2.2 Multiplying Polynomials

Objective: Today we will multiply binomials, use the FOIL method, and multiply trinomials.

Warm-up: Find the sum or the difference.

 $(6n^2 + 2n + 3) + (-5n^2 - 4n - 7)$

 $(5x^2 - 4x + 7) - (4x - 7)$



In Exercises 3–10, use the Distributive Property to find the product. (See Example 1.)

4. (y+6)(y+4) **5.** (z-5)(z+3) **10.** (5s+6)(s-2)

In Exercises 11–18, use a table to find the product.

11. (x+3)(x+2) **17.** (-3+2j)(4j-7)

16. (5g + 3)(g + 8)

In Exercises 21–30, use the FOIL Method to find the product. (See Example 3.) 22. (w + 9)(w + 6) 29. $(w + 5)(w^2 + 3w)$

26.
$$(z-\frac{5}{3})(z-\frac{2}{3})$$

MATHEMATICAL CONNECTIONS In Exercises 31–34, write a polynomial that represents the area of the shaded region.



In Exercises 35–42, find the product.

37.
$$(y + 3)(y^2 + 8y - 2)$$
 42. $(6v^2 + 2v - 9)(4 - 5v)$

44. MODELING WITH MATHEMATICS You design a frame to surround a rectangular photo. The width of the frame is the same on every side, as shown.



- **a.** Write a polynomial that represents the combined area of the photo and the frame.
- **b.** Find the combined area of the photo and the frame when the width of the frame is 4 inches.

2.3 Special Products of Polynomials

Objective: Today we will use the square of a binomial pattern and the sum & difference patterns to multiply binomials and solve real-life problems.

Checkpoint: Use the TABLE Method to multiply the binomials. **1**. (x + 2)(x - 2) **2**. (2x - 3)(2x + 3)

Both sets of binomials have the form of (a + b)(a - b), what do you notice about their products? Poes this ALWAYS work for the products of (a + b)(a - b)?

2.3 SPECIAL PRODUCTS OF POLYNOMIALS



In Exercises 3–10, find the product.

4.
$$(a-6)^2$$
 7. $(-7t+4)^2$ **9.** $(2a+b)^2$

MATHEMATICAL CONNECTIONS In Exercises 11–14, write a polynomial that represents the area of the square.



In Exercises 15–24, find the product.
16.
$$(m + 6)(m - 6)$$
 20. $(\frac{1}{2} - c)(\frac{1}{2} + c)$

19.
$$(8+3a)(8-3a)$$
 22. $(7m+8n)(7m-8n)$

In Exercises 25–30, use special product patterns to find the product. (See Example 3.)

26. 33 • 27 **28.** 29² **29.** 30.5²

- **34. MODELING WITH MATHEMATICS** A square-shaped parking lot with 100-foot sides is reduced by *x* feet on one side and extended by *x* feet on an adjacent side.
 - a. The area of the new parking lot is represented by (100 x)(100 + x). Find this product.
 - **b.** Does the area of the parking lot increase, decrease, or stay the same? Explain.
 - c. Use the polynomial in part (a) to find the area of the new parking lot when x = 21.

46. REPEATED REASONING Find $(x + 1)^3$ and $(x + 2)^3$. Find a pattern in the terms and use it to write a pattern for the cube of a binomial $(a + b)^3$.