

Quadratic Formula

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1) The quadratic formula is:

2) You can use the quadratic formula only when:

Solve each equation with the quadratic formula.

3) $6r^2 - r - 12 = 0$

4) $3v^2 + 3v - 10 = 0$

5) $10r^2 + r + 6 = 0$

6) $8k^2 + 10k - 19 = 0$

7) $12n^2 + 10n + 5 = 0$

8) $7r^2 + 6r - 3 = 0$

9) $2r^2 + 3r + 1 = 0$

10) $5p^2 + 12p + 7 = 0$

11) $5x^2 - 24 = 7x$

12) $5n^2 + 3 = -8n$

13) $12n^2 + 10n = -11$

14) $r^2 = -8r - 1$

15) $7v^2 = 1 + 9v$

16) $4n^2 = 65 - 7n$

17) How do you know when you will get a real answer using the quadratic formula?

18) How do you know when you will get a complex answer using the quadratic formula?

Answers to Quadratic Formula

$$1) x = \frac{-b + \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \text{ OR } x = \frac{-b - \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \quad 3) \left\{ \frac{3}{2}, -\frac{4}{3} \right\}$$

$$5) \left\{ \frac{-1 + i\sqrt{239}}{20}, \frac{-1 - i\sqrt{239}}{20} \right\} \quad 7) \left\{ \frac{-5 + i\sqrt{35}}{12}, \frac{-5 - i\sqrt{35}}{12} \right\} \quad 9) \left\{ -\frac{1}{2}, -1 \right\}$$

$$11) \left\{ 3, -\frac{8}{5} \right\} \quad 13) \left\{ \frac{-5 + i\sqrt{107}}{12}, \frac{-5 - i\sqrt{107}}{12} \right\} \quad 15) \left\{ \frac{9 + \sqrt{109}}{14}, \frac{9 - \sqrt{109}}{14} \right\}$$

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