

**Use Algebraic Notation AND Show All of Your Work**

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Factor each polynomial using the greatest common factor. If there is no common factor other than 1 and the polynomial cannot be factored, so state.

[8 pts]

1.  $14y^2 - 7y$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[9 pts]

2.  $39x^5 - 13x^3 + 26x^2$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[8 pts]

3.  $12x^2 - 25$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[10 pts]

4.  $18x^3y^2 - 12x^3y + 24x^2y^2$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

Factor by grouping.

[9 pts]

5.  $5y(2y + 1) + 2y + 1$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[10 pts]

6.  $x^3 + 6x^2 - 2x - 12$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[11 pts]

7.  $10x^2 - 12xy + 35xy - 42y^2$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[11 pts]

8.  $x^2 + ax + bx + ab$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

*Factor each polynomial completely, or state that the polynomial is prime.*

[10 pts]

9.  $y^2 + 5y - 24$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[10 pts]

10.  $y^2 - 22y + 72$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[12 pts]

11.  $a^2 - 21ab + 80b^2$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[13 pts]

12.  $3r^3 - 9r^2 - 54r$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[14 pts]

13.  $-3w^4 - 54w^3 - 135w^2$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[13 pts]

14.  $3y^2 - 2y - 5$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[14 pts]

15.  $3x^2 + 22x - 16$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[12 pts]

16.  $3x^2 - 5x + 1$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[13 pts]

17.  $6x^2 - 7xy - 5y^2$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[14 pts]

18.  $12a^2 + 7ab - 12b^2$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[14 pts]

19.  $36y^2 + 6y - 12$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[15 pts]

20.  $6a^3b^2 - 2a^2b^3 - 60ab^4$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[12 pts]

21.  $36y^2 - 49$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[15 pts]

22.  $64x^{14} - y^4$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[9 pts]

23.  $x^2 + 4$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[13 pts]

24.  $12y^3 - 48y$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[15 pts]

25.  $81x^4 - 1$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[13 pts]

26.  $64y^2 - 16y + 1$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[13 pts]

27.  $9x^2 - 48xy + 64y^2$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[14 pts]

28.  $14b^3 + 7b^2 - 7b$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[16 pts]

29.  $48a^4 - 3a^2$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[17 pts]

30.  $4ay^3 - 12ay^2 + 9ay$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

Use factoring to solve each quadratic equation. State your result in a **solution set**.

[18 pts]

31.  $x^2 + 3x = 0$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[21 pts]

32.  $3x^2 = 15 - 4x$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[27 pts]

33.  $y(y + 9) = 4(2y + 5)$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[24 pts]

34.  $x(3x - 8) = -5$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[30 pts]

35. The length of a rectangular garden is 5 feet greater than the width. The area of the rectangle is 300 square feet. Find the length and the width. *(Draw a picture, define a variable, create an equation, solve using algebra, and answer in a sentence.)*

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

[30 pts]

36. A model rocket is launched from a height of 80 feet. The formula  $h = -16t^2 + 64t + 80$  describes the rocket's height,  $h$ , in feet,  $t$  seconds after it was launched. How long will it take the rocket to reach the ground? *(Create an equation, solve using algebra, and answer in a sentence.)*

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_