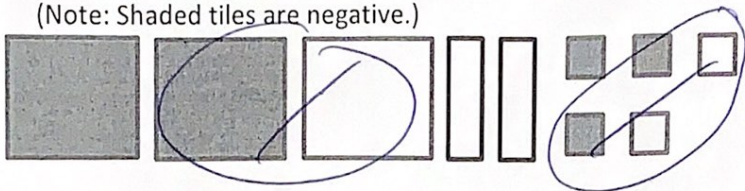


$$\frac{18+2}{18+2} = \frac{20}{20}$$

1. Write the simplified algebraic expression represented by the model. [1]

(Note: Shaded tiles are negative.)



$$\underline{-x^2 + 2x - 1} \checkmark$$

2. Draw the expression $2x^2 - 3x + 4$ using tiles (shaded is negative) [1]



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2.

3. Simplify. [1,2]

a) $5b^2 - 2b + 4 - 3b - 4b^2$
 $= 5b^2 - 4b^2 - 2b - 3b + 4$
 $= b^2 - 5b + 4 \checkmark$

b) $5x^2 - (-2x) + (-4) - 3x - (+1) - x^2$
 $= 5x^2 + 2x - 4 - 3x - 1 - x^2$
 $= 4x^2 - x - 5 \checkmark$

4. Simplify. [1,2]

a) $(3x^2 - 7x + 1) + (x^2 + 5x - 4)$
 $= 3x^2 - 7x + 1 + x^2 + 5x - 4$
 $= 4x^2 - 2x - 3 \checkmark$

b) $(3x^2 + 5x - 1) - (4x^2 - 7x + 2)$
 $= 3x^2 + 5x - 1 - 4x^2 + 7x - 2$
 $= -x^2 + 12x - 3 \checkmark$

5. Simplify. [4]

a) $(3y^5)(-2y^3)$
 $= -6y^8 \checkmark$

b) $\frac{-12a^6b^2}{3a^4b^{-3}}$ 2 (CS) 2 r s
 $= -4a^2b^7$

c) $(3x^{-5}y^4)^2$
 $= 3^2 x^{-10} y^8$
 $= \frac{9y^8}{x^{10}} \checkmark$

d) $\left(\frac{x^3}{y^2}\right)^5$ 4
 $= \frac{x^{15}}{y^{10}} \checkmark$

6. Simplify. [6]

a) $\frac{(2x^2y^{-1})^4}{(-2x^3y^{-3})^3}$
 $= \frac{2^4 x^8 y^{-4}}{(-2)^3 x^9 y^{-9}}$
 $= \frac{16 x^8 y^{-4}}{-8 x^9 y^{-9}}$
 $= -2 x^{-1} y^5$
 $= \frac{-2y^5}{x} \checkmark$

b) $(-3ab^{-4})^2 (2a^3b^{-2})^3$
 $= (-3)^2 a^2 b^{-8} (2^3 a^9 b^{-6})$
 $= (9a^2 b^{-8})(8a^9 b^{-6})$
 $= 72a^{11} b^{-14}$
 $= \frac{72a^{11}}{b^{14}} \checkmark$