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$$(a+b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$$

What relationships between the two sides do you see here?

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$$(x+h)^2 = x^2 + bx + c$$

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Relationships amongst the signs

$$(x \text{ } \text{ } h)^2 = x^2 \text{ } \text{ } bx \text{ } \text{ } c$$

Same (between  $h$  and  $b$ )  
Always pos (for  $c$ )

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Relationships amongst  $h$ ,  $b$ , &  $c$

$$(x + h)^2 = x^2 + bx + c$$

$\sqrt{c}$  (from  $h$  to  $c$ )  
 $h^2$  (from  $h$  to  $x^2$ )  
 $h \cdot 2$  (from  $h$  to  $bx$ )  
 $b/2$  (from  $bx$  to  $h$ )

Get a small white board, rag, & marker

Fill in the missing values.

$$x^2 - 24x + 144 = (x \boxed{-12})^2$$

or  $\sqrt{144}$  w/ same sign as  $b$

$$x^2 + 18x + 81 = (x \boxed{+9})^2$$

Fill in the missing values.

$$x^2 \boxed{-20x} + 100 = (x \boxed{-10})^2$$

$$x^2 + \boxed{6x} + 9 = (x \boxed{+3})^2$$

Fill in the missing values.

$$x^2 - 22x \boxed{+121} = (x \boxed{-11})^2$$

$$x^2 + 36x \boxed{+324} = (x \boxed{+18})^2$$

$(x + h)^2 = x^2 + bx + c$   
Relationships between  $b$  and  $c$

$$(x - 5)^2 = x^2 - 10x + 25$$

$b = \sqrt{c} \cdot 2$

$c = \left(\frac{b}{2}\right)^2$

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$h = \sqrt{c}$

$c = h^2$

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$h = \frac{b}{2}$

$b = 2 \cdot h$

### Sec 5-7

Fill in the blanks

$$1. \quad x^2 + 20x + \frac{+100}{\text{1st } 20 \div 2} = (x \frac{+10}{\text{2nd } 10^2})^2$$

$$2. \quad x^2 - 14x + \frac{+49}{\text{1st}} = (x \frac{-7}{\text{2nd}})^2$$

This is called "Completing the Square."

The constant in the trinomial  
is half of b, squared:  $(b/2)^2$

$$(x - 5)^2 = x^2 - 10x + 25$$

$$ax^2 + bx + c$$

The constant in the parentheses  
is half of b:  $b/2$

In general, to complete the square:

$$x^2 + 16x + 64 = (x + 8)^2$$

$$x^2 + bx + \left(\frac{b}{2}\right)^2 = \left(x + \frac{b}{2}\right)^2$$

2nd

1st

Complete the square for each.

$$1. \quad x^2 - 32x + 256 = (x - 16)^2$$

2nd  $(b/2)^2$

1st  $b/2$

$$2. \quad x^2 + 50x + 625 = (x + 25)^2$$

2nd

1st

$$3. \quad x^2 - 3x + \frac{9}{4} = \left(x - \frac{3}{2}\right)^2$$

2nd

1st

Solve by Completing the Square:

1. Get the equation into the following form:  $x^2 + bx = c$
2. Complete the square so the equation becomes:  $(x - h)^2 = k$
3. Solve for x using Square Roots.

$$ax^2 + bx = c$$

Solving by completing the square works best if:

1.  $a = 1$
2.  $b$  is even

Solving by Completing the Square:

$$x^2 + 22x = 5 \quad \text{is going to become} \quad (x + h)^2 = k$$

$$x^2 + 22x + 121 = 5 + 121$$

$$(x + 11)^2$$

1st      2nd

when you add 121 to the left side in order to complete the square you must add 121 to the right side of the equation... remember, what you do to one side of an equation you must do to the other side as well.

$$\sqrt{(x+11)^2} = \sqrt{126} \rightarrow \sqrt{9 \cdot 14} = 3\sqrt{14}$$

$$x + 11 = \pm 3\sqrt{14}$$

-11      -11

$$x = -11 \pm 3\sqrt{14}$$

Solve by Completing the Square.

$$x^2 - 8x - 11 = 0$$

$$+11 \quad +11$$

$$x^2 - 8x + 16 = 11 + 16$$

$$(x - 4)^2$$

1st      2nd

$$\sqrt{(x-4)^2} = \sqrt{27} \rightarrow \sqrt{9 \cdot 3} = 3\sqrt{3}$$

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

+4      +4

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