

Key

Unit 7 Day 2 Notes on Multiplying Polynomials

Recall from yesterday: **Simplify** the expression and **classify** the polynomial

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

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

* cubic trinomial

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

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

* quadratic trinomial

Multiplying polynomials. Let's try!

Together.

Ex 1) $2x(x^2 + 3x)$ * distribute

$$2x^3 + 6x^2$$

You.

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

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

Ex 2) $3x^2(x^3 + 4x^2 + 8x + 5)$

$$3x^5 + 12x^4 + 24x^3 + 15x^2$$

2) $2x^3(4x^2 + 10x + 3)$

$$8x^5 + 20x^4 + 6x^3$$

When multiplying 2 binomials

* **F**irst
Outers
Inners
Last

Ex 3) $(x+5)(2x+7)$

$$2x^2 + 7x + 10x + 35$$

$$2x^2 + 17x + 35$$

3) $(x+8)(3x+10)$

$$3x^2 + 10x + 24x + 80$$

$$3x^2 + 34x + 80$$

Ex 4) $(x-5)(3x^2+8x-9)$

$$3x^3 + 8x^2 - 9x - 15x^2 - 40x + 45$$

$$3x^3 - 7x^2 - 49x + 45$$

4) $(x+4)(7x^2+4x+9)$

$$7x^3 + 4x^2 + 9x + 28x^2 + 16x + 36$$

$$7x^3 + 32x^2 + 25x + 36$$

*Ex 5) $(x-3)(x+3)$

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

$$x^2 - 9$$

← called conjugates →
middle terms
eliminate each
other

5) $(2x+1)(2x-1)$

$$4x^2 - 2x + 2x - 1$$

$$4x^2 - 1$$

$$(a+b)(a-b)$$

$$a^2 - b^2$$

*Ex 6) $(2x+1)^2 = (2x+1)(2x+1)$

$$4x^2 + 2x + 2x + 1$$

$$4x^2 + 4x + 1$$

6) $(x-5)^2 = (x-5)(x-5)$

$$x^2 - 5x - 5x + 25$$

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

$$(a+b)^2$$

$$a^2 + 2ab + b^2$$