

### Operations with Polynomials

Adding and Subtracting Polynomials

1.)  $(3x^2 + 11x + 4) + (-5x + x^2 - 13)$   
 $\underline{3x^2 + 11x + 4} \quad \underline{-5x + x^2 - 13}$   
 $3x^2 + x^2 + 11x - 5x + 4 - 13$   
 $\boxed{4x^2 + 6x - 9}$

2.)  $(9n^3 - 4n^2 + 2n - 10) + (-2n^2 + n - 7)$   
 $\underline{9n^3 - 4n^2 + 2n - 10} \quad \underline{-2n^2 + n - 7}$   
 $9n^3 - 4n^2 - 2n^2 + 2n + n - 10 - 7$   
 $\boxed{9n^3 - 6n^2 + 3n - 17}$

3.)  $(5k^3 - 2k^2 + 2k) - (2k^2 + 2k + 17)$   
 $\underline{5k^3 - 2k^2 + 2k} \quad \underline{-2k^2 - 2k - 17}$   
 $5k^3 - 2k^2 - 2k^2 + 2k - 2k - 17$   
 $\boxed{5k^3 - 4k^2 - 17}$

4.)  $(y + 4y^2 - 3) - (1 + 2y^2 - 5y - y^3)$   
 $\underline{y + 4y^2 - 3} \quad \underline{-1 - 2y^2 + 5y + y^3}$   
 $y^3 + 4y^2 - 2y^2 + y + 5y - 3 - 1$   
 $\boxed{y^3 + 2y^2 + 6y - 4}$

Multiplying Polynomials

- 1.) Distribute or FOIL.
- 2.) Combine like terms!
- 3.) Write your answer in standard form.

5.)  $(2a - b)(-4a + 3b)$  FOIL  
 $-8a^2 + 6ab + 4ab - 3b^2$   
 $\boxed{-8a^2 + 10ab - 3b^2}$

6.)  $(w - 7)(w^2 + 2w + 1)$

	$w^2$	$2w$	$1$
$w$	$w^3$	$2w^2$	$w$
$-7$	$-7w^2$	$-14w$	$-7$

$\boxed{w^3 - 5w^2 - 13w - 7}$

7.)  $(x + 3)(x^2 - 5x + 8)$

	$x^2$	$-5x$	$8$
$x$	$x^3$	$-5x^2$	$8x$
$3$	$3x^2$	$-15x$	$24$

$\boxed{x^3 - 2x^2 - 7x + 24}$

8.)  $(a + 5)(a - 2)(a + 8)$  FOIL, then BOX  
 $a^2 - 2a + 5a - 10$   
 $(a^2 + 3a - 10)(a + 8)$

	$a$	$8$
$a^2$	$a^3$	$8a^2$
$3a$	$3a^2$	$24a$
$-10$	$-10a$	$-80$

$\boxed{a^3 + 11a^2 + 14a - 80}$

9.)  $(3x - 6)(x + 4)(2x - 1)$  FOIL, then BOX  
 $(3x^2 + 12x - 6x - 24)(2x - 1)$   
 $(3x^2 + 6x - 24)(2x - 1)$

	$2x$	$-1$
$3x^2$	$6x^3$	$-3x^2$
$6x$	$12x^2$	$-6x$
$-24$	$-48x$	$24$

$\boxed{6x^3 + 9x^2 - 54x + 24}$

10.)  $(c^2 + 4c + 6)(2c^2 - 3c + 5)$

	$2c^2$	$-3c$	$5$
$c^2$	$2c^4$	$-3c^3$	$5c^2$
$4c$	$8c^3$	$-12c^2$	$20c$
$6$	$12c^2$	$-18c$	$30$

$\boxed{2c^4 + 5c^3 + 5c^2 + 2c + 30}$

11.)  $(3m^2 - 4m + 1)(2m^2 + 5m - 9)$

	$2m^2$	$5m$	$-9$
$3m^2$	$6m^4$	$15m^3$	$-27m^2$
$-4m$	$-8m^3$	$-20m^2$	$36m$
$1$	$2m^2$	$5m$	$-9$

$$6m^4 + 7m^3 - 45m^2 + 41m - 9$$

1.) **DIVIDE** each term in the numerator by the monomial in the denominator.

2.) Write your answer in **standard form**. Rewrite all terms with negative exponents.

12.)  $\frac{9m^3 - 24m^2}{3m}$

$$\frac{9m^3}{3m} - \frac{24m^2}{3m}$$

$$= 3m^2 - 8m$$

13.)  $\frac{20x^3 - 4x^2 - 8x}{4x}$

$$\frac{20x^3}{4x} - \frac{4x^2}{4x} - \frac{8x}{4x}$$

$$= 5x^2 - x - 2$$

Dividing  
Polynomials  
(by a  
monomial)

14.)  $(14a^4b^3 - 20a^2b^2 + 2ab) \div (2ab)$

$$\frac{14a^4b^3 - 20a^2b^2 + 2ab}{2ab}$$

$$= 7a^3b^2 - 10ab + 1$$

15.)  $(30c^8d^3 - 36c^6d^2 + 6c^3d) \div (12c^2d)$

$$\frac{30c^8d^3 - 36c^6d^2 + 6c^3d}{12c^2d}$$

$$= \frac{5c^6d^2}{2} - 3c^4d + \frac{1}{2}c$$

16.)  $\frac{30x^3 - 12x^2 + 9x}{3x^2}$

$$\frac{30x^3}{3x^2} - \frac{12x^2}{3x^2} + \frac{9x}{3x^2}$$

$$= 10x - 4 + 3x^{-1}$$

$$\hookrightarrow 10x - 4 + \frac{3}{x}$$

17.)  $\frac{40m^3n^4 - 24m^2n^7}{8m^2n^5}$

$$\frac{40m^3n^4}{8m^2n^5} - \frac{24m^2n^7}{8m^2n^5}$$

$$= 5mn^{-1} - 3m^0n^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5m}{n} - 3n^2$$