

$$\begin{aligned}
41(3) \quad & x^2y + 4y^2z - 4y^3 - x^2z \\
&= (x^2y - x^2z) + (4y^2z - 4y^3) \\
&= x^2(y - z) - 4y^2(y - z) \\
&= (y - z)(x^2 - 4y^2) \\
&= (y - z)(x + 2y)(x - 2y) \quad (\text{答})
\end{aligned}$$

(別解)

$$\begin{aligned}
& x^2y + 4y^2z - 4y^3 - x^2z \\
&= x^2y - 4y^3 - x^2z + 4y^2z \\
&= y(x^2 - 4y^2) - z(x^2 - 4y^2) \\
&= (x^2 - 4y^2)(y - z) \\
&= (x + 2y)(x - 2y)(y - z) \quad (\text{答})
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
(4) \quad & a^2b - bc - a^4c + 2a^2c^2 - c^3 \\
&= (a^2b - bc) - a^4c + 2a^2c^2 - c^3 \\
&= b(a^2 - c) - c(a^4 - 2a^2c + c^2) \\
&= b(a^2 - c) - c\{(a^2)^2 - 2(a^2)(c) + (c)^2\} \\
&= b(a^2 - c) - c(a^2 - c)^2 \\
&= (a^2 - c)\{b - c(a^2 - c)\} \\
&= (a^2 - c)(b - a^2c + c^2) \quad (\text{答})
\end{aligned}$$