


$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } & 7a^2x^3 - 6b^2 - 4a^2x^3 + 8b^2 + a^2x^3 \\ & 4a^2x^3 - 2b^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) } & 9a^2b - 3xy - 15a^2b + 8xy - 5a^2b + 4xy \\ & -11a^2b - 9xy \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } & 5x - 15 + 8x = 7x - 5 \\ & 6x - 10 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) } & 2x - 4 - 3x + 7 = 4x \\ & -5x - 3 \end{aligned}$$