

## Chapter 5:

### Lesson 5 - Simplify Algebraic Expressions

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1. Find the number of terms, identify the like terms, coefficients and constants in each expression.

$$9 - z + 3 - 2z$$

Number of terms =

Like terms = and

Coefficients = and

Constants = and

2. Simplify each expression.

(a)  $12c - c =$

(b)  $-4j - 1 - 4j + 6 =$