



## Grade 8 Factorization

Q1) Factorize by grouping the terms

i)  $15xy - 6x + 10y - 4$  ii)  $n - 7 + 7lm - lmn$  iii)  $x^2 - xz + xy - xz$

Q2) Factorize using identity

i)  $9a^2 - 16b^2$  ii)  $80a^2 - 45b^2$  iii)  $x^4 - y^4$

Q3) Factorize as perfect square using identity.

i)  $x^2 + 8x + 16$  ii)  $4x^2 - 4xy + y^2 - 9z^2$   
iii)  $4(x + y)^2 - 28y(x + y) + 49y^2$

Q4) Factorize by splitting the middle term.

i)  $x^2 - 11x - 42$  ii)  $6x^2 + 5x - 6$  iii)  $x^2 + 5x - 36$

Q5) Factorize by method of completing square.

i)  $z^2 - 4z - 12$

Q6)  $x + \frac{1}{x} = 4$  find the value of

i)  $x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}$  ii)  $x^4 + \frac{1}{x^4}$

Q7) If  $\sqrt{\frac{x}{y}} + \sqrt{\frac{y}{x}} = \frac{10}{3}$  find  $xy$  and  $(x + y)$



## Answer key

$$\text{A1) i) } (3x+2)(5y-2) \quad \text{ii) } (n-7)(1-lm) \quad \text{iii) } x(x - 2z + y)$$

$$\text{A2) i) } (3a-4b)(3a+4b)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ii) } 80a^2 - 45b^2 &= 5(16a^2 - 9b^2) \\ &= 5\{(4a)^2 - (3b)^2\} \\ &= 5(4a + 3b)(4a - 3b) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{iii) } x^4 - y^4 &= (x^2)^2 - (y^2)^2 \\ &= (x^2 - y^2)(x^2 + y^2) \\ &= (x + y)(x - y)(x^2 + y^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{A3) i) } (x + 4)^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ii) ii) } 4x^2 - 4xy + y^2 - 9z^2 \\ &= (2x)^2 - 2 \times 2x \times y + y^2 - 9z^2 \\ &= (2x - y)^2 - (3z)^2 \\ &= (2x - y + 3z)(2x - y - 3z) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{iii) } 4(x + y)^2 - 28y(x + y) + 49y^2 \\ &= \{2(x + y)\}^2 - 2 \times 2(x + y) \times 7y + (7y)^2 \\ &= \{2(x + y) - 7y\}^2 \end{aligned}$$



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

$$(2x - 7y)^2$$

A4)

i)  $x^2 - 11x - 42$

$$x^2 - 14x + 3x - 42$$

$$x(x + 3) - 14(x + 3)$$

$$= (x + 3)(x - 14)$$

ii)

ii)  $6x^2 + 5x - 6$

$$6x^2 + 9x - 4x - 6$$

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

iii)  $x^2 + 5x - 36$

$$x^2 + 9x - 4x - 36$$

$$= x(x + 9) - 4(x + 9)$$

$$= (x - 4)(x + 9)$$

A5)i)  $(z-6)(z+2)$  hint  $(z^2 - 2 \cdot 2 \cdot z + 2^2) - 2^2 - 12 = (z-2)^2 - 4^2$

$$\Rightarrow (z - 2 - 4)(z - 2 + 4) \Rightarrow (z - 6)(z + 2)$$

Sol6)



$$\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right)^2 = x^2 + 2x \times \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x^2}$$

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

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

$$14 = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}$$

ii)

Now,

$$\left(x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right)^2 = x^4 + 2x^2 \times \frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{x^4}$$

$$x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} = 14$$

$$(14)^2 = x^4 + 2 + \frac{1}{x^4}$$

$$x^4 + \frac{1}{x^4} = 196 - 2 = 194$$

Q7) If  $\sqrt{\frac{x}{y}} + \sqrt{\frac{y}{x}} = \frac{10}{3}$  find  $xy$  and  $(x + y)$

Sol7)  $\sqrt{\frac{x}{y}} + \sqrt{\frac{y}{x}} = \frac{10}{3}$

$$\frac{\sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{y}} + \frac{\sqrt{y}}{\sqrt{x}} = \frac{10}{3}$$

Cross multiply

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{x} \times \sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y} \times \sqrt{y}}{\sqrt{x}\sqrt{y}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(\sqrt{x})^2 + (\sqrt{y})^2}{\sqrt{x}\sqrt{y}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x + y}{\sqrt{xy}} = \frac{10}{3}$$



$$\Rightarrow x + y = 10 \text{ and } xy = 3^2 = 9$$

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