

ex3 Solve $7 + \sqrt{3x} = \sqrt{5x+4} + 5$

$x \geq 0$

↑ covers both restrictions.

$2 + \sqrt{3x} = \sqrt{5x+4}$

$4 + 3x + 4\sqrt{3x} = 5x + 4$

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

$16(3x) = 4x^2$

$48x = 4x^2$

$0 = 4x^2 - 48x$

$0 = 4x(x-12)$

$x=0 \quad x=12$

check $x=0$

$7 + 0 = \sqrt{4} + 5$

$7 = 2 + 5 \checkmark$

check $x=12$

$7 + \sqrt{36} = \sqrt{60+4} + 5$

$7 + 6 = \sqrt{64} + 5$

$13 = 8 + 5 \checkmark$

$x=0$ and $x=12$

Day 1 Do 4, 5, 6, 8, 10

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Day 2 Do 9, 11-19

4a) $\sqrt{z} = 5$
 $z = 25$

b) $-\sqrt{y} = -6$
 $y = 36$

c) $\sqrt{3x} = 2$
 $3x = 4$
 $x = \frac{4}{3}$

d) $-7 = -\sqrt{-6m}$
 $49 = -6m$
 $m = -\frac{49}{6}$

5. $k+4 = \sqrt{-2k}$
 $k^2 + 8k + 16 = -2k$
 $k^2 + 10k + 16 = 0$
 $(k+8)(k+2) = 0$
 $k = -8 \quad k = -2$

check $k = -8$
 $-8 + 4 = \sqrt{-2(-8)}$
 $-4 = \sqrt{16}$
NO.

extraneous

$k = -2$
 $-2 + 4 = \sqrt{-2(-2)}$
 $2 = \sqrt{4}$
 $2 = 2 \checkmark$

$k = -2$

6a) $-3\sqrt{n-1} + 7 = -14$
 $-3\sqrt{n-1} = -21$
 $\sqrt{n-1} = 7$
 $n-1 = 49$
 $n = 50$

check $-3\sqrt{49} + 7 = -14$
 $-3(7) + 7 =$
 $-21 + 7 =$
 $-14 = -14 \checkmark$

$n = 50$

$$\begin{aligned}
 6b) \quad & -7 - 4\sqrt{2x-1} = 17 \\
 & -4\sqrt{2x-1} = 24 \\
 & \sqrt{2x-1} = -6 \\
 & 2x-1 = 36 \\
 & 2x = 37 \\
 & x = 37/2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{check } & -7 - 4\sqrt{2(37/2)-1} = 17 \\
 & -7 - 4\sqrt{36} = \\
 & -7 - 4(6) = \\
 & -7 - 24 = \\
 & -31 = 17 \\
 & \therefore \text{no solution}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 c) \quad & 12 = -3 + 5\sqrt{8-x} \\
 & 15 = 5\sqrt{8-x} \\
 & 3 = \sqrt{8-x} \\
 & 9 = 8-x \\
 & x = -1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{check } & 12 = -3 + 5\sqrt{8-(-1)} \\
 & 12 = -3 + 5(3) \\
 & 12 = -3 + 15 \quad \checkmark \\
 & x = -1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 8 \ a) \quad & \sqrt{3x-5} = x-5 \\
 & 3x-5 = x^2-10x+25 \\
 & 0 = x^2-13x+30 \\
 & 0 = (x-10)(x-3) \\
 & x=10 \quad x=3
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{check } x=10 & \\
 5 + \sqrt{30-5} &= 10 \\
 5 + \sqrt{25} &= 10 \\
 5 + 5 &= 10 \quad \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 x=3 & \\
 5 + \sqrt{9-5} &= 3 \\
 5 + \sqrt{4} &= 3 \\
 5 + 2 &= 3 \quad \text{no.}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$x = 10$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 b) \quad & \sqrt{x^2+30x} = 8 \\
 & x^2+30x = 64 \\
 & x^2+30x-64 = 0 \\
 & (x+32)(x-2) = 0 \\
 & x = -32 \quad x = 2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{check } & \\
 x = -32 & \\
 \sqrt{64} &= 8 \quad \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 x = 2 & \\
 \sqrt{4+60} &= 8 \\
 \sqrt{64} &= 8 \\
 8 &= 8 \quad \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

$$x = 2, x = -32$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 c) \quad & \sqrt{d^2+5} = d-1 \\
 & d^2+5 = d^2-2d+1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 0 &= d^2-3d-4 \\
 0 &= (d-4)(d+1) \\
 d &= 4 \quad d = -1
 \end{aligned}$$

check

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sqrt{d^2+5} &= d-1 \\
 \sqrt{4^2+5} &= 4-1 \\
 \sqrt{21} &= 3 \\
 4.58 &= 3 \quad \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 d=4 & \\
 \sqrt{9} &= 4-1 \\
 3 &= 3 \\
 & \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 d=-1 & \\
 \sqrt{4} &= -1-1 \\
 2 &= -2 \\
 & \text{no}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$d = 4$$

$$\therefore d = 4$$

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8a) $\sqrt{\frac{j+1}{3}} + 5j = 3j - 1$

$$\sqrt{\frac{j+1}{3}} = -2j - 1$$

$$\frac{j+1}{3} = 4j^2 + 4j + 1$$

$$j+1 = 12j^2 + 12j + 3$$

$$0 = 12j^2 + 11j + 2$$

~~overkill~~

~~factor~~

$$0 = (4j+1)(3j+2)$$

$$j = -\frac{1}{4} \quad j = -\frac{2}{3}$$

check $-\frac{1}{4}$

$$\sqrt{\frac{3/4}{3}} + -5/4 = -\frac{3}{4} - 1$$

$$\sqrt{1/4} + -5/4 = -\frac{7}{4}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} - \frac{5}{4} = -\frac{7}{4}$$

$$-\frac{3}{4} = -\frac{7}{4} \quad \text{no}$$

check $-\frac{2}{3}$

$$\sqrt{\frac{1/3}{3}} - \frac{10}{3} = -2 - 1$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{1}{9}} - \frac{10}{3} = -3$$

$$\frac{1}{3} - \frac{10}{3} = -3$$

$$-\frac{9}{3} = -3 \quad \checkmark$$

$$j = -\frac{2}{3}$$

10a) $\sqrt{z+5} = \sqrt{2z-1}$
 $z+5 = 2z-1$
 $6 = z$

check $\sqrt{11} = \sqrt{12-1}$
 $\sqrt{11} = \sqrt{11}$

$$z = 6$$

b) $\sqrt{6y-1} = \sqrt{y^2-17}$

$$6y-1 = y^2-17$$

$$0 = y^2 - 6y - 16$$

$$0 = (y-8)(y+2)$$

$$y = 8 \quad y = -2$$

check $y=8$

$$\sqrt{48-1} = \sqrt{64-17}$$

$$\sqrt{47} = \sqrt{47}$$

✓

$$y = 8$$

$$y = -2$$

$$\sqrt{-12-1} = \sqrt{4-17}$$

$$\text{no } \sqrt{-13} = \sqrt{-13}$$

$$\text{but } y \geq \frac{1}{6}$$

∴ discard

c) $\sqrt{5r-9} - 3 = \sqrt{r+4} - 2$

$$\sqrt{5r-9} = \sqrt{r+4} + 1$$

$$5r-9 = r+4 + 1 + 2\sqrt{r+4}$$

$$4r-14 = 2\sqrt{r+4}$$

$$2r-7 = \sqrt{r+4}$$

$$4r^2 - 28r + 49 = r+4$$

$$4r^2 - 29r + 45 = 0$$

$$(4r - 9)(r - 5) = 0$$
$$r = \frac{9}{4} \quad r = 5$$

check $r = \frac{9}{4}$

$$\sqrt{\frac{45}{4} - 9} - 3 = \sqrt{\frac{9}{4} + 4} - 2$$

↓
not possible

check $r = 5$

$$\sqrt{25 - 9} - 3 = \sqrt{5 + 4} - 2$$

$$\sqrt{16} - 3 = \sqrt{9} - 2$$

$$4 - 3 = 3 - 2 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\boxed{r = 5}$$

d) $\sqrt{x+19} = 7 - \sqrt{x-2}$

$$x+19 = 49 + x - 2 - 14\sqrt{x-2}$$

$$-28 = -14\sqrt{x-2}$$

$$2 = \sqrt{x-2}$$

$$4 = x - 2$$

$$6 = x$$

check

$$\sqrt{25} = 7 - \sqrt{4}$$

$$5 = 7 - 2$$

$$5 = 5 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\boxed{x = 6}$$