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Practice Assignment 6b

Algebra & Functions (Maths 201-016)

Factoring

Factor out the greatest common factor.

1. $5x + 5$
2. $11 - 11y$
3. $6x - 3$
4. $35 - 20x$
5. $x - x^2$
6. $y^2 + y^3$
7. $2x^5 + 4x^6$
8. $28y - 49y^2$
9. $xy - x^2y^2$
10. $a^2b^3 + a^4b$
11. $3x^2y^3z^4 - 12x^3y^3z^3$
12. $8x^2y^6z^4 - 12x^3y^5z^2 + 20x^2y^5z$
13. $15a^2b^4c^3 - 27a^2bc^5 + 18a^7b^4c^3$
14. $x(x + 2) + 5(x + 2)$
15. $x(x + 4) - 2(x + 4)$
16. $y(y - 3) - (y - 3)$
17. $2x(x - 1) + 3(x - 1)$
18. $(x - 21) - 3x(x - 21)$
19. $x^2(y^2 + 1) + 4(y^2 + 1)$
20. $(1 - x) + x^2(1 - x)$
21. $9(4 - x) - y^2(x - 4)$

Factor the trinomial completely.

22. $x^2 + 6x + 8$
23. $y^2 + 7y + 10$
24. $x^2 + 9x + 18$
25. $z^2 + 4z + 4$
26. $x^2 + 4x - 21$
27. $y^2 - 9y - 22$
28. $x^2 - 4x + 4$
29. $a^2 - 9a - 10$
30. $x^2 - 2x - 63$
31. $-x^2 + 5x + 6$
32. $x^2 + 3x - 70$
33. $x^2 + 16x + 48$
34. $-x^2 + x + 56$
35. $x^2 - 13x + 40$
36. $-1 - 2x - x^2$
37. $2x^2 + 4x - 30$
38. $4x^2 - 32x + 60$
39. $4y^2 - 8y - 12$
40. $9x^2 + 18x - 27$
41. $x^3 - 13x^2 + 30x$
42. $x^3 + x^2 - 2x$
43. $3x^3 + 18x^2 + 24x$
44. $4x^3 + 8x^2 - 12x$

45. $2x^4 - 20x^3 + 42x^2$

46. $5x^4 - 10x^3 - 240x^2$

47. $2x^2 + 5x + 3$

48. $4x^2 + 4x + 1$

49. $3x^2 + 4x + 1$

50. $6z^2 - 7z + 1$

51. $15x^2 - 11x + 2$

52. $2 - 5y - 3y^2$

53. $12 - 13y - 4y^2$

54. $9z^2 - 18z + 8$

55. $200x^2 + 500x + 300$

56. $9y^2 - 24y + 15$

57. $6x - 3x^2 - 18x^3$

58. $16y^3 - 28y^2 + 6y$

59. $30 + 25x - 5x^2$

60. $10x^3 - 26x^2 + 16x$

61. $4x^3 + 22x^2 - 12x$

62. $72 - x - x^2$

Factor completely.

63. $x^2 - 4$

64. $9 - x^2$

65. $y^2 - 25$

66. $z^2 - \frac{1}{4}$

67. $x^2 - \frac{1}{9}$

68. $\frac{4}{25} - y^2$

69. $(x + 3)^2 - 1$

70. $81 - (x - 7)^2$

71. $13x^2 - 13$

72. $3y^2 - 12$

73. $27 - 3z^2$

74. $2x^3 - 2x$

75. $32y^2 - 2y^4$

76. $4x^2 - 25$

77. $9 - 16y^2$

78. $8x^5 - 2x^3$

79. $2a^3b^3 - 50ab^3$

80. $y^4 - 81$

81. $1 - x^4$

82. $2y^4 - 32$

83. $x^3 - 8$

84. $27 - y^3$

85. $z^3 + 125$

86. $x^3 + 64$

87. $8t^3 + 1$

88. $8 - 27y^3$

89. $64z^3 - 27$

90. $125x^3 + 8$

91. $17 - 17x^3$

92. $x^4 + x$

93. $8xy - xy^4$

94. $54a^5b^2 - 2a^2b^2$

95. $32x^5 + 4x^2$

96. $16d^4 - 2d$

97. $x^4 + 10x^2 + 21$

98. $y^4 + 2y^2 + 1$

99. $x^4 + 13x^2 + 36$

100. $x^4 - 2x^2 + 1$

101. $z^4 - 5z^2 + 4$

102. $x^4 - 10x^2 + 9$

103. $x^3 + 3x^2 - 4x - 12$

104. $x^3 + 5x^2 - 9x - 45$

105. $2x^3 + x^2 - 18x - 9$

106. $2x^3 - 9x^2 - 8x + 36$

Factor completely.

107. $-6 - 12x - 6x^2$

108. $x^3 + x^2 - 9x - 9$

109. $27x^5 - x^2$

110. $4x^4 + 8x^2 - 12$

111. $8x^7 - 64x^4$

112. $2x^3 - x^2 + 4x - 2$

113. $x^4 - 13x^2 + 36$

114. $24x^2 + 3x^5$

115. $16s^4 - 2st^3$

116. $x^3 - x^2 + x - 1$

Answers

1. $5(x + 1)$

2. $11(1 - y)$

3. $3(2x - 1)$

4. $5(7 - 4x)$

5. $x(1 - x)$

6. $y^2(1 + y)$

7. $2x^5(1 + 2x)$

8. $7y(4 - 7y)$

9. $xy(1 - xy)$

10. $a^2b(b^2 + a^2)$

11. $3x^2y^3z^3(z - 4x)$

12. $4x^2y^5z(2yz^3 - 3xz + 5)$

13. $3a^2bc^3(5b^3 - 9c^2 + 6a^5b^3)$

14. $(x + 2)(x + 5)$

15. $(x + 4)(x - 2)$

16. $(y - 3)(y - 1)$

17. $(x - 1)(2x + 3)$

18. $(x - 21)(1 - 3x)$

19. $(y^2 + 1)(x^2 + 4)$

20. $(1 - x)(1 + x^2)$

21. $(4 - x)(9 + y^2)$

22. $(x + 2)(x + 4)$

23. $(y + 2)(y + 5)$

24. $(x + 3)(x + 6)$

25. $(z + 2)^2$
26. $(x + 7)(x - 3)$
27. $(y - 11)(y + 2)$
28. $(x - 2)^2$
29. $(a - 10)(a + 1)$
30. $(x - 9)(x + 7)$
31. $-(x - 6)(x + 1)$
32. $(x + 10)(x - 7)$
33. $(x + 4)(x + 12)$
34. $-(x - 8)(x + 7)$
35. $(x - 5)(x - 8)$
36. $-(x + 1)^2$
37. $2(x + 5)(x - 3)$
38. $4(x - 3)(x - 5)$
39. $4(y - 3)(y + 1)$
40. $9(x + 3)(x - 1)$
41. $x(x - 3)(x - 10)$
42. $x(x + 2)(x - 1)$
43. $3x(x + 2)(x + 4)$
44. $4x(x + 3)(x - 1)$
45. $2x^2(x - 7)(x - 3)$
46. $5x^2(x - 8)(x + 6)$
47. $(x + 1)(2x + 3)$
48. $(2x + 1)^2$
49. $(x + 1)(3x + 1)$
50. $(z - 1)(6z - 1)$
51. $(3x - 1)(5x - 2)$
52. $-(y + 2)(3y - 1)$
53. $-(y + 4)(4y - 3)$
54. $(3z - 4)(3z - 2)$
55. $100(x + 1)(2x + 3)$
56. $3(3y - 5)(y - 1)$
57. $-3x(3x + 2)(2x - 1)$
58. $2y(2y - 3)(4y - 1)$
59. $-5(x - 6)(x + 1)$
60. $2x(5x - 8)(x - 1)$
61. $2x(x + 6)(2x - 1)$
62. $-(x + 9)(x - 8)$
63. $(x - 2)(x + 2)$
64. $(3 - x)(3 + x)$
65. $(y - 5)(y + 5)$
66. $(z - \frac{1}{2})(z + \frac{1}{2})$
67. $(x - \frac{1}{3})(x + \frac{1}{3})$
68. $(\frac{2}{5} - y)(\frac{2}{5} + y)$
69. $(x + 2)(x + 4)$
70. $(16 - x)(x + 2)$
71. $13(x - 1)(x + 1)$
72. $3(y - 2)(y + 2)$
73. $3(3 - z)(3 + z)$
74. $2x(x - 1)(x + 1)$

75. $2y^2(4 - y)(4 + y)$
76. $(2x - 5)(2x + 5)$
77. $(3 - 4y)(3 + 4y)$
78. $2x^3(2x - 1)(2x + 1)$
79. $2ab^3(a - 5)(a + 5)$
80. $(y - 3)(y + 3)(y^2 + 9)$
81. $(1 - x)(1 + x)(1 + x^2)$
82. $2(y - 2)(y + 2)(y^2 + 4)$
83. $(x - 2)(x^2 + 2x + 4)$
84. $(3 - y)(9 + 3y + y^2)$
85. $(z + 5)(z^2 - 5z + 25)$
86. $(x + 4)(x^2 - 4x + 16)$
87. $(2t + 1)(4t^2 - 2t + 1)$
88. $(2 - 3y)(4 + 6y + 9y^2)$
89. $(4z - 3)(16z^2 + 12z + 9)$
90. $(5x + 2)(25x^2 - 10x + 4)$
91. $17(1 - x)(1 + x + x^2)$
92. $x(x + 1)(x^2 - x + 1)$
93. $xy(2 - y)(4 + 2y + y^2)$
94. $2a^2b^2(3a - 1)(9a^2 + 3a + 1)$
95. $4x^2(2x + 1)(4x^2 - 2x + 1)$
96. $2d(2d - 1)(4d^2 + 2d + 1)$
97. $(x^2 + 7)(x^2 + 3)$
98. $(y^2 + 1)^2$
99. $(x^2 + 9)(x^2 + 4)$
100. $(x - 1)^2(x + 1)^2$
101. $(z - 2)(z + 2)(z - 1)(z + 1)$
102. $(x - 3)(x + 3)(x - 1)(x + 1)$
103. $(x + 3)(x - 2)(x + 2)$
104. $(x + 5)(x - 3)(x + 3)$
105. $(2x + 1)(x - 3)(x + 3)$
106. $(2x - 9)(x - 2)(x + 2)$
107. $-6(x + 1)^2$
108. $(x + 1)(x - 3)(x + 3)$
109. $x^2(3x - 1)(9x^2 + 3x + 1)$
110. $4(x - 1)(x + 1)(x^2 + 3)$
111. $8x^4(x - 2)(x^2 + 2x + 4)$
112. $(2x - 1)(x^2 + 2)$
113. $(x - 2)(x + 2)(x - 3)(x + 3)$
114. $3x^2(x + 2)(x^2 - 2x + 4)$
115. $2s(2s - t)(4s^2 + 2st + t^2)$
116. $(x - 1)(x^2 + 1)$