

• **Concepts:**

Complex numbers

Binomials

Arithmetic with complex numbers

We first distribute to find

$$(3 - 2i)(-2 - 3i) = -6 - 9i + 4i + 6i^2.$$

Since $i^2 = -1$ we see that

$$(3 - 2i)(-2 - 3i) = -6 - 9i + 4i + 6(-1) = -6 - 9i + 4i - 6.$$

By collecting like terms, we find

$$(3 - 2i)(-2 - 3i) = -12 - 5i.$$

• **Conclusions:**

When we multiply the given numbers, we find

$$(3 - 2i)(-2 - 3i) = -12 - 5i.$$

11.3 Problems (6 pt Problems)

1. Simplify $\sqrt{-20}$.
2. Divide $\frac{3 - 2i}{-2 + 3i}$.
3. Solve $2x(x + 4) = -3$.

11.4 Exercises

1. Simplify $4\sqrt{-32}$.
2. Write in standard form: $-2 + 6i - (5 + 2i)$.
3. Write in standard form: $(-2 + 6i)(5 + 2i)$.
4. Write in standard form: $\frac{-2 + 6i}{-5 - 2i}$.
5. Solve $x^2 - 5x + 20 = 0$.
6. Solve $3x(x + 2) = 2x - 5$.