

## Geometry Notes: Operations involving Radicals

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a.  $4\sqrt{2} \times 5\sqrt{6}$

b.  $\sqrt{18d^3} \times \sqrt{2d}$

c.  $\sqrt{3}(8 + 2\sqrt{15})$

d.  $\sqrt{5x^3} \cdot \sqrt{15x^2}$

The Quotient Property of Radicals states that \_\_\_\_\_.

If there is a radical in the denominator, you must \_\_\_\_\_.

Example 6: Simplify.

a.  $\sqrt{\frac{4}{9}}$

b.  $\sqrt{\frac{16}{3}}$

c.  $\frac{5}{\sqrt{18}}$

d.  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{32}}$

If terms have the same radicand, then they can be simplified by addition or subtraction of their \_\_\_\_\_.

Example 4: Simplify.

a.  $4\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{2}$

b.  $6\sqrt{12} + \sqrt{9}$

c.  $5\sqrt{7} - 3\sqrt{2} + 2\sqrt{7}$

d.  $4\sqrt{18} + 6\sqrt{12} - 7\sqrt{32}$

## Multiplying with Radicals

Simplify.

1)  $\sqrt{2} \cdot \sqrt{4}$

2)  $\sqrt{12} \cdot \sqrt{3}$

3)  $\sqrt{12} \cdot \sqrt{20}$

4)  $\sqrt{6} \cdot \sqrt{2}$

5)  $3\sqrt{20} \cdot 5\sqrt{5}$

6)  $\sqrt{2} \cdot 4\sqrt{10}$

7)  $4\sqrt{20a^3} \cdot \sqrt{10a^2}$

8)  $-5\sqrt{6m^3} \cdot 3\sqrt{6m^3}$

9)  $2\sqrt{2b^3} \cdot -2\sqrt{6b^2}$

10)  $\sqrt{15}(\sqrt{5} - 5\sqrt{2})$

11)  $5\sqrt{5}(3\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2})$

12)  $\sqrt{5}(3a^2 + \sqrt{10a})$

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$20\sqrt{12}$

b.  $\sqrt{18d^3} \times \sqrt{2d}$

$\sqrt{36d^4} \quad 6d^2$

c.  $1\sqrt{3}(8+2\sqrt{15})$

$8\sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{45}$

d.  $\sqrt{5x^3} \cdot \sqrt{15x^2}$

$\sqrt{75x^5}$

$2\sqrt[2]{5}^1$

$8\sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{9 \cdot 5}$

$8\sqrt{3} + 6\sqrt{5}$

$\sqrt{3 \cdot 25x^5}$

$5x^2\sqrt{3x}$

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$$1) \sqrt{2} \cdot \sqrt{4}$$

$$2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\boxed{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$2) \sqrt{12} \cdot \sqrt{3}$$

$$6$$

$$\sqrt{36} = \boxed{6}$$

$$3) \sqrt{12} \cdot \sqrt{20}$$

$$4\sqrt{15}$$

$$2\sqrt{3} \cdot 2\sqrt{5}$$

$$\boxed{4\sqrt{15}}$$

$$4) \sqrt{6} \cdot \sqrt{2}$$

$$2\sqrt{3}$$

$$= \sqrt{12}$$

$$= \sqrt{4 \cdot 3}$$

$$\boxed{2\sqrt{3}}$$

$$5) 3\sqrt{20} \cdot 5\sqrt{5}$$

$$150$$

$$3\sqrt{5 \cdot 4} \cdot 5\sqrt{5}$$

$$2$$

$$6\sqrt{5} \cdot 5\sqrt{5}$$

$$30\sqrt{25} = \boxed{150}$$

$$6) \sqrt{2} \cdot 4\sqrt{10}$$

$$8\sqrt{5}$$

$$4\sqrt{20}$$

$$4\sqrt{4 \cdot 5}$$

$$\boxed{8\sqrt{5}}$$

$$7) 4\sqrt{20a^3} \cdot \sqrt{10a^2}$$

$$2\sqrt{5}$$

$$40a^2\sqrt{2a}$$

$$\frac{4\sqrt{200a^5}}{a^{10}}$$

$$\frac{4\sqrt{100 \cdot 2a^5}}{a^{10}}$$

$$\boxed{40a^2\sqrt{2a}}$$

$$8) -5\sqrt{6m^3} \cdot 3\sqrt{6m^3}$$

$$-90m^3$$

$$-15\sqrt{36m^6}$$

$$-15 \cdot 6m^3 = \boxed{-90m^3}$$

$$9) 2\sqrt{2b^3} \cdot -2\sqrt{6b^2}$$

$$-8b^2\sqrt{3b}$$

$$-4\sqrt{12b^5}$$

$$-4\sqrt{4 \cdot 3b^5}$$

$$2$$

$$\boxed{-8b^2\sqrt{36}}$$

$$10) \sqrt{15}(\sqrt{5} - 5\sqrt{2})$$

$$5\sqrt{3} - 5\sqrt{30}$$

$$\sqrt{75} - 5\sqrt{30}$$

$$\boxed{\sqrt{25 \cdot 3} - 5\sqrt{30}}$$

$$\boxed{5\sqrt{3} - 5\sqrt{30}}$$

$$11) 5\sqrt{5}(3\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2})$$

$$15\sqrt{30} + 5\sqrt{10}$$

$$\boxed{15\sqrt{30} + 5\sqrt{10}}$$

$$12) \sqrt{5}(3a^2 + \sqrt{10a})$$

$$3a^2\sqrt{5} + 5\sqrt{2a}$$

$$\rightarrow \sqrt{25a^2}$$

$$3\sqrt{5}a^2 + \sqrt{50a}$$

$$\boxed{3a^2\sqrt{5} + 5\sqrt{2a}}$$