

Factor by Grouping - Answers

1.  $(8r^2 + 1)(r - 8)$       2.  $(3p^2 + 7)(4p - 7)$       3.  $(2x^2 - 5)(6x + 1)$       4.  $(2v^2 + 7)(3v - 8)$   
 5.  $3(3n^2 - 5)(7n + 6)$       6.  $3(7k^2 + 5)(k - 4)$       7.  $(5v^2 + 6)(5v + 1)$       8.  $(4v^2 - 5)(v - 3)$   
 9.  $(7x - 3y)(8w + 7k^2)$       10.  $(6m - n^2)(7c + 6d)$       11.  $(5a + 4b)(8c^2 + 5k^2)$   
 12.  $(3x + 4)(3x - 4)$       13.  $(2x + 1)(2x - 1)(x - 2)$       14.  $x(2x + 3)(x + 5)$       15.  $(2x^2 - 1)(x + 1)$   
 16.  $x(3x - 5)(x + 2)$       17.  $(3x + 1)(3x - 1)(x + 3)$       18.  $5(x + 5)(x - 5)$       19.  $(x - z)(x - y)$

20.  $(x + 2)(x - 2)(3x - 2) = 0$   
 $x = -2, 2, \frac{2}{3}$

21.  $(x^2 + 1)(x - 2) = 0$   
 $x = 2$  only include real roots

22.  $(x^2 + 2)(x^2 - 1) = 0$   
 $x = 1, -1$

2.  $\underline{12p^3 - 21p^2} + \underline{28p - 49}$   
 $3p^2(4p - 7) + 7(4p - 7)$   
 $\boxed{(3p^2 + 7)(4p - 7)}$

19.  $\underline{x^2 - xy} - \underline{xz + yz}$   
 $x(x - y) - z(x - y)$   
 $\boxed{(x - z)(x - y)}$

20.  $3x^3 - 2x^2 - 12x + 8 = 0$   
 $x^2(3x - 2) - 4(3x - 2) = 0$   
 $(x^2 - 4)(3x - 2) = 0$   
 $x^2 - 4 = 0$        $3x - 2 = 0$   
 $x^2 = 4$        $3x = 2$   
 $\boxed{x = \pm 2 \quad x = \frac{2}{3}}$