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Practice 9-8

Factoring by Grouping

Factor each polynomial by grouping.

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| 1. $2x^3 + 4x^2 + x + 2$ | 2. $2x^3 + 6x^2 + 3x + 9$ | 3. $5x^3 - 25x^2 + 2x - 10$ |
| 4. $2x^3 + 12x^2 - 5x - 30$ | 5. $7x^3 - 4x^2 + 7x - 4$ | 6. $9x^3 - 12x^2 - 18x + 24$ |
| 7. $xy + 4y - 2x - 8$ | 8. $ab + 7b - 3a - 21$ | 9. $ax + bx + ay + by$ |
| 10. $ax + bx - ay - by$ | 11. $2x^2 - 6xy + 5x - 15y$ | 12. $3x^2 - 6xy + 2x - 4y$ |
| 13. $2ax + 6xc + ba + 3bc$ | 14. $x^2y - 3x^2 - 2y + 6$ | 15. $6 + 2y + 3x^2 + x^2y$ |