Worksheet 2.6 – The Distributive Property (textbook pages 100-107)

LEVEL 1

Simplify each expression (if possible).

1.)
$$2x + 3x$$

2.)
$$-4x + 7y$$

3.)
$$2x^2 - 2x^2$$

LEVEL 2

Simplify each expression.

4.)
$$2x^2 + 6x - 5x^2$$
 5.) $3(a+5)$

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6.)
$$(y-2)4$$

7.)
$$2x(5+3y)$$

8.)
$$(r + 6x)3$$

9.)
$$c(c+7)$$

LEVEL 3

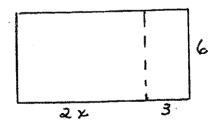
Simplify each expression.

10.)
$$-w(2w+8)+w^2$$

11.)
$$4x(3x-7) + x$$

LEVEL 4

16.) Write an expression for the area of the large rectangle below.



17.) Simplify the expression. Show your work.

$$2x(x-7) + 4x(-x+3) + 2x - 5$$

18.) You want to buy a backpack and a new shirt for school. You found a shirt to buy that is \$22. There is also a 6% sales tax in Michigan. Let *b* represent the cost of the backpack. Write an expression to show the total cost of buying both the shirt and backpack with the tax included. Show your work.