Examples

Quadratic term	Linear term 1	Linear term 2	constant
x^2	$+4x$	$+2x$	$+8$

Factored form of the first two terms   Factored form of the last two terms

$$x(x+4) \qquad +2(x+4)$$

IF there is a BINOMIAL in common, then factor it OUT
Keep all of the rest of the terms in a single parentheses

$$(x+4)(x+2) = x^2+4x+2x+8$$
$$= x^2+6x+8$$

Quadratic term	Linear term 1	Linear term 2	constant
x^2	$+5x$	$+2x$	$+8$

Factored form of the first two terms   Factored form of the last two terms

$$x(x+5) \qquad +2(x+4)$$

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$$x^2+5x+2x+8 = x^2+7x+8$$

this is NOT FACTORABLE

Quadratic term	Linear term 1	Linear term 2	constant
x^2	$-4x$	$+1x$	-4

Factored form of the first two terms   Factored form of the last two terms

$$x(x-4) \qquad +1(x-4)$$

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$$(x-4)(x+1) = x^2-4x+1x-4$$
$$= x^2-3x-4$$

Quadratic term	Linear term 1	Linear term 2	constant
x^2	$+2x$	$-5x$	-10

Factored form of the first two terms   Factored form of the last two terms

$$x(x+2) \qquad -5(x+2)$$

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$$(x+2)(x-5) = x^2+2x-5x-10$$
$$= x^2-3x-10$$

This method of factoring is called the AC method, we have skipped the "hard" step, we'll get to that step after you can takeit from the second step.

If not factorable state so

Quadratic term	Linear term 1	Linear term 2	constant
x^2	$+6x$	$+3x$	$+18$

Factored form of the first two terms   Factored form of the last two terms

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Quadratic term	Linear term 1	Linear term 2	constant
x^2	$+4x$	$+6x$	$+24$

Factored form of the first two terms   Factored form of the last two terms

IF there is a BINOMIAL in common, then factor it OUT
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Quadratic term	Linear term 1	Linear term 2	constant
x^2	$-6x$	$+8x$	-48

Factored form of the first two terms   Factored form of the last two terms

IF there is a BINOMIAL in common, then factor it OUT
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Quadratic term	Linear term 1	Linear term 2	constant
x^2	$-6x$	$-6x$	$+36$

Factored form of the first two terms   Factored form of the last two terms

IF there is a BINOMIAL in common, then factor it OUT
Keep all of the rest of the terms in a single parentheses

Quadratic term	Linear term 1	Linear term 2	constant
x^2	$+3x$	$-3x$	-9

Factored form of the first two terms   Factored form of the last two terms

IF there is a BINOMIAL in common, then factor it OUT
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If not factorable state so

$x^2-14x-32$	List AC x^2	List all of the ways to get AC x^2	List all the ways factors of AC x^2 can add to Bx
Quadratic term	Linear term 1	Linear term 2	constant

Factored form of the first two terms   Factored form of the last two terms

IF there is a BINOMIAL in common, then factor it OUT
       Keep all of the rest of the terms in a single
               parentheses

$x^2-13x+40$	List AC x^2	List all of the ways to get AC x^2	List all the ways factors of AC x^2 can add to Bx
Quadratic term	Linear term 1	Linear term 2	constant

Factored form of the first two terms   Factored form of the last two terms

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               parentheses

$x^2+3x-54$	List AC x^2	List all of the ways to get AC x^2	List all the ways factors of AC x^2 can add to Bx
Quadratic term	Linear term 1	Linear term 2	constant

Factored form of the first two terms   Factored form of the last two terms

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If not factorable state so

$x^2-12x+35$	List AC x^2	List all of the ways to get AC x^2	List all the ways factors of AC x^2 can add to Bx

Quadratic term	Linear term 1	Linear term 2	constant

Factored form of the first two terms   Factored form of the last two terms

IF there is a BINOMIAL in common, then factor it OUT
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        parentheses

$x^2+22x-48$	List AC x^2	List all of the ways to get AC x^2	List all the ways factors of AC x^2 can add to Bx

Quadratic term	Linear term 1	Linear term 2	constant

Factored form of the first two terms   Factored form of the last two terms

IF there is a BINOMIAL in common, then factor it OUT
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        parentheses

$x^2-20x+60$	List AC x^2	List all of the ways to get AC x^2	List all the ways factors of AC x^2 can add to Bx

Quadratic term	Linear term 1	Linear term 2	constant

Factored form of the first two terms   Factored form of the last two terms

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Each of these is factorable Practice! Practice! Practice!

1	$x^2+21x+20$		21	$x^2-16x+48$	
2	$x^2+21x+38$		22	$x^2-6x-55$	
3	$x^2+21x+54$		23	$x^2-11x+10$	
4	$x^2+21x+68$		24	$x^2-11x+18$	
5	$x^2+21x+80$		25	$x^2-5x-24$	
6	$x^2+14x-15$		26	$x^2-3x-28$	
7	$x^2+16x+28$		27	$x^2-11x+30$	
8	$x^2+10x-39$		28	x^2-6x+5	
9	$x^2+8x-48$		29	x^2-6x+8	
10	$x^2+16x+55$		30	x^2-6x+9	
11	$x^2+9x-10$		31	x^2+2x-8	
12	$x^2+7x-18$		32	x^2+4x-5	
13	$x^2+11x+24$		33	$x^2-19x-20$	
14	$x^2+11x+28$		34	$x^2-16x+39$	
15	x^2+x-30		35	$x^2-17x-38$	
16	x^2+4x-5		36	$x^2-15x-54$	
17	x^2+2x-8		37	$x^2-13x-68$	
18	x^2-9		38	$x^2-11x-80$	
19	x^2+6x+8		39	$x^2-16x+15$	
20	x^2+6x+5		40	$x^2-12x-28$	

FOIL Practice

	Binomial factor 1	Binomial factor 2	Quadratic term	Linear term 1	Linear term 2	Constant	Simplified product
1	(2x+1)	(x+2)					
2	(2x+1)	(3x+2)					
3	(3x+1)	(3x+2)					
4	(2x-1)	(2x+1)					
5	(2x+1)	(2x+1)					
6	(2x-3)	(x+3)					
7	(2x+4)	(x+4)					
8	(2x-3)	(x-2)					
9	(2x+1)	(x-5)					
10	(6x-1)	(3x+2)					
11	(8x+1)	(5x+2)					
12	(6x-1)	(5x+2)					
13	(7x-1)	(4x-3)					
14	(9x+4)	(3x-2)					
15	(5x-2)	(5x+2)					
16	(5x+1)	(10x+2)					
17	(3x-1)	(x-12)					
18	(3x+5)	(6x+7)					
19	(6x+7)	(8x+5)					
20	(8x-3)	(7x+5)					