

Math 135 – Intermediate Algebra

Homework 5 – Solutions

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$$\begin{aligned}
 8\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 - 4\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 - 2\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) + 7 &= \\
 8\left(-\frac{1}{8}\right) - 4\left(-\frac{1}{4}\right) - 2\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) + 7 &= \\
 -1 - 1 + 1 + 7 &= 6
 \end{aligned}$$

5.1: Problems 9-25, 33-55, 61-73

9. terms: $5x^3, -x^2, -6x, 7$; coefficients: 5, -1, -6, 7

11. terms: $4n, -\frac{n^2}{3}$; coefficients: 4, $\frac{1}{3}$

13. terms: $3a^2, -8ab, 5b^2$; coefficients: 3, -8, 5

15. Polynomial of degree 3

17. Binomial of degree 2

19. Trinomial of degree 4

21. Monomial of degree 5

23. $-3x^2 + 9x + 2$; leading term: $-3x^2$

25. $5x^5 + 8x^4 - 2x^3 - x + 10$; leading term: $5x^5$

33. $-2x^2 + 10x - 9$

35. $3n^3 + n^2 + 2n$

37. $-6x^4 - \frac{1}{6}x^2 + \frac{9}{8}$

39. $2x^2 - 7x + 6$

a.

$$\begin{aligned}
 2(2)^2 - 7(2) + 6 &= \\
 8 - 14 + 6 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

b.

$$\begin{aligned}
 2(-3)^2 - 7(-3) + 6 &= \\
 18 + 21 + 6 &= 45
 \end{aligned}$$

41. $8x^3 - 4x^2 - 2x + 7$

a.

$$\begin{aligned}
 8\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^3 - 4\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2 - 2\left(\frac{3}{2}\right) + 7 &= \\
 8\left(\frac{27}{8}\right) - 4\left(\frac{9}{4}\right) - 2\left(\frac{3}{2}\right) + 7 &= \\
 27 - 9 - 3 + 7 &= 22
 \end{aligned}$$

b.

43.

$$\begin{aligned}
 3x + 9 + 2x^2 - 4x + 1 &= \\
 2x^2 + (3x - 4x) + (1 + 9) &= \\
 2x^2 - x + 10 &
 \end{aligned}$$

45.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (a^3 - 5a^3 + 3) - (5a^2 + a - 3) &= \\
 a^3 - 5a^2 + 3 - 5a^2 - a + 3 &= \\
 a^3 + (-5a^2 - 5a^2) - a + (3 + 3) &= \\
 a^3 - 10a^2 - a + 6 &
 \end{aligned}$$

47.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3x^4 - 7x^3 + x^2 + 8x - 10) + (8x^3 - 1) + \\
 (10 - 9x - 7x^2 + x^4) &= \\
 (3x^4 + x^4) + (-7x^3 + 8x^3) + (x^2 - 7x^2) + \\
 (8x - 9x) + (-10 - 1 + 10) &= \\
 4x^4 + x^3 - 6x^2 - x - 1 &
 \end{aligned}$$

49.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (12p^5 - 2p^3 + 4p^2 - 11p) - \\
 (13p^5 + p^4 + 2p^3 - 3p^2 - 11p - 1) &= \\
 (12p^5 - 13p^5) - p^4 + (-2p^3 - 2p^3) + \\
 (4p^2 + 3p^2) + (-11p + 11p) + 1 &= \\
 -p^5 - p^4 - 4p^3 + 7p^2 + 1 &
 \end{aligned}$$

51.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (x^2 + 5xy + 6y^2) + (9x^2y - 2xy^2 - 3xy + x^2 - y^2) + \\
 (2x^2y - 12xy^2) &= \\
 (9x^2y + 2x^2y) + (-2xy^2 - 12xy^2) + (x^2 + x^2) + \\
 (5xy - 3xy) + (6y^2 - y^2) &= \\
 11x^2y - 14xy^2 + 2x^2 + 2xy + 5y^2 &
 \end{aligned}$$

53.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 -y^3 \quad -3y^2 \quad +4y \\
 + \quad 6y^3 \quad +8y^2 \quad -3y \quad +2 \\
 \hline
 +5y^3 \quad +5y^2 \quad +y \quad +2
 \end{array}$$

55.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 3p^4 & -2p^2 & & \\
 - & +p^2 & -10p & +21 \\
 \hline
 3p^4 & -3p^2 & +10p & -26
 \end{array}$$

61.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3x^2 - 7x + 5) - (5x - 8x^2) + (2 + 6x - 9x^2) &= \\
 (3x^2 + 8x^2 - 9x^2) + (-7x - 5x + 6x) + (5 + 2) &= \\
 2x^2 - 6x + 7
 \end{aligned}$$

63.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (12n^3 + 16) - (11n^3 - 9n^2 + 3n + 8) - (-10n - 13) &= \\
 (12n^3 - 11n^3) + 9n^2 + (-3n + 10n) + (16 + 13 - 8) &= \\
 n^3 + 9n^2 + 7n + 21
 \end{aligned}$$

65.

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(x) + g(x) &= \\
 (2x^2 - 8) + (2x^2 + 7x + 5) &= \\
 (2x^2 + 2x^2) + 7x + (-8 + 5) &= \\
 4x^2 + 7x - 3
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(x) - g(x) &= \\
 (2x^2 - 8) - (2x^2 + 7x + 5) &= \\
 (2x^2 - 2x^2) - 7x + (-8 - 5) &= \\
 -7x - 13
 \end{aligned}$$

67.

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(x) + g(x) &= \\
 (-5x^4 + 6x^2 - 3) + (4x^4 - 3x^3 + 2x^2 - x) &= \\
 (-5x^4 + 4x^4) - 3x^3 + (6x^2 + 2x^2) - x - 3 &= \\
 -x^4 - 3x^3 + 8x^2 - x - 3
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(x) - g(x) &= \\
 (-5x^4 + 6x^2 - 3) - (4x^4 - 3x^3 + 2x^2 - x) &= \\
 (-5x^4 - 4x^4) + 3x^3 + (6x^2 - 2x^2) - x - 3 &= \\
 -9x^4 + 3x^3 + 4x^2 + x - 3
 \end{aligned}$$

69.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 t \quad h(t) = -16t^2 + 520 \\
 \hline
 0: \quad -16 \cdot 0^2 + 520 = 520
 \end{array}$$

$$1: \quad -16 \cdot 1^2 + 520 = 504$$

$$2: \quad -16 \cdot 2^2 + 520 = 456$$

$$3: \quad -16 \cdot 3^2 + 520 = 376$$

71.

$$\begin{aligned}
 R(n) &= 18n + 3.5n^2 - 0.005n^3 \\
 R(100) &= 18 \cdot 100 + 3.5 \cdot 100^2 - 0.005 \cdot 100^3 \\
 &= 1800 + 35000 - 5000 \\
 &= 31800
 \end{aligned}$$

73.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (8t^4 - 82t^3 + 245t^2 - 303t + 38, 387) + (25t^2 + 93t + 14, 783) &= \\
 8t^4 - 82t^3 + (245t^2 + 25t^2) + (-303t + 93t) + (38, 387 + 14, 783) &= \\
 8t^4 - 82t^3 + 270t^2 - 210t + 53, 170
 \end{aligned}$$

5.2: Problems 1-19, 29-49, 67-77, 101, 103, 109-115

1.

$$(6n^3)(-5n^3) = (-5 \cdot 6)(n^3 \cdot n^3) = -30n^6$$

3.

$$(-\frac{2}{3}rt^2)(-9r^3t) = (-\frac{2}{3} \cdot -9)(r \cdot r^3)(t^2 \cdot t) = 6r^4t^3$$

5.

$$(10x^5)(-x^3)(-2x^4) = (10 \cdot -1 \cdot -2)(x^5 \cdot x^3 \cdot x^4) = 20x^{12}$$

7.

$$(-3pr) \cdot 2p^3q \cdot q^2 = (-3 \cdot 2)(p \cdot p^3)(q \cdot q^2)r = -6p^4q^3r$$

9.

$$(-4ab^5)^3 = (-4ab^5)(-4ab^5)(-4ab^5) = -64a^3b^{15}$$

11.

$$(-2x)(5) + (-2x)(-4x) = -10x + 8x^2$$

13.

$$(4n^2)(6n) + (4n^2)(-1) = 24n^3 - 4n^2$$

15.

$$(-3x)(x^2) + (-3x)(-4x) + (-3x)(5) = -3x^3 + 12x^2 - 15x$$

17.

$$(\frac{1}{2}n^3)(12m^2) + (\frac{1}{2}n^3)(8n) = 6n^3m^2 + 4n^4$$

19.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (7x^5)(4x^2y^4) + (-4x^3)(4x^2y^4) + (1)(4x^2y^4) &= \\
 28x^7y^4 - 16x^5y^4 + 4x^2y^4
 \end{aligned}$$

29.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (x+2)(x+4) &= \\
 x^2 + 4x + 2x + 8 &= \\
 x^2 + 6x + 8
 \end{aligned}$$

31.

$$(n - 6)(n - 3) = \\ n^2 - 3n - 6n + 18 = \\ n^2 - 9n + 18$$

33.

$$(5 - a)(a + 7) = \\ 5a + 35 - a^2 - 7a = \\ -a^2 - 2a + 35$$

35.

$$(y + 7)^2 = \\ (y + 7)(y + 7) = \\ y^2 + 7y + 7y + 79 = \\ y^2 + 14y + 49$$

37.

$$(2x - 1)(x + 4) = \\ 2x^2 + 8x - x - 4 = \\ 2x^2 + 7x - 4$$

39.

$$(3 - 2x)(2 + 3x) = \\ 6 + 9x - 4x - 6x^2 = \\ -6x^2 + 5x + 6$$

41.

$$(5x + 3)(6x + 5) = \\ 30x^2 + 25x + 18x + 15 = \\ 30x^2 + 43x + 15$$

43.

$$(4x - 9)^2 = \\ (4x - 9)(4x - 9) = \\ 16x^2 - 36x - 36x + 81 = \\ 16x^2 - 72x + 81$$

45.

$$(a - b)(2a + 3b) = \\ 2a^2 + 3ab - 2ab - 3b^2 = \\ 2a^2 + ab - 3b^2$$

47.

$$(9p + 10q)(2p - q) = \\ 18p^2 - 9pq + 20pq - 10q^2 = \\ 18p^2 + 11pq - 10q^2$$

49.

$$(7x - 11y)(8x - 7y) = \\ 56x^2 - 49xy - 88xy + 77y^2 = \\ 56x^2 - 137xy + 77y^2$$

67. $t^2 - 100$

69. $x^2 + 16x + 64$

71. $16n^2 - 9$

73. $4n^2 - 20n + 25$

75. $b^2 - \frac{2}{3}ab + \frac{1}{9}a^2$

77. $25x^2 - y^2$

101.

$$(3x^2 - 1)(5x + 2) = \\ 15x^3 + 6x^2 - 5x - 2$$

103.

$$\begin{array}{r} x^2 \quad +7x \quad -3 \\ \hline x^2 \quad -6x \\ \hline -6x^3 \quad -42x^2 \quad 18x \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x^4 \quad 7x^3 \quad -3x^2 \\ \hline x^4 \quad +x^3 \quad -45x^2 \quad +18x \end{array}$$

109. $pV_2 - pV_1$

111.

a.

$$(6 + x)(12 + x) = \\ 72 + 6x + 12x + x^2 = \\ x^2 + 18x + 72$$

b.

$$(x^2 + 18x + 72) - 72 = \\ x^2 + 18x$$

113.

a. Longest panel: $(x + 0.1)$ inches by $(x + 0.1)$ inches.
Shortest panel: $(x - 0.1)$ inches by $(x - 0.1)$ inches.

b.

$$\begin{aligned}(x + 0.1)^2 - (x - 0.1)^2 &= \\(x^2 + 0.2x + 0.01) - (x^2 - 0.2x + 0.01) &= \\&0.4x\end{aligned}$$

115.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Volume} &= \text{length} \cdot \text{width} \cdot \text{height} = \\(18 - 2x) \cdot (12 - 2x) \cdot x &= \\(216 - 36x - 24x + 4x^2) \cdot x &= \\216x - 60x^2 + 4x^3 &\end{aligned}$$

5.3: Problems 1-15, 21-27, 39, 51, 53

1.

$$\frac{6x^4}{2x^3} = \frac{6}{2} \cdot \frac{x^4}{x^3} = 3x^{4-3} = 3x$$

3.

$$\frac{20y^5}{-4y^3} = \frac{20}{-4} \cdot \frac{y^5}{y^3} = -5y^{5-3} = -5y^2$$

5.

$$\frac{-9x^5y^2}{-3xy} = \frac{-9}{-3} \cdot \frac{x^5}{x} \cdot \frac{y^2}{y} = 3x^{5-1}y^{2-1} = 3x^4y$$

7.

$$\frac{6x^3 + 9x^2}{3x} = \frac{6x^3}{3x} + \frac{9x^2}{3x} = 2x^2 + 3x$$

9.

$$\frac{24n^3 - 10n^2 + 4n}{-4} = \frac{24n^3}{-4} + \frac{-10n^2}{-4} + \frac{4n}{-4} = -6n^3 + \frac{5}{2}n^2 - n$$

11.

$$\frac{54a^5 - 6a^4 + 36a^3}{6a^3} = \frac{54a^5}{6a^3} + \frac{-6a^4}{6a^3} + \frac{36a^3}{6a^3} = 9a^2 - a + 6$$

13.

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{16t^4 + 10t^3 - 18t^2 - 8t}{-2t^2} &= \frac{16t^4}{-2t^2} + \frac{10t^3}{-2t^2} + \frac{-18t^2}{-2t^2} + \frac{-8t}{-2t^2} = \\&-8t^2 - 5t + 9 + \frac{4}{t}\end{aligned}$$

15.

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{8p^2 - 16pq + 28q^2}{4q^2} &= \frac{8p^2}{4q^2} + \frac{-16pq}{4q^2} + \frac{28q^2}{4q^2} = \\&\frac{2p^2}{q^2} - \frac{4p}{q} + 7\end{aligned}$$

21. see attached

23. see attached

25. see attached

27. see attached

39. see attached

51.

a.

$$\frac{7.95 + 0.05x}{x} = \frac{7.95}{x} + 0.05$$

b. x is the number of monthly minutes, and 5 hours of calls is equal to $5 \cdot 60 = 300$ minutes, so $x = 300$.

$$\frac{7.95}{300} + 0.05 \approx 0.08 = 8 \text{ cents}$$

53.

a. see attached

b. see attached

21)
$$\begin{array}{r} x-2 \\ \hline x^2 - 4x + 4 \\ - x^2 - 2x \\ \hline -2x + 4 \\ -2x + 4 \\ \hline 0 \end{array}$$

Answer: $x-2$

23)
$$\begin{array}{r} n^2 + 4n - 5 \\ \hline n+1 | n^3 + 5n^2 - n - 5 \\ - n^3 - n^2 \\ \hline 4n^2 - n - 5 \\ - 4n^2 - 4n \\ \hline - 5n - 5 \\ - 5n - 5 \\ \hline 0 \end{array}$$

Answer: $n^2 + 4n - 5$

25).
$$\begin{array}{r} -3x^2 - 7x + 4 \\ \hline -x+5 | 3x^3 - 8x^2 - 39x + 11 \\ - 3x^3 - 15x^2 \\ \hline 7x^2 - 39x + 11 \\ - 7x^2 - 35x + 11 \\ \hline - 4x + 11 \\ - 4x + 20 \\ \hline - 9 \end{array}$$

Answer: $-3x^2 - 7x + 4 + \frac{-9}{5-x}$

$$27) \quad \begin{array}{r} x-3 \\ \hline 5x+4 \end{array} \left| \begin{array}{r} 5x^2-11x-12 \\ -5x^2+4x \\ \hline -15x-12 \\ -15x-12 \\ \hline 0 \end{array} \right.$$

Answer: $x-3$

$$39) \quad \begin{array}{r} x^2-x+2 \\ \hline x^2+3 \end{array} \left| \begin{array}{r} x^4-x^3+5x^2-3x+6 \\ -x^4+3x^2 \\ \hline -x^3+2x^2-3x+6 \\ -x^3-3x \\ \hline 2x^2+6 \\ -2x^2+6 \\ \hline 0 \end{array} \right.$$

Answer: x^2-x+2

$$53). \quad -r \sqrt{-30,000r^3 + 30,000}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 30,000r^2 + 30,000r + 30,000 \\ \hline -r+1 \end{array} \left| \begin{array}{r} -30,000r^3 \\ -30,000r^3 + 30,000r^2 \\ \hline -30,000r^2 + 30,000r \\ -30,000r^2 + 30,000r \\ \hline -30,000r + 30,000 \\ -30,000r + 30,000 \\ \hline 0 \end{array} \right.$$

Answer: $30,000r^2 + 30,000r + 30,000$

b) $r=1.04$: cumulative earnings = \$ 93,648

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