

Name Solution

1. Perform the indicated operations. Simplify your answers.

a. $(3 - 5\sqrt{7})(4 + 4\sqrt{7})$

$$= 12 + 12\sqrt{7} - 20\sqrt{7} - 20(7)$$

$$= 12 - 8\sqrt{7} - 140$$

$$= \boxed{-128 - 8\sqrt{7}}$$

b. $3\sqrt{20} - 5\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{45}$ Hint: change to like radicals.

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

$$= 6\sqrt{5} - 5\sqrt{5} + 3\sqrt{5}$$

$$= \boxed{4\sqrt{5}}$$

c) $(3 + 2\sqrt{3})(4 - 3\sqrt{3})$

$$12 - 9\sqrt{3} + 8\sqrt{3} - 6(3)$$

$$= 12 - 1\sqrt{3} - 18 = \boxed{-6 - \sqrt{3}} \text{ or } \boxed{-6 - \sqrt{3}}$$

d. $(3 + 5\sqrt{7})(4 + 4\sqrt{7})$

$$12 + 12\sqrt{7} + 20\sqrt{7} + 20(7)$$

$$= 12 + 32\sqrt{7} + 140 = \boxed{152 + 32\sqrt{7}}$$

e. $(5 - 4\sqrt{3})(5 + 4\sqrt{3})$

$$= 25 + 20\sqrt{3} - 20\sqrt{3} - 16(3)$$

$$= 25 - 48 = \boxed{-23}$$

2. Simplify

$$a. \sqrt{48} = \sqrt{16} \sqrt{3} = \underline{\underline{4\sqrt{3}}}$$

$$b. \frac{4}{\sqrt{5}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5}} = \underline{\underline{\frac{4\sqrt{5}}{5}}}$$

$$c. 3\sqrt{20} - 7\sqrt{45} + \sqrt{5}$$

$$= 3\sqrt{4}\sqrt{5} - 7\sqrt{9}\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{5}$$

$$= 6\sqrt{5} - 21\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{5} = \underline{\underline{-14\sqrt{5}}} \quad \text{---}$$

Same question

3. Simplify

$$\begin{aligned} a. \sqrt{x} \cdot \sqrt[3]{x} &= x^{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3}} \\ x^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot x^{\frac{1}{3}} &= x \\ &= x^{\frac{3+2}{6}} \\ &= \underline{\underline{x^{\frac{5}{6}}}} \text{ or } \sqrt[6]{x^5} \end{aligned}$$

$$b. 5\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{3} = \underline{\underline{4\sqrt{3}}}$$

4. Simplify.

$$\begin{aligned} a) \frac{5}{\sqrt{15}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{15}}{\sqrt{15}} &= \frac{5\sqrt{15}}{15} \\ &= \underline{\underline{\frac{\sqrt{15}}{3}}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b) 3\sqrt{20} - 7\sqrt{45} + \sqrt{5} &= 6\sqrt{5} - 21\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{5} \\ &= \underline{\underline{-14\sqrt{5}}} \end{aligned}$$