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# Squares, Square Roots and Perfect Squares

Term	Definition
Square	The product of a number and itself
	(the product of 6 and 6 is 36)
	Ex: $6 \times 6 = 6^2 = 36$
Square Root	One of two EQUAL factors of a number
	Ex: The square root of 9 is 3 ( $\sqrt{9}$ = 3 )
	because 3 x 3 = 9
Radical Sign	$\sqrt{}$ : the symbol used to indicate the square root of a
	number
Perfect Square	A number whose square root is a whole number
	Ex: 16 is a perfect square because $\sqrt{16} = 4$
	4 is a whole number (not a decimal/fraction)!

# **Perfect Squares**



Are the shaded portions squares? \_\_\_\_\_ Why? \_\_\_\_\_



# Using this grid, color a perfect square larger than 16.

Why is your drawing a partfact square? Why?	
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# Perfect Squares:

1² =	6² =	11² =	16² =
2 <sup>2</sup> =	7 <sup>2</sup> =	12² =	17 <sup>2</sup> =
3 <sup>2</sup> =	8 <sup>2</sup> =	13² =	18 <sup>2</sup> =
4 <sup>2</sup> =	9² =	14² =	19² =
5 <sup>2</sup> =	10² =	15² =	20 <sup>2</sup> =

# **Square Roots**

- Square roots are the \_\_\_\_\_\_ of perfect squares.
- A square root of a number is one of its two equal factors. (Remember factors??)
- 4 4 = 16, so 4 is the \_\_\_\_\_\_ of 16.



The symbol  $\sqrt{\phantom{a}}$  ,called a \_\_\_\_\_\_, is used to show a number's square root.

Examples:	$\sqrt{4} = 2$ because × =	
	$\sqrt{9} = 3$ because $\times$ =	
	$\sqrt{16}$ = 4 because × =	
	$\sqrt{25} = 5$ because × =	
	$\sqrt{100} = 10$ because $\times$ =	

Find each square root. Think...what times itself gives you 81? (?  $\cdot$  ? = 81)



Math 6 Practice (6.2)

### Evaluate: Find the square of each number

1)	2 <sup>2</sup>	2)	4 <sup>2</sup>	3)	2.2 <sup>2</sup>
4)	6 <sup>2</sup>	5)	8 <sup>2</sup>	6)	4.1 <sup>2</sup>
7)	10 <sup>2</sup>	8)	12 <sup>2</sup>	9)	3.5 <sup>2</sup>

### Evaluate: Find the square root of each number

10)	$\sqrt{1} =$	11)	$\sqrt{9} =$	12)	√169 <b>=</b>
13)	$\sqrt{25} =$	14)	$\sqrt{64} =$	15)	√196 <b>=</b>
16)	√81 =	16)	√100 =	18)	$\sqrt{144} =$

### True or False

√36 = 6	√100 = 10	$\sqrt{25} = 4$
$\sqrt{121} = 11$	$\sqrt{64} = 7$	$\sqrt{99} = 9$
$\sqrt{25} = 5$	$\sqrt{16} = 4$	$\sqrt{10} = 5$

## Circle the number in each row that is NOT a perfect square:

3	25	81	100	121
4	12	9	144	36
1	16	27	49	64

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# **Study Guide and Intervention**

## Squares and Square Roots

The product of a number and itself is the square of the number. Numbers like 4, 25, and 2.25 are called perfect squares because they are squares of rational numbers. The factors multiplied to form perfect squares are called **square roots**. Both  $5 \cdot 5$  and (-5)(-5) equal 25. So, 25 has two square roots, 5 and -5. A **radical sign**,  $\sqrt{-1}$ , is the symbol used to indicate the *positive* square root of a number. So,  $\sqrt{25} = 5$ .



#### EXAMPLE A square tile has an area of 144 square inches. What are the dimensions of the tile?

√ 144 = 12 2nd Find the square root of 144.

So, the tile measures 12 inches by 12 inches.

EXERCISES

Find the square o	f each number.	
<b>1.</b> 2	<b>2.</b> 9	<b>3.</b> 14
<b>4.</b> 15	<b>5.</b> 21	<b>6.</b> 45
Find each square	root.	
<b>7.</b> $\sqrt{16}$	<b>8.</b> √36	<b>9.</b> $\sqrt{256}$
<b>10.</b> $\sqrt{1,024}$	<b>11.</b> $\sqrt{361}$	<b>12.</b> $\sqrt{484}$

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**Practice: Skills** 

# Squares and Square Roots

#### Find the square of each number.

1. 3	<b>2.</b> 22
<b>3.</b> 25	<b>4.</b> 24
<b>5.</b> 35	<b>6.</b> 26
<b>7.</b> 37	<b>8.</b> 50
Find each square root.	
9. $\sqrt{25}$	<b>10.</b> $\sqrt{100}$
<b>11.</b> $\sqrt{441}$	<b>12.</b> $\sqrt{900}$
<b>13.</b> $\sqrt{961}$	<b>14.</b> $\sqrt{784}$
<b>15.</b> $\sqrt{3,600}$	<b>16.</b> $\sqrt{1.936}$

**18.** Find both square roots of 4,900. **17.** What is the square of -37?

**19.** Square 7.2. **20.** Square 4.5.