

Solving Equations by Completing the Square

Solve each equation by completing the square.

1) $a^2 + 2a - 3 = 0$

2) $a^2 - 2a - 8 = 0$

3) $p^2 + 16p - 22 = 0$

4) $k^2 + 8k + 12 = 0$

5) $r^2 + 2r - 33 = 0$

6) $a^2 - 2a - 48 = 0$

7) $m^2 - 12m + 26 = 0$

8) $x^2 + 12x + 20 = 0$

9) $k^2 - 8k - 48 = 0$

10) $p^2 + 2p - 63 = 0$

11) $m^2 + 2m - 48 = -6$

12) $p^2 - 8p + 21 = 6$