

Factoring Trinomials ($a = 1$)

$$ax^2 + bx = c$$

Factor each completely.

$$1) b^2 + 8b + 7 \quad \begin{array}{l} - * - = 7 \\ - + - = 8 \end{array}$$

$$(b+7)(b+1)$$

$$2) n^2 - 11n + 10 \quad \begin{array}{l} - * - = 10 \\ - + - = -1 \end{array}$$

$$(n-10)(n-1)$$

$$3) m^2 + m - 90 \quad \begin{array}{l} - * - = -90 \\ - * - = 1 \end{array}$$

$$(m+10)(m-9)$$

$$4) n^2 + 4n - 12 \quad \begin{array}{l} - * - = -12 \\ - + - = 4 \end{array}$$

$$(n+6)(n-2)$$

$$5) n^2 - 10n + 9 \quad \begin{array}{l} - * - = 9 \\ - + - = -10 \end{array}$$

$$(n-9)(n-1)$$

$$6) b^2 + 16b + 64 \quad \begin{array}{l} - * - = 64 \\ - + - = 16 \end{array}$$

$$(b+8)(b+8)$$

which we
can rewrite
as $(b+8)^2$

or $(b+8)^2$

$$7) m^2 + 2m - 24 \quad \begin{array}{l} - * - = -24 \\ - + - = 2 \end{array}$$

$$(m+6)(m-4)$$

$$8) x^2 - 4x + 24 \quad \begin{array}{l} - * - = 24 \\ - + - = -4 \end{array}$$

prime

$$9) k^2 - 13k + 40 \quad \begin{array}{l} - * - = 40 \\ - + - = -13 \end{array}$$

$$(k-8)(k-5)$$

$$10) a^2 + 11a + 18 \quad \begin{array}{l} - * - = 18 \\ - + - = 11 \end{array}$$

$$(a+9)(a+2)$$

$$11) n^2 - n - 56 \quad \begin{array}{l} - * - = -56 \\ - + - = -1 \end{array}$$

$$(n-8)(n+7)$$

$$12) n^2 - 5n + 6 \quad \begin{array}{l} - * - = 6 \\ - + - = -5 \end{array}$$

$$(n-2)(n-3)$$

13) $b^2 - 6b + 8$

$$(b-4)(b-2)$$

14) $n^2 + 6n + 8$

$$(n+4)(n+2)$$

★ GCF

15) $2n^2 + 6n - 108$

$$2(n^2 + 3n - 54)$$

$$2(n+9)(n-6)$$

★ 16) $5n^2 + 10n + 20$

$$5(n^2 + 2n + 4)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} - * - = 4 \\ - + - = 2 \end{array}$$

★ 17) $2k^2 + 22k + 60$

$$2(k^2 + 11k + 30)$$

$$2(k+6)(k+5)$$

18) $a^2 - a - 90$

$$(a-10)(a+9)$$

19) $p^2 + 11p + 10$

$$(p+10)(p+1)$$

★ 20) $5v^2 - 30v + 40$

$$5(v^2 - 6v + 8)$$

$$5(v-4)(v-2)$$

★ 21) $2p^2 + 2p - 4$

$$2(p^2 + p - 2)$$

$$2(p+2)(p-1)$$

★ 22) $4v^2 - 4v - 8$

$$4(v^2 - v - 2)$$

$$4(v-2)(v+1)$$

23) $x^2 - 15x + 50$

$$(x-10)(x-5)$$

24) $v^2 - 7v + 10$

$$(v-5)(v-2)$$

25) $p^2 + 3p - 18$

$$(p+6)(p-3)$$

26) $6v^2 + 66v + 60$

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$$6(v^2 + 11v + 10)$$

$$6(v+10)(v+1)$$