

Check your answers: HW page 78

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

$$x^2 + 5x + 2x + 10$$

$$\boxed{x^2 + 7x + 10}$$

2.  $(x+4)(x+8)$

$$x^2 + 8x + 4x + 32$$

$$\boxed{x^2 + 12x + 32}$$

3.  $(x+10)(x+3)$

$$x^2 + 3x + 10x + 30$$

$$\boxed{x^2 + 13x + 30}$$

4.  $(x-5)(x-4)$

$$x^2 - 4x - 5x + 20$$

$$\boxed{x^2 - 9x + 20}$$

11.  $(2x+4)(x+3)$

$$2x^2 + 6x + 4x + 12$$

$$\boxed{2x^2 + 10x + 12}$$

12.  $(5x+6)(x+2)$

$$5x^2 + 10x + 6x + 12$$

$$\boxed{5x^2 + 16x + 12}$$

13.  $(3x-6)(x-5)$

$$3x^2 - 15x - 6x + 30$$

$$\boxed{3x^2 - 21x + 30}$$

14.  $(9x-2)(x-3)$

$$9x^2 - 27x - 2x + 6$$

$$\boxed{9x^2 - 29x + 6}$$

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5.  $(x-3)(x-8)$

$$x^2 - 8x - 3x + 24$$

$$\boxed{x^2 - 11x + 24}$$

6.  $(x-7)(x-2)$

$$x^2 - 2x - 7x + 14$$

$$\boxed{x^2 - 9x + 14}$$

7.  $(x+8)(x-5)$

$$x^2 - 5x + 8x - 40$$

$$\boxed{x^2 + 3x - 40}$$

8.  $(x+6)(x-7)$

$$x^2 - 7x + 6x - 42$$

$$\boxed{x^2 - x - 42}$$

15.  $(2x+5)(x-4)$

$$2x^2 - 8x + 5x - 20$$

$$\boxed{2x^2 - 3x - 20}$$

16.  $(3x-5)(x+8)$

$$3x^2 + 24x - 5x - 40$$

$$\boxed{3x^2 + 19x - 40}$$

17.  $(4x+2)(6x+3)$

$$24x^2 + 12x + 12x + 6$$

$$\boxed{24x^2 + 24x + 6}$$

18.  $(5x-6)(3x-2)$

$$15x^2 - 10x - 18x + 12$$

$$\boxed{15x^2 - 28x + 12}$$

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9.  $(x-9)(x+3)$

$$x^2 + 3x - 9x - 27$$

$$\boxed{x^2 - 6x - 27}$$

10.  $(x-4)(x+7)$

$$x^2 + 7x - 4x - 28$$

$$\boxed{x^2 + 3x - 28}$$

19.  $(4x+2)(3x^2+5x+6)$

$$12x^3 + 20x^2 + 24x + 6x^2 + 10x + 12$$

$$\boxed{12x^3 + 26x^2 + 34x + 12}$$

20.  $(3x+5)(8x^2-6x+2)$

$$24x^3 - 18x^2 + 6x + 40x^2 - 30x + 10$$

$$\boxed{24x^3 + 22x^2 - 24x + 10}$$

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Example 1: Squaring a Binomial (When there is a coefficient on x)

Find:

$(2x + 7)^2$

Step 1: Write  $(2x + 7)$  twice.Step 2: FOIL and combine like terms.Step 3: Notice the pattern?

FOIL

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= (2x + 7)(2x + 7) \\
 &= 4x^2 + \underline{14x} + \underline{14x} + 49 \\
 &= 4x^2 + 28x + 49
 \end{aligned}$$

Do the following with just the pattern:

a.  $(3t + 6)^2$

$9t^2 + 36t + 36$

b.  $(5y - 4)^2$

$25y^2 - 40y + 16$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &(3t)^2 + (2)(3)(6)t + 6^2 \\
 &9t^2 + 36t + 36
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &(5y)^2 - (2)(5)(4)y + (4)^2 \\
 &25y^2 - 40y + 16
 \end{aligned}$$

**Rule: The Square of a Binomial**

$$(a + b)^2 = \underline{a^2 + 2ab + b^2}$$

$$(a - b)^2 = \underline{a^2 - 2ab + b^2}$$

The square of a binomial is the square of the first term, plus twice the product of the two terms, plus the square of the last term.

**✓ Understanding Check:**

Find each square using either method (long way or shortcut pattern):

a.  $(x + 9)^2$

$$x^2 + 18x + 81$$

b.  $(x - 4)^2$

$$x^2 - 8x + 16$$

c.  $(7m + 2)^2$

$$49m^2 + 28m + 4$$

d.  $(9c - 1)^2$

$$81c^2 - 18c + 1$$

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Row 3:

g.  $(x + 4)(x - 4)$

$$x^2 - 4x + 4x - 16$$

$$\textcircled{x^2 - 16}$$

h.  $(k + 9)(k - 9)$

$$k^2 - 9k + 9k - 81$$

$$k^2 - 81$$

i.  $(3c + 7)(3c - 7)$

$$9c^2 - 21c + 21c - 49$$

$$9c^2 - 49$$

Do you notice any patterns in Row 3?

**The middle terms cancel each other out.**

Based on the pattern you found, predict the answers to the following problems before working them out by FOIL.

1.  $(x + 8)(x - 8)$

$$x^2 - 64$$

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2.  $(m + 3)(m - 3)$

$$m^2 - 9$$

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**Rule: The Difference of Squares**

$$(a + b)(a - b) = a^2 - b^2$$

The product of the sum and difference of the same two terms is the difference of their squares.

**Example 4: Finding the Difference of Squares (When there is a coefficient on x)**Find:  $(3m + 5)(3m - 5)$ 

$$9m^2 - 25$$

Step 1: ~~FOIL~~Step 2: ~~Combine like terms.~~

Just do it.

**✓ Understanding Check:**

Find each difference of squares:

a.  $(d + 11)(d - 11)$

b.  $(c + 8)(c - 8)$

c.  $(7x + 3)(7x - 3)$

...

a.  $(d + 11)(d - 11)$

$$d^2 - 121$$

b.  $(c + 8)(c - 8)$

$$c^2 - 64$$

c.  $(7x + 3)(7x - 3)$

$$49x^2 - 9$$

Whiteboard practice:

$$(x - 8)(x + 8) = x^2 - 64$$

$$(x + 5)(x + 8)$$

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$x^2 + 13x + 40$



$$(x + 4)^2$$

$$x^2 + 8x + 16$$

d.  $(x + 4)^2$

$$x^2 + 8x + 16$$

$$(x + 10)(x - 10)$$

$$x^2 - 100$$

g.  $(x + 10)(x - 10)$

$$\boxed{x^2 - 100}$$

b.  $(x - 9)(x + 2)$

$$x^2 - 7x - 18$$

$$(x - 8)^2$$
$$x^2 - 16x + 64$$

e.  $(x - 8)^2$

$$x^2 - 16x + 64$$

$$(5x + 2)(5x - 2)$$

h.  $(5x + 2)(5x - 2)$

$$\boxed{25x^2 - 4}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} -12x \\ \text{-----} \\ (4x + 5)(x - 3) \\ \text{-----} \\ +5x \end{array}$$
$$4x^2 - 7x - 15$$

c.  $(4x + 5)(x - 3)$

$$4x^2 - 12x + 5x - 15$$
$$\boxed{4x^2 - 7x - 15}$$

$$(6x - 7)^2$$

$$36x^2 - 84x + 49$$

$$f. (6x - 7)^2$$

$$\boxed{36x^2 - 84x + 49}$$

# **Homework**

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(use a separate sheet of paper  
if needed for work)**