

Good morning!

1. "Here"
2. Notes Simplifying Radicals and Expressions
3. Practice simplifying radicals
4. Homework is on DeltaMath

Simplifying Radicals

Perfect Squares	1	4	9	16	25	36	49	64	81	100	121	144
	$\sqrt{1}$	$\sqrt{4}$	$\sqrt{9}$	$\sqrt{16}$	$\sqrt{25}$	$\sqrt{36}$	$\sqrt{49}$	$\sqrt{64}$	$\sqrt{81}$	$\sqrt{100}$	$\sqrt{121}$	$\sqrt{144}$
Square Root	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12

A **radical** is any number with a radical symbol ($\sqrt{\quad}$).

A **radical expression** is an expression (coefficients and/or variables) with radical.

'4' is the **coefficient**. Technically, 4 is being multiplied by $\sqrt{10}$.

radical symbol

'10' is the **radicand**. The radicand is the number "in the house".

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radical symbol

radicand

When are Radical Expressions in Simplest Form?

A **radical** expression is in **simplest form** if:

- No perfect square factors other than 1 are in the radicand
Example: $\sqrt{11}$
- What if there is a perfect square factor in the radicand? According to the Product Properties of Radicals, we can split the radical into the product of two radicals. Then we can evaluate the square root of the perfect square factor. It becomes the coefficient of the radical.
Example: $\sqrt{20}$

$$2\sqrt{44} = 2\sqrt{4 \cdot 11} = 2 \cdot 2\sqrt{11} = 4\sqrt{11}$$



LOOKS LIKE WE FOUND

a Square Root

Simplifying Radicals

Guided Example: Simplify $\sqrt{108}$.

<p>Step 1: Begin by finding <u>perfect square factors</u> of the radicand.</p>	$\sqrt{108}$ $\begin{matrix} \wedge \\ 4 & 27 \end{matrix}$
<p>Step 2: Split the radical into the product of two radicals. *Look for the biggest perfect square factor of the radicand*</p>	$\sqrt{4} \cdot \sqrt{27}$
<p>Step 3: Evaluate the square root of the perfect square factor, and place it in the front of the radical as a coefficient. Leave the remaining factor inside the radical.</p>	$2\sqrt{27}$ $3 \cdot 2\sqrt{3} \cdot \sqrt{9}$
<p>Step 4: Repeat steps 1-4 until radical cannot be simplified further.</p>	$\boxed{6\sqrt{3}}$

Practice:

a. $\sqrt{32}$

Handwritten work for $\sqrt{32}$ showing prime factorization: $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2$. A $2 \cdot 2$ pair is circled, leading to $2\sqrt{2}$. Another $2 \cdot 2$ pair is circled, leading to $4\sqrt{2}$.

b. $\sqrt{48}$

Handwritten work for $\sqrt{48}$ showing prime factorization: $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3$. A $2 \cdot 2$ pair is circled, leading to $2\sqrt{12}$. Another $2 \cdot 2$ pair is circled, leading to $4\sqrt{3}$. The final answer $4\sqrt{3}$ is boxed.

c. $\sqrt{28}$

Handwritten work for $\sqrt{28}$ showing prime factorization: $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 7$. A $2 \cdot 2$ pair is circled, leading to $2\sqrt{7}$. The final answer $2\sqrt{7}$ is boxed.

d. $\sqrt{14}$

Handwritten work for $\sqrt{14}$ showing prime factorization: $2 \cdot 7$. No perfect square factors are present, so the answer is $\sqrt{14}$, which is boxed.

e. $3\sqrt{96}$

Handwritten work for $3\sqrt{96}$ showing prime factorization: $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3$. A $2 \cdot 2$ pair is circled, leading to $2\sqrt{24}$. Another $2 \cdot 2$ pair is circled, leading to $4\sqrt{6}$. The final answer $12\sqrt{6}$ is boxed.

f. $4\sqrt{20}$

Handwritten work for $4\sqrt{20}$ showing prime factorization: $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 5$. A $2 \cdot 2$ pair is circled, leading to $4\sqrt{5}$. The final answer $8\sqrt{5}$ is boxed.

g. $6\sqrt{120}$

Handwritten work for $6\sqrt{120}$ showing prime factorization: $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 5$. A $2 \cdot 2$ pair is circled, leading to $6\sqrt{30}$. Another $2 \cdot 2$ pair is circled, leading to $12\sqrt{30}$. The final answer $12\sqrt{30}$ is boxed.

h. $2\sqrt{36}$

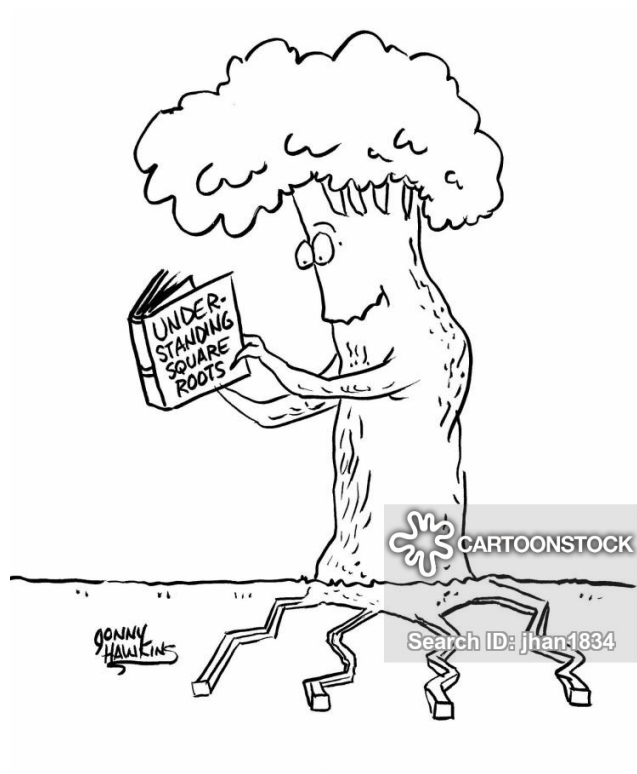
Handwritten work for $2\sqrt{36}$ showing prime factorization: $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 3$. A $2 \cdot 2$ pair is circled, leading to $2\sqrt{9}$. Another $2 \cdot 2$ pair is circled, leading to $4\sqrt{9}$. The final answer 12 is boxed.

i. $\sqrt{24}$

Handwritten work for $\sqrt{24}$ showing prime factorization: $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3$. A $2 \cdot 2$ pair is circled, leading to $2\sqrt{6}$. The final answer $2\sqrt{6}$ is boxed.

$$3 \cdot 2 \sqrt{108} = 6\sqrt{3}$$

The image shows a handwritten prime factorization of 108. The number 108 is written in red. Below it, the prime factors are listed: 2, 2, 2, 3, 3, 3. The factors 2, 2, and 3 are circled in green. Arrows point from these circled factors to the expression 3 · 2 on the left. Another arrow points from the remaining circled factors (2 and 3) to the expression 6√3 on the right. The final result 6√3 is enclosed in a green box.





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Add/Subtract Radicals

1. Simplify

$$2\sqrt{6} - 2\sqrt{24}$$

2. Combine like terms

(coefficients add/subtracted)

$$2\sqrt{6} - 4\sqrt{6} = -2\sqrt{6}$$



Multiply Radicals

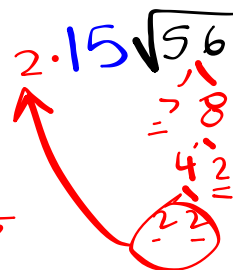
$$5\sqrt{8} \cdot 3\sqrt{7}$$

1. Out times Out, In times In

2. Simplify

$$30\sqrt{14}$$

$$30\sqrt{14}$$



(4) Simplifying Radical Expressions: Dividing and rationalizing the Denominator

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$\frac{6}{3} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ $\frac{\sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{2}} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ $\frac{\sqrt{6}}{2} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ $\frac{12\sqrt{6}}{2} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ $\frac{12\sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{2}} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

Simplest form for fractions with $\sqrt{\hspace{1cm}}$

1. No perfect square factor under $\sqrt{\hspace{1cm}}$ ex. $\sqrt{75} = \sqrt{25}\sqrt{3} = 5\sqrt{3}$
2. No fractions under a $\sqrt{\hspace{1cm}}$ ex. $\sqrt{\frac{3}{4}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{4}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
3. No $\sqrt{\hspace{1cm}}$ in a denominator ex. $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{9}} = \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3}$
4. Must be reduced ex. $\frac{8\sqrt{5}}{2} = 4\sqrt{5}$

no $\frac{\sqrt{\#}}{\sqrt{\#}}$

11) $\frac{\sqrt{8}}{\sqrt{7}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{7}}{\sqrt{7}} = \frac{\sqrt{56}}{7} = \frac{2\sqrt{14}}{7}$
 $\sqrt{49} = 7$

12) $\frac{7}{8\sqrt{7}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{7}}{\sqrt{7}} = \frac{7\sqrt{7}}{8 \cdot 7} = \frac{\sqrt{7}}{8}$

$\frac{5}{5} = 1$ $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5}} = 1$

13) $\frac{\sqrt{2} \cdot \sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{6} \cdot \sqrt{4}} = \frac{\sqrt{12}}{6}$
 $\sqrt{36} \rightarrow 6$
 $= \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{6}$
 $= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$

$\frac{\sqrt{12}}{6} = \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{6} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$

14) $\frac{\sqrt{21} \cdot \sqrt{15}}{\sqrt{15} \cdot \sqrt{15}} = \frac{\sqrt{315}}{15} = \frac{\sqrt{35}}{5}$
 $\sqrt{315} = \sqrt{9 \cdot 35} = 3\sqrt{35}$
 $\frac{3\sqrt{35}}{15} = \frac{\sqrt{35}}{5}$

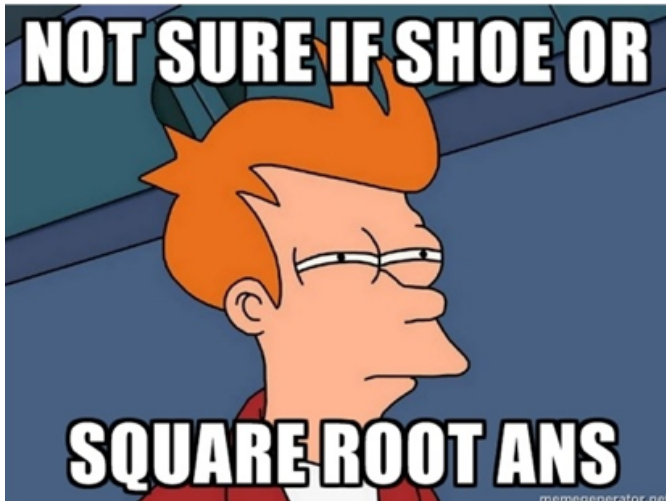
15) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{6\sqrt{7}}$

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

17) $\frac{\sqrt{15}}{3\sqrt{6}}$

18) $\frac{\sqrt{8}}{2\sqrt{7}}$

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**Homework**

Simplify each radical expression. ODD PROBLEMS REQUIRED

1. $\sqrt{5} \sqrt{15}$

2. $\sqrt{14} \sqrt{35}$

3. $\sqrt{2} (\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5})$

4. $\sqrt{3} (\sqrt{27} - \sqrt{3})$

5. $\sqrt{2} (\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{10})$

6. $\sqrt{7} (3 - \sqrt{7})$

7. $\sqrt{5} (3\sqrt{5} - 4\sqrt{3})$

8. $\sqrt{y} (\sqrt{y} - \sqrt{5})$

(6)
calculator**Homework** Simplify each radical expression. ODD PROBLEMS REQUIRED

21. $\sqrt{\frac{27}{16}}$

22. $\sqrt{\frac{14}{y^2}}$

23. $\sqrt{\frac{24}{25}}$

24. $\sqrt{\frac{7}{5}}$

25. $\sqrt{\frac{10}{7}}$

26. $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$

27. $\frac{5}{\sqrt{10}}$

28. $\frac{6}{\sqrt{3}}$

29. $\frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}$

15) $-3\sqrt{20} - \sqrt{5}$

16) $2\sqrt{45} - 2\sqrt{5}$

17) $3\sqrt{18} - 2\sqrt{2}$

18) $-3\sqrt{18} + 3\sqrt{8} - \sqrt{24}$

19) $3\sqrt{18} + 3\sqrt{12} + 2\sqrt{27}$

20) $-3\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{6} - \sqrt{5}$

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Simplify each expression completely.

2. $\sqrt{14} \sqrt{35}$



4. $\sqrt{3}(\sqrt{27} - \sqrt{3})$

24. $\sqrt{\frac{7}{5}}$

26. $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$

16) $2\sqrt{45} - 2\sqrt{5}$

18) $-3\sqrt{18} + 3\sqrt{8} - \sqrt{24}$

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A perfect square is a number whose square root is an integer. Half of the first 300 perfect squares are listed for you. Fill in the other 15 perfect squares.

$$\sqrt{1} = 1 \quad \text{because} \quad 1^2 = 1$$

$$\sqrt{256} = 16 \quad \text{because} \quad 16^2 = 256$$

$$\sqrt{\quad} = \quad \text{because} \quad \quad^2 = \quad$$

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$$\sqrt{361} = 19 \quad \text{because} \quad 19^2 = 361$$

$$\sqrt{25} = 5 \quad \text{because} \quad 5^2 = 25$$

$$\sqrt{\quad} = \quad \text{because} \quad \quad^2 = \quad$$

$$\sqrt{\quad} = \quad \text{because} \quad \quad^2 = \quad$$

$$\sqrt{441} = 21 \quad \text{because} \quad 21^2 = 441$$

$$\sqrt{49} = 7 \quad \text{because} \quad 7^2 = 49$$

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$$\sqrt{576} = 24 \quad \text{because} \quad 24^2 = 576$$

$$\sqrt{100} = 10 \quad \text{because} \quad 10^2 = 100$$

$$\sqrt{625} = 25 \quad \text{because} \quad 25^2 = 625$$

$$\sqrt{\quad} = \quad \text{because} \quad \quad^2 = \quad$$

$$\sqrt{\quad} = \quad \text{because} \quad \quad^2 = \quad$$

$$\sqrt{144} = 12 \quad \text{because} \quad 12^2 = 144$$

$$\sqrt{729} = 27 \quad \text{because} \quad 27^2 = 729$$

$$\sqrt{\quad} = \quad \text{because} \quad \quad^2 = \quad$$

$$\sqrt{784} = 28 \quad \text{because} \quad 28^2 = 784$$

$$\sqrt{196} = 14 \quad \text{because} \quad 14^2 = 196$$

$$\sqrt{\quad} = \quad \text{because} \quad \quad^2 = \quad$$

$$\sqrt{225} = 15 \quad \text{because} \quad 15^2 = 225$$

$$\sqrt{900} = 30 \quad \text{because} \quad 30^2 = 900$$

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LO: I can simplify radical expressions including adding, subtracting, multiplying, dividing and rationalizing denominators.

 (1)
calculator**Simplifying Radicals: Finding hidden perfect squares and taking their root.**

Simplify each expression by factoring to find perfect squares and then taking their root.

1) $\sqrt{75}$

2) $\sqrt{16}$

3) $\sqrt{36}$

4) $\sqrt{64}$

5) $\sqrt{80}$

6) $\sqrt{30}$

7) $\sqrt{8}$

8) $\sqrt{18}$

9) $\sqrt{32}$

10) $\sqrt{12}$

11) $\sqrt{8}$

12) $\sqrt{108}$

13) $\sqrt{125}$

14) $\sqrt{50}$

15) $\sqrt{175}$

16) $\sqrt{28}$

17) $\sqrt{45}$

18) $\sqrt{72}$

19) $\sqrt{20}$

20) $\sqrt{150}$

**Simplifying Radical Expressions: Adding and Subtracting**
 Add or subtract radicals by simplifying each term and then combining like terms.

a. $2\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{5} - 6\sqrt{2} = -4\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{5}$ **Subtract like radicals.**

b. $4\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{27} = 4\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{9 \cdot 3}$ **Perfect square factor**

$$= 4\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{9} \cdot \sqrt{3}$$

Use product property.

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

Simplify.

$$= \sqrt{3}$$

Subtract like radicals.

1) $3\sqrt{6} - 4\sqrt{6}$

2) $-3\sqrt{7} + 4\sqrt{7}$

3) $-11\sqrt{21} - 11\sqrt{21}$

4) $-9\sqrt{15} + 10\sqrt{15}$

5) $-10\sqrt{7} + 12\sqrt{7}$

6) $-3\sqrt{17} - 4\sqrt{17}$

7) $-10\sqrt{11} - 11\sqrt{11}$

8) $-2\sqrt{3} + 3\sqrt{27}$

9) $2\sqrt{6} - 2\sqrt{24}$

10) $2\sqrt{6} + 3\sqrt{54}$

11) $-\sqrt{12} + 3\sqrt{3}$

12) $3\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{27}$

13) $3\sqrt{8} + 3\sqrt{2}$

14) $-3\sqrt{6} + 3\sqrt{6}$

(3)
calculator**Simplifying Radical Expressions: Multiplying**

- (a) Multiply numbers that are BOTH OUTSIDE the radical.
Multiply numbers that are BOTH INSIDE the radical.
Simplify the expression

$2 \cdot 5 = \underline{\quad}$

$2 \cdot \sqrt{5} = \underline{\quad}$

$\sqrt{2} \cdot 5 = \underline{\quad}$

$2\sqrt{3} \cdot 5 = \underline{\quad}$

$2\sqrt{3} \cdot \sqrt{5} = \underline{\quad}$

$2\sqrt{3} \cdot 4\sqrt{5} = \underline{\quad}$

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

2) $-\sqrt{5} \cdot \sqrt{20}$

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

4) $4\sqrt{8} \cdot \sqrt{2}$

5) $\sqrt{12} \cdot \sqrt{15}$

6) $\sqrt{5} \cdot -2\sqrt{5}$

7) $-3\sqrt{5} \cdot \sqrt{20}$

8) $\sqrt{15} \cdot 3\sqrt{5}$

9) $\sqrt{9} \cdot \sqrt{3}$

10) $-4\sqrt{8} \cdot \sqrt{10}$

