Unknown Variables

Sheet 5

1) Determine the values of t and u, if the polynomials $2x^2 + 3x + 1$ and $2x^3 + 5x^2 + 4x + 1$ have (x + t)(ux + 1) as their GCF.

2) For what values of b and d, the polynomials $8x^2 + bx + 15$ and $12x^2 + 21x + d$ have 4x + 3 as their GCF?



3) Find the values of m $(3x^2 + 17x + 10)(nx^2)$

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- mx + 10) and

4) If (x - 6)(x - 8) is the determine the value

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 $(x^2 - 10x + 24)(x^2 + wx + 16),$

5) The GCF of polynomials $x^3 - 5x^2 + px - 4$ and $x^3 - 9x^2 + sx - 16$ is x - 1. Find the values of p and s.