

EXERCISE 9.5

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1. Use a suitable identity to get each of the following products.

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

(ii) $(2y + 5)(2y + 5)$

(iii) $(2a - 7)(2a - 7)$

(iv) $(3a - 1/2)(3a - 1/2)$

(v) $(1.1m - 0.4)(1.1m + 0.4)$

(vi) $(a^2 + b^2)(-a^2 + b^2)$

(vii) $(6x - 7)(6x + 7)$

(viii) $(-a + c)(-a + c)$

(ix) $(1/2x + 3/4y)(1/2x + 3/4y)$

(x) $(7a - 9b)(7a - 9b)$

Solution:

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

$$= x^2 + 6x + 9$$

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

(ii) $(2y + 5)(2y + 5) = (2y + 5)^2$

$$= 4y^2 + 20y + 25$$

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

(iii) $(2a - 7)(2a - 7) = (2a - 7)^2$

$$= 4a^2 - 28a + 49$$

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

(iv) $(3a - 1/2)(3a - 1/2) = (3a - 1/2)^2$

$$= 9a^2 - 3a + (1/4)$$

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

(v) $(1.1m - 0.4)(1.1m + 0.4)$

$$= 1.21m^2 - 0.16$$

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

vi) $(a^2 + b^2)(-a^2 + b^2)$

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

$$= -a^4 + b^4$$

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

vii) $(6x - 7)(6x + 7)$

$$= 36x^2 - 49$$

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

viii) $(-a + c)(-a + c) = (-a + c)^2$

$$= c^2 + a^2 - 2ac$$

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

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

$$= (x^2/4) + (9y^2/16) + (3xy/4)$$

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

x) $(7a - 9b)(7a - 9b) = (7a - 9b)^2$

$$= 49a^2 - 126ab + 81b^2$$

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

2. Use the identity $(x + a)(x + b) = x^2 + (a + b)x + ab$ to find the following products.

(i) $(x + 3)(x + 7)$

(ii) $(4x + 5)(4x + 1)$

(iii) $(4x - 5)(4x - 1)$

(iv) $(4x + 5)(4x - 1)$

(v) $(2x + 5y)(2x + 3y)$

(vi) $(2a^2 + 9)(2a^2 + 5)$

$$(vii) (xyz - 4)(xyz - 2)$$

Solution:

$$(i)(x + 3)(x + 7)$$

$$= x^2 + (3+7)x + 21$$

$$= x^2 + 10x + 21$$

$$ii) (4x + 5)(4x + 1)$$

$$= 16x^2 + 4x + 20x + 5$$

$$= 16x^2 + 24x + 5$$

$$iii) (4x - 5)(4x - 1)$$

$$= 16x^2 - 4x - 20x + 5$$

$$= 16x^2 - 24x + 5$$

$$iv) (4x + 5)(4x - 1)$$

$$= 16x^2 + (5-1)4x - 5$$

$$= 16x^2 + 16x - 5$$

$$v) (2x + 5y)(2x + 3y)$$

$$= 4x^2 + (5y + 3y)2x + 15y^2$$

$$= 4x^2 + 16xy + 15y^2$$

$$vi) (2a^2 + 9)(2a^2 + 5)$$

$$= 4a^4 + (9+5)2a^2 + 45$$

$$= 4a^4 + 28a^2 + 45$$

$$vii) (xyz - 4)(xyz - 2)$$

$$= x^2y^2z^2 + (-4 -2)xyz + 8$$

$$= x^2y^2z^2 - 6xyz + 8$$

3. Find the following squares by using the identities.

$$(i) (b - 7)^2$$

$$(ii) (xy + 3z)^2$$

$$(iii) (6x^2 - 5y)^2$$

(iv) $[(2m/3) + (3n/2)]^2$

(v) $(0.4p - 0.5q)^2$

(vi) $(2xy + 5y)^2$

Solution:

Using identities:

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

(i) $(b - 7)^2 = b^2 - 14b + 49$

(ii) $(xy + 3z)^2 = x^2y^2 + 6xyz + 9z^2$

(iii) $(6x^2 - 5y)^2 = 36x^4 - 60x^2y + 25y^2$

(iv) $[(2m/3) + (3n/2)]^2 = (4m^2/9) + (9n^2/4) + 2mn$

(v) $(0.4p - 0.5q)^2 = 0.16p^2 - 0.4pq + 0.25q^2$

(vi) $(2xy + 5y)^2 = 4x^2y^2 + 20xy^2 + 25y^2$

4. Simplify.

(i) $(a^2 - b^2)^2$

(ii) $(2x + 5)^2 - (2x - 5)^2$

(iii) $(7m - 8n)^2 + (7m + 8n)^2$

(iv) $(4m + 5n)^2 + (5m + 4n)^2$

(v) $(2.5p - 1.5q)^2 - (1.5p - 2.5q)^2$

(vi) $(ab + bc)^2 - 2ab^2c$

(vii) $(m^2 - n^2m)^2 + 2m^3n^2$

Solution:

i) $(a^2 - b^2)^2 = a^4 + b^4 - 2a^2b^2$

ii) $(2x + 5)^2 - (2x - 5)^2$
 $= 4x^2 + 20x + 25 - (4x^2 - 20x + 25) = 4x^2 + 20x + 25 - 4x^2 + 20x - 25 = 40x$

iii) $(7m - 8n)^2 + (7m + 8n)^2$
 $= 49m^2 - 112mn + 64n^2 + 49m^2 + 112mn + 64n^2$
 $= 98m^2 + 128n^2$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{iv) } & (4m + 5n)^2 + (5m + 4n)^2 \\ & = 16m^2 + 40mn + 25n^2 + 25m^2 + 40mn + 16n^2 \\ & = 41m^2 + 80mn + 41n^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{v) } & (2.5p - 1.5q)^2 - (1.5p - 2.5q)^2 \\ & = 6.25p^2 - 7.5pq + 2.25q^2 - 2.25p^2 + 7.5pq - 6.25q^2 \\ & = 4p^2 - 4q^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{vi) } (ab + bc)^2 - 2ab^2c = a^2b^2 + 2ab^2c + b^2c^2 - 2ab^2c = a^2b^2 + b^2c^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{vii) } & (m^2 - n^2m)^2 + 2m^3n^2 \\ & = m^4 - 2m^3n^2 + m^2n^4 + 2m^3n^2 \\ & = m^4 + m^2n^4 \end{aligned}$$

5. Show that.

$$\text{(i) } (3x + 7)^2 - 84x = (3x - 7)^2$$

$$\text{(ii) } (9p - 5q)^2 + 180pq = (9p + 5q)^2$$

$$\text{(iii) } (4/3m - 3/4n)^2 + 2mn = 16/9 m^2 + 9/16 n^2$$

$$\text{(iv) } (4pq + 3q)^2 - (4pq - 3q)^2 = 48pq^2$$

$$\text{(v) } (a - b)(a + b) + (b - c)(b + c) + (c - a)(c + a) = 0$$

Solution:

$$\text{i) LHS} = (3x + 7)^2 - 84x$$

$$\begin{aligned} & = 9x^2 + 42x + 49 - 84x \\ & = 9x^2 - 42x + 49 \\ & = \text{RHS} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

$$\text{ii) LHS} = (9p - 5q)^2 + 180pq$$

$$\begin{aligned} & = 81p^2 - 90pq + 25q^2 + 180pq \\ & = 81p^2 + 90pq + 25q^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{RHS} & = (9p + 5q)^2 \\ & = 81p^2 + 90pq + 25q^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

$$\text{(iii) LHS} = \left(\frac{4}{3}m - \frac{3}{4}n\right)^2 + 2mn$$

$$\begin{aligned} & = \frac{16}{9}m^2 + \frac{9}{16}n^2 - 2mn + 2mn \\ & = \frac{16}{9}m^2 + \frac{9}{16}n^2 \\ & = \text{RHS} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{iv) LHS} &= (4pq + 3q)^2 - (4pq - 3q)^2 \\ &= 16p^2q^2 + 24pq^2 + 9q^2 - 16p^2q^2 + 24pq^2 - 9q^2 \\ &= 48pq^2 \\ &= \text{RHS}\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{v) LHS} &= (a - b)(a + b) + (b - c)(b + c) + (c - a)(c + a) \\ &= a^2 - b^2 + b^2 - c^2 + c^2 - a^2 \\ &= 0 \\ &= \text{RHS}\end{aligned}$$

6. Using identities, evaluate.

(i) 71^2

(ii) 99^2

(iii) 102^2

(iv) 998^2

(v) 5.2^2

(vi) 297×303

(vii) 78×82

(viii) 8.9^2

(ix) 10.5×9.5

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{i) } 71^2 &= (70+1)^2 \\ &= 70^2 + 140 + 1^2 \\ &= 4900 + 140 + 1 \\ &= 5041\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{ii) } 99^2 &= (100 - 1)^2\end{aligned}$$

$$= 100^2 - 200 + 1^2$$

$$= 10000 - 200 + 1$$

$$= 9801$$

iii) 102^2

$$= (100 + 2)^2$$

$$= 100^2 + 400 + 2^2$$

$$= 10000 + 400 + 4 = 10404$$

iv) 998^2

$$= (1000 - 2)^2$$

$$= 1000^2 - 4000 + 2^2$$

$$= 1000000 - 4000 + 4$$

$$= 996004$$

v) 5.2^2

$$= (5 + 0.2)^2$$

$$= 5^2 + 2 + 0.2^2$$

$$= 25 + 2 + 0.04 = 27.04$$

vi) 297×303

$$= (300 - 3)(300 + 3)$$

$$= 300^2 - 3^2$$

$$= 90000 - 9$$

$$= 89991$$

vii) 78×82

$$= (80 - 2)(80 + 2)$$

$$= 80^2 - 2^2$$

$$= 6400 - 4$$

$$= 6396$$

viii) 8.9^2

$$\begin{aligned} &= (9 - 0.1)^2 \\ &= 9^2 - 1.8 + 0.1^2 \\ &= 81 - 1.8 + 0.01 \\ &= 79.21 \end{aligned}$$

ix) 10.5×9.5

$$\begin{aligned} &= (10 + 0.5)(10 - 0.5) \\ &= 10^2 - 0.5^2 \\ &= 100 - 0.25 \\ &= 99.75 \end{aligned}$$

7. Using $a^2 - b^2 = (a + b)(a - b)$, find

- (i) $51^2 - 49^2$
- (ii) $(1.02)^2 - (0.98)^2$
- (iii) $153^2 - 147^2$
- (iv) $12.1^2 - 7.9^2$

Solution:

i) $51^2 - 49^2$

$$= (51 + 49)(51 - 49) = 100 \times 2 = 200$$

ii) $(1.02)^2 - (0.98)^2$

$$= (1.02 + 0.98)(1.02 - 0.98) = 2 \times 0.04 = 0.08$$

iii) $153^2 - 147^2$

$$= (153 + 147)(153 - 147) = 300 \times 6 = 1800$$

iv) $12.1^2 - 7.9^2$

$$= (12.1 + 7.9)(12.1 - 7.9) = 20 \times 4.2 = 84$$

8. Using $(x + a)(x + b) = x^2 + (a + b)x + ab$, find

- (i) 103×104
- (ii) 5.1×5.2
- (iii) 103×98

$$(iv) 9.7 \times 9.8$$

Solution:

$$i) 103 \times 104$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (100 + 3)(100 + 4) \\ &= 100^2 + (3 + 4)100 + 12 \\ &= 10000 + 700 + 12 \\ &= 10712 \end{aligned}$$

$$ii) 5.1 \times 5.2$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (5 + 0.1)(5 + 0.2) \\ &= 5^2 + (0.1 + 0.2)5 + 0.1 \times 0.2 \\ &= 25 + 1.5 + 0.02 \\ &= 26.52 \end{aligned}$$

$$iii) 103 \times 98$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (100 + 3)(100 - 2) \\ &= 100^2 + (3-2)100 - 6 \\ &= 10000 + 100 - 6 \\ &= 10094 \end{aligned}$$

$$iv) 9.7 \times 9.8$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (9 + 0.7)(9 + 0.8) \\ &= 9^2 + (0.7 + 0.8)9 + 0.56 \\ &= 81 + 13.5 + 0.56 \\ &= 95.06 \end{aligned}$$