

Quiz 8.1

- 1 (2 points) Solve the equation using the Square Root Property.

$$\left(x - \frac{2}{3}\right)^2 = \frac{5}{9}$$

2. (3 points) Solve the equation by completing the square.

$$w^2 - 5w = 14$$

3. (3 points) Solve the equation by completing the square.

$$2x^2 + 4x + 5 = 0$$

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8.3 Solving Equations Quadratic in Form

Solve

$$x^4 + x^2 - 12 = 0$$

$$(x^2 + 4)(x^2 - 3) = 0$$

$$x^2 + 4 = 0 \quad x^2 - 3 = 0$$

$$x^2 = -4 \quad x^2 = 3$$

$$x = \pm 2i \quad x = \pm\sqrt{3}$$

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$$x^4 - 13x^2 + 36 = 0$$

$$(x^2 - 9)(x^2 - 4) = 0$$

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

$$x = -3, 3, -2, 2$$

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Solve

$$(z^2 - 5)^2 - 3(z^2 - 5) - 4 = 0$$

$$u = z^2 - 5$$

$$u^2 - 3u - 4 = 0$$

$$(u-4)(u+1) = 0$$

$$u = 4 \quad u = -1$$

$$z^2 - 5 = 4 \quad z^2 - 5 = -1$$

$$z = \pm 3 \quad z = \pm 2$$

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You Try

$$5x^{-2} + 12x^{-1} + 4 = 0$$

Solve

$$a^{\frac{2}{3}} + 3a^{\frac{1}{3}} - 28 = 0$$

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$$a^{\frac{2}{3}} - 4a^{\frac{1}{3}} - 5 = 0$$

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