

1.7/1.8 -- The distributive Property and An Introduction to Equations

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11) $\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) + \frac{3}{8}$

$$\frac{-8}{24} + \frac{9}{24} = \left(\frac{1}{24}\right)$$

12) $\left(-\frac{10}{7}\right) + \frac{1}{6}$

$$\frac{-60}{42} + \frac{7}{42} = \left(\frac{-53}{42}\right)$$

13) $\frac{9}{5} + \left(-\frac{4}{3}\right)$

$$\frac{27}{15} + \frac{-20}{15} = \left(\frac{7}{15}\right)$$

14) $\frac{2}{1} - \frac{13}{8}$

$$\frac{16}{8} - \frac{13}{8} = \left(\frac{3}{8}\right)$$

3) $\frac{4}{9} \cdot \frac{7}{4} = \left(\frac{7}{9}\right)$

4) $\frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{5}{2} = \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)$

5) $\frac{-2}{1} \cdot \frac{3}{7} = \left(\frac{-6}{7}\right)$

6) $-2\frac{2}{3} \cdot 4\frac{1}{10}$

$$\frac{-8}{3} \cdot \frac{41}{10} = \left(\frac{-164}{15}\right)$$

17) $-2 \div -3\frac{4}{5}$

$$\frac{-2}{1} \div \frac{-19}{5}$$

$$\frac{-2}{1} \cdot \frac{-5}{19} = \left(\frac{10}{19}\right)$$

18) $\frac{1}{9} \div -1\frac{1}{3}$

$$\frac{1}{9} \div \frac{-4}{3}$$

$$\frac{1}{9} \cdot \frac{-3}{4} = \left(\frac{-1}{12}\right)$$

19) $1\frac{6}{7} \div 5\frac{3}{4}$

$$\frac{13}{7} \div \frac{23}{4}$$

$$\frac{13}{7} \cdot \frac{4}{23} = \left(\frac{52}{161}\right)$$

20) $-3\frac{7}{10} \div 2\frac{1}{4}$

$$\frac{-37}{10} \div \frac{9}{4}$$

$$\frac{-37}{10} \cdot \frac{4^2}{9} = \left(\frac{-74}{45}\right)$$

1-7 The Distributive Property

Objective: to use the distributive property to simplify expressions.

Vocab:

Distributive Property: let a, b and c be TR #'s

Algebra:

ex:

$$a(b+c) = ab+ac$$

$$4(20+6) = 4(20)+4(6)$$

$$(b+c)a = ba+ca$$

$$(20+6)4 = 20(4)+6(4)$$

$$a(b-c) = ab-ac$$

$$7(30-2) = 7(30)-7(2)$$

$$(b-c)a = ba-ca$$

$$(30-2)7 = 30(7)-2(7)$$

**You can use the distributive property to simplify the product of a number and a sum or difference.

Simplifying Expressions

What is the simplified form of each expression?

a) $3(x+8)$

$$\begin{aligned} 3(x+8) &= 3(x) + 3(8) \quad \text{DIST. PROP} \\ &= 3x + 24 \quad \text{simplify.} \end{aligned}$$

b) $(5b-4)(-7)$

$$\begin{aligned} &5b(-7) + -4(-7) \\ &\boxed{-35b + 28} \end{aligned}$$

c) $5(x+7)$

$$\begin{aligned} &5(x) + 5(7) \\ &\boxed{5x + 35} \end{aligned}$$

d) $12(3 - \frac{1}{6}t)$

$$\begin{aligned} &12(3) - 12(\frac{1}{6}t) \\ &\boxed{36 - 2t} \end{aligned}$$

e) $(.4 + 1.1c)3$

$$\begin{aligned} &.4(3) + 1.1c(3) \\ &\boxed{1.2 + 3.3c} \end{aligned}$$

f) $(2y-1)(-4)$

$$\boxed{-2y^2 + y}$$

Rewriting Fraction Expressions:

What sum or difference is equivalent to:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } \frac{7x+2}{5} &= \frac{1}{5}(7x+2) \quad \text{write down mult} \\ &= \frac{1}{5}(7x) + \frac{1}{5}(2) \quad \text{distr. prop} \\ &\quad \frac{7}{5}x + \frac{2}{5} \quad \text{simpl.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{b) } \frac{4x-16}{3} = \frac{1}{3}(4x-16)$$

$$\frac{1}{3}(4x) - \frac{1}{3}(16)$$

$$\boxed{\frac{4}{3}x - \frac{16}{3}}$$

$$\text{c) } \frac{11+3x}{6} = \frac{1}{6}(11+3x)$$

$$\frac{1}{6}(11) + \frac{1}{6}(3x)$$

$$\frac{11}{6} + \frac{3x}{6} \quad \boxed{\frac{11}{6} + \frac{1}{2}x}$$

$$\text{d) } \frac{15+6x}{12} = \frac{1}{12}(15+6x)$$

$$\frac{15}{12} + \frac{6}{12}x$$

$$\boxed{\frac{5}{4} + \frac{1}{2}x}$$

$$\text{e) } \frac{4-2x}{8}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4}x}$$

Using the Multiplication Property of -1:

What is the simplified form of the following:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } -(2y-3x) &= -1(2y-3x) \quad \text{mult prop of -1} \\ &= (-1)(2y) + (-1)(-3x) \quad \text{distr. prop} \\ &= -2y + 3x \quad \text{simpl.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) } -(a+5) &= -a - 5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c) } -(-x+3) &= x - 3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{d) } -(6m-9n) &= -6m + 9n \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{e) } -(4x-12) &= -4x + 12 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{f) } -2(4x+12) &= -8x - 24 \end{aligned}$$

Vocab:

Term: in an algebraic expression a #, a variable, or the product of a # & one or more variables

Coefficient: the numerical factor of a term

Constant: a term that has no variables

($6a^2$, $-5ab$, $3b$, -12 are terms)

Ex: $6a^2 - 5ab + 3b - 12 = \cancel{6a^2} + (-5ab) + 3b + (-12)$

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coefficients constant

Like Terms: terms that have the same variable factors

Are the following terms like terms?

a) $7a$ & $-3a$ b) $4x^2$ & $12x^2$ c) $6ab$ & $-2ad$ d) xy^2 & x^2y

$a \neq a$ x^2 x^2 ab a no
yes yes no

An algebraic expression in simplest form has no like terms or parenthesis.

Not Simplified:

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

Simplified:

$$\frac{6x - 10 + 8x}{14x - 10}$$

Combining Like Terms:

What is the simplified form of each expression?:

a) $8x^2 + 2x^2$

Simplified

b) $5x - 3 - 3x + 6y + 4$

$2x + 6y + 1$

c) $3y - y$

$2y$

d) $-7mn^4 - 5mn^4$

$-12mn^4$

e) $7y^3z - 6yz^3 + y^3z$

$8y^3z - 6yz^3$

1-8: An Intro to Equations:

Equation: A mathematical sentence that uses an equal sign ($=$)

**An equation is true when:

the expressions on either side of $=$ are equal
 $(1+1=2, x+x=2x)$

An Equation is false when:

if the expression on either side of $=$ are ~~not~~ equal
 $(1+1=3, x+x=3x)$

Open Sentence:

an equation that contains one or more variables and may be true or false depending on the values of the variables

Classify the following as true, false, or open. Explain.

a) $24 + 18 = 20 + 22$

T \rightarrow both = 42

d) $3y + 6 = 5y - 8$

open

b) $7 \cdot 8 = 54$

F \rightarrow $7 \cdot 8 = 56$
 $56 \neq 54$

e) $16 - 7 = 4 + 5$

true

c) $2x - 14 = 54$

open \rightarrow variable

f) $32 + 8 = 2 \cdot 3$

false

Solution of an Equation:

a value of a variable that makes an equation true

ex: Is $x=6$ a solution to the eq. $32 = 2x + 12$

$32 = 2(6) + 12$

$32 \stackrel{?}{=} 12 + 12$

$32 \neq 24$ no.

Identifying Solutions of an Equations:

③ $7 + 6y = 11$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{4}{1}$

yes

$\frac{3}{2}(4) + 2 = 4, \frac{2}{3}$

or no

②

is $m = (\frac{1}{2})$

6 $(\frac{1}{2}) - 8 = -5$?