

Worksheet: We Distribute Yet Things Multiply

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Q1. Expand $(5m + 6n)^2$. [1 mark]

A) $25m^2 + 60mn + 36n^2$

B) $25m^2 + 36n^2$

C) $25m^2 + 30mn + 36n^2$

D) $10m^2 + 60mn + 12n^2$

Q2. Using the identity $(a + b)(a - b) = a^2 - b^2$, the value of 98×102 is: [1 mark]

A) 9996

B) 10004

C) 9998

D) 10000

Q3. Which of these is the correct expansion of $(a + 2)(b + 4)$? [1 mark]

A) $ab + 4a + 2b + 8$

B) $ab + 8$

C) $ab + 6$

D) $ab + 2a + 4b + 8$

Q4. In any 2×2 block of a calendar, the two diagonal products always differ by: [1 mark]

A) 7

B) 1

C) 8

D) It depends on the block

Q5. Which pair has the larger product: 14×26 or 16×24 ? [1 mark]

A) 16×24

B) 14×26

C) They are equal

D) Cannot be decided without computing

Q6. Use a suitable identity to find 91^2 . [2 marks]

Q7. The expression $(a - b)(a^2 + ab + b^2)$ simplifies to: *[1 mark]*

A) $a^3 - b^3$

B) $a^3 + b^3$

C) $a^2 - b^2$

D) $a^3 - 3ab + b^3$

Q8. Three consecutive numbers are taken. The middle one is squared and the product of the other two is subtracted from it. What is the result? *[3 marks]*
