

Trig 1-3 Simplifying Radicals

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Recall: $i = \sqrt{-1}$ $i^2 = -1$

Simplify each radical:

1. $\sqrt{98}$

2. $\sqrt{-75}$

3. $\sqrt{-4}$

4. $\sqrt{72}$

5. $\sqrt{-162}$

6. $\sqrt{a^4b^6}$

7. $\sqrt{a^{11}}$

8. $\sqrt{a^5b^{21}}$

9. $\sqrt{a^6b^7c^9}$

10. $\sqrt{20a^{70}}$

11. $\sqrt{-8a^3}$

12. $\sqrt{-a^4b^9}$

13. $\sqrt[3]{8a^4b^6}$

14. $\sqrt[4]{a^{12}b^5}$

15. $\sqrt[3]{x^{14}y^{10}}$

SAT Questions

_____ 16. If $(7^a)(7^b) = \frac{7^c}{7^d}$, what is d in terms of a , b , and c ?

A. $\frac{c}{ab}$

B. $c - a - b$

C. $a + b - c$

D. $c - ab$

E. $\frac{c}{a+b}$

For 17-18, the following rule is to be used.

For any positive integer n , $\epsilon(n)$ represents the number of positive divisors of n .

(For example $\epsilon(10) = 4$ since the positive divisors of 10 are 1, 2, 5, and 10.)

_____ 17. Which of the following is (are) true?

I. $\epsilon(5) = \epsilon(7)$

II. $\epsilon(5) \bullet \epsilon(7) = \epsilon(35)$

III. $\epsilon(5) + \epsilon(7) = \epsilon(12)$

A. I only

B. II only

C. I and II only

D. I and III only

E. I, II, and III

_____ 18. What is the value of $\epsilon(\epsilon(\epsilon(12)))$?

_____ 19. If $a = b^3$ and b is positive, then by what factor does a increase if b is tripled?

A. 3

B. 8

C. 9

D. 27

E. 81

_____ 20. If $20^w = 5^3 \times 4^3$, what is the value of w ?