

Fun Fact

25-50% of all food is wasted.
Squares & Cubes. All my fault.

$1^2 = 1$

$1^3 = 1$

$2^2 = 4$

$2^3 = 8$

$3^2 = 9$

$3^3 = 27$

$4^2 = 16$

$4^3 = 64$

$5^2 = 25$

$5^3 = 125$

$6^2 = 36$

$6^3 = 216$

$7^2 = 49$

$7^3 = 343$

$8^2 = 64$

$8^3 = 512$

$9^2 = 81$

$9^3 = 729$

$10^2 = 100$

$10^3 = 1000$

$11^2 = 121$

$12^2 = 144$

$13^2 = 169$

$14^2 = 196$

$15^2 = 225$

$16^2 = 256$

$17^2 = 289$

7.1 Radicals &
Radical Functions.

$\sqrt{x} = y$

means

$x = y^2$

Square
Root

$\sqrt{25} = 5$

b/c $5^2 = 25$

Cube Root

$\sqrt[3]{x} = y$ means

$x = y^3$

$\sqrt[3]{1000} = 10$

The domain of $\sqrt{\quad}$ is
 $\{\quad \mid \quad \geq 0\}$

What's the domain of...

... $f(x) = \sqrt{3x+2}$?

Need $3x+2 \geq 0$

$$\underline{-2 = -2}$$

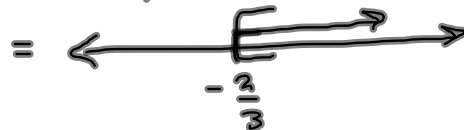
$$3x \geq -2$$

$$\frac{3x}{3} \geq \frac{-2}{3}$$

$$x \geq -\frac{2}{3}$$

Domain =

$$\{x \mid x \geq -\frac{2}{3}\}$$



$$= [-\frac{2}{3}, \infty)$$

Notice that

$$(-2)^3 = (+2)(+2)(-2) = -8$$

So there are perfect cubes that are negative.

$$\sqrt[3]{-8} = -2$$

This is because 3 is odd.

Domain of $\sqrt[3]{x}$ is all real numbers

$$= \{x \mid x \text{ is Real}\} = \leftarrow \overleftrightarrow{\hspace{2cm}} \rightarrow$$
$$= (-\infty, \infty)$$

See helpful hint, pg 415.

Circle what's not Real

$\sqrt{-15}$, $\sqrt[3]{-15}$ $\sqrt[4]{-15}$, $\sqrt[5]{-15}$
 Index is even Index is even

$\sqrt[3]{-15} \approx -2.466212074$

$25^{(1/2)}$	5
$27^{(1/3)}$	5
$125^{(1/3)}$	3
■	5

$27^{(1/3)}$	5
$125^{(1/3)}$	3
$(-15)^{(1/3)}$	5
-2.466212074	

$$\sqrt{(-2)^2} = 2 = |-2|$$

$$\sqrt{(-5)^2} = \sqrt{25} = 5 = |-5|$$

$\sqrt{\quad}$ reports ONLY the positive root
 \sqrt{x} is the PRINCIPAL square root
 (There are always 2 square roots)

$$5^2 = 25 \quad \text{In general}$$

$$(-5)^2 = 25$$

$$\sqrt{x^2} = |x|$$

$$\sqrt[3]{x^3} = x$$

$$\sqrt[3]{8} = \sqrt[3]{2^3} = 2$$

$$\sqrt[3]{(-2)^3} = -2, \text{ because}$$

$$(-2)(-2)(-2) = -8,$$

because 3 is odd

$$\sqrt[4]{x^4} = |x|$$

$$\sqrt[5]{x^5} = x$$

$$\sqrt[6]{x^6} = |x|$$

$$\sqrt[7]{x^7} = x$$

$$\sqrt[8]{x^8} = |x|$$

$$\sqrt[9]{x^9} = x$$

Even index radicals are slightly different.

Remember $\sqrt[4]{x^4} = |x|$ for #s 43-54,
where they say "... variables represent real numbers."

For #s 29-42, they say "... variables represent
nonnegative real numbers"

If x is nonnegative,
then $|x| = x$, so # 29-42, don't do
the $|x|$ bit.

$$2^5 = 32, \text{ so } \sqrt[5]{32} = 2$$

$$\sqrt[5]{x^{10}} = x^2$$

Find \square so that $\square^5 = x^{10}$
 $\square^5 = x^{2 \cdot 5} = (x^2)^5$

$$\sqrt[5]{x^{15}} = \sqrt[5]{(x^3)^5} = x^3, \text{ b/c}$$

$$(x^3)^5 = x^{3 \cdot 5} = x^{15} \checkmark$$

§ 7.1 # 5, 9, 13, 17, 21, 25, 29, 31, 35, 39, 43,
45, 47, 53, 54, 59, 63, 69, 73, 77-80

Most should go quickly.

End of class, Monday.