

Homework Qs

Note Title

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4.3 #69) $xy(x + \frac{1}{y})$

$$xy(x) + \cancel{xy}(\frac{1}{\cancel{y}})$$

$$= x^2y + \frac{\cancel{x}\cancel{y}}{\cancel{y}}$$

$$= \boxed{x^2y + x}$$

or Ex:

$$xy(x + \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{y^2})$$

$$xy(x) + \cancel{xy}(\frac{1}{\cancel{x}}) + \cancel{xy}(-\frac{1}{y^2})$$

$$= x^2y + \frac{\cancel{x}\cancel{y}}{\cancel{x}} - \frac{\cancel{x}\cancel{y}}{y^2}$$

$$= x^2y + \frac{\cancel{y}}{1} - \frac{x}{y}$$

$$= \boxed{x^2y + y - \frac{x}{y}}$$

4.4 #31) $(\frac{5}{9}x^3 + \frac{1}{3}x^2 - 2x + 1) - (\frac{2}{3}x^3 + x^2 + \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{3}{4})$

$$= \frac{5}{9}x^3 + \frac{1}{3}x^2 - 2x + 1 - \frac{2}{3}x^3 - x^2 - \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{3}{4}$$

$$= \frac{5}{9}x^3 - \frac{2}{3}x^3 + \frac{1}{3}x^2 - \cancel{x^2} - \cancel{2x} - \frac{1}{2}x + \cancel{1} + \frac{3}{4}$$

$$= \frac{5}{9}x^3 - \frac{6}{9}x^3 + \frac{1}{3}x^2 - \frac{3}{3}x^2 - \frac{4}{2}x - \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{4}{4} + \frac{3}{4}$$

$$= \boxed{-\frac{1}{9}x^3 - \frac{2}{3}x^2 - \frac{5}{2}x + \frac{7}{4}}$$

4.4 #35) Subtract $10x^2 + 23x - 50$ from $11x^2 - 10x + 13$

$$11x^2 - 10x + 13 - (10x^2 + 23x - 50)$$

$$= 11x^2 - 10x + 13 - 10x^2 - 23x + 50$$

combine like terms

4.6: Special Products (Continued)

Ex: Using FOIL (First, Outer, Inner, Last)

$$\begin{aligned}(2x-3)(4x+9) \\&= 8x^2 + 18x - 12x - 27 \\&= \boxed{8x^2 + 6x - 27}\end{aligned}$$

Ex:

$$\begin{aligned}(2x-5)(2x+5) \\&= 4x^2 + 10x - 10x - 25 \\&= \boxed{4x^2 - 25}\end{aligned}$$

Difference of 2 squares pattern:
 $(a+b)(a-b) = a^2 - b^2$

Ex:

$$\begin{aligned}(x-9)^2 \\&= (x-9)(x-9) \\&= x^2 - 9x - 9x + 81 \\&= \boxed{x^2 - 18x + 81}\end{aligned}$$

Perfect Squares:

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

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

Ex:

$$\begin{aligned}(x+6)^2 \\&= \boxed{x^2 + 12x + 36}\end{aligned}$$

Ex: $(2x-3)^3$

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

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

$$= (4x^2 - 12x + 9)(2x-3)$$

$$= (2x-3)(4x^2 - 12x + 9)$$

$$= 2x(4x^2 - 12x + 9) - 3(4x^2 - 12x + 9)$$

$$= 8x^3 - 24x^2 + 18x - 12x^2 + 36x - 27$$

$$= \boxed{8x^3 - 36x^2 + 54x - 27}$$

4.7: Dividing a polynomial by a monomial

Ex: $\frac{2}{7} + \frac{6}{7} - \frac{4}{7} + \frac{10}{7}$

$$= \frac{2+6-4+10}{7} = \frac{14}{7} = \boxed{2}$$

Ex: $\frac{6x^5 - 12x^3 + 10x^2 - 2}{3x^2}$

$$= \frac{\cancel{6}x^5}{\cancel{3}x^2} - \frac{\cancel{12}x^3}{\cancel{3}x^2} + \frac{\cancel{10}x^2}{\cancel{3}x^2} - \frac{2}{3x^2}$$

$$= \frac{2x^3}{1} - \frac{4x}{1} + \frac{10}{3} - \frac{2}{3x^2}$$

$$= \boxed{2x^3 - 4x + \frac{10}{3} - \frac{2}{3x^2}}$$

Ex:

$$\frac{2x^4y^3 + 8x^3y^3 - 3y^2}{2xy^2}$$

$$= \frac{2x^4y^3}{2xy^2} + \frac{8x^3y^3}{2xy^2} - \frac{3y^2}{2xy^2}$$

$$= \frac{x^3y}{1} + \frac{4x^2y}{1} - \frac{3}{2x}$$

$$= \boxed{x^3y + 4x^2y - \frac{3}{2x}}$$

4.8: Polynomial Long Division

(Dividing a Polynomial by a Polynomial)

Review of Terminology:

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{Quotient} \\ \hline \text{Divisor} \overline{) \text{Dividend}} \\ \begin{array}{c} \sim \\ \sim \\ \sim \\ \sim \end{array} \\ \hline \text{Remainder} \end{array}$$

$$\frac{\text{Dividend}}{\text{Divisor}} = \text{Quotient} + \frac{\text{Remainder}}{\text{Divisor}}$$

$$\text{Dividend} = (\text{Quotient})(\text{Divisor}) + \text{Remainder}$$

Ex: Divide $\frac{379}{12}$.

$$\begin{array}{r} 31 \\ 12 \overline{) 379} \\ \underline{- 36} \\ 19 \\ \underline{- 12} \\ 7 \end{array}$$

$$\frac{379}{12} = \boxed{31 + \frac{7}{12}} \text{ usually written } 31\frac{7}{12}$$

Check: $(31)(12) + 7$
 $= 372 + 7 = 379 \checkmark$

$$\begin{array}{r} 31 \\ \times 12 \\ \hline 62 \\ 31 \\ \hline 372 \end{array}$$

Ex: Divide $\frac{3x^2 + 7x + 9}{x+2}$.

Note: we could write:

$$\frac{3x^2}{x+2} + \frac{7x}{x+2} + \frac{9}{x+2}$$

But none of the fractions reduce.

If the denominator has 2 or more terms, use polynomial long division.

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x + 1 \\ x+2 \overline{) 3x^2 + 7x + 9} \\ \underline{-(3x^2 + 6x)} \quad \leftarrow 3x(x+2) = 3x^2 + 6x \\ 0 + x + 9 \\ \underline{-(x + 2)} \quad \leftarrow 1(x+2) = x+2 \\ 0 + 7 \end{array}$$

$$\frac{3x^2 + 7x + 9}{x+2} = \boxed{3x + 1 + \frac{7}{x+2}}$$

Note: For $x=10$, this becomes the numerical example $\frac{379}{12}$ we did earlier

Check:

$$\begin{aligned} (x+2)(3x+1) + 7 \\ = 3x^2 + x + 6x + 2 + 7 \\ = 3x^2 + 7x + 9 \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$