

Simplify.

$$(x+7)(x-7)$$

$$x^2 - 49$$

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$$(8 - \sqrt{3})(8 + \sqrt{3})$$

$$64 - 3 = 61$$

Two terms that have the form: $(a+b)$ and $(a-b)$ are called CONJUGATES.

The product of Conjugates is ALWAYS:

$$(A+B)(A-B) = A^2 - B^2$$

Find the product of this pair of conjugates.

$$(9 + \sqrt{11})(9 - \sqrt{11}) = 81 - 11 = \boxed{70}$$

Find the product of this pair of conjugates.

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

$$36 - 9 \cdot 5$$

$$36 - 45 = \boxed{-9}$$

Rationalize the denominator.

$$\frac{10}{4 + \sqrt{6}} \cdot \frac{4 - \sqrt{6}}{4 - \sqrt{6}} = \frac{10(4 - \sqrt{6})}{16 - 6} = \boxed{4 - \sqrt{6}}$$

To rationalize a denominator involving a sum or difference involving square roots you multiply the numerator and denominator by the

Conjugate of the Denominator.

Rationalize the denominator.

$$\frac{11 + \sqrt{5}}{3 - 4\sqrt{5}} \cdot \frac{3 + 4\sqrt{5}}{3 + 4\sqrt{5}} = \frac{53 + 47\sqrt{5}}{-71}$$

$9 - 16 \cdot 5$
 $9 - 80$

	3	+4√5
11	33	+44√5
+15	+3√5	20

Rationalize the denominator.

$$\frac{\sqrt{10} - \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3} + 2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3} - 2}{\sqrt{3} - 2} = \frac{\sqrt{30} - \sqrt{6} - 2\sqrt{10} + 2\sqrt{2}}{3 - 4} = \frac{\sqrt{30} - \sqrt{6} - 2\sqrt{10} + 2\sqrt{2}}{-1}$$

$$= -\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{6} + 2\sqrt{10} - 2\sqrt{2}$$

Rationalize the denominator.

$$\frac{22}{\sqrt{7} - \sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{7} + \sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{7} + \sqrt{3}} = \frac{22(\sqrt{7} + \sqrt{3})}{7 - 3} = \frac{22(\sqrt{7} + \sqrt{3})}{4}$$

$$\frac{11(\sqrt{7} + \sqrt{3})}{2}$$

$$X = 20 + 41.5$$