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Standardized Test Prep

Binomial Radical Expressions

Multiple Choice

For Exercises 1–5, choose the correct letter.

1. What is the simplest form of $2\sqrt{72} - 3\sqrt{32}$?
 A $2\sqrt{72} - 3\sqrt{32}$ B $24\sqrt{2}$ C $-2\sqrt{2}$ D 0
2. What is the simplest form of $(2 - \sqrt{7})(1 + 2\sqrt{7})$?
 F $-12 + 3\sqrt{7}$ H $16 + 5\sqrt{7}$
 G $-12 - 3\sqrt{7}$ I $3 + \sqrt{7}$
3. What is the simplest form of $(\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{7})(\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{7})$?
 A $9 + 2\sqrt{14}$ B $9 - 2\sqrt{14}$ C -5 D 9
4. What is the simplest form of $\frac{7}{2 + \sqrt{5}}$?
 F $-14 + 7\sqrt{5}$ H $-14 - 7\sqrt{5}$
 G $14 + 7\sqrt{5}$ I $14 - 7\sqrt{5}$
5. What is the simplest form of $8\sqrt[3]{5} - \sqrt[3]{40} - 2\sqrt[3]{135}$?
 A $16\sqrt[3]{5}$ B $12\sqrt[3]{5}$ C $4\sqrt[3]{5}$ D 0

Short Response

6. A hiker drops a rock from the rim of the Grand Canyon. The distance it falls d in feet after t seconds is given by the function $d = 16t^2$. How far has the rock fallen after $(3 + \sqrt{2})$ seconds? Show your work.