

1.5B Working with Radicals Handout

1. a) $\sqrt{12} + \sqrt{27}$
 b) $\sqrt{20} + \sqrt{45}$
 c) $\sqrt{18} - \sqrt{8}$
 d) $\sqrt{50} + \sqrt{98} - \sqrt{2}$
 e) $\sqrt{75} + \sqrt{48} + \sqrt{27}$
 f) $\sqrt{54} + \sqrt{24} + \sqrt{72} - \sqrt{32}$
 g) $\sqrt{28} - \sqrt{27} + \sqrt{63} + \sqrt{300}$

2. a) $\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{10} + 4)$
 b) $\sqrt{3}(\sqrt{6} - 1)$
 c) $\sqrt{6}(\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{6})$
 d) $2\sqrt{2}(3\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{3})$
 e) $\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{3} + 4)$
 f) $3\sqrt{2}(2\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{10})$
 g) $(\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{6})(\sqrt{5} + 3\sqrt{6})$
 h) $(2\sqrt{3} - 1)(3\sqrt{3} + 2)$
 i) $(4\sqrt{7} - 3\sqrt{2})(2\sqrt{7} + 5\sqrt{2})$
 j) $(3\sqrt{3} + 1)^2$
 k) $(2\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{5})^2$
 l) $(2 + \sqrt{3})(2 - \sqrt{3})$
 m) $(\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2})(\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2})$
 n) $(2\sqrt{7} + 3\sqrt{5})(2\sqrt{7} - 3\sqrt{5})$

3. a) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$
 b) $\frac{\sqrt{1}}{\sqrt{2}}$
 c) $\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{8}}$
 d) $\frac{3\sqrt{6}}{4\sqrt{10}}$

e) $\frac{5\sqrt{5}}{2\sqrt{3}}$
 f) $\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{18}}$
 g) $\frac{3\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{3}}$
 h) $\frac{7\sqrt{11}}{2\sqrt{3}}$

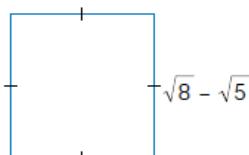
i) $\frac{4\sqrt{7}}{2\sqrt{14}}$
 j) $\frac{2\sqrt{5}}{5\sqrt{2}}$

4. a) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2} + 2}$
 b) $\frac{3}{\sqrt{5} - 1}$
 c) $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{6} - 3}$
 d) $\frac{2}{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{3}}$

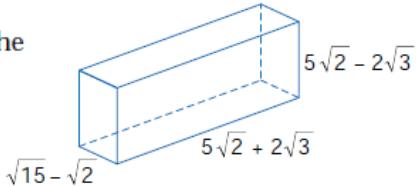
e) $\frac{3}{\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{2}}$
 f) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2}}$
 g) $\frac{\sqrt{2} - 1}{\sqrt{2} + 1}$
 h) $\frac{2\sqrt{7} + \sqrt{5}}{3\sqrt{7} - 2\sqrt{5}}$

5. a) $\sqrt[3]{16} + \sqrt[3]{54}$
 b) $\sqrt[3]{24} + \sqrt[3]{81}$
 c) $2(\sqrt[3]{32}) + 5(\sqrt[3]{108})$
 d) $\sqrt[3]{54} + 5(\sqrt[3]{16})$
 e) $\sqrt[3]{16} - \sqrt[3]{54}$
 f) $\sqrt[3]{108} - \sqrt[3]{32}$
 g) $2(\sqrt[3]{40}) - \sqrt[3]{5}$
 h) $5(\sqrt[3]{48}) - 2(\sqrt[3]{162})$

13. **Measurement** Write and simplify an expression for the area of the square.



14. **Measurement** Express the volume of the rectangular prism in simplest radical form.



- Answers**
1. a) $5\sqrt{3}$ b) $5\sqrt{5}$ c) $\sqrt{2}$ d) $11\sqrt{2}$ e) $12\sqrt{3}$ f) $5\sqrt{6} + 2\sqrt{2}$ g) $5\sqrt{7} + 7\sqrt{3}$
 2. a) $2\sqrt{5} + 4\sqrt{2}$ b) $3\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3}$ c) $2\sqrt{3} + 6$ d) $12\sqrt{3} - 2\sqrt{6}$ e) $\sqrt{6} + 4\sqrt{2}$ f) $12\sqrt{3} + 6\sqrt{5}$ g) $23 + 4\sqrt{30}$ h) $16 + \sqrt{3}$ i) $26 + 14\sqrt{14}$ j) $28 + 6\sqrt{3}$ k) $13 - 4\sqrt{10}$ l) 1 m) 4 n) -17
 3. a) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$ b) $\frac{2\sqrt{5}}{5}$ c) $\frac{7}{5}$ d) $\frac{2\sqrt{7}}{2}$ e) $\frac{5\sqrt{15}}{6}$ f) $\frac{2}{3}$ g) 2 h) $\sqrt{15}$ i) $\sqrt{2}$ j) $\frac{3\sqrt{15}}{20}$ k) $\frac{7\sqrt{33}}{6}$ l) $\frac{\sqrt{10}}{5}$
 4. a) $\frac{2 - \sqrt{2}}{2}$ b) $\frac{3 + 3\sqrt{5}}{4}$ c) $-\frac{3\sqrt{2} + 2\sqrt{3}}{3}$ d) $\frac{2\sqrt{6} - 2\sqrt{3}}{3}$ e) $\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{2}$ f) $3 - \sqrt{6}$ g) $\frac{24 - 2\sqrt{6}}{23}$ h) $3 - 2\sqrt{2}$ i) $-\frac{5\sqrt{2} + 2\sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{30}}{4}$ j) $\frac{52 + 7\sqrt{35}}{43}$
 5. a) $5\sqrt{2}$ b) $5\sqrt{3}$ c) $19\sqrt{4}$ d) $13\sqrt{2}$ e) $-\sqrt{2}$ f) $\sqrt{4}$ g) $3\sqrt{5}$ h) $4\sqrt{6}$ i) 13 j) $13 - 4\sqrt{10}$ k) 14 l) $38\sqrt{15} - 38\sqrt{2}$