

Practice 17.4b & 17.6

Name _____

Perform the indicated operation.

1) Find $(f - g)(x)$ if $f(x) = 9\sqrt{x} - 2$ and $g(x) = 2\sqrt{x} - 1$

2) Find $(f + g)(x)$ if $f(x) = \sqrt{100x + 100}$ and $g(x) = \sqrt{x + 1}$

7) $\frac{4a}{\sqrt{5}}$

8) $\frac{5\sqrt{31x}}{\sqrt{x^3}}$

9) $\frac{2}{6 - \sqrt{3}}$

Multiply, then simplify the product. If variables are present, assume they are positive.

3) $(\sqrt{7} - 3)(\sqrt{5} + 6)$

4) $(\sqrt{6x} + y)(\sqrt{6x} - y)$

10) $\frac{10 - \sqrt{3}}{10 + \sqrt{3}}$

Rationalize the denominator.

5) $\frac{8}{\sqrt{3}}$

11) $\frac{2\sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x} - 3\sqrt{y}}$

6) $\sqrt{\frac{36}{11}}$

Solve the equation symbolically.

12) $\sqrt{y} = 4$

13) $\sqrt[3]{x - 5} = 5$

18) $(16 - 40x)^3 = -1000$

Solve the formula for the indicated variable.

19) $r = \sqrt{\frac{S}{4\pi}}$ for S

Evaluate the root function at the given x-value. Round to the nearest hundredth when appropriate.

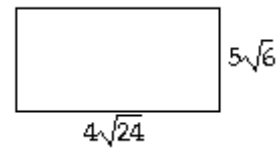
14) $f(x) = \sqrt{4x + 16}$, $x = 0$

20) $L = \sqrt{\frac{2W}{k}}$ for k

15) $f(x) = \sqrt{(x - 1)^2}$, $x = 5$

Find the exact perimeter. Then approximate your answer to the nearest tenth.

21)



Solve the equation.

16) $2x^2 = 8$

17) $(16 - 8x)^2 = 1600$

Answer Key

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1) $7\sqrt{x} - 1$

2) $11\sqrt{x+1}$

3) $\sqrt{35} + 6\sqrt{7} - 3\sqrt{5} - 18$

4) $6x - y^2$

5) $\frac{8\sqrt{3}}{3}$

6) $\frac{6\sqrt{11}}{11}$

7) $\frac{4a\sqrt{5}}{5}$

8) $\frac{5\sqrt{31}}{x}$

9) $\frac{12 + 2\sqrt{3}}{33}$

10) $\frac{103 - 20\sqrt{3}}{97}$

11) $\frac{2\sqrt{x}(\sqrt{x} + 3\sqrt{y})}{x - 9y}$

12) 16

13) 130

14) 4

15) 4

16) ± 2

17) -3, 7

18) $\frac{13}{20}$

19) $S = 4\pi r^2$

20) $k = \frac{2W}{L^2}$

21) $26\sqrt{6}, 63.7$