

## 2.3 Multiplying Radicals

remember  $\sqrt[n]{a} \cdot \sqrt[n]{b} = \sqrt[n]{ab}$

ex.1  $2\sqrt{3}(2\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{5})$

$$= (2\sqrt{3})(2\sqrt{6}) + (2\sqrt{3})(\sqrt{5})$$

$$= 4\sqrt{18} + 2\sqrt{15}$$

$$= 4 \cdot 3\sqrt{2}$$

$$= 12\sqrt{2} + 2\sqrt{15}$$

remember  
distributive  
property!

simplify?

2.  $3\sqrt{2}(2\sqrt{5} - 3\sqrt{2})$

$$= (3\sqrt{2})(2\sqrt{5}) - (3\sqrt{2})(3\sqrt{2})$$

$$= 6\sqrt{10} - 9\sqrt{4}$$

$$= 6\sqrt{10} - 9(2)$$

$$= 6\sqrt{10} - 18$$

$$\sqrt{2}\sqrt{2} = 2$$

$$\sqrt{7}\sqrt{7} = 7$$

$$\sqrt{247}\sqrt{247} = 247$$

$$= 6\sqrt{10} - 18$$

3.  $(5 + 3\sqrt{2})(4 - \sqrt{2})$

① DP

$$5(4 - \sqrt{2}) + 3\sqrt{2}(4 - \sqrt{2})$$

$$= \underline{20} - \underline{5\sqrt{2}} + \underline{12\sqrt{2}} - \underline{3(2)}$$

$$= 14 + 7\sqrt{2}$$

②

First	Outside	Inside	Last
$5(4)$	$5(-\sqrt{2})$	$(3\sqrt{2})(4)$	$(3\sqrt{2})(-\sqrt{2})$

$$= \underline{20} - \underline{5\sqrt{2}} + \underline{12\sqrt{2}} - \underline{3(2)}$$

$$= 14 + 7\sqrt{2}$$

③ Box

⊗

	5	$3\sqrt{2}$
4	20	$12\sqrt{2}$
$-\sqrt{2}$	$-5\sqrt{2}$	$-3(2)$

$$= 20 + 12\sqrt{2} - 5\sqrt{2} - 6$$

$$= 14 + 7\sqrt{2}$$

- ① D.P.
- ② F.O.I.L.
- ③ Box

$$\sqrt{2}\sqrt{2} = 2$$

SIMPLIFY  
— Like Terms

$$(5 + 3\sqrt{2})(4 - \sqrt{2})$$

$$-\sqrt{2} \quad -5\sqrt{2} \quad -3(2)$$

$$= 14 + 7\sqrt{2}$$

4.  $(3\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y})^2 = (3\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y})(3\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y})$

$$= 9x + \frac{3\sqrt{xy} + 3\sqrt{xy}}{2} + y$$

$$= 9x + 6\sqrt{xy} + y$$

DP  
FOIL  
BOX

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

$(3\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y})^2$   
 $\downarrow$  square  
 $\swarrow \times 2 \searrow$   
 $(3\sqrt{x})^2 + (3\sqrt{x})(\sqrt{y})(2) + (\sqrt{y})^2$

$$9x + 6\sqrt{xy} + y$$

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