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Quiz - Factoring Lesson #6
Solving Quadratic Equations by Factoring (v13a)

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1. Solve the following quadratic equations.

a. $x^3 + 13x^2 + 30x = 0$

$x(x^2 + 13x + 30) = 0$

$x(x+10)(x+3) = 0$

$\downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow$

$$\boxed{x=0, -10, -3}$$

b. $9x^2 + 6x + 1 = 0$

$(3x+1)(3x+1) = 0$

$$\boxed{x = -\frac{1}{3}}$$

c. $3x^2 = 23x + 8$

$3x^2 - 23x - 8 = 0$

$(3x+1)(x-8) = 0$

$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$

$$\boxed{x = -\frac{1}{3}, 8}$$

d. $2y^2 - 18 = 0$

$2(y^2 - 9) = 0$

$2(y+3)(y-3) = 0$

$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$

$$\boxed{y = \pm 3}$$

e. $(x+2)^2 = 6x + 28$

$x^2 + 4x + 4 = 6x + 28$

$x^2 - 2x - 24 = 0$

$(x-6)(x+4) = 0$

$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$

$$\boxed{x = 6, -4}$$

f. $(2x+3)(2x-3) = 1 - 6x$

$4x^2 - 9 = 1 - 6x$

$4x^2 + 6x - 10 = 0$

$2(2x^2 + 3x - 5) = 0$

$2(2x+5)(x-1) = 0$

$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$
$$\boxed{x = -\frac{5}{2}, 1}$$

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2. Solve the following quadratic equations.

a. $x^3 - 2x^2 - 24x = 0$

$x(x^2 - 2x - 24) = 0$

$x(x-6)(x+4) = 0$

 $\downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow$

$x = 0, 6, -4$

b. $3x^2 - 19x - 14 = 0$

$(3x+2)(x-7) = 0$

 $\downarrow \quad \downarrow$

$x = -\frac{2}{3}, 7$

c. $8x^2 = 15 - 14x$

$8x^2 + 14x - 15 = 0$

$8x^2 + 20x - 6x - 15 = 0$

$4x(2x+5) - 3(2x+5) = 0$

$(4x-3)(2x+5) = 0$

 $\downarrow \quad \downarrow$

$x = \frac{3}{4}, -\frac{5}{2}$

d. $3y^2 - 27 = 0$

$3(y^2 - 9) = 0$

$3(y+3)(y-3) = 0$

 $\downarrow \quad \downarrow$

$y = \pm 3$

e. $(x+3)^2 = 4x+24$

$x^2 + 6x + 9 = 4x + 24$

$x^2 + 2x - 15 = 0$

$(x+5)(x-3) = 0$

 $\downarrow \quad \downarrow$

$x = -5, 3$

f. $(2x+1)^2 = (x+5)^2$

$4x^2 + 4x + 1 = x^2 + 10x + 25$

$3x^2 - 6x - 24 = 0$

$3(x^2 - 2x - 8) = 0$

$3(x-4)(x+2) = 0$

 $\downarrow \quad \downarrow$

$x = 4, -2$

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2. Algebraically, determine any restrictions on values of the variable in these radical equations.

a. $\sqrt{4x-16} = 13$	b. $\sqrt{3x-1} + 8 = 0$	c. $\sqrt{4x-2} + \sqrt{2-x} = 10$
$4x-16 \geq 0$ $4x \geq 16$ $x \geq 4, x \in \mathbb{R}$	$3x-1 \geq 0$ $3x \geq 1$ $x \geq \frac{1}{3}, x \in \mathbb{R}$	$4x-2 \geq 0$ $2-x \geq 0$ $4x \geq 2$ $2 \geq x$ $x \geq \frac{1}{2}$ $x \leq 2$ $\frac{1}{2} \leq x \leq 2, x \in \mathbb{R}$
 $3x-1 \geq 0$ $4-2x \geq 0$ $3x \geq 1$ $4 \geq 2x$ $x \geq \frac{1}{3}$ $2 \geq x$ $\frac{1}{3} \leq x \leq 2, x \in \mathbb{R}$ 	 $8x+6 \geq 0$ $2x-3 \geq 0$ $8x \geq -6$ $2x \geq 3$ $x \geq -\frac{3}{4}$ $x \geq \frac{3}{2}$ $x \geq 3/2, x \in \mathbb{R}$ 	 $x-1 \geq 0$ $x-4 \geq 0$ $x \geq 1$ $x \geq 4$ $x \geq 4, x \in \mathbb{R}$

3. Solve the following radical equations algebraically. Verify the solution.

a. $\sqrt{x-2} = 5$	b. $\sqrt{3x+1} = 5$
$x-2 = 25$ $x = 27$ $\frac{LS}{= \sqrt{27}-2} = 5 \quad \checkmark$ $= \sqrt{25}$ $= 5$	$3x+1 = 25$ $3x = 24$ $x = 8$ $\frac{LS}{= \sqrt{3(8)+1}} = 5 \quad \checkmark$ $= \sqrt{25} = 5$
c. $\sqrt{5x-9} - 2 = 7$	d. $2\sqrt{1-3x} + 1 = 9$
$5x-9 = 81$ $5x = 90$ $x = 18$ $\frac{LS}{= \sqrt{5(18)-9}-2} = 7 \quad \checkmark$ $= \sqrt{81}-2$ $= 7$	$1-3x = 16$ $-3x = 15$ $x = -5$ $\frac{LS}{= 2\sqrt{1-3(-5)}+1} = 9 \quad \checkmark$ $= 2\sqrt{16}+1$ $= 9$

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4. Solve the following radical equations algebraically. Verify the solution.

a. $\sqrt{x+2} = \sqrt{3-x}$ square both sides

$$x+2 = 3-x$$

$$2x = 1$$

$$x = \frac{1}{2}$$

LS

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

$$= \sqrt{5/2}$$

RS

$$= \sqrt{3 - \frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{5/2}$$



b. $\sqrt{2x-1} - \sqrt{3x-8} = 0$

$$(\sqrt{2x-1})^2 = (\sqrt{3x-8})^2$$

$$2x-1 = 3x-8$$

$$7 = x$$

LS

$$= \sqrt{2(7)-1} - \sqrt{3(7)-8}$$

$$= \sqrt{13} - \sqrt{13}$$

$$= 0$$

RS

$$= 0$$



c. $\sqrt{4-x} - \sqrt{-4-2x} = 0$

$$(\sqrt{4-x})^2 = (\sqrt{-4-2x})^2$$

$$4-x = -4-2x$$

$$x = -8$$

LS

$$= \sqrt{4-(-8)} - \sqrt{-4-2(-8)}$$

$$= \sqrt{12} - \sqrt{12}$$

$$= 0$$

RS

$$= 0$$



d. $\sqrt{2+x} = \sqrt{4-\frac{x}{4}}$ square both sides

$$2+x = 4 - \frac{x}{4}$$

$$\frac{5}{4}x = 2$$

$$x = \frac{8}{5}$$

LS

$$= \sqrt{2+\frac{8}{5}}$$

$$= 3\sqrt{2/5}$$

RS

$$= \sqrt{4 - (\frac{8}{5})/4}$$

$$= 3\sqrt{2/5}$$



5. Solve the following radical equations algebraically. Verify the solution.

a. $\sqrt{x-2} + x = 8$

$$(\sqrt{x-2})^2 = (8-x)^2$$

$$x-2 = x^2 - 16x + 64$$

$$x^2 - 17x + 66 = 0$$

$$(x-11)(x-6) = 0$$

$$\boxed{x = 6}, \cancel{x = 11}$$

LS

$$x = 6$$

$$= \sqrt{6-2} + 6$$

$$= 2 + 6$$

$$= 8$$

LS

$$x = 11$$

$$= \sqrt{11-2} + 11$$

$$= 3 + 11$$

$$= 14$$

RS

$$= 8$$

b. $\sqrt{4x+8} - 2\sqrt{x} = 2$

$$(\sqrt{4x+8})^2 = (2\sqrt{x})^2$$

$$4x+8 = 4x + 8\sqrt{x} + 4$$

$$(4)^2 = (8)\cancel{x}$$

$$16 = 64\cancel{x}$$

$$\boxed{x = \cancel{x}}$$

LS

$$= \sqrt{4(1/4)+8} - 2\sqrt{1/4}$$

$$= \sqrt{8} - 1$$

$$= 2$$

RS

$$= 2$$



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c. $\sqrt{6x+19} - x = 2$

$$(\sqrt{6x+19})^2 = (x+2)^2$$

$$6x+19 = x^2 + 4x + 4$$

$$x^2 - 2x - 15 = 0$$

$$(x-5)(x+3) = 0$$

$$\boxed{x=5}, \times$$

$$\text{LS } x=5$$

$$=\sqrt{6(5)+19}-5$$

$$=7-5$$

$$=2$$

$$\text{LS } x=-3$$

$$=\sqrt{6(-3)+19}-(-3)$$

$$=1+3$$

$$=4$$

$$\text{RS } = 2$$

d. $\sqrt{7x-54} + 6 = x$

$$(\sqrt{7x-54})^2 = (x-6)^2$$

$$7x-54 = x^2 - 12x + 36$$

$$x^2 - 19x + 90 = 0$$

$$(x-10)(x-9) = 0$$

$$\boxed{x=10, 9}$$

$$\text{LS } x=10$$

$$=\sqrt{7(10)-54}+6$$

$$=4+6$$

$$=10$$

$$\text{RS } = 10$$

$$\text{LS } x=9$$

$$=\sqrt{7(9)-54}+6$$

$$=3+6$$

$$=9$$

$$\text{RS } = 9$$

$$\checkmark$$

e. $\sqrt{2x-7} = \sqrt{x-1}$ square both sides

$$2x-7 = x - 2\sqrt{x-1} + 1$$

$$2\sqrt{x-1} = -x + 8 \text{ square again}$$

$$4x = x^2 - 16x + 64$$

$$x^2 - 20x + 64 = 0$$

$$(x-16)(x-4) = 0$$

$$\boxed{x=4, 16}$$

$$\text{LS } x=4$$

$$=\sqrt{2(4)-7}$$

$$=\sqrt{1}$$

$$=1$$

$$\text{RS } x=4$$

$$=\sqrt{4}-1 = 1$$

$$\text{LS } x=16$$

$$=\sqrt{2(16)-7}$$

$$=\sqrt{25}$$

$$=5$$

$$\text{RS } x=16$$

$$=\sqrt{16}-1 = 3$$

f. $\sqrt{2-x} = x$

$$(\sqrt{2-x})^2 = x^2$$

$$2-x = x^2$$

$$x^2 + x - 2 = 0$$

$$(x+2)(x-1) = 0$$

$$\boxed{x=1, -2}$$

$$\text{LS } x=1$$

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

$$=\sqrt{1}$$

$$=1$$

$$\text{RS } x=1$$

$$=1$$

$$\text{LS } x=-2$$

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

$$=\sqrt{4}$$

$$=2$$

$$\text{RS }$$

$$=-2 \quad \times$$