

BeWise Academy

Notes

Algebraic Identities

•
$$(a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$$

•
$$(a - b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2$$

•
$$(a + b)(a - b) = a^2 - b^2$$

•
$$(x + a)(x + b) = x^2 + x(a + b) + ab$$

•
$$(a + b + c)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab + 2bc + 2ca$$

•
$$(a + b)^3 = a^3 + 3a^2b + 3ab^2 + b^3$$

•
$$(a + b)^3 = a^3 + b^3 + 3ab(a + b)$$

•
$$(a - b)^3 = a^3 - 3a^2b + 3ab^2 - b^3$$

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$$(a - b)^3 = a^3 - b^3 - 3ab(a - b)$$

•
$$a^3 - b^3 = (a - b)(a^2 + ab + b^2)$$

•
$$a^3 + b^3 = (a + b)(a^2 - ab + b^2)$$