Practice

Form G

The Binomial Theorem

Expand each binomial.

1.
$$(x + 2)^4$$

2.
$$(a+2)^7$$

3.
$$(x + y)^7$$

4.
$$(d-2)^9$$

5.
$$(2x-3)^8$$

6.
$$(x-1)^9$$

3.
$$(x + y)^7$$
 4. $(d-2)^9$ **7.** $(2x^2 - 2y^2)^6$ **8.** $(x^5 + 2y)^7$

8.
$$(x^5 + 2y)^2$$

9.
$$(n-3)^3$$

10.
$$(2n+2)^4$$

11.
$$(n-6)^5$$

12.
$$(n-1)^6$$

13.
$$(2a + 2)^3$$

14.
$$(x^2 - y^2)^4$$

15.
$$(2x + 3y)^5$$

16.
$$(2x^2 + y^2)^6$$

17.
$$(x^2 - y^2)^3$$

18.
$$(2b + c)^4$$

19.
$$(3m-2n)^5$$

20.
$$(x^3 - y^4)^6$$

Find the specified term of each binomial expansion.

21. third term of
$$(x + 3)^{12}$$

22. second term of
$$(x + 3)^9$$

23. twelfth term of
$$(2 + x)^{11}$$

24. third term of
$$(x-2)^{12}$$

25. eighth term of
$$(x - 2y)^{15}$$

26. seventh term of
$$(x-2y)^6$$

27. fifth term of
$$(x^2 + y^2)^{13}$$

28. fourth term of
$$(x^2 - 2y)^{11}$$

- **29.** The term $126c^4d^5$ appears in the expansion of $(c+d)^n$. What is n?
- **30.** The coefficient of the second term in the expansion of $(r + s)^n$ is 7. Find the value of n, and write the complete term.

State the number of terms in each expansion and give the first two terms.

31.
$$(d+e)^{12}$$

32.
$$(x-y)^{15}$$

33.
$$(2a+b)^5$$

34.
$$(x-3y)^7$$

35.
$$(4-2x)^8$$

36.
$$(x^2 + y)^6$$

37. The side of a number cube is x + 4 units long. Write a binomial for the volume of the number cube. Use the Binomial Theorem to expand and rewrite the expression in standard form.

Practice (continued)

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Expand each binomial.

38.
$$(x+1)^7$$

39.
$$(x+4)^8$$

40.
$$(x-3y)^6$$

41.
$$(x+2)^5$$

42.
$$(x^2 - y^2)^5$$

43.
$$(3+y)^5$$

44.
$$(x^2+3)^6$$

45.
$$(x-5)^7$$

46.
$$(x-4y)^4$$

- **47. Open-Ended** Write a binomial in the form $(a + b)^n$ that has 3 as the coefficient of the first term.
- **48.** Use Pascal's Triangle to determine the binomial of the expanded expression $x^6 +$ $6x^5 + 15x^4 + 20x^3 + 15x^2 + 6x + 1$.
- **49. Error Analysis** Your friend expands the binomial $(x-2)^6$ as $x^6 + 12x^5 + 30x^4 + 160x^3 + 100x^4 + 100x^3 + 100x^4 + 10$ $240x^2 + 192x + 64$. What mistake did your friend make? What is the correct expansion?
- **50. Reasoning** Without writing any of the previous terms, how do you know that 2187 is the eighth term of the expansion of the binomial $(x + 3)^7$?
- **51.** In the expansion of $(3x y)^6$, one of the terms contains the factor y^4 .
 - **a.** What is the exponent of 3x in this term?
 - **b.** What is the coefficient of this term?
- **52.** You are shipping a cubic glass sculpture. Each side of the sculpture is x in. long. To adequately protect the sculpture, the shipping box must leave room for 5 in. of padding on either side in every dimension. Write and expand a binomial for the volume of the shipping box.