

Math 8

Our Goal: To learn to approximate square roots

Warm Up: Quiz discussion

Today's homework

- 7.4 Exercises, p.313: 4-22 (evens)
- iready due on Friday

Previous Homework

None

$$\sqrt{36} = 6$$

$$\sqrt{37} =$$

Common sets of numbers.

Natural: The numbers you naturally count with (1, 2, 3, etc)

Whole: The whole numbers are the natural numbers and also 0!

Integers: Positive or negative whole #'s (-2, -1, 0, 1, 2, etc)

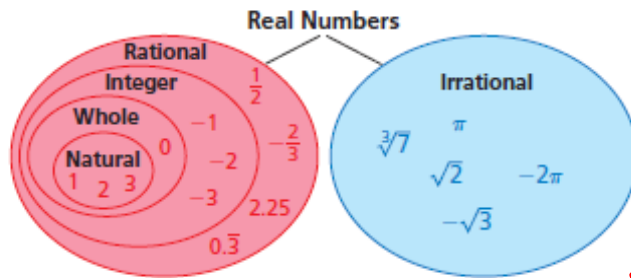
Rational: Are the ratios of integers (Fraction) Rational #'s are terminating or as a decimal

Irrational: There are some numbers you can't express EXACTLY! (Non-terminating & non-repeating)

Key Idea

Real Numbers

Rational numbers and irrational numbers together form the set of real numbers.



Handwritten long division for $\sqrt{172}$:

$$\begin{array}{r} \times 17.2 \\ 172 \overline{) 172} \\ \underline{-10} \\ 72 \\ \underline{-70} \\ 22 \end{array}$$

The result 17.2 is circled in red.

17.2
 $172/10$

← NOT a rational number!

square root of 2 is Not an integer!

Classify each real number.

	Number	
a.	$\sqrt{12}$ → $\textcircled{6}$	Natural
b.	-0.25 → $\textcircled{6}$	Whole
c.	$-\sqrt{9}$ → $\textcircled{-3}$	Integer
d.	$\frac{72}{4}$ → $\textcircled{18}$	Rational
e.	π → $\textcircled{3.14}$	Irrational

Classify the real number.

$1 + i + i^2 + i^3 + \dots$

1. $0.121221222\dots$

Irrational #
doesn't
term. or end

2. $-\sqrt{196} = -14$

Rational
number

3. $\sqrt[3]{2} = 1.25\dots$

Irrational
number

Estimate $\sqrt{71}$ to the nearest (a) integer and (b) tenth.

$\sqrt{64} < \sqrt{71} < \sqrt{81}$

$8 < \sqrt{71} < 9$

The closest is 8

5 or 4 let it
Soor!
 8.426
 $= 8.43$

$\sqrt{71}$
 $= 8.426\dots$

$= 8$

8.426

$= 8.4$

Estimate the square root to the nearest (a) integer and (b) tenth.

4. $\sqrt{8}$

5. $-\sqrt{13}$

6. $-\sqrt{24}$

7. $\sqrt{110}$

Which is greater, $\sqrt{5}$ or $2\frac{2}{3}$?

$$\sqrt{5} = 2.23\ldots$$
$$2\frac{2}{3}$$

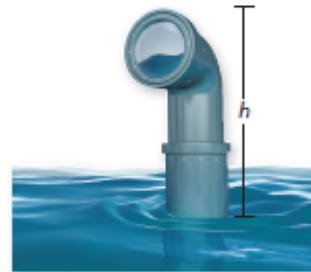
$$2\frac{2}{3}$$

$$2.\overline{6}$$

The radius of a circle with area A is approximately $\sqrt{\frac{A}{3}}$. The area of a circular mouse pad is 51 square inches. Estimate its radius to the nearest integer.

The distance (in nautical miles) you can see with a periscope is $1.17\sqrt{h}$, where h is the height of the periscope above the water. Can you see twice as far with a periscope that is 6 feet above the water than with a periscope that is 3 feet above the water? Explain.

$$d = 1.17\sqrt{h}$$



Order the numbers from least to greatest: $\sqrt{38}$, $\sqrt{\frac{100}{3}}$, 6.5