

Last time Problems from §1.5 pg 55

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(homework: last block of problems (see end of notes)
Read 1.6 word problems.)

#45.) $x^2 + 2x - 5 = 0$

$$\underline{(x^2 + 2x + 1^2 - 1^2)} - 5 = 0$$

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 $a=1$
completes the square

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balances equation.

$$(x+1)^2 - 1 - 5 = 0$$

$$(x+1)^2 = 6$$

$$|x+1| = \sqrt{6} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \end{array} \right\} *$$

$$x+1 = \pm\sqrt{6}$$

$$x = -1 \pm \sqrt{6}$$

Recall: Squaring formula:

$$(x+a)^2 = \underline{x^2} + \underline{2ax} + \underline{a^2}$$

(*) Algebra Identity:

$$\sqrt{x^2} = |x|$$

#46.) $(x^2 - 4x) + 2 = 0$

$$\underline{(x^2 - 4x + (-2)^2 - (-2)^2)} + 2 = 0$$

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 $2a = -4$
 $a = -2$
 a^2 a^2

$$(x-2)^2 - 4 + 2 = 0$$

$$(x-2)^2 = 2$$

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

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

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

Example: Complete the square:

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$$x^2 + 8x - 3$$

$$= (x^2 + 8x + (4)^2 - (4)^2) - 3$$

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

$$= \boxed{(x+4)^2 - 19}$$

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$$\#49.) \quad 2x^2 + 8x + 1 = 0$$

$$2(x^2 + 4x + (2)^2 - (2)^2) + 1 = 0$$

$$2((x+2)^2 - 4) + 1 = 0$$

$$2(x+2)^2 - 8 + 1 = 0$$

$$2(x+2)^2 = 7$$

$$\boxed{x = -2 \pm \sqrt{3.5}}$$

$$52.) \quad -2x^2 + 6x + 3 = 0$$

$$-2(x^2 - 3x + (1.5)^2 - (1.5)^2) + 3 = 0$$

$$-2((x-1.5)^2 - 2.25) + 3 = 0$$

$$-2(x-1.5)^2 + 4.5 + 3 = 0$$

$$-2(x-1.5)^2 = -7.5 = -\frac{15}{2}$$

$$x = 1.5 \pm \sqrt{\frac{15}{4}}$$

$$= \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{15}}{2}$$

Quadratic Formula: The solutions to $ax^2+bx^2+c=0$

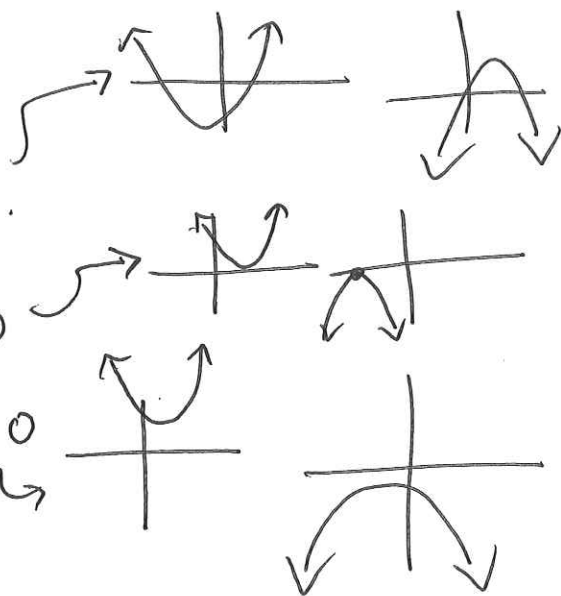
$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2-4ac}}{2a}$$

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

If there are 2 ^{real} solutions; $D > 0$.

If there ~~are~~ ^{is} 1 ^{real} solution; $D = 0$

If there is no ^{real} solution; $D < 0$



#65.) $\sqrt{6}x^2 + 2x - \sqrt{3/2} = 0$ #69.)

Q.F.

$$x = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 - 4\sqrt{6}\sqrt{3/2}}}{2\sqrt{6}}$$

$$= \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 + 12}}{2\sqrt{6}}$$

$$= \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{16}}{2\sqrt{6}}$$

$$= \frac{-6}{2\sqrt{6}} \text{ or } \frac{2}{2\sqrt{6}}$$

$$= \left[\frac{-3}{\sqrt{6}} \text{ or } \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{6} \cdot \sqrt{3/2} &= \sqrt{6 \cdot 3/2} \\ &= \sqrt{9} = 3 \end{aligned}$$

#69.) Find the # of solutions.

$$x^2 - 6x + 1$$

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

$$= 36 - 4(1)(1)$$

$$= 36 - 4 = 32$$

$$\Rightarrow 32 > 0$$

\Rightarrow 2 Solutions

In groups 2-4; solve 79, 81, 85, 89, 91