

#### Exercise 7B

$$\therefore 63a^2b^2 - 7 = 7(3ab + 1)(3ab - 1)$$

# Q16

#### Answer:

We have:

$$1 - (b - c)^{2} = (1)^{2} - (b - c)^{2}$$

$$= \{1 + (b - c)\}\{1 - (b - c)\}$$

$$= (1 + b - c)(1 - b + c)$$

$$1 - (b-c)^2 = (1+b-c)(1-b+c)$$

# Q17

#### Answer:

We have:

$$(2a+3b)^{2} - 16c^{2} = (2a+3b)^{2} - (4c)^{2}$$

$$= \{(2a+3b) + 4c\}\{(2a+3b) - 4c\}$$

$$= (2a+3b+4c)(2a+3b-4c)$$

$$(2a+3b)^2-16c^2=(2a+3b+4c)(2a+3b-4c)$$

## Q18

#### Answer:

$$(l+m)^2 - (l-m)^2 = \{(l+m) + (l-m)\}\{(l+m) - (l-m)\}\$$
  
=  $(l+m+l-m)(l+m-l+m)$   
=  $(2l)(2m)$ 

$$: (l+m)^2 - (l-m)^2 = (2l)(2m)$$

We have:

$$(2x+5y)^2 - 1 = (2x+5y)^2 - (1)^2$$
  
= \{(2x+5y)+1\}\{(2x+5y)-1\}\  
= (2x+5y+1)(2x+5y-1)

$$(2x+5y)^2-1=(2x+5y+1)(2x+5y-1)$$

# Q20

#### Answer:

We have:

$$36c^{2} - (5a+b)^{2} = (6c)^{2} - (5a+b)^{2}$$

$$= \{(6c) + (5a+b)\}\{(6c) - (5a+b)\}$$

$$= (6c+5a+b)(6c-5a-b)$$

$$36c^2 - (5a+b)^2 = (6c+5a+b)(6c-5a-b)$$

## Q21

## Answer:

$$(3x-4y)^2 - 25z^2 = (3x-4y)^2 - (5z)^2$$
  
= \{(3x-4y)+5z\}\{(3x-4y)-5z\}  
= (3x-4y+5z)(3x-4y-5z)

$$(3x-4y)^2-25z^2=(3x-4y+5z)(3x-4y-5z)$$

We have:

$$x^{2} - y^{2} - 2y - 1 = x^{2} - (y^{2} + 2y + 1)$$

$$= (x)^{2} - (y + 1)^{2}$$

$$= \{x + (y + 1)\}\{x - (y + 1)\}$$

$$= (x + y + 1)(x - y - 1)$$

$$\therefore x^{2} - y^{2} - 2y - 1 = (x + y + 1)(x - y - 1)$$

# Q23

# Answer:

$$25 - a^{2} - b^{2} - 2ab = 25 - \left(a^{2} + b^{2} + 2ab\right)$$

$$= 25 - (a+b)^{2}$$

$$= (5)^{2} - (a+b)^{2}$$

$$= \{5 + (a+b)\}\{5 - (a+b)\}$$

$$= (5 + a + b)(5 - a - b)$$

$$25 - a^2 - b^2 - 2ab = (5 + a + b)(5 - a - b)$$

We have:

$$25a^{2} - 4b^{2} + 28bc - 49c^{2} = 25a^{2} - \left(4b^{2} - 28bc + 49c^{2}\right)$$

$$= (5a)^{2} - (2b - 7c)^{2}$$

$$= \{5a + (2b - 7c)\}\{5a - (2b - 7c)\}$$

$$= (5a + 2b - 7c)(5a - 2b + 7c)$$

$$25a^2 - 4b^2 + 28bc - 49c^2 = (5a + 2b - 7c)(5a - 2b + 7c)$$

Q25

Answer:

We have:

$$9a^{2} - b^{2} + 4b - 4 = 9a^{2} - (b^{2} - 4b + 4)$$

$$= (3a)^{2} - (b - 2)^{2}$$

$$= \{3a + (b - 2)\}\{3a - (b - 2)\}$$

$$= (3a + b - 2)(3a - b + 2)$$

$$9a^2 - b^2 + 4b - 4 = (3a + b - 2)(3a - b + 2)$$

Q26

Answer:

$$100 - (x-5)^2 = (10)^2 - (x-5)^2$$

$$= \{10 + (x-5)\}\{10 - (x-5)\}$$

$$= (10 + x - 5)(10 - x + 5)$$

$$= (5 + x)(15 - x)$$

We have:

$${ (405)^2 - (395)^2 } = (405 + 395)(405 - 395)$$

$$= (800 \times 10)$$

$$= 8000$$

$$\therefore \left\{ (405)^2 - (395)^2 \right\} = 8000$$

# Q28

# Answer:

We have:

$$\left\{ (7.8)^2 - (2.2)^2 \right\} = (7.8 + 2.2)(7.8 - 2.2)$$

$$= (10 \times 5.6)$$

$$= 56$$

$$\left. \cdot \left\{ (7.8)^2 - (2.2)^2 \right\} = 56$$

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