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Practice Paper 8TH Factorization

What is factorization? The process of expressing any polynomial as a product of its factors is called factorization.

A factor that cannot be factorized further is known as **irreducible factor**

$2x^2 + x - 6 = (2x - 3)(x + 2)$, Here $(2x - 3)$ cannot be factorized further $(x + 2)$ cannot be factorized further.

1. Factorization by taking out the common factor (by Taking out the common term)

(i) $2x+6$ (ii) $4x^2+20xy$ (iii) $3x^2 - 12xy$ (iv) $a^2b - ab^2$ (v) $3x^3 - 5x^2 + 6x$ (vi) $7x^3y^3 - 21xy^2z + 28xz$

2. Factorization by grouping the terms (In this method, the terms in the given expression can be arranged in groups of two or three so as to get a common factor)

(i) $x^3 - 3x^2 + x - 3$ (ii) $2xy - 3ab + 2bx - 3ay$ (iii) $2m^2 - 10mn + 2m + 10n$ (iv) $ab(x^2 + 1) + x(a^2 + b^2)$

3. Factorization by using Identities [(i) $(a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$ (ii) $(a - b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2$ (iii) $(a + b)(a - b) = a^2 - b^2$] Do yourself:

(i) $x^2 + 6x + 9$ (ii) $x^2 - 10x + 25$ (iii) $49m^2 - 56m + 16$ (iv) $x^2 - 64$ (v) $9x^2y - 4y^3$ (vi) $m^8 - n^8$

4. Factorization by using the Identity $(x + a)(x + b) = x^2 + (a + b)x + ab$

Example: $x^2 + 5x + 6 = x^2 + (2+3)x + (2 \times 3) = (x + 2)(x + 3)$

(1) $x^2 + x - 6$ (ii) $x^2 + 6x + 8$ (1) $x^2 - 14x - 45$ (iii) $x^2 + 7x + 12$ (iv) $a^2 + 13a + 12$

Practice Now

1. Factorize the following expressions:

(i) $3x - 45$ (ii) $7x - 14y$ (iii) $5a^2 + 35a$ (iv) $-12y + 20y^3$

(v) $15a^2b + 35ab$ (vi) $pq - pqr$ (vii) $18m^3 - 45mn^2$ (viii) $17l^2 + 85m^2$

(ix) $6x^3y - 12x^2y + 15x^4$ (x) $2a^5b^3 - 14a^2b^2 + 4a^3b$

2. Factorize:

(i) $2ab + 2b + 3a$ (ii) $6xy - 4y + 6 - 9x$ (iii) $2x + 3xy + 2y + 3y^2$

(iv) $15b - 3bx^2 - 5b + x^2$ (v) $a^2x^2 + axy + abx + by$

(vi) $a^2x + abx + ac + aby + b^2y + bc$ (vii) $ax^3 + bx^2 + ax + by$

(viii) $mx - my - nx + ny$ (ix) $2m^3 + 3m - 2m^2 - 3$ (x) $a^2 + 11b + 11ab + a$

3. Factorize:

(i) $a^2 + 14a + 49$ (ii) $x^2 - 12x + 36$ (iii) $4p^2 - 25q^2$

(iv) $25x^2 - 20xy + 4y^2$ (v) $169m^2 - 625n^2$ (vi) $x^2 + \frac{2}{3}x + \frac{1}{9}$

(vii) $121a^2 + 154ab + 49b^2$ (viii) $3x^3 - 75x$ (ix) $36 - 49x^2$ (x) $1 - 6x + 9x^2$

4. Factorize: (i) $x^2 + 7x + 12$ (ii) $p^2 - 6p + 8$ (iii) $m^2 - 4m - 21$

(iv) $x^2 - 14x + 45$ (v) $x^2 - 24x + 108$ (vi) $a^2 + 13a + 12$

(vii) $x^2 - 5x + 6$ (viii) $x^2 - 14xy + 24y^2$ (ix) $m^2 - 21m - 72$