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## Instructions:

• Show ALL your work as specified in the problem. You must show work in order to receive credit.

Factor each polynomial completely:

1) 
$$T^2 - 49$$

2) 
$$25x^2 - y^{16}$$

3) Factor the polynomial using the AC method:

$$2y^2 - 7y + 5$$

First split the middle term in the correct way:

Then factor by grouping: