

STD 9 Maths [Manjari]
Exploring Algebraic Identities

*** Choose the right answer from the given options. [1 Marks Each]**

[25]

1. What is the value of $(a + b)^2$?

- (A) $(a^2 + b^2)$ (B) $(a^2 + 2ab + b^2)$ (C) $(a^2 - 2ab + b^2)$ (D) $(a^2 - ab + b^2)$

Ans. : (B) $(a^2 + 2ab + b^2)$

2. Which identity represents $(a - b)^2$?

- (A) $(a^2 - 2ab + b^2)$ (B) $(a^2 + b^2)$ (C) $(a^2 + 2ab + b^2)$ (D) $(a^2 - ab - b^2)$

Ans.: (A) $(a^2 - 2ab + b^2)$

3. The product of $(a + b)$ $(a - b)$ is

- (A) $(a^2 + b^2)$ (B) $(a^2 - b^2)$ (C) $(a^2 + 2ab + b^2)$ (D) $(a^2 - 2ab + b^2)$

Ans. : (B) $(a^2 - b^2)$

4. Expand $(x + 5)^2$.

- (A) $x^2 + 10x + 25$ (B) $x^2 + 25$ (C) $x^2 - 10x + 25$ (D) $x^2 + 5x + 25$

Ans.: (A) $x^2 + 10x + 25$

5. What is the expansion of $(y - 3)^2$?

- (A) $(y^2 + 6y + 9)$ (B) $(y^2 - 9)$ (C) $(y^2 - 6y + 9)$ (D) $(y^2 + 3y + 9)$

Ans. : (C) $(y^2 - 6y + 9)$

6. Which identity is used for $(a + b + c)^2$?

- (A) $(a^2 + b^2 + c^2)$
(B) $(a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab + 2bc + 2ca)$
(C) $(a^2 - b^2 - c^2)$
(D) $(a^2 + b^2 - c^2)$

Ans. : (B) $(a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab + 2bc + 2ca)$

7. Find the product of $(2x + 3)(2x - 3)$.

- (A) $(4x^2 - 9)$ (B) $(4x^2 + 9)$ (C) $(2x^2 - 9)$ (D) $(4x^2 + 6x - 9)$

Ans.: (A) $(4x^2 - 9)$

8. What is $(m + n)^2 - (m - n)^2$?

- (A) $(2mn)$ (B) $(4mn)$ (C) $(m^2 + n^2)$ (D) $(m^2 - n^2)$

Ans. : (B) $(4mn)$

9. Expand $(2a + b)^2$.

- (A) $(4a^2 + b^2)$ (B) $(4a^2 + 4ab + b^2)$ (C) $(2a^2 + b^2)$ (D) $(4a^2 + 2ab + b^2)$

Ans. : (B) $(4a^2 + 4ab + b^2)$

10. Which expression is equal to $(a^2 - b^2)$?

- (A) $(a + b)^2$ (B) $(a - b)^2$ (C) $(a + b)(a - b)$ (D) $(a - b)(a - b)$

Ans. : (C) $(a + b)(a - b)$

11. simplify

- (A) $(x^2 + 16)$ (B) $(x^2 - 16)$ (C) $(x^2 - 8x + 16)$ (D) $(x^2 + 8x + 16)$

Ans. : (B) $(x^2 - 16)$

12. Expand $(3p - q)^2$.

- (A) $(9p^2 - q^2)$ (B) $(9p^2 - 6pq + q^2)$ (C) $(3p^2 - q^2)$ (D) $(9p^2 + 6pq + q^2)$

Ans. : (B) $(9p^2 - 6pq + q^2)$

13. Which of the following is a standard algebraic identity?

- (A) $(a + b = a^2 + b^2)$
(B) $((a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2)$
(C) $(a - b = a^2 - b^2)$
(D) $(ab = a + b)$

Ans. : (B) $((a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2)$

14. Expand $(x + y + z)^2$.

- (A) $(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)$
(B) $(x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2xy + 2yz + 2zx)$
(C) $(x^2 - y^2 - z^2)$
(D) $(x + y + z)$

Ans. : (B) $(x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2xy + 2yz + 2zx)$

15. What is the square of $(5a)$?

- (A) $(10a)$ (B) $(25a)$ (C) $(25a^2)$ (D) $(5a^2)$

Ans. : (C) $(25a^2)$

16. Expand $(a + 2b)^2$.

- (A) $(a^2 + 2ab + 4b^2)$ (B) $(a^2 + 4ab + 4b^2)$ (C) $(a^2 - 4ab + 4b^2)$ (D) $(a^2 + 4b^2)$

Ans. : (B) $(a^2 + 4ab + 4b^2)$

17. The expression $(p - q)(p + q)$ simplifies to:

- (A) $(p^2 + q^2)$ (B) $(p^2 - q^2)$ (C) $(p^2 + 2pq + q^2)$ (D) $(p^2 - 2pq + q^2)$

Ans. : (B) $(p^2 - q^2)$

18. Expand $(4x + 1)^2$.

- (A) $(16x^2 + 8x + 1)$ (B) $(16x^2 + 1)$ (C) $(8x^2 + 1)$ (D) $(16x^2 - 8x + 1)$

Ans.: (A) $(16x^2 + 8x + 1)$

19. Which identity is used to find the square of a binomial?

- (A) $(a + b)^2$ (B) $(a - b)$ (C) $(a + b)$ (D) (ab)

Ans.: (A) $(a + b)^2$

20. Simplify $(7m - 2n)^2$.

- (A) $49m^2 - 28mn + 4n^2$ (B) $49m^2 + 4n^2$
(C) $14m^2 - 4n^2$ (D) $49m^2 + 28mn + 4n^2$

Ans.: (A) $49m^2 - 28mn + 4n^2$

21. What is the result of $(x + 2)(x + 2)$?

- (A) $(x^2 + 2x + 4)$ (B) $(x^2 + 4x + 4)$ (C) $(x^2 - 4)$ (D) $(x^2 + 4)$

Ans. : (B) $(x^2 + 4x + 4)$

22. Which expression gives the difference of squares?

- (A) $(a + b)^2$ (B) $(a - b)^2$ (C) $(a + b)(a - b)$ (D) (ab)

Ans. : (C) $(a + b)(a - b)$

23. Expand $(2x - 5)^2$.

- (A) $(4x^2 - 20x + 25)$ (B) $(4x^2 + 25)$ (C) $(2x^2 - 25)$ (D) $(4x^2 + 20x + 25)$

Ans.: (A) $(4x^2 - 20x + 25)$

24. Which of the following is the correct expansion of $(a - b + c)^2$?

- (A) $(a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - 2ab + 2ac - 2bc)$
(B) $(a^2 - b^2 + c^2)$
(C) $(a + b + c)$
(D) $(a^2 + 2ab + b^2)$

Ans.: (A) $(a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - 2ab + 2ac - 2bc)$

25. What is the value of $(3x + 2y)^2$?

- (A) $(9x^2 + 12xy + 4y^2)$
(B) $(9x^2 + 4y^2)$
(C) $(3x^2 + 2y^2)$
(D) $(9x^2 - 12xy + 4y^2)$

Ans.: (A) $(9x^2 + 12xy + 4y^2)$

* Answer the following short questions. [2 Marks Each]

26. Factor using suitable identities:

$$16y^2 - 24y + 9$$

Ans. : $16y^2 = (4y)^2$

$$9 = 3^2$$

$$-24y = -2(4y)(3)$$

Therefore, $16y^2 - 24y + 9$

$$= (4y)^2 - 2(4y)(3) + 3^2$$

$$= (4y - 3)^2 \text{ [Using } a^2 - 2ab + b^2 = (a - b)^2 \text{]}$$

27. Factor using suitable identities:

$$\frac{9}{4}s^2 + 6st + 4t^2$$

Ans. : $(9/4)s^2 = [(3s)/2]^2$

$$4t^2 = (2t)^2$$

$$6st = 2 \times (3s/2) \times (2t)$$

Therefore, $(9/4)s^2 + 6st + 4t^2$

$$= [(3s)/2]^2 + 2 \times (3s/2) \times (2t) + (2t)^2$$

$$= [(3s)/2 + 2t]^2 \text{ [Using } a^2 + 2ab + b^2 = (a + b)^2 \text{]}$$

28. Factor using suitable identities:

$$\frac{p^2}{16} - 2 + \frac{16}{p^2}$$

Ans. : Writing -2 as:

$$-2 = -2 \times (p/4) \times (4/p)$$

Now, $p^2/16 = (p/4)^2$

$$16/p^2 = (4/p)^2$$

So, $p^2/16 - 2 + 16/p^2$

$$= (p/4)^2 - 2(p/4)(4/p) + (4/p)^2$$

$$= (p/4 - 4/p)^2 \text{ [Using } a^2 - 2ab + b^2 = (a - b)^2 \text{]}$$

29. Factor the following:

$$9a^2 + b^2 + 4c^2 - 6ab + 12ac - 4bc$$

Ans. : $9a^2 + b^2 + 4c^2 - 6ab + 12ac - 4bc$

$$= (3a)^2 + (b)^2 + (2c)^2 + 2(3a)(-b) + 2(-b)(2c) + 2(3a)(2c)$$

$$= (3a - b + 2c)^2 \text{ [Using } x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2xy + 2xz + 2yz = (x + y + z)^2 \text{]}$$

30. Factor the following:

$$16s^2 + 25t^2 - 40st$$

Ans. : Now, $16s^2 + 25t^2 - 40st$

$$= 16s^2 - 40st + 25t^2 \text{ [Rearranging the terms]}$$

$$= (4s)^2 - 2(4s)(5t) + (5t)^2$$

$$= (4s - 5t)^2 \text{ [Using } a^2 - 2ab + b^2 = (a - b)^2 \text{]}$$

31. Factor the following:

$$r^2 - r - 42$$

Ans. : We need two numbers whose product = -42 and Sum = -1.
These numbers are -7 and 6.

$$\text{So, } r^2 - r - 42$$

$$= r^2 - 7r + 6r - 42$$

$$= r(r - 7) + 6(r - 7)$$

$$= (r - 7)(r + 6)$$

32. Factor the following:

$$49g^2 + 14gh + h^2$$

Ans. : $49g^2 + 14gh + h^2$

$$= (7g)^2 + 2(7g)(h) + (h)^2$$

$$= (7g + h)^2 \text{ [Using } a^2 + 2ab + b^2 = (a + b)^2 \text{]}$$

33. Factor the following:

$$64u^2 + 121v^2 + 4w^2 - 176uv - 32uw + 44vw$$

Ans. : $64u^2 + 121v^2 + 4w^2 - 176uv - 32uw + 44vw$

$$= 64u^2 + 121v^2 + 4w^2 - 176uv + 44vw - 32uw \text{ [Rearranging the terms]}$$

$$= (8u)^2 + (11v)^2 + (2w)^2 + 2(8u)(-11v) + 2(-11v)(-2w) + 2(8u)(-2w)$$

$$= (8u - 11v - 2w)^2 \text{ [Using } x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2xy + 2xz + 2yz = (x + y + z)^2 \text{]}$$

34. Use suitable identity to find the following product:

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

Ans. : $(-3x + 4)^2$

$$= (-3x)^2 + 2(-3x)(4) + 4^2 \text{ [Using the identity } (a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2 \text{]}$$

$$= 9x^2 - 24x + 16$$

35. Use suitable identity to find the following product:

$$(2s + 7)(2s - 7)$$

Ans. : $(2s + 7)(2s - 7)$

$$= (2s)^2 - 7^2 \text{ [Using the identity } (a + b)(a - b) = a^2 - b^2 \text{]}$$

$$= 4s^2 - 49$$

36. Use suitable identity to find the following product:

$$(p^2 + \frac{1}{2})(p^2 - \frac{1}{2})$$

Ans. : $(p^2 + 1/2)(p^2 - 1/2)$

$$= (p^2)^2 - (1/2)^2 \text{ [Using the identity } (a+b)(a-b) = a^2 - b^2 \text{]}$$

$$= p^4 - 1/4$$

37. Use suitable identity to find the following product:

$$(2n + 7)(2n - 7)$$

Ans. : $(2n + 7)(2n - 7)$

$$= (2n)^2 - 7^2 \text{ [Using the identity } (a+b)(a-b) = a^2 - b^2 \text{]}$$

$$= 4n^2 - 49$$

38. Use suitable identity to find the following product:

$$(s - 2t)(s^2 + 2st + 4t^2)$$

Ans. : $(s - 2t)(s^2 + 2st + 4t^2)$

$$= s^3 - (2t)^3 \text{ [Using the identity } (a-b)(a^2 + ab + b^2) = a^3 - b^3 \text{]}$$

$$= s^3 - 8t^3$$

39. Use suitable identity to find the following product:

$$\left(\frac{1}{2r} - 4r\right)^2$$

Ans. : $[1/(2r) - 4r]^2$

$$= (1/(2r))^2 - 2(1/(2r))(4r) + (4r)^2 \text{ [Using the identity } (a-b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2 \text{]}$$

$$= 1/(4r^2) - 4 + 16r^2$$

40. Use suitable identity to find the following product:

$$(-3m + 4k - l)^2$$

Ans. : So, $(-3m + 4k - l)^2$

$$= (-3m)^2 + (4k)^2 + (-l)^2 + 2(-3m)(4k) + 2(4k)(-l) + 2(-3m)(-l)$$

$$[\text{Using } (a+b+c)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab + 2bc + 2ca]$$

$$= 9m^2 + 16k^2 + l^2 - 24mk - 8kl + 6ml$$

41. Use suitable identity to find the following product:

$$\left(x - \frac{1}{3}y\right)^3$$

Ans. : $(x - 1/3y)^3$

$$= x^3 - 3x^2(y/3) + 3x(y/3)^2 - (y/3)^3$$

$$[\text{Using the identity } (a-b)^3 = a^3 - 3a^2b + 3ab^2 - b^3 \text{]}$$

$$= x^3 - x^2y + 3x(y^2/9) - y^3/27$$

$$= x^3 - x^2y + (1/3)xy^2 - y^3/27$$

42. Find the value using suitable identity:

$$17 \times 21$$

Ans. : Using identity: $(a-b)(a+b) = a^2 - b^2$

$$\text{We have } 17 \times 21 = (19 - 2)(19 + 2)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 19^2 - 2^2 \\
 &= 361 - 4 \\
 &= 357
 \end{aligned}$$

43. Find the value using suitable identity:

$$104 \times 96$$

Ans. : Using identity: $(a + b)(a - b) = a^2 - b^2$

$$\text{We have } 104 \times 96 = (100 + 4)(100 - 4)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 100^2 - 4^2 \\
 &= 10000 - 16 \\
 &= 9984
 \end{aligned}$$

44. Find the value using suitable identity:

$$24 \times 16$$

Ans. : Using identity: $(a + b)(a - b) = a^2 - b^2$

$$\text{We have } 24 \times 16 = (20 + 4)(20 - 4)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 20^2 - 4^2 \\
 &= 400 - 16 \\
 &= 384
 \end{aligned}$$

45. Find the value using suitable identity:

$$147^3$$

Ans. : We know that $147 = 150 - 3$

$$\text{So, } 147^3 = (150 - 3)^3$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 150^3 - 3 \times 150^2 \times 3 + 3 \times 150 \times 3^2 - 3^3 \quad [\text{Using identity } (a - b)^3 = a^3 - 3a^2b + 3ab^2 - b^3] \\
 &= 3375000 - 202500 + 4050 - 27 \\
 &= 3176523
 \end{aligned}$$

46. Find the value using suitable identity:

$$199^3$$

Ans. : $199 = 200 - 1$

$$\text{So, } 199^3 = (200 - 1)^3$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 200^3 - 3 \times 200^2 \times 1 + 3 \times 200 \times 1^2 - 1 \quad [\text{Using identity: } (a - b)^3 = a^3 - 3a^2b + 3ab^2 - b^3] \\
 &= 8000000 - 120000 + 600 - 1 \\
 &= 7880599
 \end{aligned}$$

47. Find the value using suitable identity:

$$127^3$$

Ans. : Here, $127 = 130 - 3$

$$\text{So, } 127^3 = (130 - 3)^3$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 130^3 - 3 \times 130^2 \times 3 + 3 \times 130 \times 3^2 - 3^3 \quad [\text{Using identity: } (a - b)^3 = a^3 - 3a^2b + 3ab^2 - b^3] \\
 &]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= 2197000 - 152100 + 3510 - 27$$

$$= 2048383$$

48. Factor the following algebraic expression:

$$4y^2 + 1 + \frac{1}{16y^2}$$

Ans. : Here, we have $4y^2 = (2y)^2$

$$1/(16y^2) = (1/4y)^2$$

$$\text{and } 2 \times 2y \times 1/(4y) = 1$$

So, this is of the form: $a^2 + 2ab + b^2 = (a + b)^2$

$$\text{Therefore, } 4y^2 + 1 + 1/(16y^2)$$

$$= (2y + 1/(4y))^2$$

49. Factor the following algebraic expression:

$$9m^2 - \frac{1}{25n^2}$$

$$\text{Ans. : } 9m^2 - 1/(25n^2)$$

$$= (3m)^2 - (1/5n)^2$$

$$= (3m + 1/5n)(3m - 1/5n) \text{ [Using } a^2 - b^2 = (a + b)(a - b)]$$

50. Factor the following algebraic expression:

$$27b^3 - \frac{1}{64b^3}$$

$$\text{Ans. : } 27b^3 - 1/(64b^3)$$

$$= [3b - 1$$

$$/(4b)] [(3b)^2 + (3b)(1/4b) + (1/4b)^2] \text{ [Using } a^3 - b^3$$

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

$$= (3b - 1/4b) [9b^2 + 3/4 + 1/16b^2]$$

51. Factor the following algebraic expression:

$$x^2 + \frac{5x}{6} + \frac{1}{6}$$

Ans. : We need two numbers whose sum is 5/6 and product is 1/6.

These numbers are 1/2 and 1/3.

$$\text{So, } x^2 + 5x/6 + 1/6$$

$$= x^2 + x/2 + x/3 + 1/6 \text{ [Splitting the middle term]}$$

$$= x(x + 1/2) + 1/3(x + 1/2)$$

$$= (x + 1/3)(x + 1/2)$$

52. Factor the following algebraic expression:

$$27u^3 - \frac{1}{125} - \frac{27u^2}{5} + \frac{9u}{25}$$

Ans. : Given expression:

$$27u^3 - 1/125 - 27u^2/5 + 9u/25$$

$$= 27u^3 - 27u^2/5 + 9u/25 - 1/125 \text{ [Rearranging the terms]}$$

$$= (3u)^3 - 3(3u)^2(1/5) + 3(3u)(1/5)^2 - (1/5)^3$$

$$= (3u - 1/5)^3 \text{ [Using } a^3 - 3a^2b + 3ab^2 - b^3 = (a - b)^3 \text{]}$$

53. Factor the following algebraic expression:

$$64y^3 + \frac{1}{125}z^3$$

Ans. : $64y^3 + 1/125z^3$

$$= (4y)^3 + (z/5)^3$$

$$= (4y + z/5) [(4y)^2 - (4y)(z/5) + (z/5)^2] \text{ [Using } a^3 + b^3 = (a + b)(a^2 - ab + b^2) \text{]}$$

$$= (4y + z/5) (16y^2 - 4yz/5 + z^2/25)$$

54. Factor the following algebraic expression:

$$p^3 + 27q^3 + r^3 - 9pqr$$

Ans. : $p^3 + 27q^3 + r^3 - 9pqr$

$$= p^3 + (3q)^3 + r^3 - 3(p)(3q)(r)$$

$$= (p + 3q + r) [p^2 + (3q)^2 + r^2 - p(3q) - (3q)r - pr]$$

$$\text{[Using } a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc = (a + b + c)(a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - ab - bc - ca) \text{]}$$

$$= (p + 3q + r) (p^2 + 9q^2 + r^2 - 3pq - 3qr - pr)$$

55. Factor the following algebraic expression:

$$9m^2 - 12m + 4$$

Ans. : $9m^2 - 12m + 4$

$$= (3m)^2 - 2(3m)(2) + (2)^2$$

$$= (3m - 2)^2 \text{ [Using } a^2 - 2ab + b^2 = (a - b)^2 \text{]}$$

56. Factor the following algebraic expression:

$$4x^2 + 9y^2 + 36z^2 + 12xz + 36yz + 24xy$$

Ans. : $4x^2 + 9y^2 + 36z^2 + 12xz + 36yz + 24xy$

$$= 4x^2 + 9y^2 + 36z^2 + 24xy + 36yz + 12xz$$

$$= (2x)^2 + (3y)^2 + (6z)^2 + 2(2x)(3y) + 2(3y)(6z) + 2(2x)(6z)$$

$$= (2x + 3y + 6z)^2 \text{ [Using } a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab + 2bc + 2ca = (a + b + c)^2 \text{]}$$

57. Factor the following algebraic expression:

$$27u^3 - \frac{1}{216} - \frac{9u^2}{2} + \frac{u}{4}$$

Ans. : $27u^3 - 1/216 - 9u^2/2 + u/4$

$$= 27u^3 - 9u^2/2 + u/4 - 1/216 \text{ [Rearranging the terms]}$$

$$= (3u)^3 - 3(3u)^2(1/6) + 3(3u)(1/6)^2 - (1/6)^3$$

$$= (3u - 1/6)^3 \text{ [Using } a^3 - 3a^2b + 3ab^2 - b^3 = (a - b)^3 \text{] .}$$

* Answer the following questions. [3 Marks Each]

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58. Using the identity $(a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$, expand the following:

(i) $(7x + 4y)^2$

(ii) $\left(\frac{7}{5}x + \frac{3}{2}y\right)^2$

(iii) $(2.5p + 1.5q)^2$

Ans. : (i) Using $(a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$

Here, $a = 7x$ and $b = 4y$

$$= (7x)^2 + 2(7x)(4y) + (4y)^2$$

$$= 49x^2 + 56xy + 16y^2$$

(ii) Here, $a = (7/5)x$ and $b = (3/2)y$

$$= \left[(7/5)x\right]^2 + 2 \times (7/5)x \times (3/2)y + \left[(3/2)y\right]^2$$

$$= (49/25)x^2 + 2 \times (21/10)xy + (9/4)y^2$$

$$= (49/25)x^2 + (42/10)xy + (9/4)y^2$$

Simplify:

$$= (49/25)x^2 + (21/5)xy + (9/4)y^2$$

(iii) Here, $a = 2.5p$ and $b = 1.5q$

$$= (2.5p)^2 + 2(2.5p)(1.5q) + (1.5q)^2$$

$$= 6.25p^2 + 7.5pq + 2.25q^2$$

59. Using the identity $(a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$, expand the following:

(i) $\left(\frac{3}{4}s + 8t\right)^2$

(ii) $\left(x + \frac{1}{2y}\right)^2$

(iii) $\left(\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y}\right)^2$

Ans. : (i) Here, $a = (3/4)s$ and $b = 8t$

$$= \left[(3/4)s\right]^2 + 2 \times (3/4)s \times 8t + (8t)^2$$

$$= (9/16)s^2 + 2 \times (24/4)st + 64t^2$$

$$= (9/16)s^2 + 12st + 64t^2$$

(ii) Here, $a = x$ and $b = 1/(2y)$

$$= x^2 + 2 \times x \times [1/(2y)] + [1/(2y)]^2$$

$$= x^2 + (2x)/(2y) + 1/(4y^2)$$

$$= x^2 + x/y + 1/(4y^2)$$

(iii) Here, $a = 1/x$ and $b = 1/y$

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

$$= 1/x^2 + 2/(xy) + 1/y^2$$

60. Using the same identity, find the values of the following:

(i) $(64)^2$

(ii) $(105)^2$

(iii) $(205)^2$

Ans. : (i) Write $64 = 60 + 4$

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

$$(60 + 4)^2 = 60^2 + 2 \times 60 \times 4 + 4^2$$

$$= 3600 + 480 + 16$$

$$= 4096$$

(ii) Writing $105 = 100 + 5$

$$\text{Now } (105)^2 = (100 + 5)^2$$

$$= 100^2 + 2 \times 100 \times 5 + 5^2 \text{ [Using } (a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2 \text{]}$$

$$= 10000 + 1000 + 25$$

$$= 11025$$

(iii) Write $205 = 200 + 5$

$$\text{So, } (205)^2 = (200 + 5)^2$$

$$= 200^2 + 2 \times 200 \times 5 + 5^2 \text{ [Using } (a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2 \text{]}$$

$$= 40000 + 2000 + 25$$

$$= 42025$$

61. Find the values of the following using the identity $(a - b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2$.

(i) $(79)^2$

(ii) $(193)^2$

(iii) $(299)^2$

Ans. : (i) $79 = 80 - 1$

$$= (80 - 1)^2$$

$$= 80^2 - 2 \times 80 \times 1 + 1^2 \text{ [Using } (a - b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2 \text{]}$$

$$= 6400 - 160 + 1$$

$$= 6241$$

(ii) $193 = 200 - 7$

$$= (200 - 7)^2$$

$$= 200^2 - 2 \times 200 \times 7 + 7^2 \text{ [Using } (a - b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2 \text{]}$$

$$= 40000 - 2800 + 49$$

$$= 37249$$

(iii) $299 = 300 - 1$

$$= (300 - 1)^2$$

$$= 300^2 - 2 \times 300 \times 1 + 1^2 \text{ [Using } (a - b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2 \text{]}$$

$$= 90000 - 600 + 1$$

$$= 89401$$

62. Find the following squares using one of the above identities. Determine which of these identities will make these calculations easier.

(i) 117^2

(ii) 78^2

Ans. : (i) $117 = 110 + 7$

So, $117^2 = (110 + 7)^2$
 $= 110^2 + 2(110)(7) + 7^2$ [Using $(a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$]
 $= 12100 + 1540 + 49$
 $= 13689$

(ii) $78 = 80 - 2$

So, $78^2 = (80 - 2)^2$
 $= 80^2 - 2(80)(2) + 2^2$ [Using $(a - b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2$]
 $= 6400 - 320 + 4$
 $= 6084$

63. Find the following squares using one of the above identities. Determine which of these identities will make these calculations easier.

(i) 198^2

(ii) 214^2

Ans. : (i) $198 = 200 - 2$

So, $198^2 = (200 - 2)^2$
 $= 200^2 - 2(200)(2) + 2^2$ [Using $(a - b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2$]
 $= 40000 - 800 + 4$
 $= 39204$

(ii) $214 = 200 + 14$

So, $214^2 = (200 + 14)^2$
 $= 200^2 + 2(200)(14) + 14^2$ [Using $(a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$]
 $= 40000 + 5600 + 196$
 $= 45796$

64. Find the following squares using one of the above identities. Determine which of these identities will make these calculations easier.

(i) 1104^2

(ii) 1120^2

Ans. : (i) $1104 = 1100 + 4$

So, $1104^2 = (1100 + 4)^2$
 $= 1100^2 + 2(1100)(4) + 4^2$ [Using $(a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$]
 $= 1210000 + 8800 + 16$
 $= 1218816$

(ii) $1120 = 1100 + 20$

So, $1120^2 = (1100 + 20)^2$
 $= 1100^2 + 2(1100)(20) + 20^2$ [Using $(a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$]
 $= 1210000 + 44000 + 400$
 $= 1254400$

65. Factor using suitable identities:

$$9a^2 + 4b^2 + c^2 - 12ab + 6ac - 4bc$$

Ans. : We have:

$$9a^2 = (3a)^2$$

$$4b^2 = (-2b)^2 \text{ [Here } 4b^2 = (-2b)^2 \text{ as in two negative terms } -12ab \text{ and } -4bc, b \text{ is common]}$$

$$c^2 = c^2$$

$$\text{Now, } 9a^2 + 4b^2 + c^2 - 12ab + 6ac - 4bc$$

$$= (3a)^2 + (-2b)^2 + c^2 + 2(3a)(-2b) + 2(3a)(c) + 2(-2b)(c)$$

$$= (3a - 2b + c)^2 \text{ [Using } x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2xy + 2yz + 2zx = (x + y + z)^2]$$

66. Fill in the blanks to complete the following identities:

$$(i) 10x^2 - 11x - 6 = (2x - \underline{\quad}) (\underline{\quad} + 2)$$

$$(ii) 6x^2 + 7x + 2 = (\underline{\hspace{2cm}}) (\underline{\hspace{2cm}})$$

$$\text{Ans. : (i) } LHS = 10x^2 - 11x - 6$$

$$= 10x^2 - 15x + 4x - 6$$

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

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

$$(2x - 3)(5x + 2)$$

$$\text{So, } 10x^2 - 11x - 6 = (2x - 3)(5x + 2)$$

$$(ii) = 6x^2 + 3x + 4x + 2$$

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

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

$$\text{So, } 6x^2 + 7x + 2 = (3x + 2)(2x + 1)$$

67. Select and use the identity that will help you to find the following products without multiplying directly:

$$(i) (41)^2$$

$$(ii) (27)^2$$

$$\text{Ans. : (i) } 41 = 40 + 1$$

$$= (40 + 1)^2$$

$$= 40^2 + 2 \times 40 \times 1 + 1^2 \text{ [Using } (a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2]$$

$$= 1600 + 80 + 1$$

$$= 1681$$

$$(ii) 27 = 30 - 3$$

$$\text{So, } (27)^2 = (30 - 3)^2$$

$$= (30)^2 - 2 \times 30 \times 3 + (3)^2 \text{ [Using } (a - b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2]$$

$$= 900 - 180 + 9$$

$$= 729$$

68. Select and use the identity that will help you to find the following products without multiplying directly:

(i) (23×17)

(ii) $(135)^2$

Ans. : (i) Use identity:

$$23 \times 17 = (20 + 3)(20 - 3)$$

$$= 20^2 - 3^2 \text{ [Using } (a + b)(a - b) = a^2 - b^2 \text{]}$$

$$= 400 - 9$$

$$= 391$$

(ii) $135 = 100 + 35$

So, $(135)^2$

$$= (100 + 35)^2$$

$$= (100)^2 + 2 \times 100 \times 35 + (35)^2 \text{ [Using } (a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2 \text{]}$$

$$= 10000 + 7000 + 1225$$

$$= 18225$$

69. Select and use the identity that will help you to find the following products without multiplying directly:

(i) $(97)^2$

(ii) (18×29)

Ans. : (i) $97 = 100 - 3$

So, $(97)^2$

$$= (100 - 3)^2$$

$$= (100)^2 - 2 \times 100 \times 3 + (3)^2 \text{ [Using } (a - b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2 \text{]}$$

$$= 10000 - 600 + 9$$

$$= 9409$$

(ii) $18 \times 29 =$

$$= (20 - 2)(20 + 9)$$

$$= 20^2 + (-2 + 9) \times 20 - 18 \text{ [Using } (x + a)(x + b) = x^2 + (a + b)x + a \times b \text{]}$$

$$= 400 + 140 - 18$$

$$= 522$$

70. Select and use the identity that will help you to find the following products without multiplying directly:

(i) (34×43)

(ii) $(205)^2$

Ans. : (i) $= (38 - 4)(38 + 5)$

$$= 38^2 + (-4 + 5) \times 38 - 20 \text{ [Using } (x + a)(x + b) = x^2 + (a + b)x + a \times b \text{]}$$

$$= 38^2 + 38 - 20$$

$$= 1444 + 38 - 20$$

$$= 1462$$

$$(ii) 205 = 200 + 5$$

$$= (200 + 5)^2$$

$$= (200)^2 + 2 \times 200 \times 5 + (5)^2 \text{ [Using } (a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2 \text{]}$$

$$= 40000 + 2000 + 25$$

$$= 42025$$

71. Simplify the following rational expression assuming that the expression in the denominator are not equal to zero:

$$\frac{3p^2 - 3pq - 18q^2}{p^2 + 3pq - 10q^2}$$

Ans. : First factorising the numerator:

$$3p^2 - 3pq - 18q^2$$

$$= 3(p^2 - pq - 6q^2)$$

$$= 3[p^2 - 3pq + 2pq - 6q^2]$$

$$= 3[p(p - 3q) + 2q(p - 3q)]$$

$$= 3(p - 3q)(p + 2q)$$

Now factorising the denominator:

$$p^2 + 3pq - 10q^2$$

$$= p^2 + 5pq - 2pq - 10q^2$$

$$= p(p + 5q) - 2q(p + 5q)$$

$$= (p + 5q)(p - 2q)$$

$$\text{So, } (3p^2 - 3pq - 18q^2) / (p^2 + 3pq - 10q^2)$$

$$= 3(p - 3q)(p + 2q) / [(p + 5q)(p - 2q)]$$

No common factor cancels.

72. Simplify the following rational expression assuming that the expression in the denominator are not equal to zero:

$$\frac{n^3 - 3n^2m + 3nm^2 - m^3}{5m^2 - 10mn + 5n^2}$$

Ans. : Factorising the numerator using identity:

$$n^3 - 3n^2m + 3nm^2 - m^3$$

$$= (n - m)^3 \text{ [Using } a^3 - 3a^2b + 3ab^2 - b^3 = (a - b)^3 \text{]}$$

Factorising the denominator:

$$5m^2 - 10mn + 5n^2$$

$$= 5(m^2 - 2mn + n^2)$$

$$= 5(m - n)^2 \text{ [Using } a^2 - 2ab + b^2 = (a - b)^2 \text{]}$$

$$\text{Now, } (n - m)^3 / [5(m - n)^2]$$

$$= -(m - n)^3 / [5(m - n)^2] \text{ [Since, } (n - m) = -(m - n), \text{ so, } (n - m)^3 = -(m - n)^3 \text{]}$$

$$= -(m - n)/5$$

73. Simplify the following rational expression assuming that the expression in the denominator are not equal to zero:

$$\frac{4y^2 - 20yz + 25z^2}{(25z^2 - 4y^2)}$$

Ans. : Factor numerator:

$$\begin{aligned} 4y^2 - 20yz + 25z^2 \\ &= (2y)^2 - 2(2y)(5z) + (5z)^2 \\ &= (2y - 5z)^2 \text{ [Using } a^2 - 2ab + b^2 = (a - b)^2 \end{aligned}$$

Factorising the denominator:

$$\begin{aligned} 25z^2 - 4y^2 \\ &= (5z - 2y)(5z + 2y) \text{ [Using } a^2 - b^2 = (a - b)(a + b) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, } (4y^2 - 20yz + 25z^2) / (25z^2 - 4y^2) \\ &= (5z - 2y)^2 / [(5z - 2y)(5z + 2y)] \text{ [Since } (2y - 5z)^2 = (-1)^2(5z - 2y)^2 = (5z - 2y)^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$= (5z - 2y) / (5z + 2y)$$

74. Simplify the following rational expression assuming that the expression in the denominator are not equal to zero:

$$\frac{(x^2 + x - 6)(x^2 - 7x + 12)}{(x^2 - 6x + 8)(x^2 - 9)}$$

Ans. : Factorising each polynomial:

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + x - 6 &= x^2 + 3x - 2x - 6 = x(x + 3) - 2(x + 3) = (x + 3)(x - 2) \\ x^2 - 7x + 12 &= x^2 - 3x - 4x + 12 = x(x - 3) - 4(x - 3) = (x - 3)(x - 4) \\ x^2 - 6x + 8 &= x^2 - 4x - 2x + 8 = x(x - 4) - 2(x - 4) = (x - 2)(x - 4) \\ x^2 - 9 &= x^2 - 3 = (x - 3)(x + 3) \end{aligned}$$

Substituting each polynomial, we get:

$$\begin{aligned} [(x + 3)(x - 2)][(x - 3)(x - 4)] / [(x - 2)(x - 4)][(x - 3)(x + 3)] \\ &= 1 \text{ [Since all factors cancel]} \end{aligned}$$

75. Simplify the following rational expression assuming that the expression in the denominator are not equal to zero:

$$\frac{p^4 - 16}{p^2 - 4p + 4}$$

Ans. : Factorising numerator:

$$\begin{aligned} p^4 - 16 \\ &= (p^2 - 4)(p^2 + 4) \text{ [Using } a^2 - b^2 = (a + b)(a - b) \end{aligned}$$

$$= (p - 2)(p + 2)(p^2 + 4) \text{ [Again using } a^2 - b^2 = (a + b)(a - b) \end{aligned}$$

Factorising denominator:

$$\begin{aligned} p^2 - 4p + 4 \\ &= p^2 - 2(p)(2) + 2^2 \\ &= (p - 2)^2 \text{ [Using } a^2 - 2ab + b^2 = (a - b)^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{So, } [(p-2)(p+2)(p^2+4)] / (p-2)^2 \\ &= (p+2)(p^2+4) / (p-2) \text{ [Cancelling common factor } (p-2)\text{]}. \end{aligned}$$

76. Use suitable identity to find the following product:

$$\left(\frac{7}{2}k - \frac{2}{3}m\right)^3$$

Ans. : [Using the identity $(a-b)^3 = a^3 - 3a^2b + 3ab^2 - b^3$]

Here, $a = 7k/2$, $b = 2m/3$

$$\text{So, } a^3 = (7k/2)^3 = 343k^3/8$$

$$3a^2b = 3 \times (49k^2/4) \times (2m/3) = 49k^2m/2$$

$$3ab^2 = 3 \times (7k/2) \times (4m^2/9) = 14km^2/3$$

$$b^3 = (2m/3)^3 = 8m^3/27$$

Therefore, $(7/2k - 2/3m)^3$

$$= 343k^3/8 - 49k^2m/2 + 14km^2/3 - 8m^3/27.$$

77. Find the value using suitable identity:

$$(-107)^3$$

Ans. : $(-107)^3 = -(107^3)$

Now, $107 = 100 + 7$

$$107^3 = (100 + 7)^3$$

$$= 100^3 + 3 \times 100^2 \times 7 + 3 \times 100 \times 7^2 + 7^3 \text{ [Using identity: } (a+b)^3 = a^3 + 3a^2b + 3ab^2 + b^3 \text{]}$$

$$= 1000000 + 210000 + 14700 + 343$$

$$= 1225043$$

$$\text{So, } (-107)^3 = -1225043$$

78. Find the value using suitable identity:

$$(-299)^3$$

Ans. : $(-299)^3 = -(299^3)$

Here, $299 = 300 - 1$

$$\text{So, } 299^3 = (300 - 1)^3$$

$$= 300^3 - 3 \times 300^2 \times 1 + 3 \times 300 \times 1^2 - 1 \text{ [Using identity: } (a-b)^3 = a^3 - 3a^2b + 3ab^2 - b^3 \text{]}$$

$$= 27000000 - 270000 + 900 - 1$$

$$= 26730900 - 1$$

$$= 26730899$$

$$\text{So, } (-299)^3 = -26730899$$

79. Factor the following algebraic expression:

$$9x^3 - \frac{8}{3}y^3 + \frac{z^3}{3} + 6xyz$$

Ans. : $9x^3 - 8/3y^3 + z^3/3 + 6xyz$

$$= (1/3) [9x^3 - 8y^3 + z^3 + 18xyz]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (1/3) [(3x)^3 + (-2y)^3 + z^3 - 3(3x)(-2y)z] \\
&= (1/3)(3x - 2y + z) [(3x)^2 + (-2y)^2 + z^2 - (3x)(-2y) - (-2y)(z) - (z)(3x)] \\
&[\text{Using } a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc = (a + b + c)(a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - ab - bc - ca)] \\
&= (1/3)(3x - 2y + z) [9x^2 + 4y^2 + z^2 + 6xy + 2yz - 3zx]
\end{aligned}$$

80. Simplify the following:

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

Ans. : Factorising numerator:

$$\begin{aligned}
4x^2 + 4x + 1 &= (2x)^2 + 2(2x)(1) + 1^2 \\
&= (2x + 1)^2 [\text{Using } a^2 + 2ab + b^2 = (a + b)^2]
\end{aligned}$$

Factorising denominator:

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

Now the expression: $(4x^2 + 4x + 1) / (4x^2 - 1)$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (2x + 1)^2 / [(2x + 1)(2x - 1)] \\
&= (2x + 1) / (2x - 1)
\end{aligned}$$

81. Simplify the following:

$$\frac{9(3a^3 - 24b^3)}{9a^2 - 36b^2}$$

Ans. : First simplify:

$$9(3a^3 - 24b^3) = 27(a^3 - 8b^3)$$

$$\text{and } 9a^2 - 36b^2 = 9(a^2 - 4b^2)$$

$$\text{So, } 9(3a^3 - 24b^3) / (9a^2 - 36b^2)$$

$$= 3(a^3 - 8b^3) / (a^2 - 4b^2)$$

$$= 3(a - 2b)(a^2 + 2ab + 4b^2)$$

$$/ (a^2 - 4b^2) [\text{Since } a^3 - 8b^3 = a^3 - (2b)^3 = (a - 2b)(a^2 + 2ab + 4b^2)]$$

$$= 3(a - 2b)(a^2 + 2ab + 4b^2) / (a - 2b)(a + 2b) [\text{Since } a^2 - 4b^2 = (a - 2b)(a + 2b)]$$

$$= 3(a^2 + 2ab + 4b^2) / (a + 2b) [\text{Cancelling the common factor } (a - 2b)]$$

82. Simplify the following:

$$\frac{s^3 + 125t^3}{s^2 - 2st - 35t^2}$$

Ans. : Factorising numerator:

$$s^3 + 125t^3 = s^3 + (5t)^3$$

$$= (s + 5t)(s^2 - 5st + 25t^2) [\text{Using } a^3 + b^3 = (a + b)(a^2 - ab + b^2)]$$

Factorising denominator:

$$s^2 - 2st - 35t^2$$

$$s^2 - 7st + 5st - 35t^2$$

$$= s(s - 7t) + 5t(s - 7t)$$

$$= (s + 5t)(s - 7t)$$

Now the given expression:

$$(s^3 + 125t^3) / (s^2 - 2st - 35t^2)$$

$$= (s + 5t)(s^2 - 5st + 25t^2) / (s + 5t)(s - 7t)$$

$$= (s^2 - 5st + 25t^2) / (s - 7t) \text{ [Cancelling common factor } (s + 5t)\text{]}.$$

83. Find possible expressions for the length and breadth of each of the following rectangles whose areas are given by the following expressions in square units.

(i) $25a^2 - 30ab + 9b^2$

(ii) $36s^2 - 49t^2$

Ans. : (i) This is a perfect square:

$$25a^2 - 30ab + 9b^2$$

$$= (5a)^2 - 2(5a)(3b) + (3b)^2$$

$$= (5a - 3b)^2 \text{ [Using } a^2 - 2ab + b^2 = (a - b)^2 \text{]}$$

So possible length and breadth are $(5a - 3b)$ and $(5a - 3b)$.

(ii) $36s^2 - 49t^2$

$$= (6s)^2 - (7t)^2$$

$$= (6s + 7t)(6s - 7t) \text{ [Using } a^2 - b^2 = (a + b)(a - b) \text{]}$$

So possible length and breadth are $(6s + 7t)$ and $(6s - 7t)$.

84. Find possible expressions for the length, breadth, and heights of each of the following cuboids whose volumes are given by the following expressions in cubic units.

(i) $6a^2 - 24b^2$

(ii) $3ps^2 - 15ps + 12p$

Ans. : (i) Take common factor:

$$6a^2 - 24b^2$$

$$= 6(a^2 - 4b^2)$$

$$= 6[a^2 - (2b)^2]$$

$$= 6(a + 2b)(a - 2b) \text{ [Using } a^2 - b^2 = (a + b)(a - b) \text{]}$$

So possible dimensions are 6, $(a + 2b)$ and $(a - 2b)$.

(ii) $3ps^2 - 15ps + 12p$

$$= 3p(s^2 - 5s + 4) \text{ [Taking common factor]}$$

$$= 3p(s^2 - 4s - 1s + 4)$$

$$= 3p[s(s - 4) - 1(s - 4)]$$

$$= 3p(s - 1)(s - 4)$$

So, the possible dimensions are $3p$, $(s - 1)$ and $(s - 4)$.

85. The village playground is shaped as a square of side 40 metres. A path of width s metres is created around the playground for people to walk. Find an expression for the area of the path in terms of s .

Ans. : Side of playground = 40 m

Since a path of width s metres is made all around the outside, the side of the outer square becomes:

$$40 + 2s$$

$$\text{Area of outer square} = (40 + 2s)^2$$

$$\text{Area of playground} = 40^2 = 1600$$

Therefore, area of the path

$$= (40 + 2s)^2 - 1600$$

$$= (1600 + 160s + 4s^2) - 1600$$

$$= 4s^2 + 160s$$

Hence, the required expression: Area of path = $4s^2 + 160s$ square metres.

86. If a number plus its reciprocal equals $\frac{10}{3}$, find the number.

Ans. : Let the number be x .

Then, according to question: $x + 1/x = 10/3$

Multiply both sides by $3x$:

$$3x^2 + 3 = 10x$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x^2 - 10x + 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x^2 - 9x - x + 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x(x - 3) - 1(x - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (3x - 1)(x - 3) = 0$$

$$\text{So, } 3x - 1 = 0 \text{ or } x - 3 = 0$$

$$\text{Hence, } x = 1/3 \text{ or } x = 3$$

Therefore, the number is 3 or $1/3$.

87. A rectangular pool has area $2x^2 + 7x + 3$ square hastas. If its width is $2x + 1$ hastas, find its length. Hasta was a unit used to measure length.

Ans. : Area of pool = $2x^2 + 7x + 3$

$$\text{Width} = 2x + 1$$

$$\text{Length} = \text{Area/Width}$$

$$= (2x^2 + 7x + 3) / (2x + 1)$$

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

$$= [2x(x + 3) + 1(x + 3)] / (2x + 1)$$

$$= (2x + 1)(x + 3) / (2x + 1)$$

$$= x + 3$$

Therefore, the length of the pool is $x + 3$ hastas.

88. If both $x - 2$ and $x - \frac{1}{2}$ are factors of $px^2 + 5x + r$, show that $p = r$.

Ans. : Since $x - 2$ and $x - 1/2$ are factors, the quadratic polynomial can be written as:

$$px^2 + 5x + r = k(x - 2)(x - 1/2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-2)(x-1/2) = k[x^2 - (5/2)x + 1]$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - (1/2)x - 2x + 1 = k[x^2 - (5/2)x + 1]$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - (5/2)x + 1 = k[x^2 - (5/2)x + 1]$$

Comparing the coefficients on both sides, we get:

Coefficient of x^2 gives: $k = p$

Constant term gives: $k = r$

Therefore, $p = r$

Hence proved.

89. Find the value of

$$x^3 + y^3 - 12xy + 64, \text{ when } x + y = -4$$

Ans. : Since $x + y = -4$, we have:

$$(x + y)^3 = (-4)^3 = -64$$

$$\text{Using identity: } (x + y)^3 = x^3 + y^3 + 3xy(x + y)$$

So,

$$-64 = x^3 + y^3 + 3xy(-4)$$

$$\Rightarrow -64 = x^3 + y^3 - 12xy$$

$$\text{Therefore, } x^3 + y^3 - 12xy = -64$$

$$\text{Now, } x^3 + y^3 - 12xy + 64 = -64 + 64 = 0$$

Hence, the value is 0.

*** Questions with calculation. [4 Marks Each]**

[36]

90. Factor completely:

$$(i) 9x^2 + 24xy + 16y^2$$

$$(ii) 4s^2 + 20st + 25t^2$$

Ans. : (i) We know that:

$$9x^2 = (3x)^2$$

$$16y^2 = (4y)^2$$

$$24xy = 2 \times 3x \times 4y$$

$$\text{So, } 9x^2 + 24xy + 16y^2$$

$$= (3x)^2 + 2 \times 3x \times 4y + (4y)^2$$

$$= (3x + 4y)^2 \text{ [Using } a^2 + 2ab + b^2 = (a + b)^2 \text{]}$$

(ii) We can write:

$$4s^2 = (2s)^2$$

$$25t^2 = (5t)^2$$

$$20st = 2 \times 2s \times 5t$$

$$\text{So, } 4s^2 + 20st + 25t^2$$

$$= (2s)^2 + 2 \times 2s \times 5t + (5t)^2$$

$$= (2s + 5t)^2 \text{ [Using } a^2 + 2ab + b^2 = (a + b)^2 \text{]}$$

91. Factor completely:

(i) $49x^2 + 28xy + 4y^2$

(ii) $64p^2 + \frac{32}{3}pq + \frac{4}{9}q^2$

Ans. : (i) $49x^2 = (7x)^2$

$4y^2 = (2y)^2$

$28xy = 2 \times 7x \times 2y$

So, $49x^2 + 28xy + 4y^2$

$= (7x)^2 + 2 \times 7x \times 2y + (2y)^2$

$= (7x + 2y)^2$ [Using $a^2 + 2ab + b^2 = (a + b)^2$]

(ii) $64p^2 = (8p)^2$

$(4/9)q^2 = (2/3q)^2$

Middle term:

$2 \times 8p \times (2/3 q) = 32/3 pq$

So, $64p^2 + (32/3)pq + (4/9)q^2$

$= (8p)^2 + 2 \times 8p \times (2/3q) + (2/3q)^2$

$= (8p + 2/3q)^2$ [Using $a^2 + 2ab + b^2 = (a + b)^2$]

92. Factor completely:

(i) $3a^2 + 4ab + \frac{4}{3}b^2$

(ii) $\frac{9}{5}s^2 + 6sv + 5v^2$

Ans. : (i) Take common factor 3:

$= 3 [a^2 + (4/3)ab + (4/9)b^2]$

Now, $a^2 = (a)^2$

$(4/9)b^2 = (2/3b)^2$

$(4/3)ab = 2 \times a \times (2/3 b)$

So, $3a^2 + 4ab + (4/3)b^2$

$= 3 [a^2 + (4/3)ab + (4/9)b^2]$

$= 3 [a^2 + 2 \times a \times (2/3b) + (2/3b)^2]$

$= 3(a + 2/3b)^2$ [Using $a^2 + 2ab + b^2 = (a + b)^2$]

(ii) Take common factor 1/5:

$= (1/5) [9s^2 + 30sv + 25v^2]$

Now, $9s^2 = (3s)^2$

$25v^2 = (5v)^2$

$30sv = 2 \times 3s \times 5v$

So, $(9/5)s^2 + 6sv + 5v^2$

$= (1/5) [9s^2 + 30sv + 25v^2]$

$= (1/5) [(3s)^2 + 2 \times 3s \times 5v + (5v)^2]$

$= (1/5)(3s + 5v)^2$ [Using $a^2 + 2ab + b^2 = (a + b)^2$]

93. Factor using suitable identities:

$$\frac{m^2}{9} + \frac{mk}{3} + \frac{k^2}{4} + 3nk + 2mn + 9n^2$$

Ans. : Grouping the terms as:

$$m^2/9 + mk/3 + k^2/4 + 2mn + 3nk + 9n^2$$

We have:

$$m^2/9 = (m/3)^2$$

$$k^2/4 = (k/2)^2$$

$$9n^2 = (3n)^2$$

Now checking the cross terms:

$$2 \times (m/3) \times (k/2) = mk/3$$

$$2 \times (m/3) \times (3n) = 2mn$$

$$2 \times (k/2) \times (3n) = 3nk$$

$$\text{So, } m^2/9 + mk/3 + k^2/4 + 3nk + 2mn + 9n^2$$

$$= m^2/9 + k^2/4 + 9n^2 + mk/3 + 3nk + 2mn \quad [\text{Rearranging the terms}]$$

$$= (m/3)^2 + (k/2)^2 + (3n)^2 + 2 \times (m/3) \times (k/2) + 2 \times (m/3) \times (3n) + 2 \times (k/2) \times (3n)$$

$$= (m/3 + k/2$$

$$+ 3n)^2 \quad [Using a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab + 2bc + 2ca = (a + b + c)^2]$$

94. Expand the following using the identity $(a + b + c)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab + 2bc + 2ca$:

(i) $(p + 3q + 7r)^2$

(ii) $(3x - 2y + 4z)^2$

Ans. : (i) Here, $a = p$, $b = 3q$, $c = 7r$

Using the identity:

$$(a + b + c)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab + 2bc + 2ca$$

$$\text{So, } (p + 3q + 7r)^2$$

$$= p^2 + (3q)^2 + (7r)^2 + 2(p)(3q) + 2(3q)(7r) + 2(p)(7r)$$

$$= p^2 + 9q^2 + 49r^2 + 6pq + 42qr + 14pr$$

(ii) Write it as:

$$[3x + (-2y) + 4z]^2$$

Here,

$$a = 3x, b = -2y, c = 4z$$

Using the identity:

$$(a + b + c)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab + 2bc + 2ca$$

$$\text{So, } (3x - 2y + 4z)^2$$

$$= (3x)^2 + (-2y)^2 + (4z)^2 + 2(3x)(-2y) + 2(-2y)(4z) + 2(3x)(4z)$$

$$= 9x^2 + 4y^2 + 16z^2 - 12xy - 16yz + 24xz$$

95. Fill in the blanks to complete the following identities:

(i) $s^2 - 11s + 24 = 0(\text{_____})(\text{_____})$

$$(ii) (\text{_____}) (x + 1) = (3x^2 - 4x - 7)$$

Ans. : (i) We need two numbers whose:

Sum = 11 and Product = 24

These are 3 and 8.

$$\text{So, } s^2 - 11s + 24$$

$$= s^2 - 8s - 3s + 24$$

$$= s(s - 8) - 3(s - 8)$$

$$= (s - 3)(s - 8)$$

$$\text{So, } s^2 - 11s + 24 = (s - 3)(s - 8)$$

$$(ii) \text{ RHS: } 3x^2 - 4x - 7$$

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

$$= x(3x - 7) + 1(3x - 7)$$

$$= (3x - 7)(x + 1)$$

$$\text{So, } (3x - 7)(x + 1) = (3x^2 - 4x - 7)$$

96. Simplify the following rational expression assuming that the expression in the denominator are not equal to zero:

$$\frac{w^3 - v^3 + x^3 + 3wvx}{w^2 + v^2 + x^2 - 2wv - 2vx + 2wx}$$

Ans. : Factorising the numerator:

$$w^3 - v^3 + x^3 + 3wvx$$

$$= w^3 + (-v)^3 + x^3 - 3w(-v)x$$

$$= (w - v + x) (w^2 + v^2 + x^2 + wv + vx - wx)$$

$$[\text{Using } a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc = (a + b + c) (a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - ab - bc - ca)]$$

Now denominator:

$$w^2 + v^2 + x^2 - 2wv - 2vx + 2wx$$

$$= w^2 + (-v)^2 + x^2 + 2w(-v) + 2(-v)x + 2xw$$

$$= (w - v + x)^2 [\text{Using } a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab + 2bc + 2ca = (a + b + c)^2]$$

$$\text{Therefore, } (w^3 - v^3 + x^3 + 3wvx) / (w^2 + v^2 + x^2 - 2wv - 2vx + 2wx)$$

$$= [(w - v + x) (w^2 + v^2 + x^2 + wv + vx - wx)] / (w - v + x)^2$$

$$= (w^2 + x^2 + v^2 - wx + vx - wv) / (w + x - v) \quad [\text{Canceling the common factor}]$$

97. If $a + b + c = 5$ and $ab + bc + ca = 10$, then prove that $a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc = -25$.

Ans. : $a + b + c = 5$

$$ab + bc + ca = 10$$

First finding $a^2 + b^2 + c^2$ using:

$$(a + b + c)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2(ab + bc + ca)$$

$$\text{So, } 5^2 = a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2(10)$$

$$\Rightarrow 25 = a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 20$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 5$$

Now, $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - ab - bc - ca = 5 - 10 = -5$

Using the identity: $a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc = (a + b + c)(a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - ab - bc - ca)$

$$a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc$$

$$= (5)(-5)$$

$$= -25$$

Hence proved $a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc = -25$.

98. By factoring the expression, check that $n^3 - n$ is always divisible by 6 for all natural numbers n . Give reasons.

Ans. : We have: $n^3 - n$

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

$$= n(n - 1)(n + 1)$$

So, $n^3 - n = n(n - 1)(n + 1)$

Thus, $n^3 - n$ is the product of three consecutive natural numbers: $(n - 1), n, (n + 1)$

Among any three consecutive natural numbers:

- one is always divisible by 3
- at least one is always even, so divisible by 2

Therefore, their product is always divisible by: $2 \times 3 = 6$

Hence, $n^3 - n$ is always divisible by 6 for all natural numbers n .

*** Answer the following questions. [5 Marks Each]**

[10]

99. Is this an identity?

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

Ans. : To check whether this is an identity, expand the left-hand side.

First Part: $(a + b - c)^2$

$$= a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab - 2ac - 2bc$$

Second Part: $(a - b + c)^2$

$$= a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - 2ab + 2ac - 2bc$$

Third Part: $(a - b - c)^2$

$$= a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - 2ab - 2ac + 2bc$$

Now adding all three:

$$LHS = (a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab - 2ac - 2bc)$$

$$+ (a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - 2ab + 2ac - 2bc)$$

$$+ (a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - 2ab - 2ac + 2bc)$$

$$= 3a^2 + 3b^2 + 3c^2 - 2ab - 2ac - 2bc$$

This is NOT equal to $2a^2 + 2b^2 + 2c^2$

Hence, the given statement is not true for all values of a, b and c .

So, it is not an identity.

100. Find the value of

$$x^3 - 8y^3 - 36xy - 216, \text{ when } x = 2y + 6$$

Ans. : Given: $x - 2y + 6 = 0$

So, $x - 2y = -6$

Now use the identity: $(a - b)^3 = a^3 - 3a^2b + 3ab^2 - b^3$

We have: $x^3 - 8y^3 - 36xy - 216$

$$= x^3 - 8y^3 + 3(x)(-2y)(-6) + (-6)^3$$

So it matches: $a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc$

with $a = x$, $b = -2y$, $c = -6$

Using identity: $a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc$

$$= (a + b + c)(a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - ab - bc - ca)$$

Thus, $x^3 - 8y^3 - 36xy - 216$

$$= x^3 - 8y^3 - 216 - 36xy$$

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

$$= (x - 2y - 6)[x^2 + 4y^2 + 36^2 + 2xy - 12y + 18x]$$

But from the question:

$x - 2y + 6 = 0$, which gives $x - 2y = -6$, so $x - 2y - 6 = -12$, not zero.

So this expression does not become 0 under the given condition as written.

Using $x = 2y - 6$ from the condition, Substitute into the expression:

$$x^3 - 8y^3 - 36xy - 216$$

$$= (2y - 6)^3 - 8y^3 - 36(2y - 6)y - 216$$

$$= (8y^3 - 72y^2 + 216y - 216) - 8y^3 - 72y^2 + 216y - 216$$

$$= -144y^2 + 432y - 432$$

$$= -144(y^2 - 3y + 3)$$

Therefore, under the given condition, the value is $-144(y^2 - 3y + 3)$.

So, the expression does not reduce to a constant unless there is a typo in the question.
