

## PreCalc 11 Chapter 3 Assignment – hand in for completion marks

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## Complete the following questions showing all work and steps where applicable.

1. For each expression below, decide which type of factoring is needed, then put the number of the expression in the appropriate column. (You are not required to give the factorization of the expressions.)

Expressions	A  GCF only, no further factoring possible	B GCF if there is one, then difference of squares	C GCF if there is one, then trinomial factoring
1. $21x^2y^2 - 4xy^3 + 2xy^2$ 2. $x^2 + 3x - 40$ 3. $(x - y)^2 - 49$ 4. $x^2 + 7x - 8$ 5. $25 - x^2$ 6. $5x^2 + 15x$ 7. $2x^2 + 8$ 8. $7x^2 - 14x - 21$ 9. $3x^2 - 27$ 10. $5x^2 + 6x + 1$	1,6,7	3,5,9	2,4,8, 10

2. Fully factor each of the following. Expand your answers to check they are correct.

a) 
$$-8x^{3}y + 12x^{5}y^{4} - 30x^{2}y^{2}$$
  
 $-2x^{2}y (4x - 6x^{3}y^{3} + 15y)$ 

check: 
$$-2x^2y(4x-6x^3y^3+15y)$$
  
=  $-8x^3y+12x^5y^4-30x^2y^2$ 

b) 
$$x^2 - 3x - 28$$

No answer given - you can do it!!

c) 
$$6x^{2} + 4x - 66$$
  
=  $2(3x^{2} + 2x - 33)$ 

$$= 2(3x^{2} + 11x - 9x - 33)$$

$$= 2[x(3x + 11) - 3(3x + 11)]$$

$$= 2(3x + 11)(x - 3)$$

check: 
$$2(3x+11)(x-3)$$
  
=  $2(3x^2-9x+11x-33)$   
=  $2(3x^2+2x-33)$   
=  $6x^2+4x-66$ 

3. Fully factor each of the following. You do not have to expand your answers to check.

a) 
$$4(x + 2)^{2} - 25(y - 1)^{2}$$
 - no GCF  
- this is a difference of squares  
Let  $A = x + 2$ ,  
 $B = y - 1$   
=>  $4A^{2} - 25B^{2}$   
=  $(2A + 5B)(2A - 5B)$   
=  $(2(x+2) + 5(y-1))(2(x+2) - 5(y-1))$   
=  $(2x+4 + 5y-5)(2x+4 - 5y+5)$   
-  $(2x+4+5y-1)(2x-5y+9)$   
b)  $0.2x^{2} + 0.1x-1.5$ 

No answer given - you can do it!!

c) 
$$2(x-1)^2 - 5(x-1) - 12$$

$$= 2u^2 - 5u - 12$$

$$= 2u^2 - 8u + 3u - 12$$

$$= 2u(u-4) + 3(u-4)$$

$$= (u-4)(2u+3)$$

$$= (x-1-4)(2(x-1)+3)$$

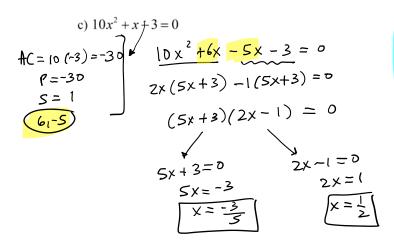
$$= (x-5)(2x-2+3)$$

$$= (x-5)(2x+1)$$

4. Solve the following quadratic equations by factoring (not by using the quadratic formula).

a) 
$$x^{2}-7x+12=0$$
  
 $(x-4)(x-3)=0$   
 $x-3=0$   
 $x=3$ 

b) 
$$2x^{2} + 3x = 12 - 7x$$
  
 $+7x$   
 $2x^{2} + 3x + 7x = 12$   
 $2x^{2} + 10x - 12 = 0$   
 $2(x^{2} + 5x - 6) = 0$   
 $2(x - 1)(x + 6) = 0$   
 $x + 6 = 0$   
 $x = 1$ 



d) 
$$3x^2 - 4x = 7$$

No answer given - you can do it!!

5. Solve the following quadratic equations. Verify each solution. For part (a), begin by giving the restrictions.

a) 
$$(\sqrt{x+11})^{2}(x+5)^{2}$$
  $(x+1)^{2}(x+5)^{2}$   $(x+1)^{2}(x+5)^{2}$ 

b) 
$$(x-4)^2 - 15 = 21$$
  
 $+15 + 15$   
 $(\chi - 4)^2 = 36$ 

$$\sqrt{(\chi - 4)^2} = \pm \sqrt{36}$$

$$\chi - 4 = \pm 4$$

$$\chi = 4 \pm 6$$

$$\chi = 4 \pm 6$$

$$\chi = -2$$

Check:

$$1-5$$
 $R = 5$ 
 $(10-4)^2 - 15$ 
 $(6)^2 - 15$ 
 $36 - 15$ 
 $21$ 

$$\begin{array}{c|cccc}
LS & R & S \\
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(-2-4)^2 & -1S & 21 \\
(-6)^2 & -1S & \\
36-1S & \\
21 & \\
\end{array}$$

- 6. Determine the discriminant of the following, then use it to determine whether the equation has NO, ONE, or TWO real roots:
- $-9x^2 12x 5 = 0$ a)

$$D = b^2 - 4ac$$

$$\alpha = -9$$
 $b = -12$ 
 $c = -5$ 

$$D = b^{2} - 4ac$$

$$D = (-12)^{2} - (4)(-9)(-5)$$

$$= 144 - 180$$

$$= -36$$

$$D < 0, So No real roots$$

 $5x^2 - 3x - 7 = 0$ b)

> No answer given you can do it!!

- 7. Determine what value of k is needed for each option, for this equation:  $2x^2 + 8x + k = 0$
- a) The equation has no real roots

$$\frac{-8k}{-8} < \frac{-64}{-8}$$

 $D = b^2 - 4ac$ 

 $= 8^2 - (4)(2)k$ 

= 64-8K

b) The equation has exactly one real rook

$$\Rightarrow D = 0$$

$$64-8k = 0$$
 $\frac{-8k}{-8} = \frac{-64}{-8}$ 

c) The equation has two real root

$$\frac{-8k}{-8} > \frac{-64}{-8}$$

8. **Solve** the following equations, using the quadratic formula. Give solutions in simplest form. Do not convert answers to decimals.

a) 
$$5x^{2} + 16x + 3 = 2x^{2} + 10x + 7$$

$$-2x^{2} - 10x - 7 - 2x^{2} - 10x - 7$$

$$3x^{2} + 6x - 4 = 0$$

$$= -6 + \sqrt{6}x^{2} - 4x - 6$$

$$= -6 + \sqrt{6$$

b) 
$$x(x-6) + 3(x+11) = 40$$

No answer given you can do it!! (start by distributing, then collecting all terms to one side)

