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FACTOR

$$2x^2 - 3x - 14 = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{r} -28 \\ -7 \end{array} \begin{array}{r} +4 \\ -3 \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} 2x^2 + 4x \\ -7x - 14 \end{array} \end{array}$$

$$(2x-7)(x+2) = 0$$

$$x = \frac{7}{2}, -2$$

2. $4x^2 - 23x + 17 = 0$

QUADRATIC FORMULA

$$b^2 - 4ac = 257$$

$$x = \frac{23 \pm \sqrt{257}}{8}$$

$$x = 4.88, 0.87$$

3. $8 - x^2 + 17 + 3x^2 = 49$

Square Roots

$$2x^2 + 25 = 49$$

$$\frac{2x^2}{2} = \frac{24}{2}$$

$$x^2 = 12$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{12}$$

$$x = \pm 3.46$$

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a) Find the time it takes the object to hit the ground.

$$0 = -16t^2 + 152t + 73$$

$$b^2 - 4ac = 27,776$$

$$t = \frac{-152 \pm \sqrt{27,776}}{-32}$$

$$t = -0.46, 9.96$$

$$t = 9.96 \text{ sec}$$

b) Find the time it takes the object to reach a height of 500 feet.

$$\begin{array}{c} 500 = -16t^2 + 152t + 73 \\ -500 \end{array}$$

$$0 = -16t^2 + 152t - 427$$

$$b^2 - 4ac = -4224$$

The object doesn't reach a height of 500 ft.

c) Find the time it takes the object to reach a height of 150 feet.

$$\begin{array}{c} 150 = -16t^2 + 152t + 73 \\ -150 \end{array}$$

$$0 = -16t^2 + 152t - 77$$

$$b^2 - 4ac = 18,176$$

$$t = \frac{-152 \pm \sqrt{18,176}}{-32}$$

$$t = 0.54 \text{ sec}, 8.96 \text{ sec}$$