

Notes #6 Dividing Complex #s

has nothing to do with division...

$$\frac{1}{2} \div \frac{\cdot}{\cdot} \text{ fraction}$$

* You cannot have a $\sqrt{\quad}$ in the denominator

Ex 1.

$$\frac{5}{1+2i} \cdot \frac{1-2i}{1-2i}$$

② put the same thing on top.

$$\frac{5}{1+2\sqrt{-1}}$$

① fixing the bottom. * change sign of imaginary term.

multiply ACROSS

$$\frac{5}{(1+2i)} \cdot \frac{(1-2i)}{(1-2i)} = \frac{5-10i}{5}$$

should have just a # on bottom

$$1(1-2i) + 2i(1-2i)$$

$$1 \quad \boxed{-2i+2i} \quad \boxed{-4i^2} \quad -4 \cdot -1$$

should cancel +4

* could simplify

$$\frac{1-2i}{1}$$

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Ex 2. $\frac{6i}{3-8i} \cdot \frac{3+8i}{3+8i}$ ↖ same
↕ change

★ issue is bottom
fix by changing
sign w/ i

$$\frac{6i}{(3-8i)} \cdot \frac{(3+8i)}{(3+8i)} = 18i + 48i^2 \star = 18i - 48 = \frac{-48 + 18i}{73}$$

$$3(3+8i) - 8i(3+8i)$$

$$9 + 24i - 24i - 64i^2 \star$$

9 should cancel +64

73

try this:

$$\frac{5}{7+3i} \cdot \frac{7-3i}{7-3i} = \frac{35-15i}{58}$$

$$\frac{\textcircled{49} + 21i + 21i - \textcircled{9i^2}}{49 + 9}$$

125

45

98

136

40

80

