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1.	Determine the number of $x^2 - 4x - 2 = 0$	solutions of the equation.	[A] 4	[B] 0	[C] 1	[D] 2
2.	Determine the number of $3x^2 + 2x + 2 = 0$	solutions of the equation.	[A] 2	[B] 1	[C] 0	[D] 3
3.	Which equation has exact [A] $x^2 + 116 = 116$	ly one solution? [B] $x^2 + 35 = 116$	$[C] - x^2 + 35$	= 116	[D] none o	f these
4.	Which equation has exactly two solutions? [A] $-9x^2+5 = 30$ [B] $9x^2+5 = 30$		$[C] 9x^2 + 30 = 30$		[D] none of these	
5.	Suppose that $3x^2 - 75 = 2x^2 - 36$. Which statement is correct? [A] The equation has exactly one solution. [B] The equation has two real solutions. [C] The equation has no real solutions. [D] You cannot determine the number of real solutions. [E] none of the above					

- 6. Determine the number of solutions of the equation. $-4x^2 - 8x = 4$
- 7. Determine the number of solutions of the equation. $3x^2 - 2x = -5$
- 8. Use the discriminant to find the type of solutions (two rational, two irrational, or one rational). $-2x^2 + 4x + 2 = 0$
- 9. Use the discriminant to find the type of solutions (two rational, two irrational, or one rational). $-4x^2 + 9x + 9 = 0$
- 10. Compare the quantities in Column A and Column B. <u>Column A</u> the number of solutions of <u>Column B</u> the number of solutions of <u>Column B</u> the number of solutions of <u>Solutions of Solutions of Column B</u> the number of solutions of <u>Solutions of Solutions of <u>Solutions of Solutions of </u></u>
 - [A] The quantity in Column A is greater. [B] The quantity in Column B is greater.
 - [C] The quantities are equal. [D] The relationship cannot be determined from the information given.

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- [1] C
- [2] <u>C</u>
- [3] <u>A</u>
- [4] B
- [5] B
- [6] 1
- _____
- [7] 0______
- [8] two irrational solutions
- [9] two rational solutions
- [10] <u>C</u>