

Review Exercise 5

Q.1 Filling the blanks:

1. The factor of $x^2 - 5x + 6$ are _____.
- (a) $x + 1, x - 6$ (b) $x - 2, x - 3$
(c) $x + 6, x - 1$ (d) $x + 2, x + 3$
2. Factors of $8x^3 + 27y^3$ are _____.
- (a) $(2x - 3y), (4x^2 + 9y^2)$ (b) $(2x - 3y), (4x^2 - 9y^2)$
(c) $(2x + 3y), (4x^2 - 6xy + 9y^2)$ (d) $(2x - 3y), (4x^2 + 6xy + 9y^2)$
3. Factors of $3x^2 - x - 2$ are _____.
- (a) $(x + 1), (3x - 2)$ (b) $(x + 1), (3x + 2)$
(c) $(x - 1), (3x - 2)$ (d) $(x - 1), (3x + 2)$
4. Factors of $a^4 - 4b^4$ are _____.
- (a) $(a - b), (a + b), (a^2 + 4b^2)$ (b) $(a^2 - 2b^2), (a^2 + 2b^2)$
(c) $(a - b), (a + b)(a^2 + 4b^2)$ (d) $(a - 2b), (a^2 + 2b^2)$
5. What will be added to complete the square of $9a^2 - 12ab$?.....
- (a) $-16b^2$ (b) $16b^2$ (c) $4b^2$ (d) $-4b^2$
6. Find m so that $x^2 + 4x + m$ is a complete square
- (a) 8 (b) -8
(c) 4 (d) 16
7. Factors of $5x^2 - 17xy - 12y^2$ are _____.
- (a) $(x + 4y), (5x + 3y)$ (b) $(x - 4y), (5x - 3y)$
(c) $(x - 4y), (5x + 3y)$ (d) $(5x - 4y), (x + 3y)$
8. Factors of $27x^3 - \frac{1}{x^3}$ are
- (a) $\left(3x - \frac{1}{x}\right), \left(9x^2 + 3 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right)$ (b) $\left(3x + \frac{1}{x}\right), \left(9x^2 + 3 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right)$
(c) $\left(3x - \frac{1}{x}\right), \left(9x^2 - 3 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right)$ (d) $\left(\frac{3x + 1}{x}\right), \left(9x^2 - 3 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right)$

ANSWERS KEYS

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
b	c	d	b	c	c	c	a

Q.2 Completion items

(i) $x^2 + 5x + 6 =$ _____

(ii) $4a^2 - 16 =$ _____

(iii) $4a^2 + 4ab + (\text{_____})$ is a complete square.

(iv) $\frac{x^2}{y^2} - 2 + \frac{y^2}{x^2} =$ _____

(v) $(x + y)(x^2 - xy + y^2) =$ _____

(vi) Factored form of $x^4 - 16$ is _____

(vii) If $x-2$ is factor of $P(x) = x^2 + 2kx + 8$ then = _____

ANSWER KEYS

(i) $(x + 3)(x + 2)$

(ii) $(2a + 4)(2a - 4) = 4(a + 2)(a - 2)$

(iii) $(b)^2$

(iv) $\left(\frac{x}{y} - \frac{y}{x}\right)^2$

(v) $x^3 + y^3$

(vi) $(x + 2)(x - 2)(x^2 + 4)$

(vii) -3

Q.3 Factorize the following

(i) $x^2 + 8x + 16 - 4y^2$

Solution: $x^2 + 8x + 16 - 4y^2$

$= [x^2 + 8x + 16] - 4y^2$

$= [(x)^2 + 2(x)(4) + (4)^2] - (2y)^2$

$= (x + 4)^2 - (2y)^2$

Now arrange them

$= (x + 4 + 2y)(x + 4 - 2y)$

$= (x + 2y + 4)(x - 2y + 4)$

(ii) $4x^2 - 16y^2$

Solution: $4x^2 - 16y^2$

$= 4[x^2 - 4y^2]$

$= 4[(x)^2 - (2y)^2]$

$= 4(x - 2y)(x + 2y)$

(iii) $9x^2 + 24x + 3x + 8$

Solution: $= 9x^2 + 24x + 3x + 8$

$= 3x(3x + 8) + 1(3x + 8)$

$= (3x + 8)(3x + 1)$

(iv) $1 - 64z^3$

Solution: $1 - 64z^3$

$= (1)^3 - (4z)^3$

$= (1 - 4z)[(1)^2 + (1)(4z) + (4z)^2]$

$= (1 - 4z)(1 + 4z + 16z^2)$

(v) $8x^3 - \left(\frac{1}{3y}\right)^3$

$= (2x)^3 - \left(\frac{1}{3y}\right)^3$

$= \left(2x - \frac{1}{3y}\right)\left(4x^2 + \frac{2x}{3y} + \frac{1}{9y^2}\right)$

(vi) $2y^2 + 5y - 3$

Solution: $= 2y^2 + 6y - y - 3$

$$= 2y(y+3) - 1(y+3)$$

$$= (2y-1)(y+3)$$

(vii) $x^3 + x^2 - 4x - 4$

Solution: $x^3 + x^2 - 4x - 4$

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

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

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

(viii) $25m^2n^2 + 10mn + 1$

Solution: $25m^2n^2 + 10mn + 1$

$$= (5mn)^2 + 2(5mn)(1) + (1)^2$$

$$= (5mn+1)^2$$

(ix) $1 - 12pq + 36p^2q^2$

Solution: $1 - 12pq + 36p^2q^2$

$$\therefore (a)^2 - 2ab + (b)^2$$

$$= (1)^2 - 2(1)(6pq) + (6pq)^2$$

$$= (1 - 6pq)^2$$

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Unit 5: Factorization

Overview

Factorization:

The process of expressing an algebraic expression in terms of its factors is called factorization.

Remainder Theorem:

If a polynomial $p(x)$ is divided by a linear divisor $(x-a)$, then the remainder is $p(a)$.

Zero of a Polynomial:

If a specific number $x = a$ is substituted for the variable x in a polynomial $p(x)$ so that the value $p(a)$ is zero, then $x = a$ is called a zero of the polynomial $p(x)$.

Factor Theorem:

The polynomial $(x-a)$ is a factor of the polynomial $p(x)$ if and only if $p(a) = 0$.

Rational Root Theorem:

Let $a_0x^n + a_1x^{n-1} + \dots + a_{n-1}x + a_n = 0$, $a_0 \neq 0$ be a polynomial equation of degree n with integral coefficients. If $\frac{p}{q}$ is a rational root (expressed in lowest terms) of the equation, then p is a factor of the constant term a_n and q is a factor of the leading coefficient a_0 .