

### A.APR.D.7: Rationalizing Denominators 2

1 The expression  $\frac{1}{2 - \sqrt{3}}$  is equivalent to

- 1)  $2 + \sqrt{3}$
- 2)  $2 - \sqrt{3}$
- 3)  $\frac{2 + \sqrt{3}}{-1}$
- 4)  $\frac{2 - \sqrt{3}}{-1}$

6 The expression  $\frac{1}{2 - \sqrt{11}}$  is equivalent to

- 1)  $\frac{2 + \sqrt{11}}{9}$
- 2)  $\frac{2 + \sqrt{11}}{7}$
- 3)  $-\frac{2 + \sqrt{11}}{7}$
- 4)  $-\frac{2 + \sqrt{11}}{9}$

2 The expression  $\frac{5}{2 - \sqrt{3}}$  is equivalent to

- 1)  $10 + 5\sqrt{3}$
- 2)  $-2 - \sqrt{3}$
- 3)  $-10 - 5\sqrt{3}$
- 4)  $2 + \sqrt{3}$

7 The expression  $\frac{7}{3 - \sqrt{2}}$  is equivalent to

- 1)  $3 + \sqrt{2}$
- 2)  $3 - \sqrt{2}$
- 3)  $\frac{3 + \sqrt{2}}{7}$
- 4)  $\frac{21 + \sqrt{2}}{7}$

3 The expression  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3} - 1}$  is equivalent to

- 1)  $\sqrt{3} + 1$
- 2)  $\frac{\sqrt{3} + 3}{2}$
- 3)  $\sqrt{3} + 2$
- 4)  $2\sqrt{3} + 1$

8 The expression  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3} + 1}$  is equivalent to

- 1)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
- 2)  $\frac{2\sqrt{3} + 2}{4}$
- 3)  $\sqrt{3} - 1$
- 4)  $1 - \sqrt{3}$

4 The expression  $\frac{2}{3 - \sqrt{3}}$  is equivalent to

- 1)  $1 + 2\sqrt{3}$
- 2)  $1 - 2\sqrt{3}$
- 3)  $\frac{3 - \sqrt{3}}{3}$
- 4)  $\frac{3 + \sqrt{3}}{3}$

9 The expression  $\frac{7}{2 + 3\sqrt{2}}$  is equivalent to

- 1)  $\frac{-2 + 3\sqrt{2}}{2}$
- 2)  $\frac{2 - 3\sqrt{2}}{2}$
- 3)  $-2 + 3\sqrt{2}$
- 4)  $2 - 3\sqrt{2}$

5 The expression  $\frac{6}{3 - \sqrt{3}}$  is equivalent to

- 1)  $2(3 + \sqrt{3})$
- 2)  $18 - 6\sqrt{3}$
- 3)  $3 + \sqrt{3}$
- 4)  $3 - \sqrt{3}$

10 What is the reciprocal of  $3 - \sqrt{5}$ ?

- 1)  $\frac{3 - \sqrt{5}}{4}$
- 2)  $\frac{3 + \sqrt{5}}{4}$
- 3)  $\frac{3 - \sqrt{5}}{14}$
- 4)  $\frac{3 + \sqrt{5}}{14}$

11 The expression  $\frac{3+\sqrt{2}}{3-\sqrt{2}}$  is equivalent to

- 1)  $\frac{7}{11+6\sqrt{2}}$  2)  $\frac{11-6\sqrt{2}}{7}$  3)  $\frac{11}{7}$   
 4)  $\frac{11+6\sqrt{2}}{7}$

12 The expression  $\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{\sqrt{3}-1}$  is equivalent to

- 1) -1 2) 2 3)  $2+\sqrt{3}$  4)  $5+\sqrt{3}$

13 Expressed in simplest form,  $\frac{2\sqrt{3}}{1-\sqrt{3}}$  is equivalent to

- 1)  $-3-\sqrt{3}$  2)  $-3+\sqrt{3}$  3)  $2\sqrt{3}$  4) -3

14 The expression  $\frac{3+5\sqrt{3}}{4-2\sqrt{3}}$  is equivalent to

- 1)  $\frac{-9+7\sqrt{3}}{2}$  2)  $\frac{21+13\sqrt{3}}{2}$  3)  $\frac{-18+14\sqrt{3}}{4}$   
 4)  $\frac{42-26\sqrt{3}}{4}$

15 The expression  $\frac{3+\sqrt{5}}{3-\sqrt{5}}$  is equivalent to

- 1)  $\frac{7}{2}$  2)  $\frac{7+3\sqrt{5}}{7}$  3)  $\frac{10\sqrt{5}}{7}$  4)  $\frac{7+3\sqrt{5}}{2}$

16 Express  $\frac{3}{\sqrt{5}+1}$  as an equivalent fraction with a rational denominator.

17 Express  $\frac{3}{3-\sqrt{5}}$  as a fraction with a rational denominator.

18 Express  $\frac{5}{4-\sqrt{13}}$  as an equivalent fraction with a rational denominator.

19 Express  $\frac{1}{4-\sqrt{3}}$  as an equivalent fraction with a rational denominator.

20 Express  $\frac{4}{3+\sqrt{2}}$  as an equivalent fraction with a rational denominator.

21 Express  $\frac{3}{\sqrt{3}+1}$  as an equivalent fraction with a rational denominator.

22 Express  $\frac{2}{5-2\sqrt{3}}$  as a fraction with a rational denominator.

23 Write the fraction  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}-1}$  with a rational denominator.

24 Express in simplest form:  $\frac{\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}}{\sqrt{5}}$

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- 1 ANS: 1 REF: 018432siii  
2 ANS: 1 REF: 068131siii  
3 ANS: 1 REF: 088435siii  
4 ANS: 4 REF: 068831siii  
5 ANS: 3 REF: 018918siii  
6 ANS: 3 REF: 089319siii  
7 ANS: 1 REF: 019030siii  
8 ANS: 3 REF: 010328siii  
9 ANS: 1 REF: 060333siii  
10 ANS: 2 REF: 060218siii  
11 ANS: 4 REF: 068928siii  
12 ANS: 3 REF: 069433siii  
13 ANS: 1 REF: 089434siii  
14 ANS: 2 REF: 080333siii  
15 ANS: 4 REF: 018527siii  
16 ANS:  
$$\frac{3\sqrt{5} - 3}{4}$$

REF: 018610siii  
17 ANS:

$$\frac{3(3 + \sqrt{5})}{4}$$

REF: 068613siii  
18 ANS:  
$$\frac{5(4 + \sqrt{13})}{3}$$

REF: 069512siii  
19 ANS:  
$$\frac{4 + \sqrt{3}}{13}$$

REF: 088612siii  
20 ANS:  
$$\frac{4(3 - \sqrt{2})}{7}$$

REF: 068712siii

21 ANS:

$$\frac{3(\sqrt{3} - 1)}{2}$$

REF: 088907siii

22 ANS:

$$\frac{10 + 4\sqrt{3}}{13}$$

REF: 089009siii

23 ANS:

$$\frac{3 + \sqrt{3}}{2}$$

REF: 069014siii

24 ANS:

$$\frac{2}{5}$$

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