

8-7 Skills Practice

Solving $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

Factor each polynomial, if possible. If the polynomial cannot be factored using integers, write *prime*.

1. $2x^2 + 5x + 2$

2. $3n^2 + 5n + 2$

3. $2t^2 + 9t - 5$

4. $3g^2 - 7g + 2$

5. $2t^2 - 11t + 15$

6. $2x^2 + 3x - 6$

7. $2y^2 + y - 1$

8. $4h^2 + 8h - 5$

9. $4x^2 - 3x - 3$

10. $4b^2 + 15b - 4$

11. $9p^2 + 6p - 8$

12. $6q^2 - 13q + 6$

13. $3a^2 + 30a + 63$

14. $10w^2 - 19w - 15$

Solve each equation. Check the solutions.

15. $2x^2 + 7x + 3 = 0$

16. $3w^2 + 14w + 8 = 0$

17. $3n^2 - 7n + 2 = 0$

18. $5d^2 - 22d + 8 = 0$

19. $6h^2 + 8h + 2 = 0$

20. $8p^2 - 16p = 10$

21. $9y^2 + 18y - 12 = 6y$

22. $4a^2 - 16a = -15$

23. $10b^2 - 15b = 8b - 12$

24. $6d^2 + 21d = 10d + 35$