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Chapter 12 – Algebraic Expressions Exercise 12.3

1. If $m = 2$, find the value of:

(i) $m - 2$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $m = 2$

Then, substitute the value of m in the question

$$= 2 - 2$$

$$= 0$$

(ii) $3m - 5$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $m = 2$

Then, substitute the value of m in the question

$$= (3 \times 2) - 5$$

$$= 6 - 5$$

$$= 1$$

(iii) $9 - 5m$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $m = 2$

Then, substitute the value of m in the question

$$= 9 - (5 \times 2)$$

$$= 9 - 10$$

$$= -1$$

(iv) $3m^2 - 2m - 7$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $m = 2$

Then, substitute the value of m in the question

$$= (3 \times 2^2) - (2 \times 2) - 7$$

$$= (3 \times 4) - (4) - 7$$

$$= 12 - 4 - 7$$

$$= 12 - 11$$

$$= 1$$

(v) $(5m/2) - 4$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $m = 2$

Then, substitute the value of m in the question

$$= ((5 \times 2)/2) - 4$$

$$= (10/2) - 4$$

$$= 5 - 4$$

$$= 1$$

2. If $p = -2$, find the value of:

(i) $4p + 7$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $p = -2$

Then, substitute the value of p in the question

$$= (4 \times (-2)) + 7$$

$$= -8 + 7$$

$$= -1$$

(ii) $-3p^2 + 4p + 7$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $p = -2$

Then, substitute the value of p in the question

$$= (-3 \times (-2)^2) + (4 \times (-2)) + 7$$

$$= (-3 \times 4) + (-8) + 7$$

$$= -12 - 8 + 7$$

$$= -20 + 7$$

$$= -13$$

(iii) $-2p^3 - 3p^2 + 4p + 7$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $p = -2$

Then, substitute the value of p in the question

$$= (-2 \times (-2)^3) - (3 \times (-2)^2) + (4 \times (-2)) + 7$$

$$= (-2 \times -8) - (3 \times 4) + (-8) + 7$$

$$= 16 - 12 - 8 + 7$$

$$= 23 - 20$$

$$= 3$$

3. Find the value of the following expressions, when $x = -1$:

(i) $2x - 7$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $x = -1$

Then, substitute the value of x in the question

$$= (2 \times -1) - 7$$

$$= -2 - 7$$

$$= -9$$

(ii) $-x + 2$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $x = -1$

Then, substitute the value of x in the question

$$= -(-1) + 2$$

$$= 1 + 2$$

$$= 3$$

(iii) $x^2 + 2x + 1$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $x = -1$

Then, substitute the value of x in the question

$$= (-1)^2 + (2 \times -1) + 1$$

$$= 1 - 2 + 1$$

$$= 2 - 2$$

$$= 0$$

(iv) $2x^2 - x - 2$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $x = -1$

Then, substitute the value of x in the question

$$= (2 \times (-1)^2) - (-1) - 2$$

$$= (2 \times 1) + 1 - 2$$

$$= 2 + 1 - 2$$

$$= 3 - 2$$

$$= 1$$

4. If $a = 2$, $b = -2$, find the value of:

(i) $a^2 + b^2$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $a = 2$, $b = -2$

Then, substitute the value of a and b in the question

$$= (2)^2 + (-2)^2$$

$$= 4 + 4$$

$$= 8$$

(ii) $a^2 + ab + b^2$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $a = 2$, $b = -2$

Then, substitute the value of a and b in the question

$$= 2^2 + (2 \times -2) + (-2)^2$$

$$= 4 + (-4) + (4)$$

$$= 4 - 4 + 4$$

$$= 4$$

(iii) $a^2 - b^2$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $a = 2$, $b = -2$

Then, substitute the value of a and b in the question

$$= 2^2 - (-2)^2$$

$$= 4 - (4)$$

$$= 4 - 4$$

$$= 0$$

5. When $a = 0$, $b = -1$, find the value of the given expressions:

(i) $2a + 2b$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $a = 0$, $b = -1$

Then, substitute the value of a and b in the question

$$= (2 \times 0) + (2 \times -1)$$

$$= 0 - 2$$

$$= -2$$

(ii) $2a^2 + b^2 + 1$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $a = 0$, $b = -1$

Then, substitute the value of a and b in the question

$$= (2 \times 0^2) + (-1)^2 + 1$$

$$= 0 + 1 + 1$$

$$= 2$$

(iii) $2a^2b + 2ab^2 + ab$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $a = 0$, $b = -1$

Then, substitute the value of a and b in the question

$$= (2 \times 0^2 \times -1) + (2 \times 0 \times (-1)^2) + (0 \times -1)$$

$$= 0 + 0 + 0$$

$$= 0$$

(iv) $a^2 + ab + 2$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $a = 0$, $b = -1$

Then, substitute the value of a and b in the question

$$= (0^2) + (0 \times (-1)) + 2$$

$$= 0 + 0 + 2$$

$$= 2$$

6. Simplify the expressions and find the value if x is equal to 2

(i) $x + 7 + 4(x - 5)$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $x = 2$

We have,

$$= x + 7 + 4x - 20$$

$$= 5x + 7 - 20$$

Then, substitute the value of x in the equation

$$= (5 \times 2) + 7 - 20$$

$$= 10 + 7 - 20$$

$$= 17 - 20$$

$$= -3$$

(ii) $3(x + 2) + 5x - 7$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $x = 2$

We have,

$$= 3x + 6 + 5x - 7$$

$$= 8x - 1$$

Then, substitute the value of x in the equation

$$= (8 \times 2) - 1$$

$$= 16 - 1$$

$$= 15$$

(iii) $6x + 5(x - 2)$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $x = 2$

We have,

$$= 6x + 5x - 10$$

$$= 11x - 10$$

Then, substitute the value of x in the equation

$$= (11 \times 2) - 10$$

$$= 22 - 10$$

$$= 12$$

(iv) $4(2x - 1) + 3x + 11$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $x = 2$

We have,

$$= 8x - 4 + 3x + 11$$

$$= 11x + 7$$

Then, substitute the value of x in the equation

$$= (11 \times 2) + 7$$

$$= 22 + 7$$

$$= 29$$

7. Simplify these expressions and find their values if $x = 3$, $a = -1$, $b = -2$.

(i) $3x - 5 - x + 9$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $x = 3$

We have,

$$= 3x - x - 5 + 9$$

$$= 2x + 4$$

Then, substitute the value of x in the equation

$$= (2 \times 3) + 4$$

$$= 6 + 4$$

$$= 10$$

(ii) $2 - 8x + 4x + 4$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $x = 3$

We have,

$$= 2 + 4 - 8x + 4x$$

$$= 6 - 4x$$

Then, substitute the value of x in the equation

$$= 6 - (4 \times 3)$$

$$= 6 - 12$$

$$= -6$$

(iii) $3a + 5 - 8a + 1$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $a = -1$

We have,

$$= 3a - 8a + 5 + 1$$

$$= -5a + 6$$

Then, substitute the value of a in the equation

$$= -(5 \times (-1)) + 6$$

$$= -(-5) + 6$$

$$= 5 + 6$$

$$= 11$$

(iv) $10 - 3b - 4 - 5b$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $b = -2$

We have,

$$= 10 - 4 - 3b - 5b$$

$$= 6 - 8b$$

Then, substitute the value of b in the equation

$$= 6 - (8 \times (-2))$$

$$= 6 - (-16)$$

$$= 6 + 16$$

$$= 22$$

(v) $2a - 2b - 4 - 5 + a$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $a = -1$, $b = -2$

We have,

$$= 2a + a - 2b - 4 - 5$$

$$= 3a - 2b - 9$$

Then, substitute the value of a and b in the equation

$$= (3 \times (-1)) - (2 \times (-2)) - 9$$

$$= -3 - (-4) - 9$$

$$= -3 + 4 - 9$$

$$= -12 + 4$$

$$= -8$$

8. (i) If $z = 10$, find the value of $z^3 - 3(z - 10)$.

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $z = 10$

We have,

$$= z^3 - 3z + 30$$

Then, substitute the value of z in the equation

$$= (10)^3 - (3 \times 10) + 30$$

$$= 1000 - 30 + 30$$

$$= 1000$$

(ii) If $p = -10$, find the value of $p^2 - 2p - 100$

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $p = -10$

We have,

$$= p^2 - 2p - 100$$

Then, substitute the value of p in the equation

$$= (-10)^2 - (2 \times (-10)) - 100$$

$$= 100 + 20 - 100$$

$$= 20$$

9. What should be the value of a if the value of $2x^2 + x - a$ equals to 5, when $x = 0$?

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $x = 0$

We have,

$$2x^2 + x - a = 5$$

$$a = 2x^2 + x - 5$$

Then, substitute the value of x in the equation

$$a = (2 \times 0^2) + 0 - 5$$

$$a = 0 + 0 - 5$$

$$a = -5$$

10. Simplify the expression and find its value when $a = 5$ and $b = -3$.

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

Solution:-

From the question it is given that $a = 5$ and $b = -3$

We have,

$$= 2a^2 + 2ab + 3 - ab$$

$$= 2a^2 + ab + 3$$

Then, substitute the value of a and b in the equation

$$= (2 \times 5^2) + (5 \times (-3)) + 3$$

$$= (2 \times 25) + (-15) + 3$$

$$= 50 - 15 + 3$$

$$= 53 - 15$$

$$= 38$$