

**Practice C**

For use with pages 611–617

Choose the correct factorization. If neither is correct, find the correct factorization.

1.  $6x^2 + 5x - 4$

A.  $(3x + 4)(2x - 1)$

B.  $(3x - 4)(2x + 1)$

2.  $6x^2 - 13x - 5$

A.  $(6x - 6)(x + 1)$

B.  $(6x + 6)(x - 1)$

3.  $12x^2 + 7x - 12$

A.  $(4x + 3)(3x - 4)$

B.  $(4x - 3)(3x + 4)$

Factor the trinomial if possible. If it cannot be factored, write *not factorable*.

4.  $2x^2 - x - 21$

5.  $3x^2 + 9x - 7$

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

7.  $3x^2 + 11x + 10$

8.  $2x^2 - x - 6$

9.  $3x^2 + x - 1$

10.  $14x^2 - 19x - 40$

11.  $4x^2 - 3x + 7$

12.  $6x^2 - 36x + 54$

Solve the equation by factoring.

13.  $2x^2 + 7x + 3 = 0$

14.  $3x^2 + 14x - 5 = 0$

15.  $3x^2 + 11x - 4 = 0$

16.  $6x^2 + 13x + 5 = 0$

17.  $3x^2 + 7x = -2$

18.  $12x^2 = 5x + 3$

19.  $10x^2 + 5 = -15x$

20.  $12x^2 + 32x = -5$

21.  $140x^2 + 300x = -40x - 120$

Solve the equation by factoring, by square roots, or by using the quadratic formula.

22.  $4x^2 - 9 = 0$

23.  $x^2 + 6x = 0$

24.  $x^2 - 4x + 1 = 0$

25.  $x^2 + 21 = 10x$

26.  $2x^2 + 12x + 10 = -8$

27.  $12x^2 + x - 1 = 0$

28.  $2x^2 + 3x + 5 = 8$

29.  $4x^2 - 64 = 0$

30.  $18x^2 - 27x = 35$

**Vertical Motion** In Exercises 31 and 32, use vertical motion model  $h = -16t^2 + vt + s$ , where  $h$  is the height (in feet),  $t$  is the time in motion (in seconds),  $v$  is the initial velocity (in feet per second), and  $s$  is the initial height (in feet). Solve by factoring.

31. A baseball player releases a baseball at a height of 6 feet with an initial velocity of 46 feet per second. Find the time (in seconds) for the ball to reach the ground.

32. A miniature rocket is launched off a roof 25 feet above the ground with an initial velocity of 30 feet per second. How much time will elapse before the rocket reaches the ground?