

### EXERCISE -3E

Formulae Used: (i)  $(x + y)^3 = x^3 + y^3 + 3xy(x + y)$   
(ii)  $(x - y)^3 = x^3 - y^3 - 3xy(x - y)$

Answer.1.

(i)  $(3x + 2)^3$

$$\begin{aligned}(3x + 2)^3 &= (3x)^3 + (2)^3 + 3(3x)(2)(3x + 2) \\ &= 27x^3 + 8 + 18x(3x) + 18x(2) \\ &= 27x^3 + 8 + 54x^2 + 36x\end{aligned}$$

(ii)  $(3a + \frac{1}{4b})^3$

$$\begin{aligned}(3a + \frac{1}{4b})^3 &= (3a)^3 + (\frac{1}{4b})^3 + 3(3a)(\frac{1}{4b})(3a + \frac{1}{4b}) \\ &= 27a^3 + \frac{1}{64b^3} + \frac{9a}{4b}(3a) + \frac{9a}{4b}(\frac{1}{4b}) \\ &= 27a^3 + \frac{1}{64b^3} + \frac{27a^2}{4b} + \frac{9a}{16b^2}\end{aligned}$$

(iii)  $(1 + \frac{2}{3}a)^3$

$$\begin{aligned}(1 + \frac{2}{3}a)^3 &= (1)^3 + (\frac{2}{3}a)^3 + 3(1)(\frac{2}{3}a)(1 + \frac{2}{3}a) \\ &= 1^3 + \frac{8}{27}a^3 + 2a(1) + 2a(\frac{2}{3}a) \\ &= 1 + \frac{8}{27}a^3 + 2a + \frac{4}{3}a^2 \\ &= 1 + \frac{8}{27}a^3 + \frac{4}{3}a^2 + 2a\end{aligned}$$

Answer.2.

(i)  $(5a - 3b)^3$

$$\begin{aligned}(5a - 3b)^3 &= (5a)^3 - (3b)^3 - 3(5a)(3b)(5a - 3b) \\ &= 125a^3 - 27b^3 - 45ab(5a) + 45ab(3b) \\ &= 125a^3 - 27b^3 - 225a^2b + 135ab^2\end{aligned}$$

(ii)  $(3x - \frac{5}{x})^3$

$$\begin{aligned}(3x - \frac{5}{x})^3 &= (3x)^3 - (\frac{5}{x})^3 - 3(3x)(\frac{5}{x})(3x - \frac{5}{x}) \\ &= 27x^3 - \frac{125}{x^3} - 45(3x) + 45(\frac{5}{x}) \\ &= 27x^3 - \frac{125}{x^3} - 135x + \frac{225}{x}\end{aligned}$$

(iii)  $(\frac{4}{5}a - 2)^3$

$$\begin{aligned}(\frac{4}{5}a - 2)^3 &= (\frac{4}{5}a)^3 - (2)^3 - 3(\frac{4}{5}a)(2)(\frac{4}{5}a - 2) \\ &= \frac{64}{125}a^3 - 8 - \frac{24}{5}a(\frac{4}{5}a) + \frac{24}{5}a(2) \\ &= \frac{64}{125}a^3 - 8 - \frac{96}{25}a^2 + \frac{48}{5}a\end{aligned}$$

Answer.3.  $8a^3 + 27b^3 + 36a^2b + 54ab^2$

$$8a^3 + 27b^3 + 36a^2b + 54ab^2 = (2a)^3 + (3b)^3 + 3(2a)(3b)(2a) + 3(2a)(3b)(3b)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (2a)^3 + (3b)^3 + 3(2a)(3b)(2a + 3b) \\
&= (2a + 3b)^3 \\
&= (2a + 3b)(2a + 3b)(2a + 3b)
\end{aligned}$$

**Answer.4.**  $64a^3 - 27b^3 - 144a^2b + 108ab^2$

$$\begin{aligned}
64a^3 - 27b^3 - 144a^2b + 108ab^2 &= (4a)^3 - (3b)^3 - 3(4a)(3b)(4a) + 3(4a)(3b)(3b) \\
&= (4a)^3 - (3b)^3 - 3(4a)(3b)(4a - 3b) \\
&= (4a - 3b)^3 \\
&= (4a - 3b)(4a - 3b)(4a - 3b)
\end{aligned}$$

**Answer.5.**  $1 + \frac{27}{125}a^3 + \frac{9a}{5} + \frac{27a^2}{25}$

$$\begin{aligned}
1 + \frac{27}{125}a^3 + \frac{9a}{5} + \frac{27a^2}{25} &= (1)^3 + \left(\frac{3}{5}a\right)^3 + 3(1)\left(\frac{3}{5}a\right)(1) + 3(1)\left(\frac{3}{5}a\right)\left(\frac{3}{5}a\right) \\
&= (1)^3 + \left(\frac{3}{5}a\right)^3 + 3(1)\left(\frac{3}{5}a\right)\left(1 + \frac{3}{5}a\right) \\
&= \left(1 + \frac{3}{5}a\right)^3 \\
&= \left(1 + \frac{3}{5}a\right)\left(1 + \frac{3}{5}a\right)\left(1 + \frac{3}{5}a\right)
\end{aligned}$$

**Answer.6.**  $125x^3 - 27y^3 - 225x^2y + 135xy^2$

$$\begin{aligned}
125x^3 - 27y^3 - 225x^2y + 135xy^2 &= (5x)^3 - (3y)^3 - 3(5x)(3y)(5x) + 3(5x)(3y)(3y) \\
&= (5x)^3 - (3y)^3 - 3(5x)(3y)(5x - 3y) \\
&= (5x - 3y)^3 \\
&= (5x - 3y)(5x - 3y)(5x - 3y)
\end{aligned}$$

**Answer.7.**  $a^3x^3 - 3a^2bx^2 + 3ab^2x - b^3$

$$\begin{aligned}
a^3x^3 - 3a^2bx^2 + 3ab^2x - b^3 &= a^3x^3 - b^3 - 3a^2bx^2 + 3ab^2x \\
&= (ax)^3 - (b)^3 - 3(ax)(b)(ax) + 3(ax)(b)(b) \\
&= (ax)^3 - (b)^3 - 3(ax)(b)(ax - b) \\
&= (ax - b)^3 \\
&= (ax - b)(ax - b)(ax - b)
\end{aligned}$$

**Answer.8.**  $\frac{64}{125}a^3 - \frac{96}{25}a^2 + \frac{48}{5}a - 8$

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{64}{125}a^3 - \frac{96}{25}a^2 + \frac{48}{5}a - 8 &= \frac{64}{125}a^3 - 8 - \frac{96}{25}a^2 + \frac{48}{5}a \\
&= \left(\frac{4}{5}a\right)^3 - (2)^3 - 3\left(\frac{4}{5}a\right)(2)\left(\frac{4}{5}a\right) + 3\left(\frac{4}{5}a\right)(2)(2) \\
&= \left(\frac{4}{5}a\right)^3 - (2)^3 - 3\left(\frac{4}{5}a\right)(2)\left(\frac{4}{5}a - 2\right) \\
&= \left(\frac{4}{5}a - 2\right)^3 \\
&= \left(\frac{4}{5}a - 2\right)\left(\frac{4}{5}a - 2\right)\left(\frac{4}{5}a - 2\right)
\end{aligned}$$

**Answer.9.**  $a^3 - 12a(a - 4) - 64$

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$$\begin{aligned} a^3 - 12a(a - 4) - 64 &= (a)^3 - (4)^3 - 3(a)(4)(a - 4) \\ &= (a - 4)^3 \\ &= (a - 4)(a - 4)(a - 4) \end{aligned}$$

**Answer.10.**

**(i)  $(103)^3$**

$$\begin{aligned} (103)^3 &= (100 + 3)^3 \\ &= (100)^3 + (3)^3 + 3 \times 100 \times 3 \times (100 + 3) \\ &= 1000000 + 27 + (900 \times 103) \\ &= 1000027 + 92700 \\ &= 1092727 \end{aligned}$$

**(ii)  $(99)^3$**

$$\begin{aligned} (99)^3 &= (100 - 1)^3 \\ &= (100)^3 - (1)^3 - 3 \times 100 \times 1 \times (100 - 1) \\ &= 1000000 - 1 - (300 \times 99) \\ &= 999999 - 29700 \\ &= 970299 \end{aligned}$$