

## Quadratic Formula Review WS

Solve each quadratic equation using the quadratic formula:

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

1.  $x^2 + 5x + 6 = 0$

$a = 1 \quad b = 5 \quad c = 6$

$$x = \frac{-(5) \pm \sqrt{(5)^2 - 4(1)(6)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{-5 \pm \sqrt{1}}{2} = \frac{-5 \pm 1}{2}$$

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

3.  $x^2 + 3x - 1 = 0$

$a = 1 \quad b = 3 \quad c = -1$

$$x = \frac{-(3) \pm \sqrt{(3)^2 - 4(1)(-1)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{13}}{2}$$

2.  $5x^2 - 4x = 33$

$a = 5 \quad b = -4 \quad c = -33$

$$x = \frac{-(-4) \pm \sqrt{(-4)^2 - 4(5)(-33)}}{2(5)}$$

$$x = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{676}}{10} = \frac{4 \pm 26}{10}$$

$$x = 3 \quad x = -2.2 = -\frac{22}{10}$$

4.  $2x^2 - 6x + 4 = 4$

$a = 2 \quad b = -6 \quad c = 0$

$$x = \frac{-(-6) \pm \sqrt{(-6)^2 - 4(2)(0)}}{2(2)}$$

$$x = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{36}}{4} = \frac{6 \pm 6}{4}$$

$$x = 3 \quad x = 0$$

$$5. \begin{matrix} -2x^2 + 12x = 5 \\ -5 \quad -5 \end{matrix}$$

$$-2x^2 + 12x - 5 = 0$$

$$a = -2 \quad b = 12 \quad c = -5$$

$$x = \frac{-(12) \pm \sqrt{(12)^2 - 4(-2)(-5)}}{2(-2)}$$

$$x = \frac{-12 \pm \sqrt{104}}{-4} \rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{104}}{-4}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{4 \cdot 26}}{-4}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{4} \sqrt{26}}{-4}$$

$$= \frac{2\sqrt{26}}{-4}$$

$$x = \frac{(-12) \pm (2)\sqrt{26}}{(-4) \div 2}$$

$$x = \frac{-6 \pm \sqrt{26}}{-2}$$

$$7. x^2 + 3x + 5 = 0$$

$$a = 1 \quad b = 3 \quad c = 5$$

$$x = \frac{-(3) \pm \sqrt{(3)^2 - 4(1)(5)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{-11}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-3 \pm i\sqrt{11}}{2}$$

$$6. x^2 + 2x + 7 = 0$$

$$a = 1 \quad b = 2 \quad c = 7$$

$$x = \frac{-(2) \pm \sqrt{(2)^2 - 4(1)(7)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{-24}}{2} \rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{-24}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{-1 \cdot 4 \cdot 6}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{-1} \sqrt{4} \sqrt{6}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{2i\sqrt{6}}{2}$$

$$x = -1 \pm i\sqrt{6}$$

$$8. x^2 + 11 = 6x$$

$$-6x \quad -6x$$

$$x^2 - 6x + 11 = 0$$

$$a = 1 \quad b = -6 \quad c = 11$$

$$x = \frac{-(-6) \pm \sqrt{(-6)^2 - 4(1)(11)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{-8}}{2} \rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{-8}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{-1 \cdot 4 \cdot 2}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{-1} \sqrt{4} \sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{2i\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

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