



Radicals - Adding and Subtracting - Simplification (Values and Variables)

1 Simplify the radical expressions to prepare for adding or subtracting

$$\sqrt{5b^2} - \sqrt{45}$$

A $b\sqrt{5} - 3\sqrt{5}$

B $b\sqrt{5} - 2$

C $b\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{4}$

2 Simplify the radical expressions to prepare for adding or subtracting

$$\sqrt{2y^3} + \sqrt{50y^4}$$

A $y\sqrt{2y} + 3y^2\sqrt{2}$

B $y\sqrt{2y} + y^4\sqrt{4}$

C $y\sqrt{2y} + 5y^2\sqrt{2}$

D $y\sqrt{2y} + y^3$

3 Simplify the radical expressions to prepare for adding or subtracting

$$\sqrt{12p^2} - \sqrt{3}$$

A $5p\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3}$

B $4p\sqrt{6} - 3\sqrt{2}$

C $2p\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{3}$

4 Simplify the radical expressions to prepare for adding or subtracting

$$\sqrt{7} - \sqrt{175x^3}$$

A $\sqrt{10} - 5x\sqrt{7x}$

B $\sqrt{7} - 5x\sqrt{7x}$

C $2\sqrt{5} - 5x\sqrt{7x}$

D $2\sqrt{6} - 5x\sqrt{7x}$

5 Simplify the radical expressions to prepare for adding or subtracting

$$\sqrt{7p^3} + \sqrt{28p^2}$$

A $p^2\sqrt{10p} + 2p\sqrt{7}$

B $p\sqrt{7p} + p^3\sqrt{5}$

C $p\sqrt{7p} + 2p\sqrt{7}$

D $3p^2\sqrt{5p} + 2p\sqrt{7}$

E $p\sqrt{7p} + p^3\sqrt{9}$

6 Simplify the radical expressions to prepare for adding or subtracting

$$\sqrt{18c^3} - \sqrt{2}$$

A $4c\sqrt{2c^3} - \sqrt{2}$

B $2c\sqrt{c^3} - \sqrt{2}$

C $3c\sqrt{2c} - \sqrt{2}$

D $c\sqrt{3c^2} - \sqrt{2}$

7 Simplify the radical expressions to prepare for adding or subtracting

$$\sqrt{2r^4} + \sqrt{32r^4}$$

A $r\sqrt{5} + 4r^2\sqrt{2}$

B $r^2\sqrt{2} + 4r^2\sqrt{2}$

C $r^2\sqrt{2} + 2r^2$

D $r\sqrt{4} + 3r^4\sqrt{5}$

8 Simplify the radical expressions to prepare for adding or subtracting

$$\sqrt{3z} + \sqrt{75z^4}$$

A $\sqrt{3z} + 5z^2\sqrt{3}$

B $\sqrt{3z} + 5z^4$

C $\sqrt{3z} + 3z^2$

D $\sqrt{3z} + 7z^2$