

LESSON

Practice B**6-2** *Multiplying Polynomials*

Find each product.

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

2. $-9x(x^2 + 2x + 4)$

3. $-6x^2(x^3 + 7x^2 - 4x + 3)$

4. $x^3(-4x^3 + 10x^2 - 7x + 2)$

5. $-5m^3(7n^4 - 2mn^3 + 6)$

6. $(x + 2)(y^2 + 2y - 12)$

7. $(p + q)(4p^2 - p - 8q^2 - q)$

8. $(2x^2 + xy - y)(y^2 + 3x)$

Expand each expression.

9. $(3x - 1)^3$

10. $(x - 4)^4$

11. $3(a - 4b)^2$

12. $5(x^2 - 2y^3)^3$

Solve.

13. A biologist has found that the number of branches on a certain rare tree in its first few years of life can be modeled by the polynomial $b(y) = 4y^2 + y$. The number of leaves on each branch can be modeled by the polynomial $l(y) = 2y^3 + 3y^2 + y$, where y is the number of years after the tree reaches a height of 6 feet. Write a polynomial describing the total number of leaves on the tree.
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LESSON **Practice A**
6-2 **Multiplying Polynomials**

Find each product.

- $2x(x^2 + 4)$
 $= 2x \cdot x^2 + 2x \cdot 4$
 $= 2x^3 + 8x$
- $3m(2 - m^3)$
 $= 3m \cdot 2 - 3m \cdot m^3$
 $= 6m - 3m^4$
- $6p(p + 7)$
 $= 6p^2 + 42p$
- $x(x^2 + 3x - 1)$
 $= x^3 + 3x^2 - x$
- $2x(2x^2 - 5x + 6)$
 $= 4x^3 - 10x^2 + 12x$
- $(x - 3)(x^2 + 2x - 1)$

x	x^2	$2x$	-1
-3	x^3	$2x^2$	$-x$
	D	E	F

a. $D = -3x^2$ b. $E = -6x$ c. $F = 3$
d. $D + E + F = -3x^2 - 6x + 3$
e. $(x^3 + 2x^2 - x) + (D + E + F) = x^3 - x^2 - 7x + 3$
- $(x - 1)(x^2 + 3x - 2)$
 $= x(x^2) + x(3x) + x(-2) - 1(x^2) - 1(3x) - 1(-2)$
 $= x^3 + 2x^2 - 5x + 2$
- $(x + 3)^3$
 $= (x + 3)(x + 3)(x + 3)$
 $= (x + 3)(x^2 + 6x + 9)$
 $= x^3 + 9x^2 + 27x + 27$
- $(x - 5)^3$
 $= (x - 5)(x - 5)(x - 5)$
 $= (x - 5)(x^2 - 10x + 25)$
 $= x^3 - 15x^2 + 75x - 125$

Solve.

- Kevin lives on a city block that has a perimeter of $w - 2$ miles. Each day he runs around the block 3 times and then runs to the high school, which is an additional 2 miles. How many miles does Kevin run in d days?
 $3wd - 4d$

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LESSON **Practice B**
6-2 **Multiplying Polynomials**

Find each product.

- $4x^2(3x^2 + 1)$
 $= 12x^4 + 4x^2$
- $-9x(x^2 + 2x + 4)$
 $= -9x^3 - 18x^2 - 36x$
- $-6x^2(x^3 + 7x^2 - 4x + 3)$
 $= -6x^5 - 42x^4 + 24x^3 - 18x^2$
- $x^3(-4x^3 + 10x^2 - 7x + 2)$
 $= -4x^6 + 10x^5 - 7x^4 + 2x^3$
- $-5m^3(7n^4 - 2mn^3 + 6)$
 $= -35m^3n^4 + 10m^4n^3 - 30m^3$
- $(x + 2)(y^2 + 2y - 12)$
 $= xy^2 + 2xy - 12x + 2y^2 + 4y - 24$
- $(p + q)(4p^2 - p - 8q^2 - q)$
 $= 4p^3 - p^2 + 4p^2q - 2pq - 8pq^2 - q^2 - 8q^3$
- $(2x^2 + xy - y)(y^2 + 3x)$
 $= 2x^2y^2 + 6x^3 + xy^3 + 3x^2y - y^3 - 3xy$
- $(3x - 1)^3$
 $= 27x^3 - 27x^2 + 9x - 1$
- $(x - 4)^4$
 $= x^4 - 16x^3 + 96x^2 - 256x + 256$
- $3(a - 4b)^2$
 $= 3a^2 - 24ab + 48b^2$
- $5(x^2 - 2y)^3$
 $= 5x^6 - 30x^4y + 60x^2y^2 - 40y^3$

Solve.

- A biologist has found that the number of branches on a certain rare tree in its first few years of life can be modeled by the polynomial $b(y) = 4y^2 + y$. The number of leaves on each branch can be modeled by the polynomial $l(y) = 2y^3 + 3y^2 + y$, where y is the number of years after the tree reaches a height of 6 feet. Write a polynomial describing the total number of leaves on the tree.
 $8y^5 + 14y^4 + 7y^3 + y^2$

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LESSON **Practice C**
6-2 **Multiplying Polynomials**

Consider the expansion of $(x + y)^n$.

- How many terms does the expression contain? $n + 1$
- What is the exponent of x in the first term? n
- What is the exponent of y in the first term? 0
- What is the sum of the exponents in any term of the expansion? n

Find each product.

- $-y^2(10x^2 + 4xy - y^2)$
 $= -10x^2y^2 - 4xy^3 + y^4$
- $(2a - b)^3$
 $= 8a^3 - 12a^2b + 6ab^2 - b^3$
- $5(h - 2)^4$
 $= 5h^4 - 40h^3 + 120h^2 - 160h + 80$
- $(2m^2 + n)(3n^2 + 6mn - m^2)$
 $= 2m^4 + 12m^3n + 6m^2n^2 - m^2n + 6mn^2 + 3n^3$
- $(\frac{1}{3}x - 4)^3$
 $= \frac{1}{27}x^3 - \frac{4}{3}x^2 + 16x + 64$
- $(4x - 5)(2x^5 + x^3 - 1)$
 $= 8x^6 - 10x^5 + 4x^4 - 5x^3 - 4x + 5$
- $(a^3 + a^2b^2)(b^4 + a^2)$
 $= a^5 + a^4b^2 + a^3b^4 + a^2b^6$
- $(k^4 + k^3 + 12)(k^2 - k - 9)$
 $= k^6 - 10k^4 - 9k^3 + 12k^2 - 12k - 108$

Solve.

- The momentum of an object is defined as its mass m multiplied by its velocity. As a certain experimental aircraft burns fuel, its mass decreases according to the polynomial $m(t) = 3000 - 0.1t^2 - 4t$, where m is in kilograms and t is measured in minutes since takeoff. Under the force of the engines, the velocity of the aircraft increases according to the function $v(t) = 0.001t^3 + 0.01t$, where v is in kilometers per second. What is the momentum of the rocket?
 $-0.0001t^5 - 0.004t^4 + 2.999t^3 - 0.04t^2 + 30t$

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LESSON **Review for Mastery**
6-2 **Multiplying Polynomials**

Use the Distributive Property to multiply a monomial and a polynomial.

Think: $k(x + y + z) = kx + ky + kz$

Multiply: $2ab^2(3a^2b - 4ab^2 - b^3)$.

$2ab^2$ is a monomial.

$3a^2b - 4ab^2 - b^3$ is a polynomial.

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

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

$2(3)(a \cdot a^2)(b^2 \cdot b) + 2(-4)(a \cdot a)(b^2 \cdot b^2) + 2(-1)(a)(b^2 \cdot b^3)$ *Distribute $2ab^2$.*

$6a^3b^3 - 8a^2b^4 - 2ab^5$

Group like terms.

Multiply.

Remember: Add the exponents of like bases to multiply.

Find each product.

- $4x^2(x^2 + 2x - 3)$
 $= 4x^4 + 8x^3 - 12x^2$
- $c^2d^2(3c^2 - cd + 7d^2)$
 $= 3c^4d^2 + 3c^2d^3 - 7c^3d^4$
- $5xy^2(x^3 + 4x^2 + 2)$
 $= 5x^4y^2 + 20x^3y^2 + 10xy^2$
- $3a^2b^2(8a^2 - 2ab - b^2)$
 $= 3(8)(a^2 \cdot a^2)b^2 + 3(-2)(a^2 \cdot a)(b^2 \cdot b) + 3(-1)a^2(b^2 \cdot b^2)$
 $= 24a^4b^2 - 6a^3b^3 - 3a^2b^4$
- $2y^3(y^2 - 9y + 4)$
 $= 2y^5 - 18y^4 + 8y^3$
- $x^2y^2(4x^2 + 7y)$
 $= 4x^4y^2 + 7x^2y^3$

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