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Complete the following SAT problems without a calculator.

1. What is the sum of all values of m that satisfy

$$\frac{2m^2}{2} - \frac{16m}{2} + \frac{8}{2} = 0 \quad \text{GCF} = 2$$

A) -8

B) $-4\sqrt{3}$

C) $4\sqrt{3}$

D) 8

$$m^2 - 8m + 4 = 0$$

$$a = 1 \quad b = -8$$

$$c = 4$$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$x = \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{(-8)^2 - 4 \cdot 1 \cdot 4}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{64 - 16}}{2}$$

2. If $t > 0$ and $t^2 - 4 = 0$, what is the value of t ?

$$\sqrt{t^2} = \sqrt{4} \quad t = \pm 2 \quad \boxed{t = 2}$$

$$x = \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{48}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{8 \pm 4\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$x = 4 \pm 2\sqrt{3}$$

$$4 + 2\sqrt{3} + 4 - 2\sqrt{3} = 8$$