

# EXAM REVIEW – Chapter 5

## CHAPTER 5: Polynomials & Factoring

58. (a)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (2x - y)^2 - 2(x - 2y)(x - 4y) \\
 &= (2x - y)(2x - y) - 2(x - 2y)(x - 4y) \\
 &= (4x^2 - 2xy - 2xy + y^2) - 2(x^2 - 4xy - 2xy + 8y^2) \\
 &= (4x^2 - 4xy + y^2) - 2(x^2 - 6xy + 8y^2) \\
 &= 4x^2 - 4xy + y^2 - 2x^2 + 12xy - 16y^2 \\
 &= 2x^2 + 8xy - 15y^2
 \end{aligned}$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & 3(3x^2 - 2y^2) - (4x + y)^2 \\
 &= 9x^2 - 6y^2 - (4x + y)(4x + y) \\
 &= 9x^2 - 6y^2 - (16x^2 + 4xy + 4xy + y^2) \\
 &= 9x^2 - 6y^2 - 16x^2 - 8xy - y^2 \\
 &= -7x^2 - 8xy - 7y^2
 \end{aligned}$$

59. (a)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & 10xy - 25x \\
 &= 5x(2y - 5)
 \end{aligned}$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & 6x^3y^3 - 4x^2y^4 + 2xy^5 \\
 &= 2xy^3(3x^2 - 2xy + y^2)
 \end{aligned}$$

(c)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & x^2 - 13x + 40 \\
 &= (x - 8)(x - 5)
 \end{aligned}$$

(d)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & x^2 + 7x + 12 \\
 &= (x + 5)(x + 2)
 \end{aligned}$$

(e)

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

*NOTE: a sum of squares CANNOT  
be factored.*

(f)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & 4m^2 - 3m - 10 \\
 &= \frac{(4m - 8)(4m + 5)}{4} \\
 &= \frac{4(m - 2)(4m + 5)}{4} \\
 &= (m - 2)(4m + 5)
 \end{aligned}$$

(g)

$$\begin{aligned} & a^2 - 81b^2 \\ &= (a - 9b)(a + 9b) \end{aligned}$$

(h)

$$\begin{aligned} & x^2 - x - 30 \\ &= (x - 6)(x + 5) \\ & \quad 2z(x - 3y) + 7(x - 3y) \end{aligned}$$

(i)

$$= (x - 3y)(2z + 7)$$

*NOTE : The bracket is the GCF.*

(j)

$$\begin{aligned} & 2d^2 + 4d - 3cd - 6c \\ &= (2d^2 + 4d) - (3cd + 6c) \\ &= 2d(d + 2) - 3c(d + 2) \\ &= (d + 2)(2d - 3) \end{aligned}$$

*NOTE : Grouping was required in the first step.*

(k)

$$x^2 + 7x + 22$$

*need the Quadratic Formula*

*which wasn't taught until Chapter 6.*

*∴ no integer solution*

(l)

$$\begin{aligned} & 15x^2 - 5x - 10 \\ &= 5(3x^2 - x - 2) \\ &= \frac{5(3x - 6)(3x + 1)}{3} \\ &= \frac{5 \times 3(x - 2)(3x + 1)}{3} \\ &= 5(x - 2)(3x + 1) \end{aligned}$$

(m)

$$\begin{aligned} & 21a^2 - ab - 2b^2 \\ &= \frac{(21a - 7b)(21a + 6b)}{21} \\ &= \frac{7(3a - b)3(7a + 2b)}{21} \\ &= (3a - b)(7a + 2b) \end{aligned}$$

(n)

$$\begin{aligned}
& 15x^2 - 19xy + 6y^2 \\
&= \frac{(15x - 9y)(15x - 10y)}{15} \\
&= \frac{3(5x - 3y)5(3x - 2y)}{15} \\
&= (5x - 3y)(3x - 2y)
\end{aligned}$$

(o)

$$\begin{aligned}
& 7x^2 - 63 \\
&= 7(x^2 - 9) \\
&= 7(x - 3)(x + 3)
\end{aligned}$$

(p)

$$\begin{aligned}
& 2x^3 - 10x^2 + 8x \\
&= 2x(x^2 - 5x + 4) \\
&= 2x(x - 4)(x - 1)
\end{aligned}$$

60.

(a) *vertex* = (3, -16)

(b)

$$\begin{aligned}
y &= (x - 3)^2 - 16 \\
&= (x - 3)(x - 3) - 16 \\
&= (x^2 - 3x - 3x + 9) - 16 \\
&= x^2 - 6x + 9 - 16 \\
&= x^2 - 6x - 7
\end{aligned}$$

(c)

$$\begin{aligned}
y &= x^2 - 6x - 7 \\
&= (x - 7)(x + 1)
\end{aligned}$$

(d)

$\therefore$  the *x*-intercepts are  $x = 7$  and  $x = -1$   
 These are also known as the "zeros".