

Bingo Questions and Answers

4. $160x^3 - 810x$

$$10x(16x^2 - 81)$$

$$10x(4x-9)(4x+9)$$

15. $9x^2 - 24x - 9$

$$3(3x^2 - 8x - 3)$$

$$3(3x^2 - 9x + x - 3)$$

$$3(3x(x-3) + 1(x-3))$$

$$3(3x+1)(x-3)$$

18. $8x^3 - 125$

$$(2x-5)(4x^2+10x+25)$$

13. $(x-1)^2 - 4$

$$\text{let } y = x-1$$

$$y^2 - 4$$

$$(y-2)(y+2)$$

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

$$(x-3)(x+1)$$

2. $3x^3 - 12x^2 - 36x$

$$3x(x^2 - 4x - 12)$$

$$3x(x-6)(x+2)$$

20. $(x+1)^2 - 2(x+1) - 24$

$$\text{let } y = x+1$$

$$y^2 - 2y - 24$$

$$(y-6)(y+4)$$

$$(x+1-6)(x+1+4)$$

$$(x-5)(x+5)$$

1. $121x^2 - 36$

$$(11x-6)(11x+6)$$

19. $49x^2 - 64y^2$

$$(7x-8y)(7x+8y)$$

5. $x^3 + 2x^2 + x$

$$\begin{aligned} &x(x^2 + 2x + 1) \\ &x(x+1)(x+1) \\ &x(x+1)^2 \end{aligned}$$

6. $24x^3 + 8x^2 + 24x + 8$

$$\begin{aligned} &8(3x^3 + x^2 + 3x + 1) \\ &8(x^2(3x+1) + 1(3x+1)) \\ &8(x^2+1)(3x+1) \end{aligned}$$

16. $4x^2 - 29x + 30$ $y = 120/x$

$$\begin{aligned} &4x^2 - 24x - 5x + 30 \\ &4x(x-6) - 5(x-6) \\ &(4x-5)(x-6) \end{aligned}$$

3. $16x^3 + 128$

$$\begin{aligned} &16(x^3 + 8) \\ &16(x+2)(x^2 - 2x + 4) \end{aligned}$$

7. $3x^3 + 2x^2 - 3x - 2$

$$\begin{aligned} &x^2(3x+2) - 1(3x+2) \\ &(x^2-1)(3x+2) \\ &(x+1)(x-1)(3x+2) \end{aligned}$$

21. $x^4 - 3x^2 - 18$

$$(x^2-6)(x^2+3)$$

8. $-x^3 - 8$

$$\begin{aligned} &-(x^3 + 8) \\ &-(x+2)(x^2 - 2x + 4) \\ &\text{on sign} \\ &(-x-2)(x^2 - 2x + 4) \end{aligned}$$

9. $x^2 + 18x + 81$

$$(x+9)(x+9)$$

11. $9x^2 + 30x + 25$

$$\begin{aligned} &9x^2 + 15x + 15x + 25 \\ &3x(3x+5) + 5(3x+5) \\ &(3x+5)(3x+5) \end{aligned}$$

$$10. 1-x^3$$

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

$$12. 6x^2+x-1$$

$$6x^2+3x-2x-1$$

$$3x(2x+1)-1(2x+1)$$

$$(3x-1)(2x+1)$$

$$14. 9-4x^2$$

$$(3-2x)(3+2x)$$

$$22. 2(x^2+1)^2+(x^2+1)-3$$

$$\text{let } y = x^2 + 1$$

$$2y^2 + y - 3$$

$$2y^2 + 3y - 2y - 3$$

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

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

$$(x^2+1-1)(2(x^2+1)+3)$$

$$x^2(2x^2+2+3) = x^2(2x^2+5)$$

$$23. 2x^3 - 16x^2 + 32x$$

$$2x(x^2 - 8x + 16)$$

$$2x(x-4)(x-4)$$

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

$$17. (x+2)^2 - (y-3)^2$$

$$\text{let } m = x+2$$

$$b = y-3$$

$$m^2 - b^2$$

$$(m-b)(m+b)$$

$$(x+2-(y-3))(x+2+y-3)$$

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

$$(x-y+5)(x+y-1)$$

$$24. 18x^3 + 24x^2 + 6x$$

$$6x(3x^2 + 4x + 1)$$

$$6x(3x^2 + 3x + x + 1)$$

$$6x(3x(x+1) + 1(x+1))$$

$$6x(3x+1)(x+1)$$

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PC: Factoring Practice

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Factor each of the following polynomials completely.

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