Practice 10-5

Example Exercises

Example 1

Factor each expression.

1.
$$x^2 - 4$$

4.
$$f^2 - 81$$

7.
$$w^2 - 144$$

10.
$$y^2 - 625$$

2.
$$a^2 - 16$$

5.
$$x^2 - 25$$

8.
$$x^2 - 225$$

11.
$$x^2 - 400$$

3.
$$x^2 - 49$$

6.
$$h^2 - 1$$

9.
$$x^2 - 196$$

12.
$$b^2 - 100$$

Example 2

Factor each expression.

13.
$$4x^2 - 9$$

16.
$$25m^2 - 4$$

19.
$$16x^2 - 81$$

14.
$$9x^2 - 25$$

17.
$$49x^2 - 144$$

20.
$$64n^2 - 169$$

15.
$$16n^2 - 1$$

18.
$$25a^2 - 64$$

21.
$$100x^2 - 49$$

Example 3

Factor each expression.

22.
$$x^2 + 8x + 16$$

25.
$$f^2 + 16f + 64$$

28.
$$x^2 - 22x + 121$$

23.
$$a^2 - 10a + 25$$

26.
$$x^2 + 12x + 36$$

29.
$$x^2 + 24x + 144$$

24.
$$x^2 + 14x + 49$$

27.
$$x^2 - 18x + 81$$

30.
$$y^2 - 20y + 100$$

Example 4

Factor each expression.

31.
$$4x^2 + 4x + 1$$

34.
$$9x^2 + 24x + 16$$

37.
$$49x^2 - 28x + 4$$

32.
$$9x^2 - 6x + 1$$

35.
$$4x^2 + 20x + 25$$

38.
$$16x^2 - 24x + 9$$

33.
$$4x^2 - 12x + 9$$

36.
$$25c^2 - 40c + 16$$

39.
$$64x^2 + 112x + 49$$

Example 5

Factor each expression.

40.
$$2d^2 - 18$$

43.
$$2x^2 + 20x + 50$$

46.
$$2x^2 + 4x + 2$$

41.
$$3x^2 - 12$$

44.
$$3x^2 - 12x + 12$$

47.
$$4x^2 + 24x + 36$$

42.
$$12w^2 - 27$$

45.
$$4h^3 - 36h$$

48.
$$n^3 - 8n^2 + 16n$$