

$$(3\sqrt{6})(\sqrt{8}) \cdot \left( \underbrace{(3\sqrt{6}-2)}_{\text{Binomial}} \right) \left( \underbrace{(\sqrt{8}-5\sqrt{10})}_{\text{Binomial}} \right) + \underbrace{(3-4\sqrt{2})^2}_{(3-4\sqrt{2})(3-4\sqrt{2})} - \frac{16}{\sqrt{8}} + 2\sqrt{5}(4\sqrt{2}-\sqrt{500})$$

$$= 3\sqrt{48} - 15\sqrt{60} - 2\sqrt{8} + 10\sqrt{10} + 9 - 24\sqrt{2} + 32 - \frac{16}{\sqrt{8}} \left( \frac{\sqrt{8}}{\sqrt{8}} \right) + 8\sqrt{60} - 2\sqrt{2500}$$

$$3(4\sqrt{3})$$

$$= 12\sqrt{3} - 30\sqrt{5} - 4\sqrt{2} + 10\sqrt{10} + 9 - 24\sqrt{2} + 32 - \frac{16\sqrt{8}}{8} + 16\sqrt{5} - 2(50)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & -2\sqrt{8} \\ & -2(2\sqrt{2}) \\ & -4\sqrt{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$= 12\sqrt{3} - 14\sqrt{5} - 30\sqrt{2} + 10\sqrt{10} - 59$$

- Rationalizing the Denominator...

(II) Binomial Denominator

**Conjugate**

$$5 - \sqrt{2} \Rightarrow 5 + \sqrt{2}$$

The **conjugate** of the two-term expression  $a + b$  is  $a - b$  and visa versa.

$$-3x + 7 \Rightarrow -3x - 7$$

For each of the following, identify the conjugate of the expression. Then find the product of the expression and its conjugate.

Expression	Conjugate	Product
$(a + b)$	$(a - b)$	$a^2 - ab + ab - b^2$ $a^2 - b^2$
$a - \sqrt{3}$	$a + \sqrt{3}$	
$(\sqrt{x} - 7)$	$\sqrt{x} + 7$	$x + 7\sqrt{x} - 7\sqrt{x} - 49$ $x - 49$
$2\sqrt{3} + 4\sqrt{5}$	$2\sqrt{3} - 4\sqrt{5}$	

**Fact** The product of a square-root expression and its conjugate is an expression containing no square roots (i.e. a rational expression).

Use this fact to rationalize the following...

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{3\sqrt{6}}{3-\sqrt{3}} \left( \frac{3+\sqrt{3}}{3+\sqrt{3}} \right) \\ &= \frac{9\sqrt{6} + 3\sqrt{18}}{9-3} \\ &= \frac{\overset{\div 3}{9}\sqrt{6} + \overset{\div 3}{9}\sqrt{2}}{\underset{\div 3}{6}} = \frac{3\sqrt{6} + 3\sqrt{2}}{2} \\ &= \frac{9\sqrt{6}}{6} + \frac{9\sqrt{2}}{6} \\ &= \frac{3\sqrt{6}}{2} + \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{6\sqrt{5}}{-\sqrt{8} + \sqrt{5}} \left( \frac{-\sqrt{8} - \sqrt{5}}{-\sqrt{8} - \sqrt{5}} \right)$$

$$= \frac{-6\sqrt{40} - 6(5)}{8 - 5}$$

$$= \frac{-12\sqrt{10} - 30}{3}$$

$$= \frac{-4\sqrt{10} - 10}{1}$$

Practice Problems....

Worksheet

## Attachments

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