



Factorizations Ex 7.8 Q1

Answer :

The given expression is $2x^2 + 5x + 3$.

(Coefficient of $x^2 = 2$, coefficient of $x = 5$ and constant term $= 3$)

We will split the coefficient of x into two parts such that their sum is 5 and their product equals the product of the coefficient of x^2 and the constant term, i.e., $2 \times 3 = 6$.

Now,

$$2 + 3 = 5$$

and

$$2 \times 3 = 6$$

Replacing the middle term $5x$ by $2x + 3x$, we have :

$$\begin{aligned} 2x^2 + 5x + 3 &= 2x^2 + 2x + 3x + 3 \\ &= (2x^2 + 2x) + (3x + 3) \\ &= 2x(x + 1) + 3(x + 1) \\ &= (x + 1)(2x + 3) \end{aligned}$$

Factorizations Ex 7.8 Q2

Answer :

The given expression is $2x^2 - 3x - 2$.

(Coefficient of $x^2 = 2$, coefficient of $x = -3$ and constant term $= -2$)

We will split the coefficient of x into two parts such that their sum is -3 and their product equals the product of the coefficient of x^2 and the constant term, i.e., $2 \times (-2) = -4$.

Now,

$$(-4) + 1 = -3$$

and

$$(-4) \times 1 = -4$$

Replacing the middle term $3x$ by $-4x + x$, we have :

$$\begin{aligned} 2x^2 - 3x - 2 &= 2x^2 - 4x + x - 2 \\ &= (2x^2 - 4x) + (x - 2) \\ &= 2x(x - 2) + (x - 2) \\ &= (2x + 1)(x - 2) \end{aligned}$$

Factorizations Ex 7.8 Q3

Answer :

The given expression is $3x^2 + 10x + 3$. (Coefficient of $x^2 = 3$, coefficient of $x = 10$ and constant term $= 3$)

We will split the coefficient of x into two parts such that their sum is 10 and their product equals the product of the coefficient of x^2 and the constant term, i.e., $3 \times 3 = 9$.

Now,

$$9 + 1 = 10$$

and

$$9 \times 1 = 9$$

Replacing the middle term $10x$ by $9x + x$, we have :

$$\begin{aligned} 3x^2 + 10x + 3 &= 3x^2 + 9x + x + 3 \\ &= (3x^2 + 9x) + (x + 3) \\ &= 3x(x + 3) + (x + 3) \\ &= (3x + 1)(x + 3) \end{aligned}$$

Factorizations Ex 7.8 Q4

Answer :

The given expression is $7x - 6 - 2x^2$.

(Coefficient of $x^2 = -2$, coefficient of $x = 7$ and constant term $= -6$)

We will split the coefficient of x into two parts such that their sum is 7 and their product equals the product of the coefficient of x^2 and the constant term, i.e., $(-2) \times (-6) = 12$.

Now,

$$4 + 3 = 7$$

and

$$4 \times 3 = 12$$

Replacing the middle term $7x$ by $4x + 3x$, we have :

$$\begin{aligned} 7x - 6 - 2x^2 &= -2x^2 + 4x + 3x - 6 \\ &= (-2x^2 + 4x) + (3x - 6) \\ &= 2x(2 - x) - 3(2 - x) \\ &= (2x - 3)(2 - x) \end{aligned}$$

Factorizations Ex 7.8 Q5

Answer :

The given expression is $7x^2 - 19x - 6$. (Coefficient of $x^2 = 7$, coefficient of $x = -19$ and constant term $= -6$)

We will split the coefficient of x into two parts such that their sum is -19 and their product equals the product of the coefficient of x^2 and the constant term, i.e., $7 \times (-6) = -42$.

Now,

$$(-21) + 2 = -19$$

and

$$(-21) \times 2 = -42$$

Replacing the middle term $-19x$ by $-21x + 2x$, we have :

$$\begin{aligned} 7x^2 - 19x - 6 &= 7x^2 - 21x + 2x - 6 \\ &= (7x^2 - 21x) + (2x - 6) \\ &= 7x(x - 3) + 2(x - 3) \\ &= (7x + 2)(x - 3) \end{aligned}$$

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