

9.5 EXERCISES

HOMEWORK KEY

-  = WORKED-OUT SOLUTIONS
on p. WS1 for Exs. 7 and 61
-  = TAKS PRACTICE AND REASONING
Exs. 29, 42, 61, 62, 63, 66, and 67
-  = MULTIPLE REPRESENTATIONS
Ex. 64

SKILL PRACTICE

1. **VOCABULARY** Copy and complete: The ? of $t^2 + 2t + 3$ are $t + 2$ and $t + 1$.

2. **WRITING** If $x^2 - 8x + 12 = (x + p)(x + q)$, what are the signs of p and q ? Justify your answer.

EXAMPLES 1, 2, and 3

on pp. 583–584
for Exs. 3–19

FACTORING TRINOMIALS Factor the trinomial.

3. $x^2 + 4x + 3$

4. $a^2 + 6a + 8$

5. $b^2 - 17b + 72$

6. $s^2 - 10s + 16$

7. $z^2 + 8z - 48$

8. $w^2 + 18w + 56$

9. $y^2 - 7y - 18$

10. $n^2 - 9n + 14$

11. $x^2 + 3x - 70$

12. $f^2 + 4f - 32$

13. $m^2 - 7m - 120$

14. $d^2 - 20d + 99$

15. $p^2 + 20p + 64$

16. $x^2 + 6x - 72$

17. $c^2 + 15c + 44$

ERROR ANALYSIS Describe and correct the error in factoring the trinomial.

18.

$$s^2 - 17s - 60 = (s - 5)(s - 12)$$



19.

$$m^2 - 10m + 24 = (m - 12)(m + 2)$$



EXAMPLE 4

on p. 585
for Exs. 20–29

SOLVING EQUATIONS Solve the equation.

20. $x^2 - 10x + 21 = 0$

21. $n^2 - 7n - 30 = 0$

22. $w^2 - 15w + 44 = 0$

23. $a^2 + 5a = 50$

24. $r^2 + 2r = 24$

25. $t^2 + 9t = -20$

26. $y^2 - 2y - 8 = 7$

27. $m^2 + 22 = -23m$

28. $b^2 + 5 = 8b - 10$

29.  **TAKS REASONING** What are the solutions of the equation $x^2 - 8x = 240$?

(A) -20 and -12

(B) -20 and 12

(C) 20 and -12

(D) 12 and 20

FINDING ZEROS OF FUNCTIONS Find the zeros of the polynomial function.

30. $f(x) = x^2 + 11x + 18$

31. $g(x) = x^2 + 5x + 6$

32. $h(x) = x^2 - 18x + 32$

33. $f(x) = x^2 - 14x + 45$

34. $h(x) = x^2 - 5x - 24$

35. $g(x) = x^2 - 14x - 51$

36. $g(x) = x^2 + 10x - 39$

37. $f(x) = -x^2 + 16x - 28$

38. $f(x) = -x^2 + 24x + 180$

SOLVING EQUATIONS Solve the equation.

39. $s(s + 1) = 72$

40. $x^2 - 10(x - 1) = -11$

41. $q(q + 19) = -34$