Section 1.4 Complex Numbers

Complex Numbers

- Definition: $i=\sqrt{-1}$

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i^{2}=-1
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- Imaginary Number $\rightarrow a+b i$ where:
- Complex Number $\rightarrow a+b i$ where:
- Real Number $\rightarrow a+b i$ where:
- Note: $a$ and $b$ are real numbers

Examples of complex numbers:
$5+7 i$
$-7-3.6 i$
$7 i$
16
0

Express in terms of $i$
$\sqrt{-36}$
$\sqrt{-13}$
$-\sqrt{-76}+\sqrt{-125}$

Perform the indicated operations (add and subtract) and simplify. Write each answer in the form $a+b i$.
$(-5-i)-(-7+5 i)$

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(-\sqrt{16}-\sqrt{-25})+(22-\sqrt{-9})
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Perform the indicated operations (multiply and divide) and simplify. Write each answer in the form $a+b i$. Note: Before using the product rule for radicals, you must convert in terms of $i$ first
$(7 i)(6 i)$

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\sqrt{-5} \cdot \sqrt{-2}
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$5 i(2+7 i)$

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(6-5 i)(3+4 i)
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Perform the indicated operations (divide complex numbers) and simplify. Write each answer in the form $a+b i$.
$\frac{3+8 i}{9 i}$

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\frac{5+3 i}{7-4 i}
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