

Do Now:
Simplify the following:

$\sqrt{121}$ $-\sqrt{169}$

$\sqrt{27}$ $\sqrt{1}$

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Imaginary Numbers

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Objectives:

Define and use imaginary and complex numbers.

Solve quadratic equations with complex roots.

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Let's look back at the Do Now...

What if we changed those numbers under the radical to be negative?

$\sqrt{-121}$ $-\sqrt{-169}$ $\sqrt{-27}$

$\sqrt{-1}$

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An imaginary number is the square root of a negative number. Imaginary numbers can be written in the form bi , where b is a real number and i is the imaginary unit. The square of an imaginary number is the original negative number.	$\sqrt{-1} = i$ $\sqrt{-2} = \sqrt{-1}\sqrt{2} = i\sqrt{2}$ $\sqrt{-4} = \sqrt{-1}\sqrt{4} = 2i$ $(\sqrt{-1})^2 = i^2 = -1$	If b is a positive real number, then $\sqrt{-b} = i\sqrt{b}$ and $\sqrt{-b^2} = bi$. $(\sqrt{-b})^2 = -b$

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A Little History

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Try these!

Remember: $\sqrt{-1} = i$
Express the number in terms of i .

$\sqrt{-72} = \sqrt{72} \cdot i$
 $\sqrt{72} \cdot \sqrt{-1}$
 $\sqrt{9} \cdot \sqrt{8} \cdot i$
 $3 \cdot \sqrt{8} \cdot i$
 $3 \cdot \sqrt{4} \cdot \sqrt{2} \cdot i$
 $3 \cdot 2 \cdot \sqrt{2} \cdot i$
 $\pm 6i\sqrt{2}$

$\sqrt{-12}$
 $\sqrt{12} \cdot \sqrt{-1}$
 $\sqrt{4} \cdot \sqrt{3} \cdot i$
 $\pm 2i\sqrt{3}$

$2\sqrt{-200}$
 $2\sqrt{200} \cdot \sqrt{-1} = i$
 $\sqrt{4} \cdot \sqrt{50}$
 $2 \cdot \sqrt{25} \cdot \sqrt{2}$
 $2 \cdot 5 \cdot \sqrt{2}$
 $2 \cdot 10 \cdot \sqrt{2}$
 $\pm 20i\sqrt{2}$

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One Step Further

Solving Equations:

$$\sqrt{x^2} = \sqrt{144}$$

$$x = \sqrt{-144}$$

$$x = \pm 12i$$


$$5x^2 + 90 = 0$$

$$5x^2 = -90$$

$$\frac{5x^2}{5} = \frac{-90}{5}$$

$$\sqrt{x^2} = \sqrt{18}$$

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



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You Try!

$$x^2 + 48 = 0$$

$$x^2 = -48$$

$$x = \sqrt{-48}$$

$$x = \pm 4i\sqrt{3}$$

$$9x^2 + 25 = 0$$

$$9x^2 = -25$$

$$\sqrt{9x^2} = \sqrt{\frac{-25}{9}}$$

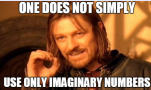
$$x = \pm \frac{5}{3}i$$

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Now It Gets Fun

Complex Numbers (C)

Real Numbers (R)		Imaginary Numbers	
$3 + 7i$	$3 + \frac{4}{3}i$	$4 - i$	
$-\frac{1}{2}$	1.73	0	π
-9.8	$\sqrt{2}$	i	$3i$
		$-5i$	$\sqrt{-7}$



ONE DOES NOT SIMPLY
USE ONLY IMAGINARY NUMBERS

A **complex number** is a number that can be written in the form $a + bi$, where a and b are real numbers and $i = \sqrt{-1}$. The set of real numbers is a subset of the set of complex numbers C.

Every complex number has a **real part** a and an **imaginary part** b .

$3 + 2i$

$4 - i$

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Real part

\downarrow
Imaginary part

$a + bi$

Real numbers are complex numbers where $b = 0$.
Imaginary numbers are complex numbers where $a = 0$ and $b \neq 0$. These are sometimes called **pure imaginary numbers**.

Two complex numbers are equal if and only if their real parts are equal and their imaginary parts are equal.

$3 + 2i \neq 3 - 2i$
 $3 + 2i = 3 + 2i$

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Examples!

Find the values of x and y that make the equation $4x + 10i = 2 - (4y)i$ true.

$4x + 10i = 2 - (4y)i$

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Real parts

$2 - (4y)i$

$4x + 10i = 2 - (4y)i$

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Imaginary parts

$$2x - 6i = -8 + (20y)i$$

$$\frac{-6i}{20i} = \frac{20yi}{20i}$$

$$\frac{-3}{10} = y$$

$$2x = -8$$

$$x = -4$$

$$-8y + 14i = (7x)i - 2$$

$$\frac{-8y}{-8} = \frac{-2}{-8}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$14i = (7x)i$$

$$\frac{14i}{7i} = \frac{(7x)i}{7i}$$

$$2 = x$$

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More Complex Fun!

The complex numbers $-5 + i\sqrt{10}$ and $-5 - i\sqrt{10}$ are related. These solutions are a **complex conjugate** pair. Their real parts are equal and their imaginary parts are opposites. The **complex conjugate** of any complex number $a + bi$ is the complex number $a - bi$.

Find each complex conjugate.

A. $8 + 5i$

$8 - 5i$

B. $6i \Rightarrow 0 + 6i$

$-6i$

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Try These:

Determine the complex conjugate of the following complex numbers:

a) $8 - 2i$

$8 + 2i$

b) $3/4 + 5i$

$3/4 - 5i$

c) $4i$

$-4i$

d) 1

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Graphing Complex Numbers
Easier than it seems...

A. $2 - 3i$
B. $-1 + 4i$
C. $4 + i$
D. $-i$

Absolute Value of a Complex Number

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The absolute value of a complex number $a + bi$ is the distance from the origin to the point (a, b) in the complex plane, and is denoted $ a + bi $.	$ a + bi = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$	<p>$3 + 4i = \sqrt{3^2 + 4^2}$ $= \sqrt{9 + 16}$ $= 5$</p>

$|a + bi| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$

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Absolute Value

A) $|1 - 2i|$ B) $|\frac{1}{2}| = \frac{1}{2}$ C) $|23i| = 23$

$|a + bi| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$
 $a = 1$
 $b = -2$
 $\sqrt{(1)^2 + (-2)^2} = \sqrt{1 + 4} = \sqrt{5}$

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You Try!

Find each absolute value.

A. $|3 + 5i|$ B. $|-13|$ C. $|-7i|$

$a = 3$
 $b = 5$
 $\sqrt{(3)^2 + (5)^2} = \sqrt{34}$

WHO'S AWESOME?

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Some Operations

$(5 - 2i) - (-2 - 3i)$
 $5 - 2i + 2 + 3i$
 $7 + i$

$-2i(2 - 4i)$
 $-4i + 8i^2$
 $-4i + 8(-1)$
 $-8 - 4i$

$(3 + 6i)(4 - i)$
 $12 - 3i + 24i - 6i^2$
 $12 + 21i - 6(-1)$
 $12 + 21i + 6$
 $18 + 21i$

$(3 + 2i)(3 - 2i)$
 $9 - 6i + 6i - 4i^2$
 $9 - 4(-1)$
 $9 + 4 = 13$

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But Wait... There's More

Powers of i		
$i^1 = i$	$i^2 = i \cdot i = 1 \cdot (-1) = -1$	$i^3 = i^2 \cdot i = -1 \cdot i = -i$
$i^4 = i^2 \cdot i^2 = (-1) \cdot (-1) = 1$	$i^5 = i^4 \cdot i = 1 \cdot i = i$	$i^6 = i^4 \cdot i^2 = 1 \cdot (-1) = -1$
$i^7 = i^6 \cdot i = (-1) \cdot i = -i$	$i^8 = i^4 \cdot i^4 = 1 \cdot 1 = 1$	$i^9 = i^8 \cdot i = 1 \cdot i = i$

Think remainder when you divide by 4...

Simplify $-6i^{14}$.
 $-6, 14 \div 4 = R(2)$
 $-6(-1) = 6$

Simplify i^{63} .
 $63 \div 4 = R(3)$
 $i^3 = -i$

Simplify i^{43} .
 $43 \div 4 = R(3)$
 $i^3 = -i$

your power
Divide by 4
Write your remainder
 $R1 = i$ $R2 = -1$
 $R3 = -i$ $R4 = 1$
 $R0 =$

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Quick Reminder

We want to simplify but what is wrong?

$\frac{3}{\sqrt{5}} \cdot \sqrt{5} = \frac{3\sqrt{5}}{5}$

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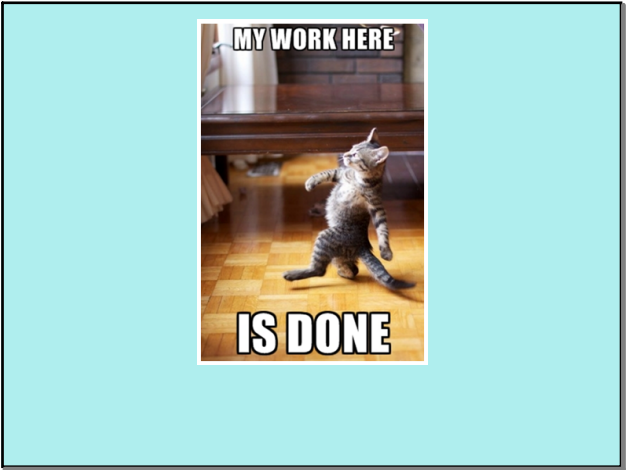
Same idea,... but with i

Not allowed to have an i in the denominator

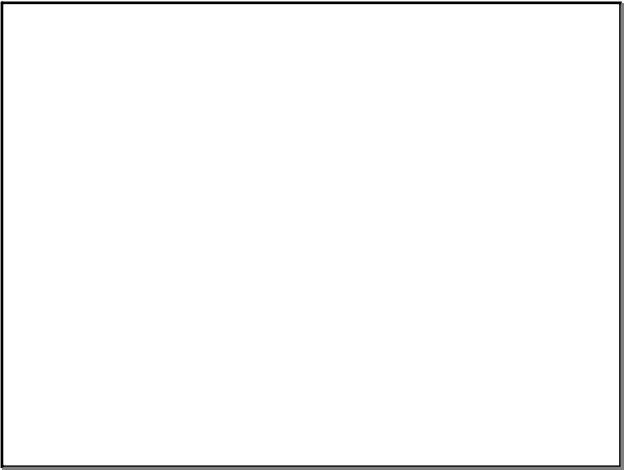
$$\frac{(2+8i)(4+2i)}{(4-2i)(4+2i)}$$
$$\frac{8+4i+32i+16i^2}{16+8i-8i-4i^2}$$
$$\frac{8+36i-16}{16+4}$$
$$\frac{-8+36i}{20}$$

$$\frac{3-i}{2-i}$$

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