

Show all necessary steps clearly, neatly, systematically to receive full credit.

1. Perform indicated operation.

2 a. $(5x^2y^2 + 6x + 9y) + (-x - y + x^2y^2)$

$$= 5x^2y^2 + 6x + 9y - x - y + x^2y^2$$

$$= 6x^2y^2 + 5x + 8y //$$

2 e. $(5x-2)^2$

$$= 25x^2 - 20x + 4 //$$

2 b. $(3m^3 + 7m^2 - 20) - (-8m + 8m^3 - 14)$

$$= 3m^3 + 7m^2 - 20 + 8m - 8m^3 + 14$$

$$= -5m^3 + 7m^2 + 8m - 6 //$$

2 f. $(ab - 0.6)(0.8ab + 0.4)$

$$= 0.8a^2b^2 + 0.4ab - 0.48ab - 0.24$$

$$= 0.8a^2b^2 + 0.08ab - 0.24 //$$

2 c. $12x^2(-10x^6 + 3x^2 - 9)$

$$= -120x^8 + 36x^4 - 108x^2 //$$

2 g. $(9x-7y)(9x+7y)$

$$= 81x^2 - 49y^2 //$$

2 d. $(x-1)(4x-7)$

$$= 4x^2 - 7x - 4x + 7$$

$$= 4x^2 - 11x + 7 //$$

2 h. $(6x-1)(x^2-4x+1)$

$$= 6x^3 - 24x^2 + 6x - x^2 + 4x - 1$$

$$= 6x^3 - 25x^2 + 10x - 1 //$$

$$2 \text{ i. } \frac{8x^2 + 24x - 13}{4x}$$

$$= \frac{8x^2}{4x} + \frac{24x}{4x} - \frac{13}{4x}$$

$$= 2x + 6 - \frac{13}{4x} //$$

$$2 \text{ j. } \text{ Use synthetic division } (6x^2 + 37x - 18) \div (x - 7)$$

$$\begin{array}{r|rrr} 7 & 6 & 37 & -18 \\ & \downarrow & 42 & 535 \\ \hline & 6 & 79 & 535 \end{array}$$

$$6x + 79 + \frac{535}{x-7} //$$

$$4 \text{ k. } [y - (x - 2)][y + (x - 2)]$$

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

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

$$= y^2 - x^2 + 4x - 4 //$$

2. Factor the polynomial completely. If the polynomial cannot be factored, say it is prime.

$$2 \text{ a. } \underline{xy + 11x - 2y - 22}$$

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

$$= (y + 11)(x - 2) //$$

$$4 \text{ l. } (x^4 + 4x - 7 - 3x^2) \div (x^2 - 4)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x^2 + 1 \\ \hline x^2 - 4 \overline{) x^4 + 0x^3 - 3x^2 + 4x - 7} \\ \underline{-(x^4)} + 4x - 7 \\ \oplus -4x^2 \\ + 4x - 7 \\ \oplus -4 \\ \hline 4x - 3 \end{array}$$

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

$$2 \text{ d. } 9x^2 + 13x - 10$$

$$= (9x - 5)(x + 2) //$$

$$2 \text{ b. } x^4 - 1$$

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

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

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

$$1 \text{ e. } 25x^2 + 49$$

$$= \text{prime} //$$

$$2 \text{ c. } x^2 - 11x + 30$$

$$= (x - 5)(x - 6) //$$

$$1 \text{ f. } 15(x + 11) - y(x + 11)$$

$$= (x + 11)(15 - y) //$$

$$2 \text{ g. } 3x^2y - 9xy - 120y$$

$$= 3y (x^2 - 3x - 40)$$

$$= 3y (x - 8)(x + 5) //$$

$$2 \text{ l. } 3t^5 - 6t^4 - 45t^3$$

$$= 3t^3 (t^2 - 2t - 15)$$

$$= 3t^3 (t - 5)(t + 3) //$$

$$2 \text{ h. } 28x^3 - 132x^2 + 80x$$

$$= 4x (7x^2 - 33x + 20)$$

$$= 4x (7x - 5)(x - 4) //$$

$$2 \text{ m. } \frac{12x^2 + 15x - 20x - 25}{}$$

$$= 3x(4x + 5) - 5(4x + 5)$$

$$= (4x + 5)(3x - 5) //$$

$$2 \text{ i. } 20x^2 + 27x + 9$$

$$= (4x + 3)(5x + 3) //$$

$$2 \text{ n. } x^2 + 2xy - 15y^2$$

$$= (x + 5y)(x - 3y) //$$

$$2 \text{ j. } x^2 - 5x - 24$$

$$= (x - 8)(x + 3) //$$

$$2 \text{ o. } \overset{(4x)^2}{81x^2} + 90xy + \overset{(5y)^2}{25y^2}$$

$$= (4x + 5y)^2 //$$

$$2 \text{ k. } 25x^3 - 81x$$

$$= x (25x^2 - 81)$$

$$= x (5x - 9)(5x + 9)$$

$$2 \text{ p. } 125x^3 + y^3$$

$$= (5x)^3 + (y)^3$$

$$= (5x + y)(25x^2 - 5xy + y^2)$$

4 q. $4x^4y - 64y^5$

$$= 4y(x^4 - 16y^4)$$

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

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

4 r. $x^3 - 4x^2 - 9x + 36$

$$= x^2(x - 4) - 9(x - 4)$$

$$= (x - 4)(x^2 - 9)$$

$$= (x - 4)(x - 3)(x + 3) //$$

4 s. $18x^3y + 57x^2y^2 + 30xy^3$

$$= 3xy(6x^2 + 19xy + 10y^2)$$

$$= 3xy(3x + 2y)(2x + 5y) //$$

3. Solve:

4 a. $9x^2 = 16x$

$$9x^2 - 16x = 0$$

$$x(9x - 16) = 0$$

$$x = 0 \quad \left| \quad 9x - 16 = 0 \right.$$

$$\quad \quad \quad \quad \quad \quad \quad x = \frac{16}{9}$$

$$\left\{ 0, \frac{16}{9} \right\} //$$

4 c. $x(3x + 8) = -5$

$$3x^2 + 8x + 5 = 0$$

$$(3x + 5)(x + 1) = 0$$

$$3x + 5 = 0 \quad \left| \quad x + 1 = 0 \right.$$

$$x = -\frac{5}{3} \quad \quad \quad x = -1$$

$$\left\{ -\frac{5}{3}, -1 \right\} //$$

8 e. $(y+1)^2 - 8(y+1) - 9 = 0$

let $u = y + 1$

$$u^2 - 8u - 9 = 0$$

$$(u - 9)(u + 1) = 0$$

$$u - 9 = 0 \quad \left| \quad u + 1 = 0 \right.$$

$$y + 1 - 9 = 0 \quad \left| \quad y + 1 + 1 = 0 \right.$$

$$y - 8 = 0 \quad \quad \quad y + 2 = 0$$

$$y = 8 \quad \quad \quad y = -2$$

$$\left\{ -2, 8 \right\} //$$

4 b. $9x^2 = 16$

$$9x^2 - 16 = 0$$

$$(3x - 4)(3x + 4) = 0$$

$$3x - 4 = 0 \quad \left| \quad 3x + 4 = 0 \right.$$

$$x = \frac{4}{3} \quad \quad \quad x = -\frac{4}{3}$$

$$\left\{ -\frac{4}{3}, \frac{4}{3} \right\} //$$

4 d. $(x+8)(x-3) = -30$

$$x^2 + 5x - 24 = -30$$

$$x^2 + 5x + 6 = 0$$

$$(x + 3)(x + 2) = 0$$

$$x + 3 = 0 \quad \left| \quad x + 2 = 0 \right.$$

$$x = -3 \quad \quad \quad x = -2$$

$$\left\{ -3, -2 \right\} //$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 4. \text{ Simplify: } & \frac{xy+4y-7x-28}{x^2+11x+28} \\
 = & \frac{(x+4)(y-7)}{(x+7)(x+4)} \\
 = & \frac{y-7}{x+7} //
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{side} \\
 & \frac{xy+4y-7x-28}{y(x+4)-7(x+4)} \\
 & \frac{(x+4)(y-7)}{(x+4)(y-7)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 7. \text{ Divide: } & \frac{x^2-25}{2x-2} \div \frac{x^2+10x+25}{x^2+4x-5} \\
 = & \frac{x^2-25}{2x-2} \cdot \frac{x^2+4x-5}{x^2+10x+25} \\
 = & \frac{(x-5)(x+5)}{2(x-1)} \cdot \frac{(x+5)(x-1)}{(x+5)(x+5)} \\
 = & \frac{x-5}{2} //
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 5. \text{ Multiply: } & \frac{25-y^2}{y^2-2y-35} \cdot \frac{y^2-8y-20}{y^2-3y-10} \\
 = & \frac{(5-y)(5+y)}{(y-7)(y+5)} \cdot \frac{(y-10)(y+2)}{(y-5)(y+2)} \\
 = & -\frac{y-10}{y-7} //
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 8. \text{ Simplify: } & \frac{2x}{x+1} - \frac{x^2-3}{4 + \frac{4}{x+2}} \\
 = & \frac{\frac{2x}{x+1} - \frac{x^2-3}{(x+2)(x+1)}}{4 + \frac{4}{x+2}} \cdot \frac{(x+2)(x+1)}{(x+2)(x+1)} \\
 = & \frac{2x \cdot (x+2) - (x^2-3)}{4(x+2)(x+1) + 4(x+1)} \\
 = & \frac{2x^2+4x-x^2+3}{4(x+1)[(x+2)+1]} \\
 = & \frac{x^2+4x+3}{4(x+1)(x+3)} \\
 = & \frac{(x+3)(x+1)}{4(x+1)(x+3)} \\
 = & \frac{1}{4} //
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 6. \text{ Perform indicated operation: } & \frac{2x}{x^2-16} - \frac{1}{4-x} \\
 = & \frac{2x}{(x-4)(x+4)} - \frac{1}{-(x-4)} \\
 = & \frac{2x}{(x-4)(x+4)} + \frac{1}{x-4} \\
 = & \frac{2x + 1 \cdot (x+4)}{(x-4)(x+4)} \\
 = & \frac{2x+x+4}{(x-4)(x+4)} \\
 = & \frac{3x+4}{(x-4)(x+4)} //
 \end{aligned}$$

5 9. Consider the polynomial function $f(x) = 2x^2 - 5x + 4$, (i) find $f(-3)$, (ii) find $f(x+h)$ and simplify your final answer.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{i) } f(-3) &= 2(-3)^2 - 5(-3) + 4 \\ &= 18 + 15 + 4 \\ &= 37 // \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ii) } f(x+h) &= 2(x+h)^2 - 5(x+h) + 4 \\ &= 2(x^2 + 2xh + h^2) - 5x - 5h + 4 \\ &= 2x^2 + 4xh + 2h^2 - 5x - 5h + 4 // \end{aligned}$$

5 10. Let $f(x) = x^4 - 65x^2 + 55$. Use the Factor Theorem to determine whether $x-8$ is a factor of the function.

$$\begin{array}{r|rrrrr} 8 & 1 & 0 & -65 & 0 & 55 \\ & \downarrow & 8 & 64 & -8 & -64 \\ \hline & 1 & 8 & -1 & -8 & -9 \end{array}$$

Since remainder is not 0, by the factor theorem $x-8$ is not a factor of the function.

8 11. The base of a triangle is 4 m shorter than its height. What are the height and base of the triangle if its area is 48 square meters?

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{1} \text{ base} &= x - 4 \\ \text{height} &= x \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{3} \text{ base} &= 8 \text{ m} \\ \text{height} &= 12 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$



$$\textcircled{2} \quad 48 = \frac{1}{2} (x-4) \cdot x$$

$$48 = \frac{1}{2} x (x-4)$$

$$48 = \frac{1}{2} x^2 - 2x$$

$$0 = \frac{1}{2} x^2 - 2x - 48$$

$$0 = x^2 - 4x - 96$$

$$0 = (x - 12)(x + 8)$$

$$\begin{array}{l|l} x - 12 = 0 & x + 8 = 0 \\ x = 12 & x = -8 \end{array}$$