## How to Simplify a Radical

## Identifying parts



## How to simply:

- 1. Identify the index.
- 2. Break down the radicand to factors.
- 3. Group like factors.

4. If group has the same number of members as the index then a representative for the group will be placed in front.

5. Any factors that do not have a group remain inside the radical.

## Examples:

<b>1.</b> $\sqrt{48}$	<b>2.</b> $\sqrt{180}$
<b>3.</b> √294	<b>4.</b> 4\sqrt{50}