

## Dividing a Polynomial by a Monomial (ALG.POL.05)

Divide. Determine whether each quotient is a monomial.

1.  $\frac{18m^3n^2}{6m^2}$       $3mn^2$

The quotient is a monomial.

2.  $\frac{25ab^2}{10ab}$       $\frac{5b}{2} = \frac{5}{2}b$

The quotient is a monomial.

3.  $\frac{-20p^4q^4}{12p^2q^6}$       $\frac{-5p^2}{3q^2}$

The quotient is not a monomial.

Divide.

4.  $\frac{5a + 15}{5}$       $a + 3$

5.  $\frac{7h^4 + 2h^3}{h^3}$       $7h + 2$

6.  $\frac{30a^3 + 10a^2 + 3a}{10a}$       $3a^2 + a + \frac{3}{10}$

7.  $\frac{2k^4 + 20k^3 - 3k^2}{4k}$       $\frac{k^3}{2} + 5k^2 - \frac{3}{4}k$

8.  $\frac{3v^5 + 4v^3 - 2v}{-6v}$       $-\frac{v^4}{2} - \frac{2v^2}{3} + \frac{1}{3}$

9.  $\frac{9r^3 + 18r^2 + 6r}{9r^2}$       $r + 2 + \frac{2}{3r}$

10.  $\frac{32n^3 + 2n^2 + 4}{-8n^3}$       $-4 - \frac{1}{4n} - \frac{1}{2n^3}$

11.  $\frac{7d^8 + 35d^6 - 42d^4 + 14}{14d^5}$       $\frac{d^3}{2} + \frac{5d}{2} - \frac{3}{d} + \frac{1}{d^5}$

12.  $\frac{(x + 3)(2x - 5) + 3x - 5}{2x}$       $x + 2 - \frac{10}{x}$

13.  $\frac{(y - 8)(3y - 1) + 2(y^2 + 1)}{5y}$       $y - 5 + \frac{2}{y}$

14.  $\frac{(4d - 3)^2 + 2d^2 - 3d}{9d}$       $2d - 3 + \frac{1}{d}$

15.  $\frac{(x + 2)^4}{2x}$       $\frac{1}{2}x^3 + 4x^2 + 12x + 16 + \frac{8}{x}$

16.  $\frac{(x - 3)^3 - x(x - 3)^2}{-3x^2}$       $1 - \frac{6}{x} + 9/x^2$

17. A certain rectangle has an area of  $(14x^3 - 28x^2 + 21x)$  square feet and a width of  $(7x)$  feet.

a. Write an algebraic expression (in terms of  $x$ ) that represents the length the rectangle, including units.      $L = 2x^2 - 4x + 3$

b. If  $x = 4$ , determine the area of the rectangle, including units.      $A = 532$  square feet

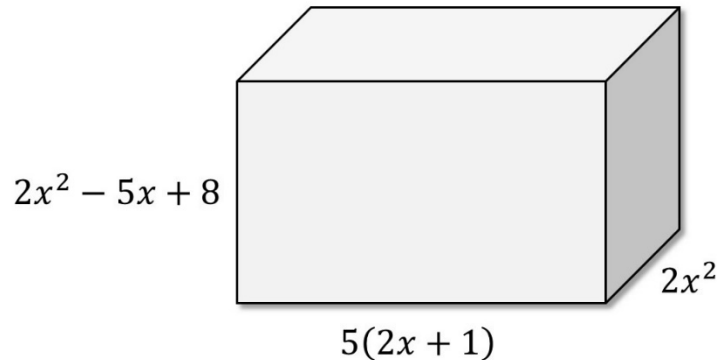
c. If  $x = 4$ , determine the dimensions of the rectangle, including units.

$W = 28$  feet,  $L = 19$  feet

d. Do the dimensions found in part c correspond to the area in part b?     Yes,  $28 \times 19 = 532$

18. A certain rectangular prism has a volume of  $(45x^4 + 75x^3)$  cubic meters. If the width of the prism is  $(3x)$  meters and the depth of the prism is  $(5x^2)$  meters, then determine its height, including units, in terms of  $x$ .  **$H = (3x + 5)$  meters**

19. If the volume of the rectangular prism shown in the diagram is  $(40x^5 - 80x^4 + 110x^3 + 80x^2)$  cubic inches, then show algebraically that the area of the front face is equal to the volume divided by the depth of the prism.



$$5(2x + 1)(2x^2 - 5x + 8) = \frac{40x^5 - 80x^4 + 110x^3 + 80x^2}{2x^2}$$

$$(10x + 5)(2x^2 - 5x + 8) = \frac{40x^5}{2x^2} - \frac{80x^4}{2x^2} + \frac{110x^3}{2x^2} + \frac{80x^2}{2x^2}$$

$$20x^3 - 50x^2 + 80x + 10x^2 - 25x + 40 = 20x^3 - 40x^2 + 55x + 40$$

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