

Like Terms

39. When considering algebra tiles, what makes two tiles "alike"?

same size + shape

eg. $\square \square \neq \square \square$

$\square = \square$

40. What do you think makes two algebraic terms alike? (Remember, tiles are used to represent the parts of an expression.)

if the algebraic terms have the same variable and same degree/exponent => "Like Terms"

Collecting Like Terms without tiles:

You have previously been taught to combine like terms in algebraic expressions.

Terms that have the same variable factors, such as $7x$ and $5x$, are called **like terms**.

Simplify any expression containing like terms by adding their coefficients.

Exactly the same variable & exponents.

here the are both x

Eg.1. Simplify:

$7x + 3y + 5x - 2y$
 $7x + 5x + 3y - 2y$
 $= 12x + y$

Eg.2. Simplify:

$3x^2 + 4xy - 6xy + 8x^2 - 3yx$
 $3x^2 + 8x^2 + 4xy - 6xy - 3xy$
 $= 11x^2 - 5xy$

Remember ... $3yx$ is the same

$3xy = 3yx$

Simplify by collecting like terms. Then evaluate each expression for $x = 3, y = -2$.

41. $3x + 7y - 12x + 2y$

$3x - 12x + 7y + 2y$
 $-9x + 9y$

$-9x + 9y$
 $-9(3) + 9(-2)$
 $-27 - 18$
 $= -45$

42. $2x^2 + 3x^3 - 7x^2 - 6$

$2x^2 - 7x^2 + 3x^3 - 6$
 $3x^3 - 5x^2 - 6$
 $3(3)^3 - 5(3)^2 - 6$
 $3(27) - 5(9) - 6$
 $81 - 45 - 6$
 $= 30$

43. $5x^2y^3 - 5 + 6x^2y^3$

$11x^2y^3 - 5$
 $11(3^2)(-2^3) - 5$
 $11 \cdot (9) \cdot (-8) - 5$
 $-792 - 5$
 $= -797$

collect like terms

Simplify

Substitution

substitute

Adding & Subtracting Polynomials without TILES.

ADDITION

To add polynomials, collect like terms.

Eg.1. $(x^2 + 4x - 2) + (2x^2 - 6x + 9)$

Horizontal Method:

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= x^2 + 4x - 2 + 2x^2 - 6x + 9 \\
 &= \underbrace{x^2 + 2x^2} + \underbrace{4x - 6x} + \underbrace{-2 + 9} \quad \text{re-arrange to group like terms.} \\
 &= 3x^2 - 2x + 7
 \end{aligned}$$

Vertical Method:

$$\begin{array}{r}
 x^2 + 4x - 2 \\
 2x^2 - 6x + 9 \\
 \hline
 3x^2 - 2x + 7
 \end{array}$$

"Line up" Like terms.

SUBTRACTION

It is important to remember that the subtraction refers to all terms in the bracket immediately after it.

To subtract a polynomial, determine the opposite and add.

Eg.2. $(4x^2 - 2x + 3) - (3x^2 + 5x - 2)$

This question means the same as:

$$\begin{aligned}
 &(4x^2 - 2x + 3) - 1(3x^2 + 5x - 2) \quad \ominus \ominus = \oplus \\
 &= 4x^2 - 2x + 3 - 3x^2 - 5x + 2 \\
 &= 4x^2 - 3x^2 - 2x - 5x + 3 + 2
 \end{aligned}$$

Multiplying each term by -1 will remove the brackets from the second polynomial.

"apply the \ominus to the bracket"

alternate:

(We could have used vertical addition once the opposite was determined if we chose.)

Add or subtract the following polynomials as indicated.

44. $(4x + 8) + (2x + 9)$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 4x + 2x + 8 + 9 \\
 \hline
 6x + 17
 \end{array}$$

45. $(3a + 7b) + (9a - 3b)$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 3a + 7b \\
 + 9a - 3b \\
 \hline
 12a + 4b
 \end{array}$$

46. $(7x + 9) - (3x + 5)$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 7x + 9 - 3x - 5 \\
 \hline
 4x + 4
 \end{array}$$

apply the \ominus to everything inside the brackets

47. Add.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 (4a - 2b) \\
 + (3a + 2b) \\
 \hline
 7a + 0b
 \end{array}$$

$7a + 0b$

$$\boxed{= 7a}$$

48. Subtract.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 (7x - 3y) \\
 - (-5x + 2y) \\
 \hline
 7x + 5x - 3y - 2y
 \end{array}$$

$$\boxed{= 12x - 5y}$$

49. Subtract.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 (12a - 5b) \\
 - (-7a - 2b) \\
 \hline
 12a + 7a - 5b + 2b
 \end{array}$$

$$\boxed{19a - 3b}$$

Add or subtract the following polynomials as indicated.

50. $(5x^2 - 4x - 2) + (8x^2 + 3x - 3)$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5x^2 - 4x - 2 \\ + 8x^2 + 3x - 3 \\ \hline 13x^2 - x - 5 \end{array}$$

51. $(3m^2n + mn - 7n) - (5m^2n + 3mn - 8n)$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3m^2n - 5m^2n + mn - 3mn - 7n + 8n \\ \hline -2m^2n - 2mn + n \end{array}$$

52. $(8y^2 + 5y - 7) - (9y^2 + 3y - 3)$

$$\begin{array}{r} 8y^2 - 9y^2 + 5y - 3y - 7 + 3 \\ \hline -y^2 + 2y - 4 \end{array}$$

53. $(2x^2 - 6xy + 9) + (8x^2 + 3x - 3)$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2x^2 + 8x^2 - 6xy + 3x - 3 \\ \hline 10x^2 - 6xy + 3x - 3 \end{array}$$

NO other "Like Terms"

Your notes here...

* Remember *

Signs!

$$\begin{array}{l} (-) \cdot (+) = (-) \\ (-) \cdot (-) = (+) \end{array}$$

Brackets!

$$\begin{array}{l} (-) (+) = (-) \\ (-) (-) = (+) \end{array}$$

Multiplication and the Area Model

Sometimes it is convenient to use a tool from one aspect of mathematics to study another.

To find the product of two numbers, we can consider the numbers as side lengths of a rectangle.

How are side lengths, rectangles, and products related? **The Area Model**

The product of the two sides is the area of a rectangle.

$$A = lw$$

Consider:

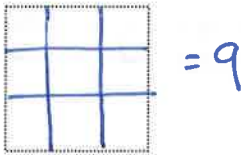


$$A = 4 \times 6 = 24$$

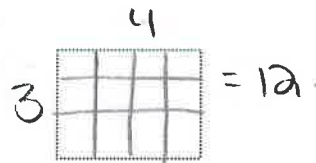
Length = 4 Width = 6

54. Show why $3 \times 3 = 9$ using the area model.

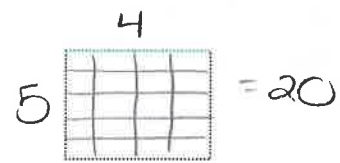
Solution:



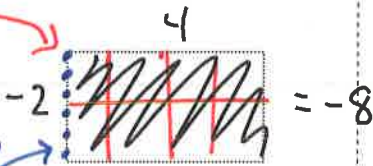
55. Show why $3 \times 4 = 12$ using the area model.



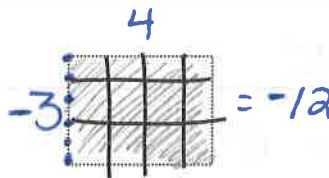
56. Calculate 5×4 using the area model.



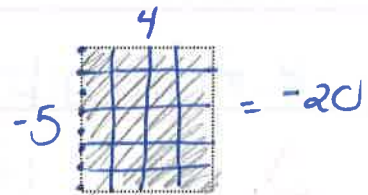
57. How might we show $-2 \times 4 = -8$ using the area model?



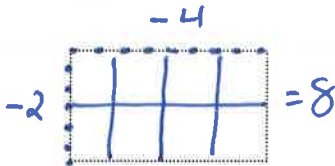
58. Calculate -3×4 using the area model.



59. Calculate -5×4 using the area model.



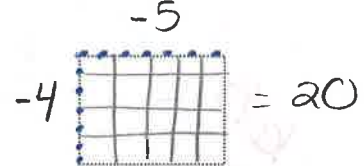
60. How might we show $-2 \times -4 = 8$ using the area model?



61. Calculate -3×-4 using the area model.



62. Calculate -5×-4 using the area model.



shaded-in ⊖ (like the algebra tiles)

dots to show which # is ⊕

$$\ominus + \ominus = \oplus$$

There are some limitations when using the area model to show multiplication. The properties of multiplying integers (+,+), (+,-), (-,-) need to be interpreted by the reader.

★ also a good method for the non-calc. section of tests.

63. Show how you could break apart the following numbers to find the product.

$$21 \times 12 =$$

$$= (20 + 1) \times (10 + 2)$$

$$= 200 + 40 + 10 + 2$$

$$= 252$$

64. Show how you could break apart the following numbers to find the product.

$$32 \times 14 =$$

$$(30 + 2) \times (10 + 4)$$

$$300 + 120 + 20 + 8$$

$$= 448$$

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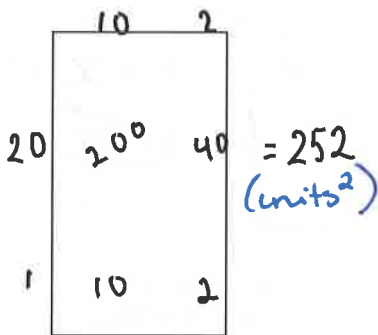
$$17 \times 24 =$$

$$(10 + 7) \times (20 + 4)$$

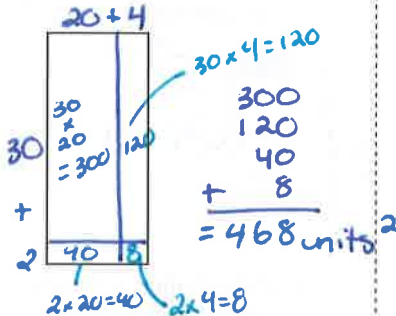
$$200 + 40 + 140 + 28$$

$$= 408$$

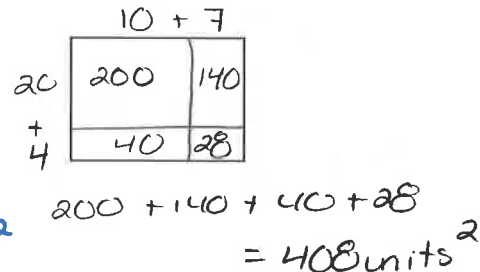
66. Draw a rectangle with side lengths of 21 units and 12 units. Model the multiplication above using the rectangle.



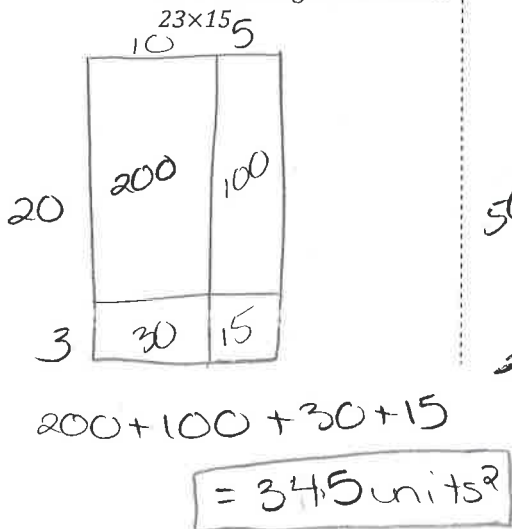
67. Draw a rectangle with side lengths of 32 units and 14 units. Model the multiplication above using the rectangle.



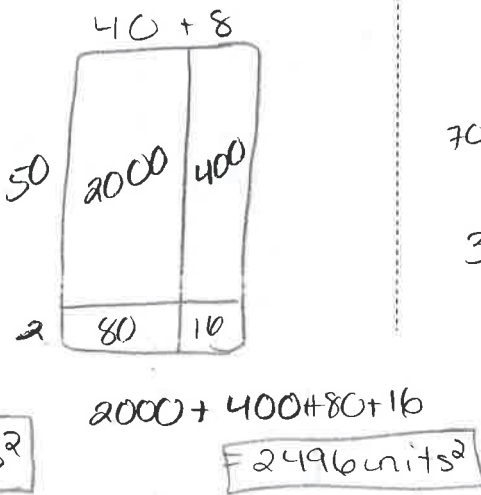
68. Draw a rectangle with side lengths of 17 units and 24 units. Model the multiplication above using the rectangle.



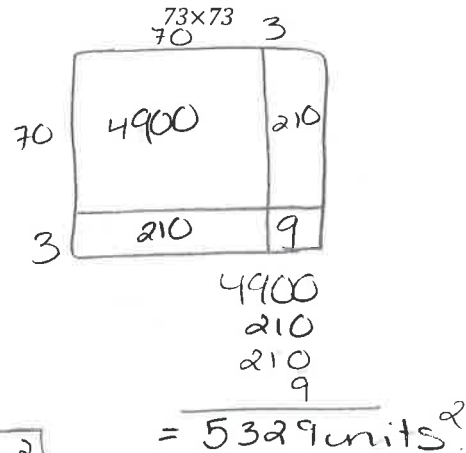
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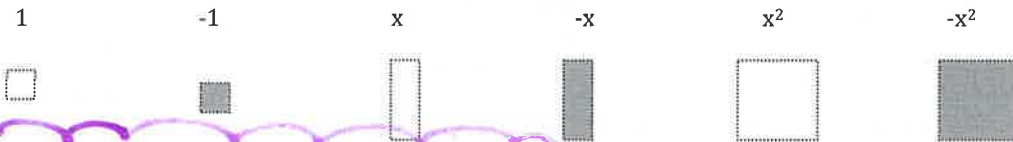


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Algebra tiles and the area model: Multiplication/Division of algebraic expressions.

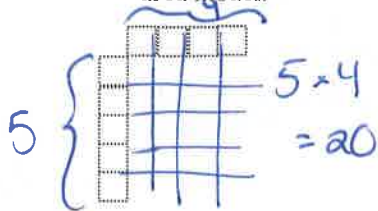
First we must agree that the following shapes will have the indicated meaning.



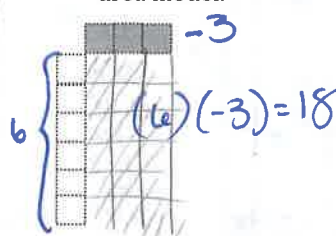
We must also remember the result when we multiply:

- Two positives = Positive
- Two negatives = Positive
- One positive and one negative = Negative

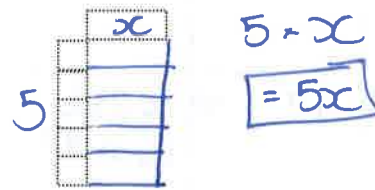
72. Write an equation represented by the diagram below and then multiply the two monomials using the area model.



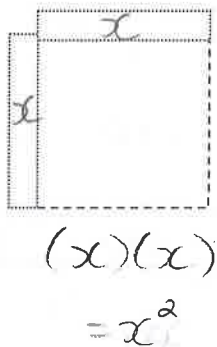
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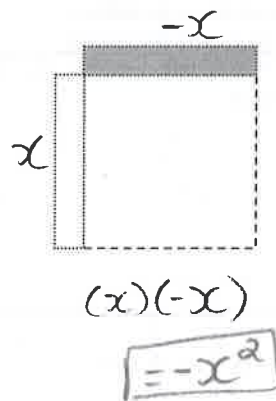
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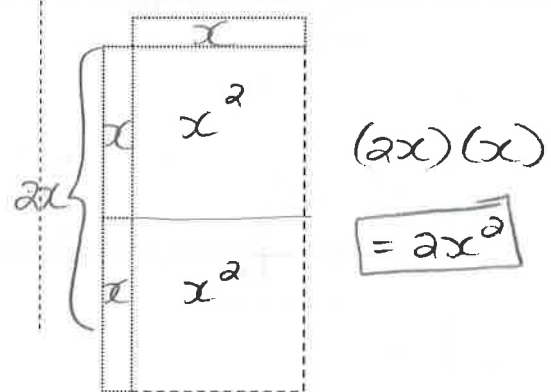
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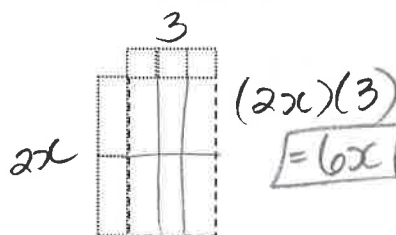
76. If the shaded rectangle represents a negative value, find the product of the two monomials.



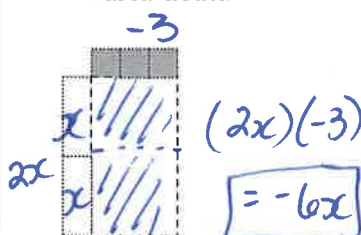
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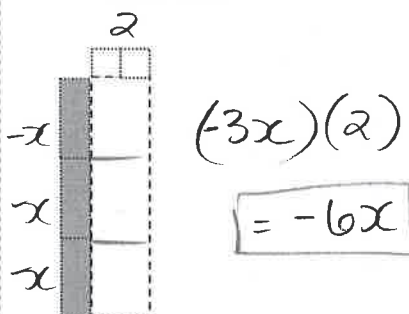
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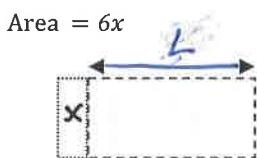
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80. Write an equation represented by the diagram below and then multiply the two polynomials using the area model.



81. Write a quotient that can be represented by the diagram below and then find the missing side length using the area model.



Length: 6

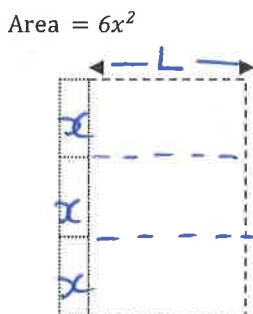
$$A = L \cdot W$$

$$\frac{6x}{x} = \frac{L \cdot x}{x}$$

$$\frac{6x}{x} = L$$

$$\boxed{\therefore L = 6}$$

82. Write a quotient that can be represented by the diagram below and then find the missing side length using the area model.



Length: 2x

$$A = L \cdot W$$

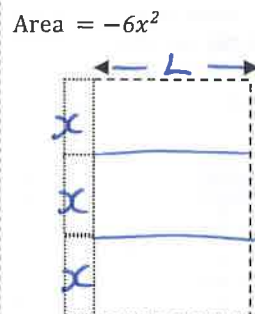
$$\frac{6x^2}{3x} = \frac{L \cdot 3x}{3x}$$

$$\div 3 \frac{6x^2}{3x} = L$$

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$$\boxed{2x = L}$$

83. Write a quotient that can be represented by the diagram below and then find the missing side length using the area model.



Length: -2x

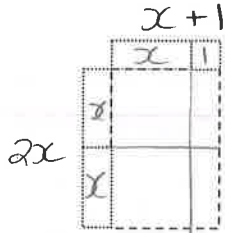
$$A = L \cdot W$$

$$\frac{-6x^2}{3x} = \frac{L \cdot 3x}{3x}$$

$$\boxed{-2x = L}$$

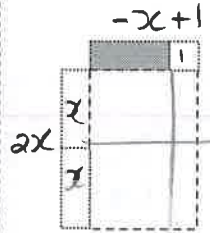
class example.

84. Write an equation represented by the diagram below and then multiply the two polynomials using the area model.



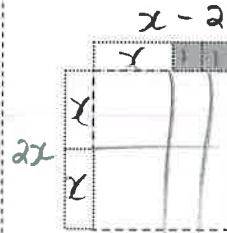
$2x(x+1)$
 $2x^2 + 2x$

85. Write an equation represented by the diagram below and then multiply the two polynomials using the area model.



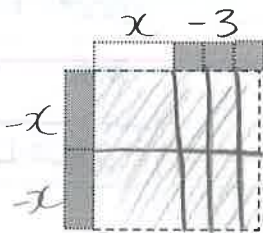
$2x(-x+1)$
 $-2x^2 + 2x$

86. Write an equation represented by the diagram below and then multiply the two polynomials using the area model.



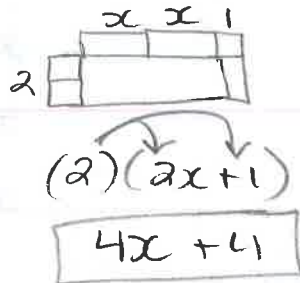
$2x(x-2)$
 $2x^2 - 4x$

87. Write an equation represented by the diagram below and then multiply the two expressions using the area model.



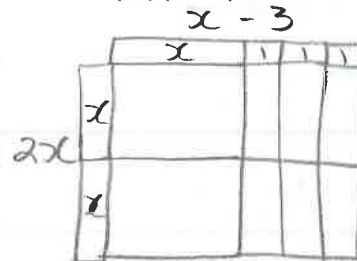
$-x(x-3)$
 $-2x^2 + 6x$

88. Draw and use an area model to find the product: $(2)(2x+1)$



$(2)(2x+1)$
 $4x + 2$

89. Draw and use an area model to find the product: $(2x)(x-3)$



$(2x)(x-3)$
 $2x^2 - 6x$