

**Pg. A23 0.3A – Polynomials and Factoring**

**Ex 1:**

(a) Write the polynomial in standard form, (b) identify the degree and leading coefficient of the polynomial, and (c) state whether the polynomial is a monomial, a binomial, or a trinomial.

$$-y + 25y^2 + 1$$

**Ex 2:**

Determine whether the expression is a polynomial. If so, write the polynomial in standard form.

**Note:** Polynomials have variable exponents that are natural numbers.

$$2x^3 + x - 3x^{-1}$$

**Ex 3:**

Perform the operation and write the result in standard form.

$$-(5x^2 - 1) - (-3x^2 + 5)$$

**Ex 4:**

Multiply or find the special product.

(a)  $(x - 5)(x + 10)$

(b)  $(4x + 5)^2$

(c)  $(3x + 2y)^3$

**Method 1**

**Method 2**

**Ex 5:**

Find a polynomial that represents the total number of square feet for the floor plan shown in the figure.

