

Expansion

$$\ominus a(b+c) = ab+ac$$

$$\ominus (a+b)(c+d) = ac+ad+bc+bd.$$

$$\ominus (a+b)(a+b) = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$$
$$(a+b)^2$$

$$\ominus (a-b)(a-b) = a^2 - 2ab + b^2$$
$$(a-b)^2$$

$$\ominus (a-b)(a+b) = a^2 - b^2$$

Factorizing

- Taking out Common factor.
 $ab + ac \Rightarrow a(b+c)$

- Special results:-

$$a^2 + 2ab + b^2 \Rightarrow (a+b)^2$$

$$a^2 - 2ab + b^2 \Rightarrow (a-b)^2$$

$$a^2 - b^2 \Rightarrow (a-b)(a+b)$$