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Warm up: Solve the exponents:

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$$\begin{array}{cccccc} 2^2 & 4 & 3^2 & 9 & 4^2 & 16 & 5^2 & 25 & 6^2 & 36 \\ 2^3 & 8 & 3^3 & 27 & 4^3 & 64 & 5^3 & 125 & 6^3 & 216 \\ 2^4 & 16 & 3^4 & 81 & 4^4 & 256 & 5^4 & 625 & 6^4 & 1296 \\ 2^5 & 32 & 3^5 & 243 & 4^5 & 1024 & 5^5 & 3125 & 6^5 & 7776 \end{array}$$

One-to-One property of Exponential Functions:

If 2 powers with the same base are equal, their exponents are equal.

$$b^x = b^y, \text{ then } x = y$$

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If the bases are not the same, we can rewrite one of the sides so that they do match.

1.

$$(3)^{3x} = (9)^{x+1}$$

$$3^{\underline{3x}} = 3^{\underline{2(x+1)}}$$

$$3x = 2(x+1)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x = x + 2 \\ -2x \quad -2x \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$x = 2$$

2.

$$(2)^{5x} = (8)^{\underline{3x+4}}$$

$$2^{\underline{5x}} = 2^{\underline{3(3x+4)}}$$

$$5x = 3(3x+4)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5x = 9x + 12 \\ -9x \quad -9x \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -4x = 12 \\ \frac{-4x}{-4} = \frac{12}{-4} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$x = -3$$

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3. $(256)^{2x-2} = (16)^{2x}$

$$(16)^{2(2x-2)} = 16^{2x}$$

$$2(2x-2) = 2x$$

$$\cancel{4x} - 4 = \cancel{2x}$$

5. $(2)^{4x+12} = (512)^8$

$$\frac{-4}{-2} = \frac{-4}{-2}x$$

$$x=2$$

4. $(3)^{5x+4} = (\cancel{81})^{11}$

$$3^{5x+4} = 3^{4(11)}$$

$$5x+4 = 4(11)$$

$$\cancel{5x} + 4 = \cancel{44}$$

6. $(36)^{2x+4} = (\cancel{1296})^{4x+11}$

$$36^{2x+4} = 36^{2(4x+11)}$$

$$2x+4 = 2(4x+11)$$

$$\cancel{2x} + 4 = 8x + 22$$

$$\cancel{4} = 6x + \cancel{22}$$

$$\frac{-18}{6} = \frac{6x}{6}$$

$$x=-3$$

Homework:

Complete worksheet