

Algebra 1 8.4

Find squares of sums and differences

Find the product of a sum and a difference

sum +
difference -
product X
EWE FOLL"
difference of squares

X-factor

EWE: look for patterns

$$(x+5)^2 = x^2 + 10x + 25$$

$$(x+3)^2 = x^2 + 6x + 9$$

$$(x-10)^2 = x^2 - 20x + 100$$

$$(x+8)^2 = x^2 + 16x + 64$$

$$(x-7)^2 = x^2 - 14x + 49$$

$$(x+8)^2 = x^2 + \frac{16}{2}x + 64$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x-7 \\ x-7 \\ \hline -7x + 49 \\ x^2 - 7x \\ \hline \end{array}$$

EWE always!

Guided Practice

Find each product.

2A. $(6p - 1)^2$

$$\begin{array}{r} 6p - 1 \\ 6p - 1 \\ \hline 36p^2 - 6p + 1 \\ 36p^2 - 6p \\ \hline 36p^2 - 12p + 1 \end{array}$$

2B. $(a - 2b)^2$

$$\begin{array}{r} a^2 - 4ab + 4b^2 \end{array}$$

$$a - 2b$$

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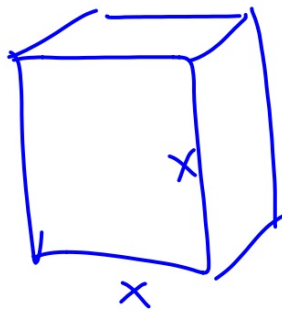
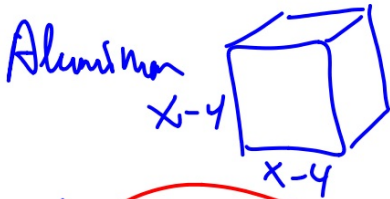
$$\begin{array}{r} -2ab + 4b^2 \\ a^2 - 2ab \\ \hline a^2 - 4ab + 4b^2 \end{array}$$

Real-World Example 3 Square of a Difference

PHYSICAL SCIENCE Each edge of a cube of aluminum is 4 centimeters less than each edge of a cube of copper.

Write an equation to model the surface area of the aluminum cube.

GEMA



Copper

$$6(x^2)$$

$$6(x-4)^2$$

$$SA = 6(x^2 - 8x + 16)$$

$$SA = 6x^2 - 48x + 96$$

Guided Practice

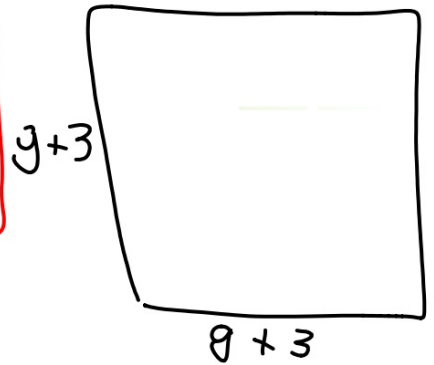
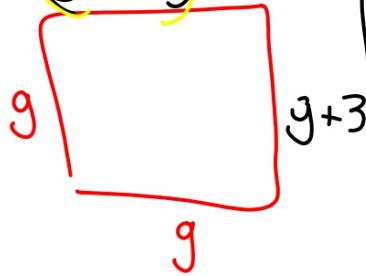
3. **GARDENING** Alano has a garden that is g feet long and g feet wide. He wants to add 3 feet to the length and the width.

A. Show how the new area of the garden can be modeled by the square of a binomial. $(g+3)(g+3) = (g+3)^2$

B. Find the square of this binomial.

$$\begin{array}{r} g+3 \\ g+3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$g^2 + 6g + 9$$



" Difference of squares: EWE look for a pattern

$$(x+5)(x-5) = x^2 - 25$$

$$(x+3)(x-3) = x^2 - 9$$

$$(x+9)(x-9) = x^2 - 81$$

$$x+3$$

$$x-3$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x+5 \\ x-5 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x^2 - 5x \\ 5x \\ \hline x^2 - 25 \end{array}$$

$$(x+7)(x-7) = x^2 - 49$$

Example 4 Product of a Sum and a Difference

Find $(2x^2 + 3)(2x^2 - 3) = 4x^4 - 9$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2x^2 + 3 \\ 2x^2 - 3 \\ \hline 4x^4 - 9 \end{array}$$

GuidedPractice

Find each product.

4A. $(3n + 2)(3n - 2)$

$$9n^2 + -4$$
$$9n^2 - 4$$

4B. $(4c - 7d)(4c + 7d)$

$$16c^2 - 49d^2$$

