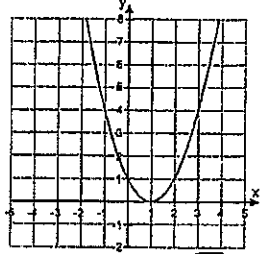
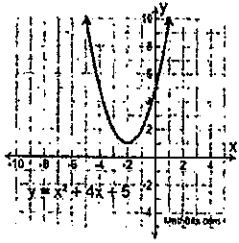


**Do Now:**

 <p>a) Identify the roots: <math>\{1, 3\}</math></p> <p>b) Describe the nature of the roots:  <u>equal</u></p>	 <p>(a) Identify the roots:  <u>none</u></p> <p>(b) Describe the nature of the roots:  <u>imaginary/unreal</u></p>
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**AIM: SOLVING WORD PROBLEMS USING QUADRATIC EQUATIONS (Day 2)**

1. The length of a rectangle is 5 more than the width. If the area of the rectangle is 150, what are the dimensions of the rectangle?

Let  $x = \text{width} = 10$   
 Let  $x + 5 = \text{length} = 15$

$$A = L \cdot w$$

$$150 = x(x + 5)$$

$$150 = x^2 + 5x$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 150 \\ -150 \\ \hline x^2 + 5x - 150 = 0 \end{array}$$

$$(x + 15)(x - 10) = 0$$

$\begin{array}{r} x + 15 = 0 \\ -15 \quad -15 \\ \hline x = -15 \end{array}$ <p>reject b/c (-)</p>	$\begin{array}{r} x - 10 = 0 \\ +10 \quad +10 \\ \hline x = 10 \end{array}$
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- Step 1: Write a legend from the question.
- Step 2: Write area formula.
- Step 3: Substitute in terms of "x" from your legend into the area formula.
- Step 4: Distribute.
- Step 5: Quadratic Equation must be in standard form. Set equation equal to zero.
- Step 6: Factor
- Step 7: T-Bar
- Step 8: Decide whether to reject a solution.
- Step 9: Plug solution into legend
- Step 10: Check

~~check~~

$$\begin{array}{l} A = L \cdot w \\ 150 = 15(10) \\ 150 = 150 \checkmark \end{array}$$

2. The width of a rectangle is 4 feet less than the length. If the area of the rectangle is 32 square feet, find the width of the rectangle.

$$\text{Let } x = \text{length} = 8$$

$$\text{Let } x - 4 = \text{width} = 4$$

$$A = L \cdot w$$

$$32 = x(x - 4)$$

$$32 = x^2 - 4x$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -32 \\ \hline 0 = x^2 - 4x - 32 \end{array}$$

$$0 = x^2 - 4x - 32$$

$$(x - 8)(x + 4) = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x - 8 = 0 \\ +8 \quad +8 \\ \hline x = 8 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x + 4 = 0 \\ -4 \quad -4 \\ \hline x = -4 \end{array}$$

~~$x = -4$~~   
reject b/c (-)

check:

$$A = L \cdot w$$

$$32 = 8(4)$$

$$32 = 32 \checkmark$$

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3. The width of Danielle's rectangular notebook is 5 inches shorter than the length if the area of her notebook is 24 square inches, what is the length and width of her notebook?

$$\text{Let } x = \text{length} = 8$$

$$\text{Let } x - 5 = \text{width} = 3$$

$$A = L \cdot W$$

$$24 = x(x - 5)$$

$$24 = x^2 - 5x$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -24 \qquad \qquad \qquad -24 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$0 = x^2 - 5x - 24$$

$$(x - 8)(x + 3) = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x - 8 = 0 \\ + 8 \quad + 8 \\ \hline x = 8 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x + 3 = 0 \\ - 3 \quad - 3 \\ \hline x = -3 \\ \text{reject} \\ \text{b/c } (-) \end{array}$$

check

$$A = L \cdot W$$

$$24 = 8(3)$$

$$24 = 24 \checkmark$$

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4. Robby's poster project has a length that is 3 inches longer than its width. If the poster is 40 square inches, how long is the length and width?

$$\text{Let } x = \text{width} = 5$$

$$\text{Let } x+3 = \text{length} = 8$$

$$A = L \cdot W$$

$$40 = x(x+3)$$

$$40 = x^2 + 3x$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -40 \qquad \qquad \qquad -40 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$0 = x^2 + 3x - 40$$

$$(x+8)(x-5) = 0$$

$$x+8=0$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -8 \quad -8 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$x = -8$$

reject  
b/c it's (-)

$$x-5=0$$

$$\begin{array}{r} +5 \quad +5 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$x = 5$$

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