

Simplify and express each of the following in the form of $a + bi$.

1. $(7 - 10i) + (-4 - 14i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(7 - 10i) + (-4 - 14i) &= 7 - 4 - 10i - 14i \\ &= 3 - 24i\end{aligned}$$

2. $(2 - 3i) + (-3 - 13i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(2 - 3i) + (-3 - 13i) &= 2 - 3 - 3i - 13i \\ &= -1 - 16i\end{aligned}$$

3. $(8 - 8i) + (-9 - i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(8 - 8i) + (-9 - i) &= 8 - 9 - 8i - i \\ &= -1 - 9i\end{aligned}$$

4. $(-5 - 10i) + (7 - 5i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(-5 - 10i) + (7 - 5i) &= -5 + 7 - 10i - 5i \\ &= 2 - 15i\end{aligned}$$

5. $(6 - 11i) + (13 - 15i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(6 - 11i) + (13 - 15i) &= 6 + 13 - 11i - 15i \\ &= 19 - 26i\end{aligned}$$

6. $(1 + 10i) - (-2 - 14i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(1 + 10i) - (-2 - 14i) &= 1 + 10i + 2 + 14i \\ &= 1 + 2 + 10i + 14i \\ &= 3 + 24i\end{aligned}$$

7. $(2 - 14i) - (13 + 15i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(2 - 14i) - (13 + 15i) &= 2 - 14i - 13 - 15i \\ &= 2 - 13 - 14i - 15i \\ &= -11 - 29i\end{aligned}$$

8. $(-3 + 15i) - (-14 - 13i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(-3 + 15i) - (-14 - 13i) &= -3 + 15i + 14 + 13i \\ &= -3 + 14 + 15i + 13i \\ &= 11 + 28i\end{aligned}$$

9. $(5 - 10i) - (-3 - 13i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(5 - 10i) - (-3 - 13i) &= 5 - 10i + 3 + 13i \\ &= 5 + 3 - 10i + 13i \\ &= 8 + 3i\end{aligned}$$

10. $(9 - 10i) - (-10 - 3i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(9 - 10i) - (-10 - 3i) &= 9 - 10i + 10 + 3i \\ &= 9 + 10 - 10i + 3i \\ &= 19 - 7i\end{aligned}$$

11. $(8 + 7i)(-7 + 5i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(8 + 7i)(-7 + 5i) &= -56 + 40i - 49i + 35i^2 \\ &= -56 + 40i - 49i + 35(-1) \\ &= -56 - 35 + 40i - 49i \\ &= -91 - 9i\end{aligned}$$

12. $(6 + 4i)(-7 + 4i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(6 + 4i)(-7 + 4i) &= -42 + 24i - 28i + 16i^2 \\ &= -42 + 24i - 28i + 16(-1) \\ &= -42 - 16 + 24i - 28i \\ &= -58 - 4i\end{aligned}$$

13. $(-6 - 6i)(1 + 3i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(-6 - 6i)(1 + 3i) &= -6 - 18i - 6i - 18i^2 \\ &= -6 - 18i - 6i - 18(-1) \\ &= -6 + 18 - 18i - 6i \\ &= 12 - 24i\end{aligned}$$

14. $(-9 + 9i)(3 + 7i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(-9 + 9i)(3 + 7i) &= -27 - 63i + 27i + 63i^2 \\ &= -27 - 63i + 27i + 63(-1) \\ &= -27 - 63 - 63i + 27i \\ &= -90 - 36i\end{aligned}$$

15. $(-3 - 2i)(9 + 2i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(-3 - 2i)(9 + 2i) &= -27 - 6i - 18i - 4i^2 \\&= -27 - 6i - 18i - 4(-1) \\&= -27 + 4 - 6i - 18i \\&= -23 - 24i\end{aligned}$$

16. $(1 + 9i)(-8 + 4i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(1 + 9i)(-8 + 4i) &= -8 + 4i - 72i + 36i^2 \\&= -8 + 4i - 72i + 36(-1) \\&= -8 - 36 + 4i - 72i \\&= -44 - 68i\end{aligned}$$

17. $(5 - i)(-3 - 6i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(5 - i)(-3 - 6i) &= -15 - 30i + 3i + 6i^2 \\&= -15 - 30i + 3i + 6(-1) \\&= -15 - 6 - 30i + 3i \\&= -21 - 27i\end{aligned}$$

18. $(7 - 5i)(2 + 6i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(7 - 5i)(2 + 6i) &= 14 + 42i - 10i - 30i^2 \\&= 14 + 42i - 10i - 30(-1) \\&= 14 + 30 + 42i - 10i \\&= 44 + 32i\end{aligned}$$

19. $(-5 + 6i)(4 + 8i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(-5 + 6i)(4 + 8i) &= -20 - 40i + 24i + 48i^2 \\&= -20 - 40i + 24i + 48(-1) \\&= -20 - 48 - 40i + 24i \\&= -68 - 16i\end{aligned}$$

20. $(-8 - 9i)(-8 + 2i)$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(-8 - 9i)(-8 + 2i) &= 64 - 16i + 72i - 18i^2 \\&= 64 - 16i + 72i - 18(-1) \\&= 64 + 18 - 16i + 72i \\&= 82 + 56i\end{aligned}$$

21. $\frac{5+i}{4-8i}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{5+i}{4-8i} &= \frac{5+i}{4-8i} \cdot \frac{4+8i}{4+8i} \\ &= \frac{20+40i+4i+8i^2}{4^2-(8i)^2} \\ &= \frac{20+40i+4i+8i^2}{4^2-64i^2} \\ &= \frac{20+40i+4i+8(-1)}{4^2-64(-1)} \\ &= \frac{12+44i}{80} \\ &= \frac{3}{20} + \frac{11}{20}i\end{aligned}$$

22. $\frac{5-3i}{1-4i}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{5-3i}{1-4i} &= \frac{5-3i}{1-4i} \cdot \frac{1+4i}{1+4i} \\ &= \frac{5+20i-3i-12i^2}{1^2-(4i)^2} \\ &= \frac{5+20i-3i-12i^2}{1^2-16i^2} \\ &= \frac{5+20i-3i-12(-1)}{1^2-16(-1)} \\ &= \frac{17+17i}{17} \\ &= 1+i\end{aligned}$$

23. $\frac{4-3i}{7-6i}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{4-3i}{7-6i} &= \frac{4-3i}{7-6i} \cdot \frac{7+6i}{7+6i} \\ &= \frac{28+24i-21i-18i^2}{7^2-(6i)^2} \\ &= \frac{28+24i-21i-18i^2}{7^2-36i^2} \\ &= \frac{28+24i-21i-18(-1)}{7^2-36(-1)} \\ &= \frac{46+3i}{85} \\ &= \frac{46}{85} + \frac{3}{85}i\end{aligned}$$

24. $\frac{6-3i}{5-6i}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{6-3i}{5-6i} &= \frac{6-3i}{5-6i} \cdot \frac{5+6i}{5+6i} \\ &= \frac{30+36i-15i-18i^2}{5^2-(6i)^2} \\ &= \frac{30+36i-15i-18i^2}{5^2-36i^2} \\ &= \frac{30+36i-15i-18(-1)}{5^2-36(-1)} \\ &= \frac{48+21i}{61} \\ &= \frac{48}{61} + \frac{21}{61}i\end{aligned}$$

25. $\frac{9-5i}{3-5i}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{9-5i}{3-5i} &= \frac{9-5i}{3-5i} \cdot \frac{3+5i}{3+5i} \\ &= \frac{27+45i-15i-25i^2}{3^2-(5i)^2} \\ &= \frac{27+45i-15i-25i^2}{3^2-25i^2} \\ &= \frac{27+45i-15i-25(-1)}{3^2-25(-1)} \\ &= \frac{52+30i}{34} \\ &= \frac{26}{17} + \frac{15}{17}i\end{aligned}$$

26. $\frac{3-6i}{5+i}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{3-6i}{5+i} &= \frac{3-6i}{5+i} \cdot \frac{5-i}{5-i} \\ &= \frac{15-3i-30i+6i^2}{5^2-(i)^2} \\ &= \frac{15-3i-30i+6i^2}{5^2-i^2} \\ &= \frac{15-3i-30i+6(-1)}{5^2-(-1)} \\ &= \frac{9-33i}{26} \\ &= \frac{9}{26} - \frac{33}{26}i\end{aligned}$$

27. $\frac{7-2i}{2-4i}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{7-2i}{2-4i} &= \frac{7-2i}{2-4i} \cdot \frac{2+4i}{2+4i} \\&= \frac{14+28i-4i-8i^2}{2^2-(4i)^2} \\&= \frac{14+28i-4i-8i^2}{2^2-16i^2} \\&= \frac{14+28i-4i-8(-1)}{2^2-16(-1)} \\&= \frac{22+24i}{20} \\&= \frac{11}{10} + \frac{6}{5}i\end{aligned}$$

28. $\frac{6-6i}{4-3i}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{6-6i}{4-3i} &= \frac{6-6i}{4-3i} \cdot \frac{4+3i}{4+3i} \\&= \frac{24+18i-24i-18i^2}{4^2-(3i)^2} \\&= \frac{24+18i-24i-18i^2}{4^2-9i^2} \\&= \frac{24+18i-24i-18(-1)}{4^2-9(-1)} \\&= \frac{42-6i}{25} \\&= \frac{42}{25} - \frac{6}{25}i\end{aligned}$$

29. $\frac{3-8i}{7+7i}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{3-8i}{7+7i} &= \frac{3-8i}{7+7i} \cdot \frac{7-7i}{7-7i} \\&= \frac{21-21i-56i+56i^2}{7^2-(7i)^2} \\&= \frac{21-21i-56i+56i^2}{7^2-49i^2} \\&= \frac{21-21i-56i+56(-1)}{7^2-49(-1)} \\&= \frac{-35-77i}{98} \\&= -\frac{5}{14} - \frac{11}{14}i\end{aligned}$$

30. $\frac{4-i}{7-2i}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{4-i}{7-2i} &= \frac{4-i}{7-2i} \cdot \frac{7+2i}{7+2i} \\ &= \frac{28+8i-7i-2i^2}{7^2-(2i)^2} \\ &= \frac{28+8i-7i-2i^2}{7^2-4i^2} \\ &= \frac{28+8i-7i-2(-1)}{7^2-4(-1)} \\ &= \frac{30+i}{53} \\ &= \frac{30}{53} + \frac{1}{53}i\end{aligned}$$