

**Exponent Rules Practice Quiz**

Fill in the table by finding the equivalent expression in the answer bank.

1. $5x^2$	$5 \cdot x \cdot x$
2. $(5x)^2$	$5 \cdot 5 \cdot x \cdot x$
3. $(4xy)^3$	$64x^3y^3$
4. $(3x^4)^2$	$3 \cdot 3 \cdot x^8$
5. $7x \cdot 7x \cdot 7x \cdot 7x$	$(7x)^4$
6. $7x^2y^2x^3y^2$	$7x^5y^4$

Answer Bank	
$64x^3y^3$	$5 \cdot x \cdot x$
$5 \cdot 5 \cdot x \cdot x$	$3 \cdot 3 \cdot x^8$
$(7x)^4$	$7x^5y^4$

Put the following expressions in simplest exponential form.

7.  $(ab)(ab)^2 = a \cdot b \cdot a \cdot b \cdot b = a^2b^3$       18.  $r^{7^5}$  when multiplying with like bases, add exponents =  $r^{12}$

8.  $9^{-3} = \frac{1}{9^3}$       19.  $(-4x^2y^4z^3)^0 = 1$

9.  $(4^2)^3 = (4 \cdot 4)(4 \cdot 4)(4 \cdot 4) = 4^6$   
 \* multiply exponents

20.  $\frac{x^2y^6}{x^4y^2} = x^{2-4}y^{6-2} = x^{-2}y^4 = \frac{1}{x^2} \cdot y^4 = \frac{y^4}{x^2}$

10.  $(-3x)^0$  Anything to the power of zero is 1!

21.  $x^{-5} = \frac{1}{x^5}$

11.  $\frac{t^7}{t^9} = \frac{t \cdot t \cdot t \cdot t \cdot t \cdot t \cdot t}{t \cdot t \cdot t \cdot t \cdot t \cdot t \cdot t \cdot t \cdot t} = \frac{1}{t^2}$

22.  $(p^4)^8 = p^{32}$

\* you have to remember there is still a 1 after you cancel the top.

12.  $(x^6)^7$  I could write this out, or I could use power to a power rule..

23.  $q^0 = 1$

13.  $a^2bc^3a^4c = a \cdot a \cdot b \cdot c \cdot c \cdot c \cdot a \cdot a \cdot a \cdot a \cdot c = a^6bc^4$

24.  $x^{11}x^3x^1 = x^{15}$

14.  $(j^9)^2 = j^{18}$   
 \* power to a power... multiply exponents.

25.  $\frac{x^3}{x} = x^2$

15.  $\frac{a^9b^7}{a^2b^5} = a^{9-2}b^{7-5} = a^7b^2$   
 \* I could use rule & subtract.

26.  $(3x^2)^{-2} = \frac{1}{(3x^2)^2} = \frac{1}{3^2x^4} = \frac{1}{9x^4}$

16.  $3^0 = 1$   
 \* zero power

27.  $(10^9)^3 = 10^{27}$

17.  $(xy)^0 = 1$   
 \* zero power

28.  $\frac{x^2y^8}{x^9y^{11}} = x^{-7}y^{-3} = \frac{1}{x^7} \cdot \frac{1}{y^3} = \frac{1}{x^7y^3}$