

Guiding Question: Can you use your knowledge of exponent rules to simplify exponential expressions?

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Warm-up: Complete the following problems in the space provided

<p>#1 When you Multiply Powers with the same base, the <u>base</u> stays the same and you <u>add</u> the exponents.</p> $y^3 \cdot y^1 \cdot y^4$ $y^8$	<p>#2 When you raise a Power to a Power, you <u>multiply</u> the exponents.</p> $(y^8)^5$ $y^{40}$	<p>#3 When you raise a Product to a Power, you <u>distribute</u> the exponents to each factor.</p> $(4x^3)^2$ $4^2 \cdot (x^3)^2$ $16x^6$
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<p>#4 When you Divide Powers with the same base, the <u>base</u> stays the same and you <u>subtract</u> the exponents.</p> $\frac{x^3}{x^6}$ $\frac{1}{x^3}$	<p>#5 When you raise a term to an Exponent of Zero the value is always <u>1</u>.</p> $(20x)^0 = 1$ $20x^0$ $20$	<p>#6 When a term is raised to a Negative Exponent, its position moves, and the exponent becomes <u>positive</u>.</p> $\frac{x^{-2}}{2} = \frac{1}{2x^2}$ $\frac{4}{x^{-3}} = \frac{4x^3}{1}$
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$$\frac{1}{x^3}$$

MUST KNOWS – EXPONENT RULES			
Multiplying Powers	Power to a Power	Product to a Power	Negative Exponents
$(a^m)(a^n) =$ $a^{m+n}$	$(a^m)^n =$ $a^{m \cdot n}$	$(a^m b^n)^p =$ $a^{m \cdot p} b^{n \cdot p}$	$a^{-m} =$ $\frac{1}{a^m}$
Dividing Powers	Quotient to a Power	Zero Exponent	Negative Exponents
$\frac{a^m}{a^n} =$ $a^{m-n}$	$\left(\frac{a^m}{b^n}\right)^p =$ $\left(\frac{a^{m \cdot p}}{b^{n \cdot p}}\right)$	$a^0 =$ $1$	$\frac{1}{a^{-m}} =$ $a^m$

$$\frac{1}{10} \neq \frac{10}{1}$$

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### Simplify the Exponential Expression

$$1) \quad \underline{2}x^3 \underline{y^1} \cdot \underline{7}x^1 \underline{y^{-3}}$$

$$\frac{14x^4}{y^2}$$

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$$2) (2x^0yz^{-3})^3$$

$$(2)^3 (y)^3 (z^{-3})^3$$

$$\frac{8y^3}{z^9}$$

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$$3) (4x^{-3}y^4)^{-2}$$

$$(4)^{-2} (x^{-3})^{-2} (y^4)^{-2}$$

$$4^{-2} x^6 y^{-8}$$

$$\frac{x^6}{4^2 y^8}$$

$$\frac{x^6}{16y^8}$$

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$$\frac{15x^0}{3x^{-2}}$$

$$\frac{5 \cdot \cancel{3} \cdot x^2}{\cancel{3}}$$
$$\boxed{5x^2}$$

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### Simplify the Exponential Expression

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5)

$$\left(\frac{3x^5}{2y^3}\right)^2$$

$$\frac{3^2 x^{10}}{2^2 y^6}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{9x^{10}}{4y^6}}$$

# 1. Start stations activity