

# Math 45 6.3 Day 2 - Factoring Trinomials $ax^2 + bx + c$

$a \neq 1$   
 $a \neq GCF$

Quick  
Check  
6.3.7

Factor completely.

$$90m^2 - 19m - 90$$

Select the correct choice below and, if necessary, fill in the answer box to complete your choice.

A.  $90m^2 - 19m - 90 = \boxed{\quad}$  (Factor completely.)

B. The polynomial is prime.

factors that give 90

$$1, 90$$

$$2, 45$$

$$3, 30$$

$$5, 18$$

$$6, 15$$

$$9, 10$$

$$(9x - 10)(10x + 9)$$

check  $-100 + 81 = -19$ .

~~8100~~  
~~-19~~

$$90m^2 + 81m - 100m - 90$$

$$9m(10m+1) - 10(10m+1)$$

$$(10m+1)(9m-10)$$

$$1, 8100$$

$$2, 4050$$

$$3, 2700$$

$$4, 2025$$

$$5, 1620$$

$$6, 1350$$

$$8, 1215$$

$$9, 1080$$

$$10, 810$$

$$12, 675$$

$$15, 540$$

$$18, 450$$

$$20, 405$$

$$25, 324$$

$$27, 300$$

$$30, 270$$

$$36, 225$$

$$45, 180$$

$$50, 162$$

$$96 \leftarrow 54, 150$$

$$75 \leftarrow 60, 135$$

~~81, 100~~  
~~90, 90~~

Quick  
Check  
6.3.15

Factor the trinomial completely using the trial and error method.

$$-14y^2 + 125y + 9$$

$$-14y^2 + 125y + 9 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$

factor out -1:

$$-(14y^2 - 125y - 9)$$

factors of 14      factors of 9

$$1, 14$$

$$2, 7$$

$$1, 9$$

$$3, 3$$

$$(y-9)(14y+1)$$

check  $-126 + 1 = -125$  right #, wrong sign

$$\boxed{-(y+9)(14y-1)}$$

$$-(14y^2 - 125y - 9)$$

$$= -[14y^2 - 126y + y - 9]$$

$$= -[14y(y-9) + (y-9)]$$

$$= \boxed{-(y-9)(14y+1)}$$

~~-126~~  
~~+1~~  
~~-125~~

6.3.35 Factor completely.

$$35x^2 - 82x + 48$$

$$35x^2 - 82x + 48 = (7x - 8)(5x - 6)$$

Guess & check

$$(5x \quad \cancel{7x} \quad \rightarrow)$$

$$(5x - 8)(7x - 6)$$

check  $-30 - 56 \times$

$$\boxed{(5x - 6)(7x - 8)}$$

check  $-40 - 42 \checkmark$

$$\begin{array}{r} 1680 \\ -82 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 35x^2 - 40x - 42x + 48 \\ = 5x(7x - 8) - 6(7x - 8) \\ = \boxed{(7x - 8)(5x - 6)} \end{aligned}$$

- 1, 1680  
2, 840  
3, 560  
4, 420  
5, 336  
6, 280  
7, 240  
8, 210  
10, 168  
12, 140  
14, 120  
15, 112  
16, 105  
20, 84  
21, 80  
24, 70  
28, 60  
30, 56  
35, 48  
40, 42

6.3.35 Factor completely.

$$33x^2 - 46x + 16$$

$$33x^2 - 46x + 16 = \boxed{(11x+3)(3x-3)}$$

$$(11x+4)(3x-4)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 33x^2 - 44x - 12x + 16 \\ -56x \quad \text{No} \end{array}$$

$$(11x-1)(3x-16)$$

$$-3x - 176x \quad \text{No}$$

$$(11x-16)(3x-1)$$

$$-11x - 48x = -59x \quad \text{No}$$

$$(33x-4)(x-4)$$

$$-4x - 132x \quad \text{No}$$

$$(33x-1)(x-16)$$

$$-x - 528x \quad \text{No}$$

$$(33x-16)(x-1)$$

$$-16 - 33 = -49 \quad \text{No}$$

$$\boxed{(11x-8)(3x-2)}$$

$$-24x - 22x = -46x$$

~~528~~

~~-46~~

1,528

2,264

3,176

4,132

6,88

8,66

11,48

12,44

16,33

22,24, ✓

$$33x^2 - 22x - 24x + 16$$

$$11x(3x-2) - 8(3x-2)$$

$$\boxed{(11x-8)(3x-2)}$$

6.3.43 Factor the trinomial completely.

$$84s^2 - 38sr - 70r^2$$

$$84s^2 - 38sr - 70r^2 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$

GCF first

$$= 2(42s^2 - 19sr - 35r^2)$$

Factors of 42:  
1, 42  
2, 21  
3, 14  
6, 7

Factors of 35:  
1, 35  
5, 7

Guess and check

$$(6s - 5r)(7s + 7r)$$

has GCF X

$$(6s - 7r)(7s + 5r)$$

$$30rs - 49rs = -19rs \quad \checkmark$$

$$= \boxed{2(6s - 7r)(7s + 5r)}$$

6.3.85 Factor.

$$25c^2 + 29c + 9$$

Select the correct choice below and fill in any answer boxes within your choice.

A.  $25c^2 + 29c + 9 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$

B. The expression is prime.

It's prime because  $25c^2$  and 9 are perfect squares, but

$$\begin{aligned} & (5c+3)(5c+3) \\ & \text{gives } 25c^2 + 15c + 15c + 9 \\ & \quad = 25c^2 + 30c + 9 \end{aligned}$$

which has the wrong middle term.

Extras (Mixed Factoring Practice) P.1

(1)  $30x + 22x^2 - 24x^3$

(2)  $48x - 74x^2 + 28x^3$

(3)  $27x^4 + 42x^2 + 16$

(4)  $6x^2(x^2+1) - 25x(x^2+1) + 14(x^2+1)$

(5)  $10x^2(x-1) - x(x-1) - 2(x-1)$

(6)  $6xy^2 + 3x^3y^2 - 2y - x^2y$

(7)  $63y^3 + 60xy^3 + 12x^2y^3$

(8)  $2a^2b^2 - ac + 2ab^3 - bc$

(9)  $18a^2 + 39ab - 24b^2$

(10)  $48xy + 24x^2 - 30y^2$

(11)  $-20b^2 + 6a^2 + 7ab$

(12)  $ab - bx - ay + xy$

(13)  $10x - x^2 + 24$

(14)  $k^2 + 2kp - 35p^2$

Chapter 5 Review: Multiply

(15)  $(2x+5)(4x^2 - 10x + 25)$

(16)  $(2x+5)^3$

Mixed Practice p.2

①  $30x + 22x^2 - 24x^3$   
 $= -24x^3 + 22x^2 + 30x$  standard form  
 $= -2x(12x^2 - 11x - 15)$  GCF  
 $= \boxed{-2x(3x - 5)(4x + 3)}$  guess & check

②  $48x - 74x^2 + 28x^3$   
 $= 28x^3 - 74x^2 + 48x$  standard form  
 $= 2x(14x^2 - 37x + 24)$  GCF  
 $= \boxed{2x(2x - 3)(7x - 8)}$  guess and check

③  $27x^4 + 42x^2 + 16$   
 $= \boxed{(9x^2 + 8)(3x^2 + 2)}$  guess and check

④  $6x^2(x^2 + 1) - 25x(x^2 + 1) + 14(x^2 + 1)$   
 $= (x^2 + 1)[6x^2 - 25x + 14]$  GCF  
 $= \boxed{(x^2 + 1)(3x - 2)(2x - 7)}$  guess and check

⑤  $10x^2(x - 1) - x(x - 1) - 2(x - 1)$   
 $= (x - 1)[10x^2 - x - 2]$  GCF  
 $= \boxed{(x - 1)(2x - 1)(5x + 2)}$  guess and check

⑥  $\underbrace{6xy^2 + 3x^3y^2}_{\text{GCF } 3xy^2} - \underbrace{2y - x^2y}_{\text{GCF } -y}$  4 terms - grouping  
 $= \underbrace{3xy^2(2 + x^2)}_{\text{GCF } (2+x^2)} - \underbrace{y(2 + x^2)}_{\text{GCF } y}$   
 $= (2 + x^2) \underbrace{(3xy^2 - y)}_{\text{GCF } y} = \boxed{y(x^2 + 2)(3xy - 1)}$

Mixed Practice p.3

$$\textcircled{7} \quad 63y^3 + 60xy^3 + 12x^2y^3$$

$$= 3y^3(21 + 20x + 12x^2)$$

$$= \boxed{3y^3(12x^2 + 20x + 21)}$$

$$= 3y^3($$

GCF  $3y^3$ 

standard form

~~252~~  
~~20~~

- 1, 252  
2, 126  
3, 84  
4, 63  
6, 42  
7, 36  
9, 28

nothing adds  
to 20.  
12, 21  
14, 18

cannot factor.

$$\textcircled{8} \quad 2a^2b^2 - ac + 2ab^3 - bc$$

$$= 2a^2b^2 + 2ab^3 - ac - bc$$

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

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

4 terms - grouping

c terms together

} GCF 3 times

$$\textcircled{9} \quad 18a^2 + 39ab - 24b^2$$

$$= 3(6a^2 + 13ab - 8b^2)$$

GCF

$$= 3(\underbrace{6a^2 - 3ab}_{-3} + \underbrace{16ab - 8b^2}_{16})$$

~~-48~~  
~~-3~~      ~~16~~  
~~13~~

- 1, 48  
-2, 24  
-3, 16  
-4, 12  
-6, 8

$$= 3[3a(2a-b) + 8b(2a-b)]$$

$$= 3(2a-b)[3a+8b]$$

$$= \boxed{3(2a-b)(3a+8b)}$$

$$\textcircled{10} \quad 48xy + 24x^2 - 30y^2$$

$$= 24x^2 + 48xy - 30y^2$$

$$= 3(8x^2 + 16xy - 10y^2)$$

$$= 6(4x^2 + 8xy - 5y^2)$$

$$= \boxed{6(2x-y)(2x+5y)}$$

standard form using x.

common factor 3

oops! another common factor 2.

guess and check

$$\begin{aligned}
 (11) \quad & -20b^2 + 6a^2 + 7ab \\
 = & 6a^2 + 7ab - 20b^2 \\
 = & \underbrace{6a^2}_{2a} - \underbrace{8ab + 15ab}_{5b} - 20b^2 \\
 = & 2a(3a - 4b) + 5b(3a - 4b) \\
 = & \boxed{(3a - 4b)(2a + 5b)}
 \end{aligned}$$

standard form (using a)

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \cancel{-120} \\
 \cancel{-8} \quad \cancel{15} \\
 \cancel{7}
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 -1, 120 \\
 -2, 60 \\
 -3, 40 \\
 -4, 30 \\
 -5, 24 \\
 -6, 20 \\
 -8, 15
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (12) \quad & ab - bx - ay + xy \\
 = & b(a-x) - y(a-x) \\
 = & \boxed{(a-x)(b-y)}
 \end{aligned}$$

4 terms  $\Rightarrow$  grouping

$$\begin{aligned}
 (13) \quad & 10x - x^2 + 24 \\
 = & -x^2 + 10x + 24 \\
 = & -(x^2 - 10x - 24) \\
 = & \boxed{-(x+2)(x-12)}
 \end{aligned}$$

standard form

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \cancel{-24} \\
 \cancel{2} \quad \cancel{-12} \\
 \cancel{-10}
 \end{array}
 \quad
 \begin{array}{r}
 +1, -24 \\
 \cancel{2}, \cancel{-12} \\
 3, -8 \\
 4, -6
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (14) \quad & k^2 + 2kp - 35p^2 \\
 = & \boxed{(k-5p)(k+7p)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \cancel{-35} \\
 \cancel{-5} \quad \cancel{7} \\
 \cancel{2}
 \end{array}
 \quad
 \begin{array}{r}
 -1, 35 \\
 -5, 7
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (15) \quad & (2x+5)(4x^2 - 10x + 25) \\
 = & 8x^3 - 20x^2 + 50x \\
 & + 20x^2 - 50x + 125 \\
 = & \boxed{8x^3 + 125}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (16) \quad & (2x+5)^3 \\
 = & (2x+5)(2x+5)(2x+5) \\
 = & (4x^2 + 20x + 25)(2x+5) \\
 = & 8x^3 + 20x^2 + 40x^2 + 100x + 50x + 125 \\
 = & \boxed{8x^3 + 60x^2 + 150x + 125}
 \end{aligned}$$