3.16 Quiz: Rational exponents and complex numbers

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1. Square both sides of the equation and solve for x.

(a)
$$\sqrt{x+7} = 6$$

(b) Check your solution.

2. Solve for x and check.

(a)
$$\sqrt{4x+5}+5=14$$

(b) Check your solution.

3. Write each expression in the form a + bi with a, b real numbers.

Given
$$s = 7 - 3i$$
 and $t = -2 + i$.

(a)
$$s + t =$$

(b)
$$s - t =$$

(c)
$$st =$$

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4. Simplify each radical expression.

(a)
$$\sqrt{49} =$$

(c)
$$\sqrt{-45} =$$

(b)
$$\sqrt{32} =$$

(d)
$$\frac{\sqrt{-12}}{\sqrt{3}} =$$

5. Simplify each expression.

(a)
$$8^{\frac{2}{3}} =$$

(b)
$$\left(\sqrt{\frac{4}{9}}\right)^3 =$$

6. Rewrite each expression as a fractional exponent in simplest terms.

(a)
$$\sqrt[3]{3} =$$

(c)
$$\sqrt[4]{x^3} =$$

(b)
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt[2]{3}} =$$

(d)
$$\frac{1}{(\sqrt[4]{x})^2} =$$

7. Rewrite each expression with fractional exponent as a radical.

(a)
$$3^{\frac{1}{2}} =$$

(c)
$$x^{\frac{1}{3}} =$$

(b)
$$3^{-\frac{2}{3}} =$$

(d)
$$x^{-\frac{2}{3}} =$$

- 8. The expression $2 \frac{x-1}{x+2}$ is equivalent to
 - (a) $1 \frac{3}{x+2}$

(c) $1 - \frac{1}{x+2}$

(b) $1 + \frac{3}{x+2}$

(d) $1 + \frac{1}{x+2}$

9. Find all of the values of x that make the equation true.

$$\frac{3}{x-4} = \frac{x-5}{x}$$

10. Select all of the solutions to $(x-4)^2 = 7$.

(a)
$$x = 4 + 7i$$

(d)
$$x = 4 - 7 = -3$$

(b)
$$x = 4 - 7i$$

(e)
$$x = 4 + 7 = 11$$

(c)
$$x = 4 - \sqrt{7}$$

(f)
$$x = 4 + \sqrt{7}$$