

Rockswold 4.7 and Radical Equations

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1. $\sqrt{x+14} - 2 = x$

2. $\sqrt{x+18} + 2 = x$

3. $\sqrt{x+18} + x = 2$

4. $\sqrt{x+23} - 3 = x$

5. $\sqrt{27x+109} - 3 = x$

6. $\sqrt{7x+116} + x = 4$

7. $\sqrt{7x+116} + 4 = x$

8. $\sqrt{89x+125} + 5 = x$

9. $\sqrt{9x^2 - 12} + 5 = 3x$

10. $\sqrt{4x^2 - 3} + 2 = 2x$

11. $\sqrt{x^2 - 5} + 1 = x$

12. $\sqrt{x^2 - 12} + 2 = x$

13. $\sqrt{x^2 + x - 15} + 2 = x$

14. $\sqrt{3x^2 + 17x + 35} - x = x + 5$

15. $\sqrt{9x+18} = x + 2$

16. $\sqrt{3x+19} - 3 = x$

17. $\sqrt{8x^2 + 11x + 15} - x = 2x + 1$

18. $\sqrt{3x^2 + 11x + 15} - 3 = 2x$

19. $\sqrt{13x+30} - x = 4$

20. $\sqrt{4x^2 + x - 25} - x + 1 = x$

21. Write $\frac{x^3 + 3x^4 + 5\sqrt{x}}{x^3}$ using powers of x , no ratios, no radicals.

a. $3x + 5x^{-3.5}$

b. $1 + 3x^4 + 5x^{0.5}$

c. $1 + 3x + 5x^{-2.5}$

d. $1 + 3x + 5x^{-3.5}$

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Answers:

1. 2

2. 7

3. -2

4. 2

5. 25

6. -5

7. 20

8. 100

9. 37/30 (doesn't check)

10. 7/8 (doesn't check)

11. 3

12. 4

13. 19/6

14. 2

15. $\sqrt{9x+18} = x+2$

$$9x + 18 = x^2 + 4x + 4$$

$$x^2 - 5x - 14 = (x - 7)(x + 2) = 0 \quad x = 7, -2$$

16. 2

17. 7

18. 2

19. 7

20. 26/5

21. c