

Surds

1) Simplify:

$$a \sqrt{121} \quad b \sqrt{\frac{1}{9}} \quad c \sqrt{\frac{16}{49}} \quad d \sqrt{0.01} \quad e \sqrt[3]{8}$$

2) Simplify and rationalise the denominator where appropriate:

$$a \sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{5} \quad b \sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{7} \quad c \frac{\sqrt{p}}{\sqrt{q}} \quad d \frac{1}{2\sqrt{q}} \quad e \frac{3\sqrt{a}}{\sqrt{2b}}$$

3) Express the questions where all terms are under a root, in terms of the simplest possible surds.
Express the questions where the terms are mixed with surds and integers, as square roots of integers.

$$a \sqrt{8} \quad b \sqrt{12} \quad c 3\sqrt{2} \quad d \sqrt{50} \quad e 4\sqrt{5} \quad f 3\sqrt{8} \quad g \sqrt{1210} \quad h 6\sqrt{6} \quad i \sqrt{72} \quad j 14\sqrt{2}$$

4) Simplify

$$a \sqrt{18} + \sqrt{32} \quad b \sqrt{48} - \sqrt{27} \quad c 2\sqrt{8} + \sqrt{72} \quad d \sqrt{360} - 2\sqrt{40} \quad e 2\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{45} + 3\sqrt{20} \quad f \sqrt{24} + \sqrt{150} - 2\sqrt{96}$$

5) Express in the form $a + b\sqrt{c}$, where a, b , and c are rational numbers

$$a \quad 3(2 + \sqrt{3}) \quad b \quad 4 - \sqrt{3} - 2(1 - \sqrt{3}) \quad c \quad (\sqrt{5} + 2)^2 \quad d \quad (1 + \sqrt{2})(3 - 2\sqrt{2}) \quad e \quad \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} + \sqrt{\frac{1}{4}} + \sqrt{\frac{1}{8}}$$
$$f \quad (3\sqrt{3} + 1)(2 - 5\sqrt{3}) \quad g \quad (5\sqrt{5} - 4)^2 \quad h \quad (3 - \sqrt{8})(4 + \sqrt{2})$$

6) Express each of the following as simply as possible, with a rational denominator.

$$a \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \quad b \quad \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \quad c \quad \frac{14}{\sqrt{7}} \quad d \quad \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}} \quad e \quad \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \quad f \quad \frac{-7}{2\sqrt{7}} \quad g \quad \frac{9}{4\sqrt{6}} \quad h \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{2} + 1} \quad i \quad \frac{1}{3 - \sqrt{5}} \quad j \quad \frac{\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{2}}$$
$$k \quad \frac{\sqrt{5} + 1}{\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{3}} \quad l \quad \frac{2\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2}} \quad m \quad \frac{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{3}} \quad n \quad \frac{\sqrt{10} + 2\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{10} + \sqrt{5}}$$