

Final Exam Review:

Chapter 6

Section 1 - Integer Exponents

Simplify.

1. $5^{-3} = \frac{1}{5^3} = \boxed{\frac{1}{125}}$

2. $2^{-6} = \frac{1}{2^6} = \boxed{\frac{1}{64}}$

3. $(-5)^{-2} = \frac{1}{(-5)^2} = \boxed{\frac{1}{25}}$

4. $-(-4)^{-3} = -\left(\frac{1}{(-4)^3}\right) = -\left(\frac{1}{-64}\right) = \boxed{\frac{-1}{64}}$

5. $-6^0 = \boxed{-1}$

6. $(7)^{-2} = \frac{1}{(7)^2} = \boxed{\frac{1}{49}}$

Evaluate each expression for the given value(s) of the variable(s).

7. d^{-3} for $d = -2$

$(-2)^{-3} = \frac{1}{(-2)^3} = \boxed{\frac{1}{-8}}$

8. $a^5 b^{-6}$ for $a = 3$ and $b = 2$

$(3)^5 (2)^{-6}$
 $243 \left(\frac{1}{2^6}\right)$
 $243 \left(\frac{1}{64}\right) = \boxed{\frac{243}{64}}$

9. $(b - 4)^{-2}$ for $b = 1$

$(1 - 4)^{-2}$
 $(-3)^{-2} = \frac{1}{(-3)^2} = \boxed{\frac{1}{9}}$

10. $5z^{-x}$ for $z = -3$ and $x = 2$

$5(-3)^{-(2)}$
 $5\left(\frac{1}{(-3)^2}\right) = 5\left(\frac{1}{9}\right)$
 $= \boxed{\frac{5}{9}}$

11. $(5z)^{-x}$ for $z = -3$ and $x = 2$

$(5 \cdot (-3))^{-(2)}$
 $(-15)^{-2}$
 $\frac{1}{(-15)^2} = \boxed{\frac{1}{225}}$

12. $c^{-3} (16^{-2})$ for $c = 4$

$(4)^{-3} \left(\frac{1}{16^2}\right)$
 $\left(\frac{1}{4^3}\right) \left(\frac{1}{256}\right)$
 $\left(\frac{1}{64}\right) \left(\frac{1}{256}\right) = \boxed{\frac{1}{16384}}$

Simplify:

13. t^4

$$\frac{1}{t^4}$$

14. $3r^5$

$$\frac{3}{r^5}$$

15. $\frac{s^{-3}}{t^{-5}}$

$$\frac{t^5}{s^3}$$

16. $\frac{h^0}{3} =$

$$\frac{1}{3}$$

17. $\frac{2x^{-3}y^{-2}}{z^4}$

$$\frac{2}{x^3 y^2 z^4}$$

18. $\frac{4fg^{-5}}{5h^{-3}}$

$$\frac{4fh^3}{5g^5}$$

19. $\frac{14a^{-4}}{20bc^{-1}}$

$$\frac{\cancel{7} \cancel{14} c^1}{\cancel{10} \cancel{20} a^4 b}$$

$$\frac{7c}{10a^4 b}$$

20. $\frac{a^4 c^2 e^0}{b^{-1} d^{-3}}$

$$a^4 b^1 c^2 d^3 (1)$$

$$\frac{a^4 b^1 c^2 d^3}{1}$$

21. $\frac{-3g^{-2}hk^{-2}}{-6h^0}$

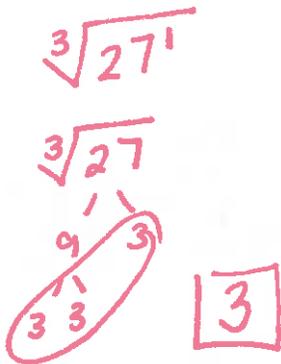
$$\frac{\cancel{-3} h}{\cancel{-6} g^2 k^2}$$

$$\frac{h}{2g^2 k^2}$$

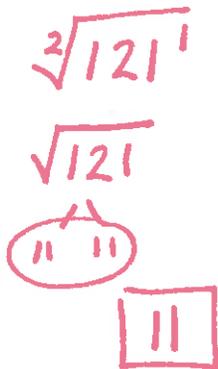
Section 2 - Rational Exponents

Simplify each expression. All variables represent nonnegative numbers.

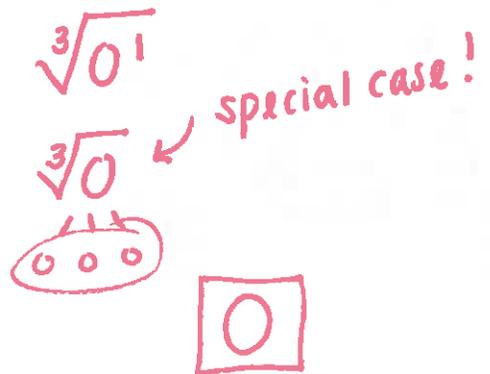
1. $27^{\frac{1}{3}}$



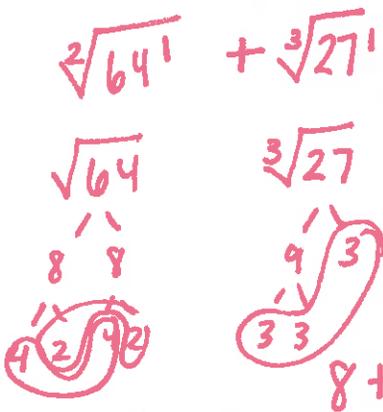
2. $121^{\frac{1}{2}}$



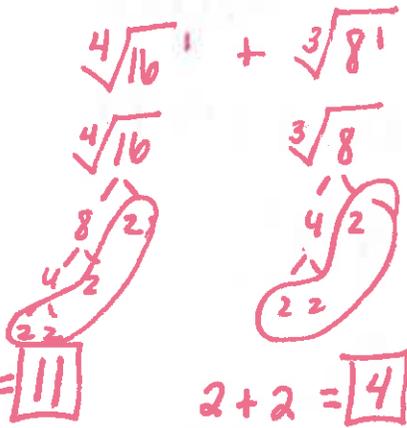
3. $0^{\frac{1}{3}}$



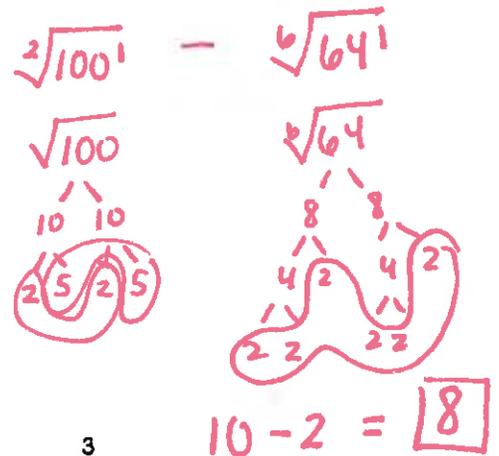
4. $64^{\frac{1}{2}} + 27^{\frac{1}{3}}$



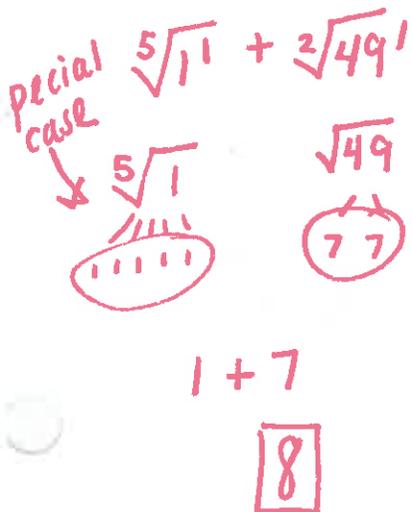
5. $16^{\frac{1}{4}} + 8^{\frac{1}{3}}$



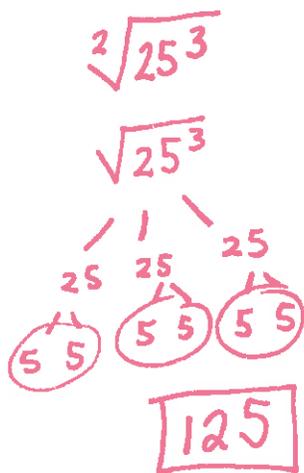
6. $100^{\frac{1}{2}} - 64^{\frac{1}{6}}$



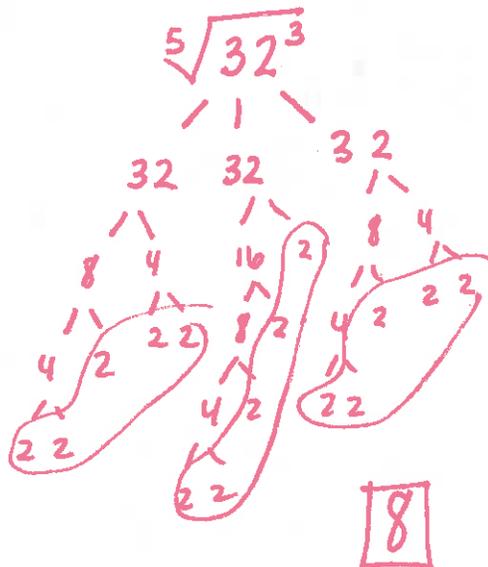
7. $15^{\frac{1}{5}} + 49^{\frac{1}{2}}$



8. $25^{\frac{3}{2}}$ exponent



9. $32^{\frac{3}{5}}$

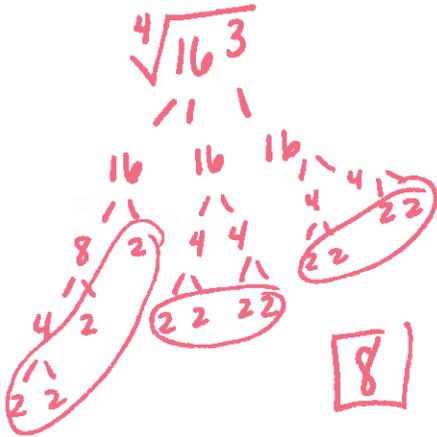


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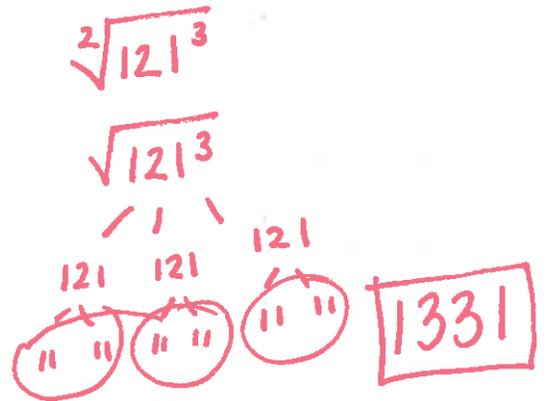
10. $16^{\frac{3}{4}}$



11. $16^{\frac{5}{6}}$

Handwritten note: "special case" with an arrow pointing to $\sqrt[6]{15}$. Below it, the number 1 is boxed.

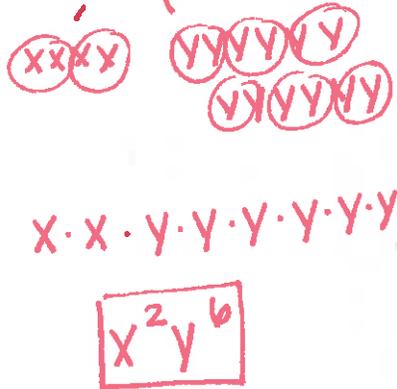
12. $121^{\frac{3}{2}}$



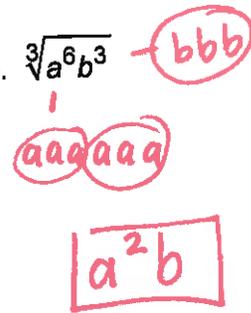
13. $\sqrt[5]{y^5}$



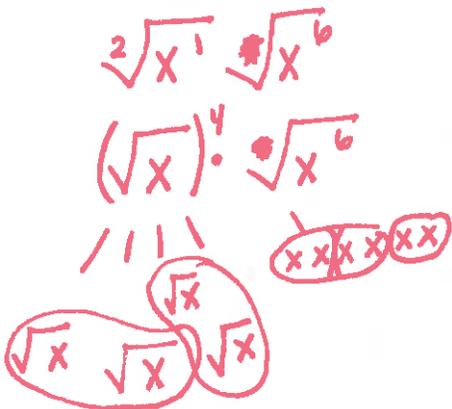
14. $\sqrt{x^4 y^{12}}$



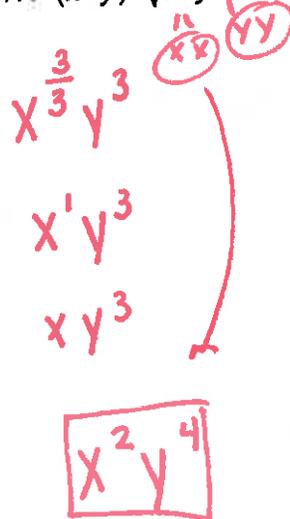
15. $\sqrt[3]{a^6 b^3}$



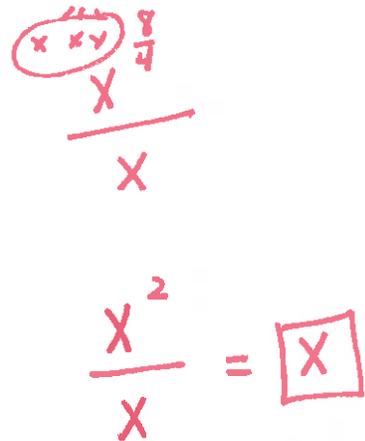
16. $(x^2)^4 \sqrt{x^6}$



17. $(x^3 y)^3 \sqrt{x^2 y^2}$



18. $\frac{(x^4)^8}{\sqrt[3]{x^3}}$



$\sqrt{x} \cdot \sqrt{x} \cdot x \cdot x \cdot x$



Section 3 - Polynomials

Find the degree and number of terms of each polynomial.

1. $14h^3 + 2h + 10$

degree: 3 (cubic)

terms: 3

2. $7y - 10y^2$

degree: 2 (quadratic)

terms: 2

3. $2a^2 - 5a + 34 - 6a^4$

degree: 4 (quartic)

terms: 4

Write each polynomial in standard form. Then, give the leading coefficient.

4. $3x^2 - 2 + 4x^8 - x$

$= \boxed{4}x^8 + 3x^2 - x - 2$
LC

5. $7 - 50j + 3j^3 - 4j^2$

$= \boxed{3}j^3 - 4j^2 - 50j + 7$
LC

6. $6k + 5k^4 - 4k^3 + 3k^2$

$= \boxed{5}k^4 - 4k^3 + 3k^2 + 6k$
LC

Classify each polynomial by its degree and number of terms.

7. $-5t^2 + 10$

quadratic

8. $8w - 32 + 9w^4$

quartic

9. $b - b^3 - 2b^2 + 5b^4$

quartic

Evaluate each polynomial for the given value.

10. $3m + 8 - 2m^3$ for $m = -1$

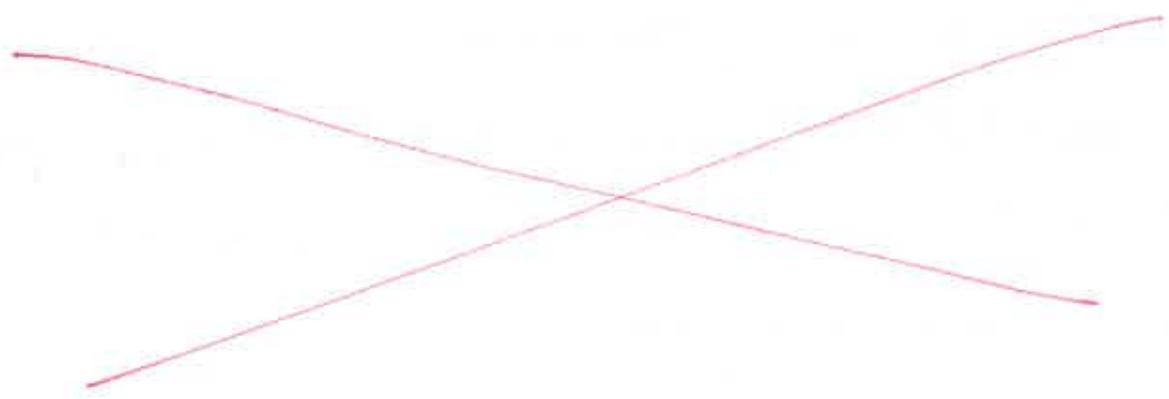
$3(-1) + 8 - 2(-1)^3 = +3(\cancel{4})8 - 2(-1) = -3 + 8 + 2 = \boxed{7}$
E M M A A

11. $4y^5 - 6y + 8y^2 - 1$ for $y = -1$

$4(-1)^5 - 6(-1) + 8(-1)^2 - 1 = 4(-1) - 6(-1) + 8(1) - 1 =$
E M M M
 $= -4 + 6 + 8 - 1 = \boxed{9}$

12. $2w + w^3 - \frac{1}{2}w^2$ for $w = 2$

$2(2) + (2)^3 - \frac{1}{2}(2)^2 = 2(2) + 8 - \frac{1}{2}(4) = 4 + 8 - 2 = \boxed{10}$
E M M



13. An egg is thrown off the top of a building. Its height in meters above the ground can be approximated by the polynomial $300 + 2t - 4.9t^2$, where t is the time since it was thrown in seconds.

a. How high is the egg above the ground after 5 seconds? $t = 5$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & 300 + 2(5) - 4.9(5)^2 \\
 & 300 + 2(5) - 4.9(25) \\
 & 300 + 10 - 122.5 = \boxed{187.5 \text{ meters}}
 \end{aligned}$$

b. How high is the egg above the ground after 6 seconds? $t = 6$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & 300 + 2(6) - 4.9(6)^2 \\
 & 300 + 2(6) - 4.9(36) \\
 & 300 + 12 - 176.4 = \boxed{135.6 \text{ meters}}
 \end{aligned}$$

Section 4 - Adding and Subtracting Polynomials

Add or subtract.

1. $3m^3 + 8m^3 - 3 + m^3 - 2m^2$ $12m^3 - 2m^2 - 3$

2. $2pg - p^5 - 12pg + 5g - 6p^5 - 7p^5 - 10pg + 5g$

Add.

$$\begin{array}{r} 3. \quad 3k^2 - 2k + 7 \\ + \quad k - 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$3k^2 - k + 5$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 4. \quad 5x^2 - 2x + 3y \\ + \quad 6x^2 + 5x + 6y \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$11x^2 + 3x + 9y$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5. \quad 11hz^3 + 3hz^2 + 8hz \\ + \quad 9hz^3 + hz^2 - 3hz \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$20hz^3 + 4hz^2 + 5hz$$

$$6. (ab^2 + 13b - 4a) + (3ab^2 + a + 7b)$$

$$4ab^2 + 20b - 3a$$

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

$$5x^3 - 2x^2$$

Subtract.

$$\begin{array}{r} 8. \quad 12d^2 + 3dx + x \\ - \quad (-4d^2 + 2dx - 8x) \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 12d^2 + 3dx + x \\ + \quad 4d^2 - 2dx + 8x \\ \hline 16d^2 + dx + 9x \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 9. \quad 2v^5 - 3v^4 - 8 \\ - \quad (3v^5 + 2v^4 - 8) \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2v^5 - 3v^4 - 8 \\ + \quad -3v^5 - 2v^4 + 8 \\ \hline -v^5 - 5v^4 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 10. \quad -y^4 + 6ay^2 - y + a \\ - \quad (-6y^4 - 2ay^2 + y) \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -y^4 + 6ay^2 - y + a \\ + \quad 6y^4 + 2ay^2 - y \\ \hline 5y^4 + 8ay^2 - 2y + a \end{array}$$

$$11. (-r^2 + 8pr - p) - (-12r^2 - 2pr + 8p)$$

$$-r^2 + 8pr - p + 12r^2 + 2pr - 8p$$

$$11r^2 + 10pr - 9p$$

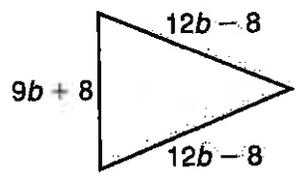
$$12. (un - n^2 + 2un^3) - (3un^3 + n^2 + 4un)$$

$$un - n^2 + 2un^3 - 3un^3 - n^2 - 4un$$

$$-2n^2 - un^3 - 3un$$

$$9b + 8 + 12b - 8 + 12b - 8$$

$$33b - 8$$



13. Antoine is making a banner in the shape of a triangle. He wants to line the banner with a decorative border. How long will the border be?

14. Darnell and Stephanie have competing refreshment stand businesses. Darnell's profit can be modeled with the polynomial $c^2 + 8c - 100$, where c is the number of items sold. Stephanie's profit can be modeled with the polynomial $2c^2 - 7c - 200$.

a. Write a polynomial that represents the difference between Stephanie's profit and Darnell's profit.

$$(2c^2 - 7c - 200) - (c^2 + 8c - 100)$$

$$2c^2 - 7c - 200 - c^2 - 8c + 100$$

$$c^2 - 15c - 100$$

b. Write a polynomial to show how much they can expect to earn if they decided to combine their businesses.

$$2c^2 - 7c - 200 + c^2 + 8c - 100$$

$$3c^2 + 1c - 300$$

$$3c^2 + c - 300$$

Section 5 - Multiplying Polynomials

Multiply.

1. $(6m^4)(8m^2)$

$48m^6$

2. $(5x^3)(4xy^2)$

$20x^4y^2$

3. $(10s^5t)(7st^4)$

$70s^6t^5$

4. $4(x^2 + 5x + 6)$

$4x^2 + 20x + 24$

5. $2x(3x - 4)$

$6x^2 - 8x$

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

$21x^3y + 28xy^2 + 14xy$

7. $(x + 3)(x + 4)$

$x^2 + 4x + 3x + 12$

$x^2 + 7x + 12$

8. $(x - 6)(x - 6)$

$x^2 - 6x - 6x + 36$

$x^2 - 12x + 36$

9. $(x - 2)(x - 5)$

$x^2 - 5x - 2x + 10$

$x^2 - 7x + 10$

10. $(2x + 5)(x + 6)$

$2x^2 + 12x + 5x + 30$

$2x^2 + 17x + 30$

11. $(m^3 + 3)(5m + n)$

$5m^4 + m^3n + 15m + 3n$

12. $(a^2 + b^2)(a + b)$

$a^3 + a^2b + b^2a + b^3$

13. $(x + 4)(x^2 + 3x + 5)$

$x^3 + 3x^2 + 5x + 4x^2 + 12x + 20$

$x^3 + 7x^2 + 17x + 20$

14. $(3m + 4)(m^2 - 3m + 5)$

$3m^3 - 9m^2 + 15m + 4m^2 - 12m + 20$

$3m^3 - 5m^2 + 3m + 20$

15. $(2x - 5)(4x^2 - 3x + 1)$

$8x^3 - 6x^2 + 2x - 20x^2 + 15x - 5$

$8x^3 - 26x^2 + 17x - 5$

16. The length of a rectangle is 3 inches greater than the width (Hint: $(x + 3)$ is the length, and x is the width).

a. Write a polynomial that represents the area of the rectangle.

$A = LW = x(x + 3) = x^2 + 3x$

b. Find the area of the rectangle when the width is 4 inches.

$x = 4$

$A = x^2 + 3x = 4^2 + 3(4) = 16 + 12$

28 in^2

17. The length of a rectangle is 8 centimeters less than 3 times the width.

$L = 3W$
 $W = \text{width}$

a. Write a polynomial that represents the area of the rectangle.

$$A = LW = w(3w - 8)$$

$$= 3w^2 - 8w$$

b. Find the area of the rectangle when the width is 10 centimeters.

$W = 10$
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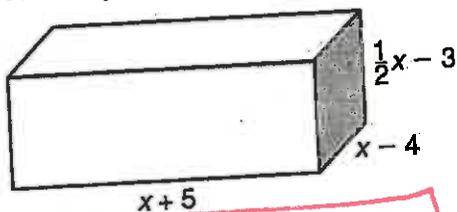
$$= 3w^2 - 8w$$

$$= 3(10)^2 - 8(10)$$

$$= 3(100) - 8(10)$$

$$= 300 - 80 = 220 \text{ cm}^2$$

18. Write a polynomial to represent the volume of the rectangular prism.



$V = LWH$

$$= [(x+5)(x-4)] \left(\frac{1}{2}x - 3\right)$$

$$= x^2 - 4x + 5x - 20 \downarrow$$

$$(x^2 + x - 20) \left(\frac{1}{2}x - 3\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}x^3 + \frac{1}{2}x^2 - 10x - 3x^2 - 3x + 60$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}x^3 - \frac{5}{2}x^2 - 13x + 60$$

Section 6 - Special Products of Binomials

Multiply.

1. $(x+2)^2$

$$(x+2)(x+2)$$

$$x^2 + 2x + 2x + 4$$

$$\boxed{x^2 + 4x + 4}$$

2. $(m+4)^2$

$$(m+4)(m+4)$$

$$m^2 + 4m + 4m + 16$$

$$\boxed{m^2 + 8m + 16}$$

3. $(3+a)^2$

$$(3+a)(3+a)$$

$$9 + 3a + 3a + a^2$$

$$\boxed{a^2 + 6a + 9}$$

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

$$(2x+5)(2x+5)$$

$$4x^2 + 10x + 10x + 25$$

$$\boxed{4x^2 + 20x + 25}$$

5. $(3a+2)^2$

$$(3a+2)(3a+2)$$

$$9a^2 + 6a + 6a + 4$$

$$\boxed{9a^2 + 12a + 4}$$

6. $(6+5b)^2$

$$(6+5b)(6+5b)$$

$$36 + 30b + 30b + 25b^2$$

$$\boxed{25b^2 + 60b + 36}$$

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7. $(b-3)^2$

$$(b-3)(b-3)$$

$$b^2 - 3b - 3b + 9$$

$$\boxed{b^2 - 6b + 9}$$

8. $(8-y)^2$

$$(8-y)(8-y)$$

$$64 - 8y - 8y + y^2$$

$$\boxed{64 - 16y + y^2}$$

9. $(a-10)^2$

$$(a-10)(a-10)$$

$$a^2 - 10a - 10a + 100$$

$$\boxed{a^2 - 20a + 100}$$

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

$$(3x-7)(3x-7)$$

$$9x^2 - 21x - 21x + 49$$

$$\boxed{9x^2 - 42x + 49}$$

11. $(4m-9)^2$

$$(4m-9)(4m-9)$$

$$16m^2 - 36m - 36m + 81$$

$$\boxed{16m^2 - 72m + 81}$$

12. $(6-3n)^2$

$$(6-3n)(6-3n)$$

$$36 - 18n - 18n + 9n^2$$

$$\boxed{36 - 36n + 9n^2}$$

13. $(x+3)(x-3)$

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

$$\boxed{x^2 - 9}$$

14. $(8+y)(8-y)$

$$64 - 8y + 8y - y^2$$

$$\boxed{-y^2 + 64}$$

15. $(x+6)(x-6)$

$$x^2 - 6x + 6x - 36$$

$$\boxed{x^2 - 36}$$

16. $(5x+2)(5x-2)$

$$25x^2 - 10x + 10x - 4$$

$$\boxed{25x^2 - 4}$$

17. $(10x+7y)(10x-7y)$

$$100x^2 - 70xy + 70xy - 49y^2$$

$$\boxed{100x^2 - 49y^2}$$

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

$$x^4 - 3x^2y + 3x^2y - 9y^2$$

$$\boxed{x^4 - 9y^2}$$

19. Write a simplified expression that represents the...

a. area of the large rectangle.

$$(b+x)(b-x)$$

$$3b - bx + bx - x^2$$

$$\boxed{-x^2 + 3b}$$

b. area of the small rectangle.

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

$$4 + 2x - 2x - x^2$$

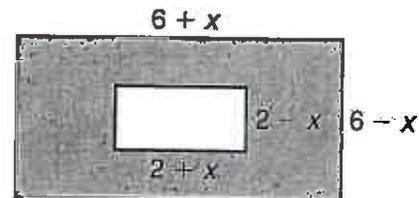
$$\boxed{-x^2 + 4}$$

c. area of the shaded area.

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

$$-x^2 + 3b + x^2 - 4$$

$$\boxed{3b - 4}$$



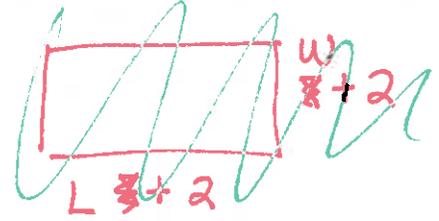
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20. The small rectangle is made larger by adding 2 units to the length and 2 units to the width.

a. What is the new area of the smaller rectangle?

$$(x+2)(x+2)$$

$$(x+2)^2$$



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

$$(4-x)(4+x) = 16 + 4x - 4x - x^2 = \boxed{-x^2 + 16}$$

b. What is the area of the new shaded area?

large area - new small

$$(-x^2 + 36) - (16 - x^2)$$

$$-x^2 + 36 - 16 + x^2$$

$$\boxed{20}$$

