

1. (8pts) Put the following expressions into standard form  $a + bi$ :

a)  $(3 - 4i)[2 + i(1 + 5i)] = (3 - 4i)(2 + i + \underbrace{5i^2}_{-5}) = (3 - 4i)(-3 + i)$   
 $= -9 + 12i + 3i - \underbrace{9i^2}_{-9} = -5 + 15i$

b)  $\frac{7 - 3i}{4 + i} = \frac{7 - 3i}{4 + i} \cdot \frac{4 - i}{4 - i} = \frac{28 - 12i - 7i + 3i^2}{4^2 - i^2} = \frac{25 - 19i}{16 - (-1)} = \frac{25}{17} - \frac{19}{17}i$

c) (justify also)  $i^{99} = i^3 = i^2 \cdot i = -i$

$$\frac{99}{4} = 24, \text{ rem } 3$$

Solve the equations algebraically:

2. (5pts)  $x^4 + 9x^2 - 22 = 0$  ( $x = -\sqrt{11}, 2$ )

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Set } u &= x^2 & x^2 &= -11 & x^2 &= 2 \\ u^2 + 9u - 22 &= 0 & x &= \pm\sqrt{-11} & x &= \pm\sqrt{2} \\ (u+11)(u-2) &= 0 & &= \pm\sqrt{11}i & & \end{aligned}$$

3. (5pts)  $x + 3 = \sqrt{2x + 41}$  |<sup>2</sup>  $x = 8 \text{ or } 4$

$$x^2 + 6x + 9 = 2x + 41 \quad |-2x - 41 \quad \text{test in original equation:}$$

$$x^2 + 4x - 32 = 0 \quad -8 + 3 \stackrel{?}{=} \sqrt{-16 + 41}$$

$$(x+8)(x-4) = 0 \quad -5 \stackrel{?}{=} \sqrt{25} \text{ no}$$

$$4 + 3 \stackrel{?}{=} \sqrt{8 + 41}$$

$$7 = \sqrt{49} \text{ yes}$$

only  $x = 4$   
is the  
solution,

4. (6pts) How much pure water should be added to 30ml of a 30% solution of muriatic acid to get a 12% solution?

$$\begin{array}{c} x \text{ ml} & 30 \text{ ml} & x+30 \\ \text{water} \end{array} + \boxed{30\% \text{ acid}} = \boxed{12\% \text{ sol.}}$$

$$0 + 0.3 \cdot 30 = 0.12(x+30)$$

$$9 = 0.12x + 3.6$$

$$5.4 = 0.12x$$

$$x = \frac{5.4}{0.12} = 45 \text{ ml.}$$

5. (6pts) A bathroom tub fills in 15 minutes if the faucet is open and the stopper is in place. With the faucet closed and the stopper removed, the tub empties in  $\frac{2}{3}$  minutes. How long does it take to fill the tub if the faucet is open and the stopper is removed? (Hint: think of faucet and stopper as people contributing to or taking away from a job.)

Let  $T$  = time to fill tub with faucet open and stopper open (in minutes)

$\frac{1}{T}$  = portion of tub that fills in 1 min under conditions above

$\frac{1}{15}$  = portion of tub that fills in 1 min with stopper closed

$\frac{1}{20}$  = portion of tub that drains 1 min with faucet closed

$$\frac{1}{T} = \frac{1}{15} - \frac{1}{20}$$

$$\frac{1}{T} = \frac{1}{60}$$

$$\frac{1}{T} = \frac{4-3}{60}$$

$$T = 60 \text{ min.}$$