

Pre-Algebra

Aim: How do we multiply a binomial by another binomial?

Do Now: Multiply.

A. $2x(x+5)$
 $2x^2 + 10x$

B. $3(x+5)$
 $3x + 15$

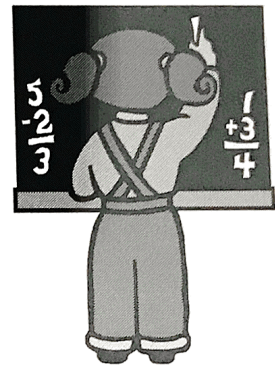
C. Based on examples A and B, how do you think you might find the product of $(2x + 3)$ and $(x + 5)$?

Multiplying Binomials

Think about this...



Jillian, a 4th grade student, is asked to find the product of 23 and 42. She writes the following on the chalkboard.



$$(20 + 3) \times (40 + 2)$$

	40	2
20	800	40
3	120	6

$$800 + 40 + 120 + 6 = 966$$

Is it possible to use Jillian's method to multiply $(2x + 3)$ and $(x + 5)$?

$$2x^2 + 13x + 15$$

	$2x$	$+ 3$
\times	$2x^2$	$3x$
$+ 5$	$10x$	15

This method is the same as Double Distributing.
Multiply each term of one polynomial by each term of the other polynomial.

$$(2x + 3)(x + 5) =$$

$$2x^2 + 10x + 3x + 15$$

$$2x^2 + 13x + 15$$

Multiplying Binomials

- Use the Distributive property ("Double Distribute").
- Multiply each term in the first set of () by each term in the second set of (). Add exponents of like bases.
- Combine like terms.

Examples:

1. $(x+8)(x+6)$

$$x^2 + 6x + 8x + 48$$

$$\boxed{x^2 + 14x + 48}$$

2. $(x-1)(x+7)$

$$x^2 + 7x - 1x - 7$$

$$\boxed{x^2 + 6x - 7}$$

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

$$2x^2 + 6x - 5x - 15$$

$$\boxed{2x^2 + x - 15}$$

4. $(x-11)(x+4)$

$$x^2 + 4x - 11x - 44$$

$$\boxed{x^2 - 7x - 44}$$

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

$$x^2 - 2x + 9x - 18$$

$$\boxed{x^2 + 7x - 18}$$

6. $(3x+1)(x-2)$

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

$$\boxed{3x^2 - 5x - 2}$$

7. $(b+7)^2$

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

$$b^2 + 7b + 7b + 49$$

$$\boxed{b^2 + 14b + 49}$$

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

$$6x^2 + 6xy + 2xy + 2y^2$$

$$\boxed{6x^2 + 8xy + 2y^2}$$

9. $(3x^2-1)^2$

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

$$9x^4 - 3x^2 - 3x^2 + 1$$

$$\boxed{9x^4 - 6x^2 + 1}$$

For #'s 10 and 11, use a diagram to multiply the binomials.

10. $(3m^3 + 4)(3m^3 - 2)$

	$3m^3$	$+4$
$3m^3$	$9m^6$	$12m^3$
-2	$-6m^3$	-8

$$\boxed{9m^6 + 6m^3 - 8}$$

11. $(x^2 - 8x)(x^2 + 8x)$

$$x^4 + \cancel{8x^3} - \cancel{8x^3} - 64x^2$$

$$\boxed{x^4 - 64x^2}$$

Special Binomial Products



Do you see a pattern?

a) $(x-3)(x+3)$

$$x^2 + \cancel{3x} - \cancel{3x} - 9$$
$$\boxed{x^2 - 9}$$

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

$$x^2 - \cancel{5x} + \cancel{5x} - 25$$
$$\boxed{x^2 - 25}$$

c) $(7x-4)(7x+4)$

$$49x^2 + \cancel{28x} - \cancel{28x} - 16$$
$$\boxed{49x^2 - 16}$$

d) $(9x+1)(9x-1)$

$$81x^2 - \cancel{9x} + \cancel{9x} - 1$$
$$\boxed{81x^2 - 1}$$

e) $(b^2+7)(b^2-7)$

$$b^4 - \cancel{7b^2} + \cancel{7b^2} - 49$$
$$\boxed{b^4 - 49}$$

f) $(3a^3-2)(3a^3+2)$

$$9a^6 + \cancel{6a^3} - \cancel{6a^3} - 4$$
$$\boxed{9a^6 - 4}$$

Sum and Difference Rule: $(a+b)(a-b) = a^2 - b^2$

When possible, use the sum and difference rule to multiply each pair of binomials.

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

$$\boxed{x^2 - 64}$$

2. $(x+9)(x+9)$

$$x^2 + 9x + 9x + 81$$
$$\boxed{x^2 + 18x + 81}$$

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

$$\boxed{4x^2 - 36}$$

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

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