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Factoring Bonanza

COMPLETELY FACTOR all of the following, if it cannot be factored, write **PRIME**.

Case 1:

1) $x^2 + 5x + 4$
 $(x+4)(x+1)$

2) $x^2 - 12x + 35$
 $(x-7)(x-5)$

3) $x^2 - 3x - 18$
 $(x-6)(x+3)$

4) $x^2 + 5x - 50$
 $(x+10)(x-5)$

5) $x^2 - 2x - 48$
 $(x-8)(x+6)$

6) $x^2 - 9x + 20$
 $(x-5)(x-4)$

7) $x^2 + 7x + 12$
 $(x+4)(x+3)$

8) $x^2 + 2x - 24$
 $(x+6)(x-4)$

9) $x^2 - 6x - 7$
 $(x-7)(x+1)$

10) $x^2 - 13x + 40$
 $(x-8)(x-5)$

11) $x^2 + 11x + 28$
 $(x+7)(x+4)$

12) $x^2 + 13x + 42$
 $(x+7)(x+6)$

$$13) x^2 + 17x + 42$$

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

$$14) x^2 - 17x + 72$$

$$(x-9)(x-8)$$

$$15) x^2 + 8x - 48$$

$$(x+12)(x-4)$$

$$16) x^2 - 2x - 35$$

$$(x-7)(x+5)$$

$$17) x^2 + 15x + 44$$

$$(x+11)(x+4)$$

$$18) x^2 - 22x + 40$$

$$(x-20)(x-2)$$

Case 2:

$$19) 2x^2 + 9x + 10$$

$$a=2 \quad b=9 \quad c=10$$

$$ac=20$$

$$5 \quad 4$$

$$2x^2 + 5x + 4x + 10$$

$$x(2x+5) + 2(2x+5)$$

$$(x+2)(2x+5)$$

$$20) 6x^2 - 5x + 1$$

$$ac=6$$

$$3 \quad 2$$

$$6x^2 - 6x + 1x + 1$$

$$6x^2 - 3x - 2x + 1$$

$$3x(2x-1) - 1(2x-1)$$

$$(2x-1)(3x-1)$$

$$21) 3x^2 + 8x - 3$$

$$ac=-9$$

$$9 \quad -1$$

$$3x^2 + 9x - 1x - 3$$

$$3x(x+3) - 1(x+3)$$

$$(x+3)(3x-1)$$

$$22) 4x^2 - 7x - 15$$

$$ac=-60$$

$$12 \quad 5$$

$$4x^2 - 12x + 5x - 15$$

$$4x(x-3) + 5(x-3)$$

$$(x-3)(4x+5)$$

$$23) 12x^2 + 10x - 12$$

$$ac=-144$$

$$18 \quad 8$$

$$12x^2 + 18x - 8x - 12$$

$$6x(2x+3) - 4(2x+3)$$

$$(2x+3)(6x-4)$$

$$24) 10x^2 - x - 21$$

$$ac=-210$$

$$15 \quad 14$$

$$10x^2 - 15x + 14x - 21$$

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

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

$$25) 4x^2 + 2x - 30 \quad ac = 120$$

$$4x^2 + 12x - 10x - 30 \quad 12 \quad 10$$

$$4x(x+3) - 10(x+3)$$

$$(x+3)(4x-10)$$

$$26) 16x^2 - 40x + 25 \quad ac = 400$$

$$16x^2 - 20x - 20x + 25 \quad 20 \quad 20$$

$$4x(4x-5) - 5(4x-5)$$

$$(4x-5)(4x-5)$$

$$27) 36x^2 + 12x + 1 \quad ac = 36$$

$$36x^2 + 6x + 6x + 1 \quad 6 \quad 1$$

$$6x(6x+1) + 1(6x+1)$$

$$(6x+1)(6x+1)$$

$$28) 5x^2 + 34x + 24 \quad ac = 120$$

$$5x^2 + 30x + 4x + 24 \quad 30 \quad 4$$

$$5x(x+6) + 4(x+6)$$

$$(x+6)(5x+4)$$

$$29) 2x^2 + 19x + 24 \quad ac = 48$$

$$2x^2 + 16x + 3x + 24 \quad 16 \quad 3$$

$$2x(x+8) + 3(x+8)$$

$$(x+8)(2x+3)$$

$$30) 2x^2 + 11x + 5 \quad ac = 10$$

$$2x^2 + 10x + 1x + 5 \quad 10 \quad 1$$

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

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

$$31) 2x^2 + 19x + 35 \quad ac = 70$$

$$2x^2 + 14x + 5x + 35 \quad 14 \quad 5$$

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

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

$$32) 2x^2 - 3x - 9 \quad ac = -18$$

$$2x^2 - 6x + 3x - 9 \quad 6 \quad 3$$

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

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

$$33) 4x^2 - 13x + 10 \quad ac = 40$$

$$4x^2 - 8x - 5x + 10 \quad 8 \quad 5$$

$$4x(x-2) - 5(x-2)$$

$$(x-2)(4x-5)$$

$$34) 2x^2 + 3x + 6 \quad ac = 12$$

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$$35) 5x^2 + 3x + 4 \quad ac = 20$$

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$$36) 4x^2 + 23x + 15 \quad ac = 60$$

$$4x^2 + 10x + 3x + 15 \quad 10 \quad 3$$

$$4x(x+5) + 3(x+5)$$

$$(x+5)(4x+3)$$

Factor by Grouping

$$37) 15x^3 + 40x^2 + 3x + 8$$

$$5x^2(3x+8) + 1(3x+8)$$

$$(3x+8)(5x^2+1)$$

$$38) 14x^3 + 8x^2 + 7x + 4$$

$$2x^2(7x+4) + 1(7x+4)$$

$$(7x+4)(2x^2+1)$$

$$39) 14x^3 - 35x^2 + 16x - 40$$

$$7x^2(2x-5) + 8(2x-5)$$

$$(2x-5)(7x^2+8)$$

$$40) 11x^3 - 9x^2 + 11x - 9$$

$$x^2(11x-9) + 1(11x-9)$$

$$(11x-9)(x^2+1)$$

$$26) 20x^3 + 24x^2 - 25x - 30$$

$$4x^2(5x+6) - 5(5x+6)$$

$$(5x+6)(4x^2-5)$$

$$27) 12x^3 + 4x^2 - 9x - 3$$

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

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

$$41) 6x^4 + 3x^3 - 24x^2 - 12x$$

$$3x^3(2x+1) - 12x(2x+1)$$

$$(2x+1)(3x^3-12x)$$

$$42) 3x^4 - 2x^3 + 18x^2 - 12x$$

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

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

$$43) 5x^4 - 5x^3 + 20x^2 - 20x$$

$$5x^3(x-1) + 20x(x-1)$$

$$(x-1)(5x^3+20x)$$

$$44) 60x^4 - 300x^3 - 42x^2 + 210x$$

$$60x^3(x-5) - 42x(x-5)$$

$$(x-5)(60x^3-42x)$$

Sum & Difference of Cubes

$$45) x^3 + 64$$

$$(x+4)(x^2-4x+16)$$

$$46) x^3 - 1000$$

$$(x-10)(x^2+10x+1000)$$

$$47) 125x^3 - 27$$

$$(5x-3)(25x^2+15x+9)$$

$$48) 64x^3 - 1$$

$$(4x-1)(16x^2+4x+1)$$

$$49) x^3 - 27$$

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

$$50) 8x^3 - 729$$

$$(2x-9)(4x^2+18x+81)$$

$$51) 64x^3 + 81$$

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$$52) x^3 + 125$$

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

$$53) 27x^3 + 512$$

$$(3x+8)(9x^2-24x+64)$$

$$54) x^2 - 144$$

$$(x+12)(x-12)$$

$$55) x^2 - 25$$

$$(x+5)(x-5)$$

$$56) 4x^2 - 169$$

$$(2x+13)(2x-13)$$

$$57) 225x^2 - 196$$

$$(15x+14)(15x-14)$$

$$58) 16x^4 - 81$$

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

$$(4x^2+9)(2x+3)(2x-3)$$

$$59) 625x^2 - 289$$

$$(25x+17)(25x-17)$$

$$60) 256x^2 - 324$$

$$(16x+18)(16x-18)$$

$$61) 9x^2 - 100$$

$$(3x+10)(3x-10)$$

$$62) 25x^4 - 121$$

$$(5x^2+11)(5x^2-11)$$

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$$63) x^3 - 7x^2 - 18x$$

$$x(x^2 - 7x - 18)$$

$$x(x-9)(x+2)$$

$$64) x^3 - 4x^2 - 21x$$

$$x(x^2 - 4x - 21)$$

$$x(x-7)(x+3)$$

$$65) x^3 - 36x$$

$$x(x^2 - 36)$$

$$x(x+6)(x-6)$$

$$66) x^3 + 8x^2 + 16x$$

$$x(x^2 + 8x + 16)$$

$$x(x+4)(x+4)$$

$$67) 9x^3 + 6x^2 - 3x$$

$$3x(3x^2 + 2x - 1) \quad \text{acc: } \begin{matrix} 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{matrix}$$

$$3x^2 + 3x - 1x - 1$$

$$3x(x+1) - 1(x+1)$$

$$3x(x+1)(3x-1)$$

$$68) 3x^3 - 27x^2 + 24x$$

$$3x(x^2 - 9x + 8)$$

$$3x(x-8)(x+1)$$

$$69) -2x^3 - 2x^2 + 40x$$

$$-2x(x^2 + 2x - 20)$$

$$70) x^4 + 3x^3 - 4x^2$$

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

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

$$71) 2x^3 + x^2 - x$$

$$x(2x^2 + x - 1) \quad \text{acc: } \begin{matrix} 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{matrix}$$

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

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

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

$$72) 2x^3 + 2x^2 - 4x$$

$$2x(x^2 + x - 2)$$

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

$$73) x^3 - 10x^2 + 16x$$

$$x(x^2 - 10x + 16)$$

$$x(x-8)(x-2)$$

$$74) x^3 - 6x^2 + 9x$$

$$x(x^2 - 6x + 9)$$

$$x(x-3)(x-3)$$

$$75) 5x^3 - 4x^2 - 12x$$

$$x(5x^2 - 4x - 12) \quad ac = -60$$

$$10 \quad 6$$

$$5x^2 - 10x + 6x - 12$$

$$3x(x-2) \quad 6(x-2)$$

$$x(x-2)(5x+6)$$

$$76) 2x^3 + 10x^2 + 12x$$

$$2x(x^2 + 5x + 6)$$

$$2x(x+3)(x+2)$$

$$77) x^3 + 3x^2 - 54x$$

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

$$x(x+9)(x-6)$$

Case 1 and 2 with Bigger Exponents

$$78) x^4 - 5x^2 - 50$$

$$(x^2 - 10)(x^2 + 5)$$

$$79) x^4 - 8x^2 + 12$$

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

$$80) 2x^4 + 13x^2 + 6 \quad ac = 12$$

$$2x^4 + 12x^2 + 1x^2 + 6 \quad 12 \quad 1$$

$$2x^2(x+6) \quad 1(x^2+6)$$

$$(x^2+6)(2x^2+1)$$

$$81) 6x^4 - 23x^2 + 20 \quad ac = 120$$

$$6x^4 - 15x^2 - 8x^2 + 20 \quad 18 \quad 8$$

$$3x^2(2x^2-5) - 4(2x^2-5)$$

$$(2x^2-5)(3x^2-4)$$

$$82) 5x^4 + 19x^2 - 4 \quad ac = 20$$

$$5x^4 + 20x^2 - (x^2 - 4) \quad 20 \quad 1$$

$$5x^2(x^2+4) - 1(x^2-4)$$

$$(x^2+4)(5x^2-1)$$

$$83) 4x^6 - 5x^3 - 6 \quad ac = 27$$

$$4x^6 - 8x^3 + 3x^3 - 6 \quad 8 \quad 3$$

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

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