x - 2x + 4 &= x + 10 \\ x^2 - 5x - 6 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

restriction

$$\begin{aligned} x+10 &\geq 0 \\ x &\geq -10 \end{aligned}$$

$$x = 6, \cancel{x}$$

check

$$\begin{aligned} 6 &= \sqrt{6+10} + 2 \\ 6 &= \sqrt{16} + 2 \\ 6 &= 4 + 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\checkmark \underline{x = 6}$$

extraneous

$$\begin{aligned} -1 &= \sqrt{-1+10} + 2 \\ -1 &= \sqrt{9} + 2 \\ -1 &= 3 + 2 \end{aligned}$$

When you square both sides of an equation, you are destroying information about the signs of the two sides. Now we have a new equation. Both answers may work in that equation, but we need to check our original equation to see that it works in there too!

$$x - \sqrt{x+2} = 0$$

$$x = 2$$

**Quiz next class.**

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