## Algebra I

4-2
Polynomials

The following equation is an example of a : $\qquad$

$$
3 x^{3} y+5 x^{2} y^{2}-7 x y^{3}
$$

Which of the following are Like terms-
(Circle the ones you think)

| 6 | $-4 y^{3}$ | $7 x^{2} y^{3}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $-7 x^{2}$ | $8 x^{2} y^{3}$ | $-9 x^{3} y^{2}$ |
| $9 x y^{3}$ | $-15 y^{2} x^{3}$ | $8 x^{2}$ |

Definition:
Simplify-

Examples:
Copy each polynomial and underline like terms. Then simplify.

1) $3 x-2 y-x-3 y$

Add.
9) $5 y-3$ $2 y+9$

21-30. In exercises 9-18, subtract the lower polynomial from the upper one.
21)

Solve.
53) $\left(2 y^{2}-2 y+6\right)-2\left(y^{2}-3 y+5\right)=11$

Assignment:
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