

Warm Up (2/26/18) PARCC Practice

Determine all real roots of the equation $(x + 7)(x^2 - 49) = 0$.

Set factors equal to zero.

$$\begin{array}{r} x + 7 = 0 \\ -7 \quad -7 \\ \hline \boxed{x = -7} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x^2 - 49 = 0 \\ +49 \quad +49 \\ \hline \sqrt{x^2} = \sqrt{49} \\ \boxed{x = \pm 7} \end{array}$$

Module 4: Lessons 14 and 15

The Quadratic Formula

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Solve the following quadratic equation by factoring:

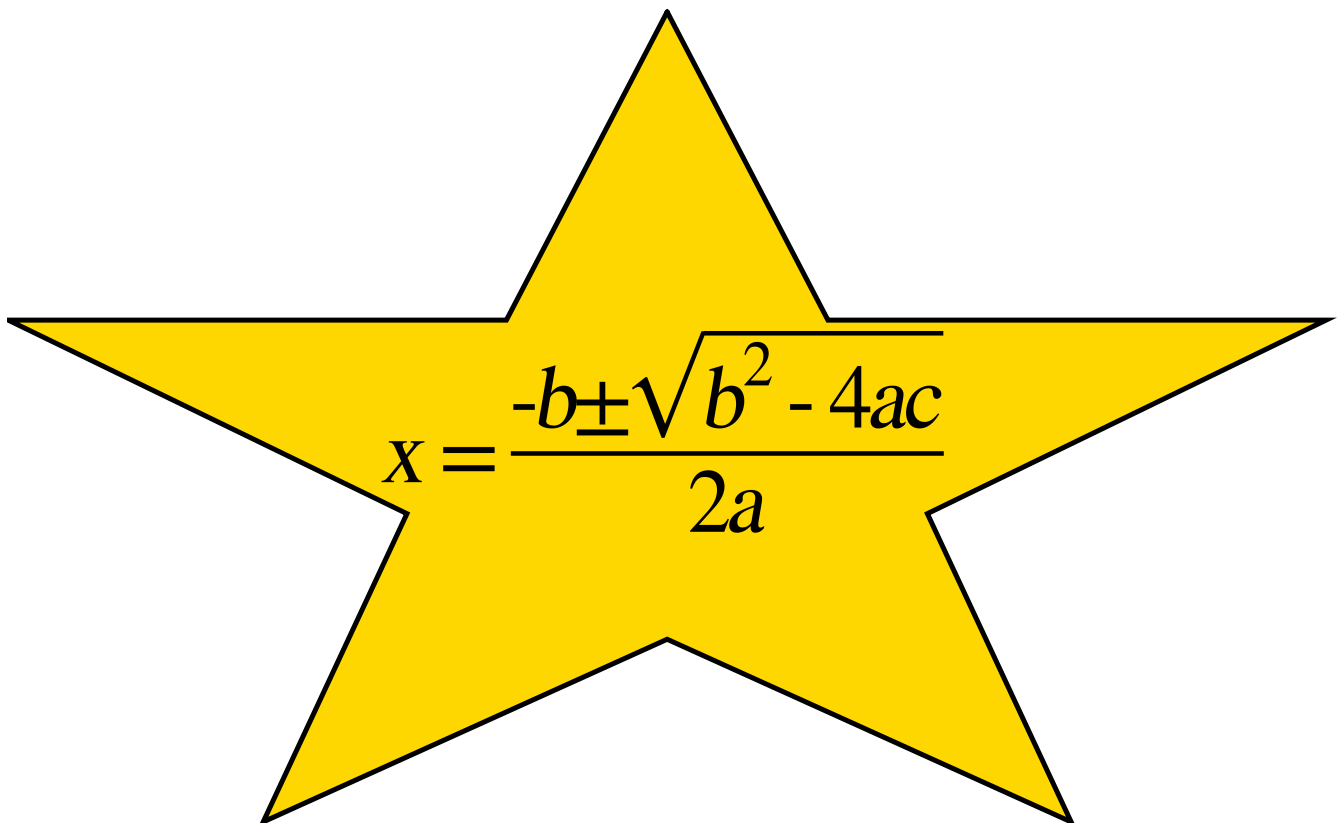
$$f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$$
$$x^2 + 3x - 5 = 0$$

~~$$\begin{array}{r} -5 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{array}$$~~

$5 - 1 = 4 \neq 3$

Non Factorable

→ The Quadratic Formula ←


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

Solve the following quadratic equation by using the quadratic formula:

$$\textcircled{1}x^2 + \textcircled{3}x - \textcircled{5} = 0$$

$$a = 1$$

$$b = 3$$

$$c = -5$$

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

$$x = \frac{-(3) \pm \sqrt{(3)^2 - 4(1)(-5)}}{2(1)}$$

$$= \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{9 + 20}}{2} = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{29}}{2}$$

1. Identify the values for a, b, and c.

2. Substitute your values for a, b, and c into the quadratic formula.

3. Simplify

$$x = \frac{-3 + \sqrt{29}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-3 - \sqrt{29}}{2}$$

Exercises

Solve Exercises 1-5 using the quadratic formula.

1. $x^2 - 2x + 1 = 0$

$a = 1$ $b = -2$ $c = 1$

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

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

$$= \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{0}}{2} \Rightarrow x = \frac{2 \pm 0}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{2}{2} = 1$$

2. $3b^2 + 4b + 8 = 0$

$a = 3$ $b = 4$ $c = 8$

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

$$x = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{4^2 - 4(3)(8)}}{2(3)} = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 96}}{6} = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{-80}}{6}$$

Since we have a negative under a square root, we have no real solutions

3. $2t^2 + 7t - 4 = 0$

$a = 2$ $b = 7$ $c = -4$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \rightarrow x = \frac{-7 \pm \sqrt{7^2 - 4(2)(-4)}}{2(2)} = \frac{-7 \pm \sqrt{49 + 32}}{4}$$

$$= \frac{-7 \pm \sqrt{81}}{4} = \frac{-7 \pm 9}{4} \rightarrow x = \frac{-7 + 9}{4} \text{ and } x = \frac{-7 - 9}{4}$$

$$x = \frac{2}{4} \text{ and } x = \frac{-16}{4}$$

$$\boxed{x = \frac{1}{2}} \text{ and } \boxed{x = -4}$$

4. $q^2 - 2q - 1 = 0$

$a = 1$ $b = -2$ $c = -1$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \rightarrow x = \frac{-(-2) \pm \sqrt{(-2)^2 - 4(1)(-1)}}{2(1)} = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4 + 4}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{8}}{2} \Rightarrow \boxed{x = \frac{2 + \sqrt{8}}{2}} \text{ and } \boxed{x = \frac{2 - \sqrt{8}}{2}}$$

5. $m^2 - 4 = 3$

\rightarrow
 $m^2 - 7 = 0$
 $1m^2 + 0m - 7 = 0$

$$= \frac{\pm \sqrt{28}}{2}$$

Pg. 88 $a = 1$ $b = 0$ $c = -7$

$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

$$m = \frac{-(0) \pm \sqrt{(0)^2 - 4(1)(-7)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{\pm \sqrt{28}}{2}$$

The Discriminant

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

What the discriminant tells us about a quadratic...

- If the value of the discriminant is positive (+) then the quadratic will have TWO real solutions.
- If the value of the discriminant is zero (0) then the quadratic will have exactly ONE real solution.
- If the value of the discriminant is negative (-) then the quadratic will have NO real solutions.

For Exercises 6–9, determine the number of real solutions for each quadratic equation without solving.

6. $p^2 + 7p + 33 = 8 - 3p$

$$\begin{array}{cccc} & +3 & -8 & -8 & +3 \\ \hline p^2 & + & 10p & + & 25 = 0 \end{array}$$

$$a = 1$$

$$b = 10$$

$$c = 25$$

$$b^2 - 4ac$$

$$= (10)^2 - 4(1)(25)$$

$$= 100 - 100$$

$$= 0$$

One solution

7. $7x^2 + 2x + 5 = 0$

$$a = 7$$

$$b = 2$$

$$c = 5$$

$$b^2 - 4ac$$

$$(2)^2 - 4(7)(5)$$

$$= 4 - 140 = -136$$

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No solution

8. $2y^2 + 10y = y^2 + 4y - 3$

$$\begin{array}{cccc} & - & y^2 & - & 4y & + & 3 \\ \hline y^2 & + & 6y & + & 3 = 0 \end{array}$$

$$a = 1$$

$$b = 6$$

$$c = 3$$

$$b^2 - 4ac$$

$$= (6)^2 - 4(1)(3)$$

$$= 36 - 12 = +24$$

Two solutions

9. $4z^2 + 9 = -4z$

$$\begin{array}{cccc} & + & 4z & \\ \hline 4z^2 & + & 4z & + & 9 = 0 \end{array}$$

$$a = 4$$

$$b = 4$$

$$c = 9$$

$$b^2 - 4ac$$

$$(4)^2 - 4(4)(9)$$

$$= 16 - 144 = -128$$

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No solution