Chapter 3

Algebra

Ex 3.1

Question 1.

Fill in the blanks.

1. $(p - q)^2 = _$ 2. The product of (x + 5) and (x - 5) is $_$ 3. The factors of $x^2 - 4x + 4$ are $_$ 4. Express $24ab^2c^2$ as product of its factors is $_$

Answers:

1. $p^2 - 2pq + q^2$ 2. $x^2 - 25$ 3. (x - 2) and (x - 2)4. $2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times a \times b \times b \times c \times c$

Question 2.

Say whether the following statements are True or False.

(i) $(7x + 3) (7x - 4) = 49 x^2 - 7x - 12$ (ii) $(a - 1)^2 = a^2 - 1$. (iii) $(x^2 + y^2)(y^2 + x^2) = (x^2 + y^2)^2$ (iv) 2p is the factor of 8pq.

Answers:

(i) True(ii) False(iii) True(iv) True

Question 3. Express the following as the product of its factors. (i) 24ab²c² (ii) 36 x³y²z (iii) 56 mn²p²

Solution:

(i) $24ab^2c^2 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times a \times b \times b \times c \times c$

(ii) $36 x^3y^2z = 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 \times x \times x \times x \times y \times y \times z$ (iii) $56 mn^2p^2 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 7 \times m \times n \times n \times p \times p$

Question 4.

Using the identity $(x + a)(x + b) - x^2 + x(a + b) + ab$, find the following product.

(i) (x + 3) (x + 7)(ii) (6a + 9) (6a - 5)(iii) (4x + 3y) (4x + 5y)(iv) (8 + pq) (pq + 7)

Solution:

(i) (x + 3) (x + 7)Let a = 3; b = 7, then (x + 3) (x + 7) is of the form $x^2 + x (a + b) + ab$ $(x + 3) (x + 7) = x^2 + x (3 + 7) + (3 \times 7) = x^2 + 10x + 21$

(ii) (6a + 9) (6a - 5)Substituting x = 6a; a = 9 and b = -5 In (x + a) (x + b) = x² + x (a + b) + ab, we get $(6a + 9)(6a - 5) = (6a)^{2} + 6a (9 + (-5)) + (9 \times (-5))$ $6^{2} a^{2} + 6a (4) + (-45) = 36a^{2} + 24a - 45$ $(6a + 9) (6a - 5) = 36a^{2} + 24a - 45$

(iii) (4x + 3y) (4x + 5y)Substituting x = 4x; a = 3y and b = 5y in $(x + a) (x + b) = x^2 + x (a + b) + ab$, we get $(4x + 3y) (4x - 5y) = (4x)^2 + 4x (3y + 5y) + (3y) (5y)$ = $4^2 x^2 + 4x (8y) + 15y^2 = 16x^2 + 32xy + 15y^2$ $(4x + 3y) (4x + 5y) = 16x^2 + 32xy + 15y^2$

(iv) (8 + pq) (pq + 7)Substituting x = pq ; a = 8 and b = 7 in (x + a) (x + b) = x² + x (a + b) + ab, we get (pq + 8) (pq + 7) = (pq)² + pq (8 + 7) + (8) (7) = p² q² + pq (15) + 56 (8 + pq) (pq + 7) = p² q² + 15pq + 56

Question 5. Expand the following squares, using suitable identities. (i) $(2x + 5)^2$ (ii) $(b - 7)^2$ (iii) $(mn + 3p)^2$ (iv) $(xyz - 1)^2$

Solution:

(i) $(2x + 5)^2$ Comparing $(2x + 5)^2$ with $(a + b)^2$ we have a = 2x and b = 5a = 2x and b = 5, $(a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$ $(2x + 5)^2 = (2x)^2 + 2(2x)(5) + 5^2 = 2^2 x^2 + 20x + 25$ $= 2^2 x^2 + 20x + 25$ $(2x + 5)^2 = 4x^2 + 20x + 25$

(ii) $(b - 7)^2$ Comparing $(b - 7)^2$ with $(a - b)^2$ we have a = b and b = 7 $(a - b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2$ $(b - 7)^2 = b^2 - 2(b) (7) + 7^2$ $(b - 7)^2 = b^2 - 14b + 49$

(iii) $(mn + 3p)^2$ Comparing $(mn + 3p)^2$ with $(a + b)^2$ we have $(a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$ $(mn + 3p)^2 = (mn)^2 + 2(mn) (3p) + (3p)^2$ $(mn + 3p)^2 = m^2 n^2 + 6mnp + 9p^2$

(iv) $(xyz - 1)^2$ Comparing $(xyz - 1)^2$ with $(a - b)^2$ we have = a + xyz and b = 1a = xyz and b = 1 $(a - b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2$ $(xyz - 1)^2 = (xyz)^2 - 2 (xyz) (1) + 1^2$ $(xyz - 1)^2 = x^2 y^2 z^2 - 2 xyz + 1$

Question 6. Using the identity (a + b)(a - b) = a2 - b2, find the following product. (i) (p + 2) (p - 2)(ii) (1 + 3b) (3b - 1)(iii) (4 - mn) (mn + 4)(iv) (6x + 7y) (6x - 7y)

Solution: (i) (p + 2) (p - 2)Substituting a = p; b = 2 in the identity $(a + b) (a - b) = a^2 - b^2$, we get $(p + 2) (p - 2) = p^2 - 2^2$ (ii) (1 + 3b)(3b - 1) (1 + 3b) (3b - 1) can be written as (3b + 1) (3b - 1)Substituting a = 36 and b = 1 in the identity

 $(a + b) (a - b) = a^2 - b^2$, we get

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(3b + 1)(3b - 1) = (3b)^2 - 1^2 = 3^2 \times b^2 - 1^2
(3b + 1)(3b - 1) = 9b^2 - 1^2
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(iii) (4 - mn) (mn + 4)
(4 - mn) (mn + 4) can be written as (4 - mn) (4 + mn) = (4 + mn) (4 - mn)
Substituting a = 4 and b = mn is
(a + b) (a - b) = a<sup>2</sup> - b<sup>2</sup>, we get
(4 + mn) (4 - mn) = 4<sup>2</sup> - (mn)<sup>2</sup> = 16 - m<sup>2</sup> n<sup>2</sup>
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(iv) (6x + 7y) (6x - 7y)

Substituting a = 6x and b = 7y in

(a + b) (a - b) = a^2 - b^2, We get

(6x + 7y) (6x - 7y) = (6x)^2 - (7y)^2 = 6^2x^2 - 7^2y^2

(6x + 7y) (6x - 7y) = (6x)^2 - (7y)^2 = 6^2x^2 - 7^2y^2

(6x + 7y) (6x - 7y) = 36x^2 - 49y^2
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Question 7. Evaluate the following, using suitable identity. (i) 51² (ii) 103² (iii) 998² (iv) 47² (v) 297 × 303 (vi) 990 × 1010 (vii) 51 × 52

Solution:

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51<sup>2</sup>
= (50 + 1)^2
Taking a = 50 and b = 1 we get
(a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2
(50 + 1)^2 = 50^2 + 2 (50) (1) + 1^2 = 2500 + 100 + 1
51^2 = 2601
(ii) 103<sup>2</sup>
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103^{2} = (100 + 3)^{2}
Taking a = 100 and b = 3
(a + b)<sup>2</sup> = a<sup>2</sup> + 2ab + b<sup>2</sup> becomes
(100 + 3)<sup>2</sup> = 100<sup>2</sup> + 2 (100) (3) + 3<sup>2</sup> = 10000 + 600 + 9
103<sup>2</sup> = 10609
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(iii) 998^2

998^2 = (1000 - 2)^2

Taking a = 1000 and b = 2
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(a - b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2 becomes
(1000 - 2)^2 = 1000^2 - 2(1000)(2) + 2^2
= 1000000 - 4000 + 4
998^2 = 10.04.004
(iv) 47<sup>2</sup>
47^2 = (50 - 3)^2
Taking a = 50 and b = 3
(a - b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2 becomes
(50-3)^2 = 50^2 - 2(50)(3) + 3^2
= 2500 - 300 + 9 = 2200 + 9
47^2 = 2209
(v) 297 × 303
297 \times 303 = (300 - 3)(300 + 3)
Taking a = 300 and b = 3, then
(a + b) (a - b) = a^2 - b^2 becomes
(300 + 3) (300 - 3) = 300^2 - 3^2
303 \times 297 = 90000 - 9
297 \times 303 = 89,991
(vi) 990 × 1010
990 \times 1010 = (1000 - 10) (1000 + 10)
Taking a = 1000 and b = 10, then
(a - b) (a + b) = a^2 - b^2 becomes
(1000 - 10) (1000 + 10) = 1000^2 - 10^2
990 \times 1010 = 1000000 - 100
990 \times 1010 = 999900
(vii) 51 × 52
= (50 + 1) (50 + 1)
Taking x = 50, a = 1 and b = 2
then (x + a) (x + b) = x^2 + (a + b) x + ab becomes
(50 + 1) (50 + 2) = 50^{2} + (1 + 2) 50 + (1 \times 2)
2500 + (3) 50 + 2 = 2500 + 150 + 2
51 \times 52 = 2652
Question 8.
Simplify: (a + b)2 - 4ab
Solution:
(a + b)^2 - 4ab = a^2 + b^2 + 2ab - 4ab = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab = (a - b)^2
Question 9.
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Show that (m - n)2 + (m + n)2 = 2(m2 + n2)

Solution: Taking the LHS = $(m - n)^2 + (m + n)^2$ = $m^2 - 2mn + n^2 + m^2 + 2mn + n^2 = m^2 + n^2 + m^2 + n^2$ = $2m^2 + 2n^2$ = $2(m^2 + n^2) = RHS$ $\therefore (m - n)^2 + (m + n)^2$ = $2(m^2 + n^2)$ [$\therefore (a + b)^2 - 4ab = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$ $(a - b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2$]

Question 10. If a + b = 10, and ab = 18, find the value of a2 + b2.

Solution:

We have $(a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$ $(a + b)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + 2ab$ given a + b = 0 and ab = 18 $10^2 = a^2 + b^2 + 2(18)$ $100 = a^2 + b^2 + 36$ $100 - 36 = a^2 + b^2$ $a^2 + b^2 = 64$

Question 11.

Factorise the following algebraic expressions by using the identity $a^2 - b^2 = (a + b)(a - b)$. (i) $z^2 - 16$ (ii) $9 - 4y^2$ (iii) $25a^2 - 49b^2$ (iv) $x^4 - y^4$

Solution:

(i) $z^2 - 16$ $z^2 - 16 = z^2 - 4^2$ We have $a^2 - b^2 = (a + b) (a - b)$ let a = z and b = 4, $z^2 - 4^2 = (z + 4) (z - 4)$

(ii) $9 - 4y^2$ $9 - 4y^2 = 3^2 - 2^2 y^2 = 3^2 - (2y)^2$ let a = 3 and b = 2y, then $a^2 - b^2 = (a + b) (a - b)$ $\therefore 3^2 - (2y)^2 = (3 + 2y) (3 - 2y)$ $9 - 4y^2 = (3 + 2y) (3 - 2y)$

(iii) $25a^2 - 49b^2$ $25a^2 - 49b^2 = 52 - a^2 - 72 = (5a)^2 - (7b)^2$

let A = 5a and B = 7b
A² B²
(5a)² - (7b)² = (5a + 7b) (5a - 7b)
(iv) x⁴ - y⁴
Let x⁴ - y⁴ = (x²)² - (y²)²
We have a² - b² = (a + b) (a - b)
(x²)² - (y²)² = (x² + y²) (x² - y²)
x⁴ - y⁴ = (x² + y²) (x² - y²)
Again we have x² - y² = (x + y) (x - y)

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

Question 12. Factorise the following using suitable identity. (i) $x^2 - 8x + 16$ (ii) $y^2 + 20y + 100$ (iii) $36m^2 + 60m + 25$ (iv) $64x^2 - 112xy + 49y^2$ (v) $a^2 + 6ab + 9b^2 - c^2$

Solution:

(i) $x^2 - 8x + 16$ $x^2 - 8x + 16 = x^2 - (2 \times 4 \times x) + 4^2$ This expression is in the form of identity $a^2 - 2ab + b^2 = (a - b)^2$ $x^2 - 2 \times 4 \times x + 4^2 = (x - 4)^2$ $\therefore x^2 - 8x + 16 = (x - 4) (x - 4)$

(ii) $y^2 + 20y + 100$ $y^2 + 20y + 100 = y^2 + (2 \times (10)) y + (10 \times 10)$ $= y^2 + (2 \times 10 \times y) + 10^2$ This is of the form of identity $a^2 + 2 ab + b^2 = (a + b)^2$ $y^2 + (2 \times 10 \times y) + 10^2 = (y + 10)^2$ $y^2 + 20y + 100 = (y + 10)^2$ $y^2 + 20y + 100 = (y + 10) (y + 10)$

(iii) $36m^2 + 60m + 25$ $36m^2 + 60m + 25 = 62 m^2 + 2 \times 6m \times 5 + 5^2$ This expression is of the form of identity $a^2 + 2ab + b^2 = \{a + b\}^2$ $(6m)^2 + (2 \times 6m \times 5) + 5^2$ $= (6m + 5)^2$ $36m^2 + 60m + 25 = (6m + 5) (6m + 5)$ (iv) $64x^2 - 112xy + 49y^2$ $64x^2 - 112xy + 49y^2 = 82x^2 - (2 \times 8x \times 7y) + 7^2y^2$ This expression is of the form of identity $a^2 - 2ab + b^2 = (a - b)^2$ $(8x)^2 - (2 \times 8x \times 7y) + (7y)^2 = (8x - 7y)^2$ $64x^2 - 112xy + 49y^2 = (8x - 7y)(8x - 7y)$

(v) $a^2 + 6ab + 9b^2 - c^2$ $a^2 + 6ab + 9b^2 - c^2 = a^2 + 2 \times a \times 3b + 3^2 b^2 - c^2$ $= a^2 + (2 \times a \times 3b) + (3b)^2 - c^2$

This expression is of the form of identity $[a^2 + 2ab + b^2] - c^2 = (a + b)^2 - c^2$ $a^2 + (2 \times a \times 36) + (3b)^2 - c^2 = (a + 3b)^2 - c^2$

Again this RHS is of the form of identity $a^2 - b^2 = (a + b) (a - b)$ $(a + 3b)^2 - c^2 = [(a + 3b) + c] [(a + 3b) - c]$ $a^2 + 6ab + 9b^2 - c^2 = (a + 3b + c) (a + 3b - c)$

Objective Type Questions

Question 1. If a + b = 5 and a2 + b2 = 13, then ab = ? (i) 12 (ii) 6 (iii) 5 (iv) 13 Answer:

(ii) 6

Hint: $(a + b)^2 = 25$ 13 + 2ab = 25 2ab = 12 ab = 6

Question 2.

(5 + 20)(-20 - 5) = ? (i) -425 (ii) 375 (iii) -625 (iv) 0

Answer:

(iii) -625

Hint: $(50 + 20)(-20 - 5) = -(5 + 20)^2 = -(25)^2 = -625$

Question 3.

The factors of $x^2 - 6x + 9$ are (i) (x - 3)(x - 3)(ii) (x - 3)(x + 3)(iii) (x + 3)(x + 3)(iv) (x - 6)(x + 9)

Answer:

(i) (x - 3)(x - 3)

Hint: $x^2 - 6x + 9 = x^2 - 2(x)(3) + 3^2$ $a^2 - 2ab + b^2 - (a - b)^2 = (x - 3)^2 = (x - 3)(x - 3)$

Question 4.

The common factors of the algebraic expression ax2y, bxy2 and cxyz is (i) x²y (ii) xw²

(ii) xy² (iii) xyz (iv) x

Ans :

(iv) xy

Hint: $ax^2y = a \times x \times x \times y$ $bxy^2 = b \times x \times y \times y$ $cxyz = C \times x \times y \times z$ Common factor = xy

Ex 3.2

Question 1. Given that x > y. Fill in the blanks with suitable inequality signs. (i) y [] x (ii) x+ 6 [] y + 6 (iii) x² [] xy (iv) -xy [] - y² (v) x – y [] 0

Answer:

(i) $y \leq x$ (ii) $x + 6 \geq y + 6$ (iii) $x^{2} \geq xy$ (iv) $-xy \leq -y^{2}$ (v) $x - y \geq 0$

Question 2. Say True or False.

(i) Linear inequation has almost one solution.

Answer: False

(ii) When x is an integer, the solution set for x < 0 are -1, -2,...

Answer:

False

(iii) An inequation, -3 < x < -1, where x is an integer, cannot be represented in the number line.

Answer:

True

(iv) x < -y can be rewritten as – y < x

Ans :

False

Question 3.

Solve the following inequations.

- (i) $x \leq 7$, where x is a natural number.
- (ii) x 6 < 1, where x is a natural number.
- (iii) $2a + 3 \leq 13$, where a is a whole number.
- (iv) $6x 7 \ge 35$, where x is an integer.
- (v) 4x 9 > -33, where x is a negative integer.

Solution:

(i) $x \leq 7$, where x is a natural number.

Since the solution belongs to the set of natural numbers, that are less than or equal to 7, we take the values of x as 1,2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7.

(ii) x - 6 < 1, where x is a natural number.

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x - 6 < 1 Adding 6 on the both the sides x - 6 + 6 < 1 + 6
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x < 7

Since the solutions belongs to the set of natural numbers that are less than 7, we take the values of x as 1,2, 3, 4, 5 and 6

(iii) $2a + 3 \leq 13$, where a is a whole number.

2a + 3 <u><</u> 13

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Subtracting 3 from both the sides 2a + 3 - 3 \le 13 - 3
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2a <u><</u> 10

Dividing both the side by 2. $2a2 \leq 102$

a <u><</u> 5

Since the solutions belongs to the set of whole numbers that are less than or equal to 5 we take the values of a as 0, 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5

(iv) $6x - 7 \ge 35$, where x is an integer.

 $6x - 7 \ge 35$ Adding 7 on both the sides

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6x - 7 + 7 <u>></u> 35 + 7
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6x <u>></u> 42

Dividing both the sides by 6 we get $6x6 \ge 426$

x <u>></u> 7

Since the solution belongs to the set of integers that are greater than or equal to 7, we take the values of x as 7, 8, 9, 10...

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(v) 4x - 9 > -33, where x is a negative integer.

4x - 9 > -33 + 9 Adding 9 both the sides

4x - 9 + 9 > -33 + 9

4x > -24

Dividing both the sides by 4

4x4 > -244

x > -6

Since the solution belongs to a negative integer that are greater than -6, we

take values of u as -5, -4, -3, -2 and -1
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Question 4.

Solve the following inequations and represent the solution on the number line:

(i) k > -5, k is an integer.

(ii) $-7 \leq y$, y is a negative integer.

(iii) $-4 \le x \le 8$, x is a natural number.

(iv) $3m - 5 \le 2m + 1$, m is an integer.

Solution:

(i) k > -5, k is an integer.

Since the solution belongs to the set of integers, the solution is -4, -3, -2, -1, 0,... It's graph on number line is shown below.

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	-5							

(ii) $-7 \leq y$, y is a negative integer.

-7 <u><</u> y

Since the solution set belongs to the set of negative integers, the solution is -7, -6, -5, -4, -3, -2, -1.

Its graph on the number line is shown below

(iii) $-4 \le x \le 8$, x is a natural number.

-4 <u><</u> x <u><</u> 8

Since the solution belongs to the set of natural numbers, the solution is 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8.

Its graph on number line is shown below

$$-5 -4 -3 -2 -1 \ 0 \ 1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 4 \ 5 \ 6 \ 7 \ 8 \ 9 \ 10$$

(iv) $3m - 5 \le 2m + 1$, m is an integer.
 $3m - 5 \le 2m + 1$
Subtracting 1 on both the sides
 $3m - 5 - 1 \le 2m + 1 + 1$
 $3m - 6 \le 2m$
Subtracting 2m on both the sides $3m - 6 - 2m \le 2m - 2m$
 $m - 6 \le 0$
Adding 6 on both the sides $m - 6 + 6 \le 0 + 6$

m \leq 6 Since the solution belongs to the set of integers, the solution is 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1, 0,-1,... Its graph on number line is shown below

Question 5.

An artist can spend any amount between ₹ 80 to ₹ 200 on brushes. If cost of each brush is ₹ 5 and there are 6 brushes in each packet, then how many packets of brush can the artist buy?

Solution:

Given the artist can spend any amount between ₹ 80 to ₹ 200 Let the number of packets of brush he can buy be x Given cost of 1 brush = ₹ 5 Cost of 1 packet brush (6 brushes) = ₹ 5 × 6 = ₹ 30 \therefore Cost of x packets of brushes = 30 x \therefore The inequation becomes $80 \le 30x \le 200$ Dividing throughout by 30 we get $8030 \le 30x30 \le 20030$ $83 \le x \le 203$; $2 23 \le x \le 6 23$ brush packets cannot get in fractions. \therefore The artist can buy $3 \le x \le 6$ packets of brushes, or x = 3, 4, 5 and 6 packets of brushes.

Objective Type Questions

Question 1.

The solutions set of the inequation 3 are (where p is a natural number)

(i) 4,5 and 6
(ii) 3,4 and 5
(iii) 4 and 5
(iv) 3,4,5 and 6

Answer:

(iv) 3,4,5 and 6

Question 2.

The solution of the inequation 5x + 5 < 15 are (where x is a natural number)

(i) 1 and 2
(ii) 0,1 and 2
(iii) 2, 1,0, -1,-2
(iv) 1, 2, 3..

Answer:

(i) 1 and 2 Hint: 5x + 5 <u><</u> 15 5x <u><</u> 15 - 5 = 10 x <u><</u> 105 = 2

Question 3.

The cost of one pen is ₹ 8 and it is available in a sealed pack of 10 pens. If Swetha has only ₹ 500, how many packs of pens can she buy at the maximum?

- (i) 10
- (ii) 5
- (iii) 6
- (iv) 8

Answer:

(iii) 6

Hint:

Price of 1 pen = ₹ 8 Price of 1 pack = $10 \times 8 = 80$ Number of packs Swetha can buy = x $80x \le 500$ $8x \le 50$ $x \le 508 = 6.25$ x is a natural number x = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6

Question 4.

The inequation that is represented on the number line as shown below is _____.

 $\begin{array}{c} \hline & -9 & -8 & -7 & -6 & -5 & -4 & -3 & -2 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 & 9 \\ \hline (i) & -4 & < x & < 0 \\ \hline (ii) & -4 & < x & \leq 0 \\ \hline (iii) & -4 & < x & \leq 0 \\ \hline (iv) & -4 & \leq x & < 0 \\ \hline (v) & -4 & \leq x & \leq 2 \end{array}$

Answer:

(v) -4 <u><</u> x <u><</u> 2

Ex 3.3

Miscellaneous Practice problems

Question 1. Using identity, find the value of (i) $(4.9)^2$ (ii) $(100.1)^2$ (iii) $(1.9) \times (2.1)$

Solution: (i) $(4.9)^2$ $(4.9)^2 = (5 - 0.1)^2$ Substituting a = 5 and b = 0.1 in (a - b)² = a² - 2ab + b², we have $(5 - 0.1)^2 = 5^2 - 2(5) (0.1) + (0.1)^2$ $(4.9)^2 = 25 - 1 + 0.01 = 24 + 0.01$ $(4.9)^2 = 24.01$

(ii) $(100.1)^2$ $(100.1)^2 = (100 + 0.1)^2$ Substituting a = 100 and b = 0.1 in (a + b)² = a² + 2ab + b², we have $(100 + 0.1)^2 = (100)^2 + 2(100) (0.1) + (0.1)^2$ $(100.1)^2 = 10000 + 20 + 0.01$ $(100.1)^2 = 10020.01$

(iii) $(1.9) \times (2.1)$ (1.9) × (2.1) = (2 - 0.1) × (2 + 0.1) Substituting a = 100 and b = 0.1 in $(a - b) (a + b) = a^2 - b^2$ we have $(2 - 0.1) (2 + 0.1) = 2^2 - (0.1)^2$ $(1.9) \times (2.1) = 4 - 0.01$ (9.9) (2.1) = 3.99

Question 2. Factorise: 4x2 – 9y2

Solution:

 $4x^{2} - 9y^{2} = 22 x^{2} - 3^{2} y^{2} = (2x)^{2} - (3y)^{2}$ Substituting a = 2x and b = 3y in $(a^{2} - b^{2}) = (a + b) (a - b)$, we have $(2x)^{2} - (3y)^{2} = (2x + 3y) (2x - 3y)$ \therefore Factors of $4x^{2} - 9y^{2}$ are (2x + 3y) and (2x - 3y)

Question 3.

Simplify using identities (i) (3p + q) (3p + r)

(ii) (3p + q) (3p - q)

Solution:

(i) (3p + q) (3p + r)Substitute x = 3p,a = q and b = r in $(x + a) (x + b) = x^2 + x(a + b) + ab$ $(3p + q)(3p + r) = (3p)^2 + 3p (q + r) + (q \times r)$ $= 3^2 p^2 + 3p (q + r) + qr$ $(3p + q)(3p + r) = 9p^2 + 3p(q + r) + qr$

(ii) (3p + q) (3p - q)Substitute a = 3p and b = q in $(a + b) (a - b) = a^2 - b^2$, we have $(3p + q) (3p - q) = (3p)^2 - q^2 = 32 p^2 - q^2$ $(3P + q) (3p - q) = 9p^2 - q^2$

Question 4. Show that (x + 2y)2 - (x - 2y)2 = 8xy.

Solution:

LHS = $(x + 2y)^2 - (x - 2y)^2$ = $x^2 + (2 \times x \times 2y) + (2y)^2 - [x^2 - (2 \times x \times 2y) + (2y)^2]$ = $x^2 + 4xy + 4y^2 - [x^2 - 4xy + 2^2y^2]$ = $x^2 + 4xy + 4y^2 - x^2 + 4xy - 4y^2$ = $x^2 - x^2 + 4xy + 4xy + 4y^2 - 4y^2$ = $x^2 (1 - 1) + xy (4 + 4) + y^2 (4 - 4)$ $= 0x^{2} + 8xy + 0y^{2} = 8xy = RHS$ $\therefore (x + 2y)^{2} - (x - 2y)^{2} = 8xy$ $[\because (a + b)^{2} = a^{2} + 2ab + b^{2} (a - b)^{2} = a^{2} - 2ab + b^{2}]$

Question 5

The pathway of a square paddy field has 5 m width and length of its side is 40 m. Find the total area of its pathway. (Note: Use suitable identity)

Solution:

Given side of the square = 40 m Also width of the pathway = 5 m \therefore Side of the larger square = 40m + 2(5)m = 40m + 10m = 50m Area of the path way = area of large square – area of smaller square = $50^2 - 40^2$



Substituting a = 50 and b = 40 in $a^2 - b^2 = (a + b) (a - b)$ we have $50^2 - 40^2 = (50 + 40) (50 - 40)$ Area of pathway = 90×10 Area of the pathway = 900 m^2

Challenge Problems

Question 1. If X = a2 - 1 and Y = 1 - b2, then find X + Y and factorize the same.

Solution: Given $X = a^2 - 1$ $Y = I - b^2$ $X + Y = (a^2 - 1) + (1 - b^2)$ $= a^2 - 1 + 1 - b^2$ We know the identity that $a^2 - b^2 = (a + b) (a - b)$ $\therefore X + Y = (a + b) (a - b)$

Question 2. Find the value of (x - y) (x + y) (x2 + y2). Solution: We know that $(a - b) (a + b) = a^2 - b^2$ Put a = x and b = y in the identity (1) then $(x - y) (x + y) = x^2 - y^2$ Now $(x - y) (x + y)(x^2 + y^2) = (x^2 - y^2) (x^2 + y^2)$ Again put a = x² and b = y² in (1) We have $(x^2 - y^2) (x^2 + y^2) = (x^2)^2 - (y^2)^2 = x^4 - y^4$ So $(x - y) (x + y) (x^2 + y^2) = x^4 - y^4$

Question 3. Simplify (5x - 3y)2 - (5x + 3y)2.

Solution:

We have the identities $(a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$ $(a - b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2$ So $(5x - 3y)^2 - (5x + 3y)^2 = (5x)^2 - (2 \times 5x \times 3y) + (3y)^2$ $= 5^2x^2 - 30xy + 3^2y^2 - [5^2x^2 - 30xy + 3^2y^2]$ $= 25x^2 - 30xy + 9y^2 - [25x^2 + 30xy + 9y^2]$ $= 25x^2 - 30xy + 9y^2 - 25x^2 - 30xy - 9y^2$ $= x^2 (25 - 25) - xy (30 + 30) + y^2 (9 - 9)$ $= 0x^2 - 60xy + 0y^2 = -60xy$ $\therefore (5x - 3y)^2 - (5x + 3y)^2 = -60xy$

Question 4. Simplify : (i) (a + b)2 - (a - b)2(ii) (a + b)2 + (a - b)2

Solution:

Applying the identities $(a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$ $(a - b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2$

(i) $(a + b)^2 - (a - b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2 - [a^2 - 2ab + b^2]$ = $a^2 + 2ab + b^2 - a^2 + 2ab - b^2$ = $a^2 (1 - 1) + ab (2 + 2) + b^2 (1 - 1)$ = $0a^2 + 4 ab + 0b^2 = 4ab$ $(a + b)^2 - (a - b)^2 = 4ab$

(ii) $(a + b)^2 + (a - b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2 + (a^2 - 2ab + b^2)$ = $a^2 + 2ab + b^2 + a^2 - 2ab + b^2$ = $a^2 (1 + 1) + ab (2 - 2) + b^2 (1 + 1)$ = $2a^2 + 0 ab + 2b^2 = 2a^2 + 2b^2 = 2 (a^2 + b^2)$ $\therefore (a + b)^2 - (a - b)^2 = 2 (a^2 + b^2)$ Question 5.

A square lawn has a 2 m wide path surrounding it. If the area of the path is 136 m2, find the area of lawn.

Solution:

Let the side of the lawn = a m then side Of big square = (a + 2(2)) m = (a + 4)m



Area of the path – Area Of large square – Area of smaller square 136 = (a + 4)2 - a2 $136 = a^2 + (2 \times a \times 4) + 4^2 - a^2$ $136 = a^2 + 8a + 16 - a^2$ 136 = 8a + 16 136 = 8(a + 2)Dividing by 8 17 = a + 2Subtracting 2 on both sides 17 - 3 = a + 2 - 2 15 = a \therefore side of small square = 15 m Area of square = (side × side) Sq. units \therefore Area of the lawn = (15 × 15)m² = 225 m² \therefore Area of the lawn = 225 m²

Question 6. Solve the following inequalities.

(i) $4n + 7 \ge 3n + 10$, n is an integer (ii) $6(x + 6) \ge 5 (x - 3)$, x is a whole number. (iii) $-13 \le 5x + 2 \le 32$, x is an integer.

Solution:

(i) $4n + 7 \ge 3n + 10$, n is an integer. $4n + 7 - 3n \ge 3n + 10 - 3n$ $n(4 - 3) + 7 \ge 3n + 10 - 3n$ $n (4 - 3) + 7 \ge n (3 - 3) + 10$ $n + 7 \ge 10$ Subtracting 7 on both sides $n + 7 - 7 \ge 10 - 7$ $n \ge 3$ Since the solution is an integer and is greater than or equal to 3, the solution will be 3,

4, 5, 6, 7, n = 3, 4, 5, 6,7, (ii) $6(x+6) \ge 5(x-3)$, x is a whole number. $6x + 36 \ge 5x - 15$ Subtracting 5x on both sides 6x + 36 - 5x > 5x - 15 - 5x $x(6-5) + 36 \ge x(5-5) - 15$ x + 36 > -15Subtracting 36 on both sides $x + 36 - 36 \ge -15 - 36$ x <u>></u> −51 The solution is a whole number and which is greater than or equal to -51 \therefore The solution is 0, 1, 2, 3, 4,... x = 0,1,2, 3,4,... (iii) $-13 \le 5x + 2 \le 32$, x is an integer. Subtracting throughout by 2 $-13 - 2 \le 5x + 2 - 2 \le 32 - 2$ -15 <u><</u> 5x <u><</u> 30 Dividing throughout by 5 $-155 \le 5x5 \le 305$ -3 < x < 6

 \therefore Since the solution is an integer between -3 and 6 both inclusive, we have the

solution as -3, -2, -1,0, 1,2, 3, 4, 5, 6. i.e. x = -3, -2, 0, 1, 2, 3,4, 5 and 6.