HOMEWORK 10, December 6, 2020

I would like to remind you that the homework should be done on a separate piece of paper. There is not enough space on this handout to show all work. You must show all steps!

1. Simplify by combining like terms:

a)
$$2x^2 + 3x - x + 4x^2 =$$

b)
$$-0.8b^2 + 7.4b + 5.6b - 0.2b^2 =$$

c)
$$7.3y - y^2 + 4 + 0.5y^2 - (8.7y - 2.4y^2) =$$

d)
$$8a^2b + (-5a^2b + 4b^2) + (a^2 - 5b^2 + 4) =$$

e)
$$xy + x^2 + y^2 - 2x^2 - 4y^2 - 2xy - xy =$$

2. Factor:

a)
$$3c + 15 =$$

b)
$$-5a - 20 =$$

c)
$$-6a - 36b =$$

d)
$$-10 - 10c =$$

e)
$$3by - 6b =$$

f)
$$3a + 9ab =$$

3. Distribute:

a)
$$(m-n)(x+c) =$$

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

c)
$$(1-2a)(3a+1) =$$

d)
$$(5-x)(4-x) =$$

e)
$$(6m-3)(2-5m) =$$

$$f) (3y - 1)(5y + 3) =$$

Solve the following word problems by writing an equation. Make sure to show all steps!

4. Five years ago, Nicholas was two-thirds as old as he will be next year. How old is Nicholas now?

- **5.** A farm has 17 cows and chickens. Altogether, the animals have 56 legs. How of each type of animal are there at the farm?
- **6.** If I add 5 to $\frac{1}{3}$ of a number, the result is $\frac{1}{2}$ of the number. What is the number? (*MOEMS*)