

Results for 4111
(Comp + Syn Exam)

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90's - 5

80's - 3

70's - 4

60's - 3

↓ 60 - 4

Exponents + Radicals

$$3^2$$

← exponent
base

$$(-2)^3 = (-2)(-2)(-2) = -2^3$$

$$(-2)^4 = 2^4$$

* If the exponent applying to a negative base is

(i) even → then result will be positive

(ii) odd → then result will be negative

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

$$(-x)^5 = -x^5$$

$$-x^2 = -x^2$$

* The base can be a letter or a number

e.g.

$$3^8$$

base

$$y^8$$

base

$$3y^8$$

← exponent only applies to y.
coefficient base

First Law of Exponents

$$a^m \cdot a^n = a^{m+n}$$

e.g. $x^2 \cdot x^3 = x^5$

$$x \cdot x \quad x \cdot x \cdot x = x^5$$

e.g. s. ① $t^5 \cdot t^3 = t^8$

② $2^3 \cdot 2^4 \cdot 2^1 = 2^8$

③ $(-x)^3 \cdot (-x)^6 = (-x)^9 = -x^9$

④ $y^{\frac{1}{2} \cdot 3} \cdot y^{\frac{1}{3} \cdot 2} =$

$$y^{\frac{3}{2}} \cdot y^{\frac{2}{3}} = \boxed{y^{\frac{5}{6}}}$$

⑤ $\underline{-4z^3} \cdot \underline{3z^4} = -12z^7$

↑ ↗
Multiply
Coefficients
in regular way

⑥ $(-3)^3 \cdot 3^7 =$

$$-3^3 \cdot 3^7 =$$

$$\underline{(-1)3^3} \cdot \underline{3^7} = -3^{10}$$

Second Law of Exponents

$$a^m / a^n = a^{m-n}$$

c.g. ① $\frac{x^5}{x^3} = \frac{\cancel{x} \cdot \cancel{x} \cdot \cancel{x} \cdot x \cdot x}{\cancel{x} \cdot \cancel{x} \cdot \cancel{x}} = x^2$

② $\frac{y^2}{y^6} = y^{2-6} = y^{-4} = \frac{1}{y^4} = \left(\frac{1}{y}\right)^4$

③ $\frac{3x^{-2}}{6x^3} = \frac{1x^{-2-3}}{2} = \frac{1}{2x^5} = \frac{1}{2x^5}$

④ $\frac{9^{3/2}}{9^{5/2}} = 9^{3/2 - 5/2} = 9^{-1} = \frac{1}{9}$

$$\frac{3 \cdot 4}{3 \cdot 4} = \frac{1 \cdot 3}{4 \cdot 3}$$

$$\frac{8}{12} - \frac{3}{12} = \frac{5}{12}$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad \frac{3^4}{3^4} = 3^{4-4} = 3^0 = 1$$

$$\textcircled{6} \quad \frac{2x^8}{6x^6} = \frac{1x^2}{3} = \frac{x^2}{3}$$

$$\textcircled{7} \quad \frac{2x^6}{6x^8} = \frac{1}{3x^2}$$

Third Law of Exponents

$$a^{-m} = \frac{1}{a^m}$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad a^{-2} = \frac{1}{a^2}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \frac{x^3}{x^7} = x^{3-7} = x^{-4} = \frac{1}{x^4}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad 3^{-2} = \frac{1}{3^2}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad \left(\frac{1}{7}\right)^{-4} = 7^4$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)^{-4}$$

$$(-3)^4 = 3^4$$

$$\frac{5}{3} \cdot \frac{5}{3} \cdot \frac{5}{3}$$

$$\textcircled{6} \quad \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^{-3} = \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^3 = \frac{5^3}{3^3}$$

$$\textcircled{7} \quad 4x^{-4} = \frac{4}{x^4}$$

Which of the following statements is true?

a) $3^{-1} = -3$

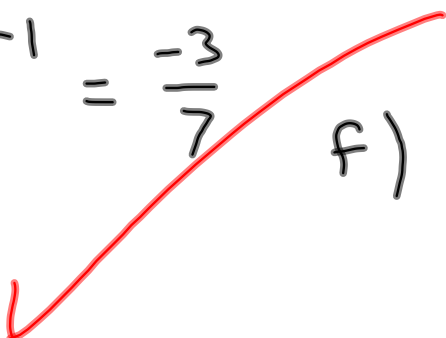
d) $\left(\frac{-5}{4}\right)^{-2} = \frac{-16}{25}$

b) $(-2)^{-1} = 2$

T e) $\left(\frac{-2}{5}\right)^{-3} = \frac{-125}{8}$

c) $\left(\frac{7}{3}\right)^{-1} = \frac{-3}{7}$

f) $(-1)^{-1} = 1$


$$\left(\frac{-2}{5}\right)^{-3} = \left(\frac{-5}{2}\right)^3 = \left(\frac{-5}{2}\right)\left(\frac{-5}{2}\right)\left(\frac{-5}{2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{-5^3}{2^3} = \frac{-125}{8}$$

⑧

$$\frac{x^{-4}}{x^{-9}} = \frac{x^9}{x^4} = x^5$$

$x^{-4+9} = x^5$

⑨

$$y \cdot y^{-4}$$

$$= \frac{y}{y^4} = \frac{1}{y^3}$$

OR

$$y^1 \cdot y^{-4}$$

$$\hookrightarrow y^{-3} = \frac{1}{y^3}$$

Fourth Law of Exponents

$$a^0 = 1$$

e.g. $5^0 = 1$ $(-3)^0 = 1$

$$x^0 = 1$$

$$-3^0 = -1$$

$$\frac{5^4}{5^4} = 5^{4-4}$$
$$= 5^0 = 1$$

$$-1(3^0) = -1$$

You try :

$$\textcircled{1} \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^5 \cdot \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^{-7} = \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^{-2} = \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^2 = \frac{5^2}{3^2}$$

$$\textcircled{2} x^3 \cdot x^{\frac{1}{3}} = x^{3\frac{1}{3}} = x^{\frac{10}{3}}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \boxed{3}x^{-4} \cdot \boxed{5}x^3 = 15x^{-1} = \frac{15}{x}$$

$$\textcircled{4} (-2)^{\frac{3}{4}} \cdot (-2)^{\frac{5}{4}} = (-2)^{\frac{8}{4}} = (-2)^2 = 2^2$$

$$\textcircled{5} \underline{4}x^4 \cdot \underline{1}x^{-5} \cdot \underline{3}x^1 = 12\underbrace{x^0}_{=1} = 12$$

$$\textcircled{6} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)y^3 \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)y^2 \cdot \left(6\right)y^{-5} = \frac{-1}{2}y^0 = \frac{-1}{2}$$
$$\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(\frac{6}{1}\right) = \frac{-2}{4} = \frac{-1}{2}$$

$$\textcircled{7} \frac{(-y)^6}{(-y)^3} = (-y)^3 = -y^3$$

$$\textcircled{8} \frac{\cancel{3}t^{\frac{5}{3}}}{\cancel{6}t^{\frac{2}{3}}} = \frac{1t^{\frac{5}{3}-\frac{2}{3}}}{2} = \frac{t^{\frac{3}{3}}}{2} = \left(\frac{t}{2}\right)$$

Fifth Law of Exponents

$$(a^m)^n = a^{m \cdot n}$$

e.g.s ① $(3^4)^5 = 3^{20}$

② $-2(t^3)^4 = -2t^{12}$

③ $((-2)^2)^{-2}$

$(2^2)^{-2} = 2^{-4} = \frac{1}{2^4}$

Illegal to
leave
negative
exponent!

④ $-(7^2)^3 = -7^6$

⑤ $(-7^2)^3 = -7^6$

⑥ $(-7^2)^4 = 7^8$

Sixth Law of Exponents

$$(abc)^m = a^m b^m c^m$$

eg. ① $(abc)^2 = a^2 b^2 c^2$

② $(b^3 x^2)^4 = b^{12} x^8$

③ $(2x^3 y^{\frac{1}{4}})^4 = 2^4 x^{12} y$

④ $(a^3 b^{-2})^2 = a^6 b^{-4} = \frac{a^6}{b^4}$

⑤ $(-a^3 b)^3 = -a^9 b^3$

⑥ $(-x^3 b^4)^2 = x^6 b^8$

⑦ $(3a^3 2b^{-3} 3c^2)^{-3}$
 $3^{-3} a^{-9} 2^{-3} b^9 3^{-3} c^{-6}$

$$= \frac{b^9}{\underline{3^3} a^9 \underline{2^3} 3^3 c^6}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{b^9}{2^3 3^6 a^9 c^6}}$$

GAGA

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$$\begin{aligned} & (\text{RAH})^2(\text{AH})^3 + \\ & [\text{ROMA}(1+\text{MA})] + \\ & (\text{GA})^2 + (\text{OOH})(\text{LA})^2 \end{aligned}$$

Seventh Law

$$\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^m = \frac{a^m}{b^m}$$

eg. ① $\left(\frac{a^2}{b}\right)^4 = \frac{a^8}{b^4}$

② $\left(\frac{2x^3}{3b^2}\right)^4 = \frac{2^4 x^{12}}{3^4 b^8}$

③ $\left(\frac{a^{-3}}{b^2}\right)^{-4} = \frac{a^{12}}{b^{-8}} = a^{12} b^8$

④ $\left[\frac{x^3}{(-y)^5}\right]^3 = \frac{x^9}{(-y)^{15}} = \frac{x^9}{-y^{15}}$
 $= \frac{-x^9}{y^{15}}$

Bases

2

$$\begin{aligned} 2^2 &= 4 \\ 2^3 &= 8 \\ 2^4 &= 16 \\ 2^5 &= 32 \\ 2^6 &= 64 \\ 2^7 &= 128 \\ 2^8 &= 256 \end{aligned}$$

3

$$\begin{aligned} 3^2 &= 9 \\ 3^3 &= 27 \\ 3^4 &= 81 \\ 3^5 &= 243 \end{aligned}$$

5

$$\begin{aligned} 5^2 &= 25 \\ 5^3 &= 125 \\ 5^4 &= 625 \end{aligned}$$

6

$$6^2 = 36$$

7

$$7^2 = 49$$

Convert each expression to one
with a single base:

$$\textcircled{1} (3 \cdot 27^3)^4$$

$$(3 \cdot (3^3)^3)^4$$

$$(3^1 \cdot 3^9)^4$$

$$(3^{10})^4 = 3^{40}$$

$$\textcircled{2} (2 \cdot 32^2)^3$$

$$(2 \cdot (2^5)^2)^3$$

$$(2 \cdot 2^{10})^3$$

$$(2^{11})^3 = 2^{33}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \left(\textcircled{16}^3 \cdot \textcircled{32}^2 \right)^4$$

$$\left(\left(2^4 \right)^3 \cdot \left(2^5 \right)^2 \right)^4$$

$$\left(2^{12} \cdot 2^{10} \right)^4$$

$$\left(2^{22} \right)^4 = 2^{88}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad (3^4 \cdot 27^2)^{-2}$$

$$(3^4 \cdot (3^3)^2)^{-2}$$

$$(3^4 \cdot 3^6)^{-2}$$

$$(3^{10})^{-2}$$

$$3^{-20} = \frac{1}{3^{20}}$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad (8^2 \cdot 32^3 \cdot 5^2)^2$$

$$((2^3)^2 \cdot (2^5)^3 \cdot 5^2)^2$$

$$(2^6 \cdot 2^{15} \cdot 5^2)^2$$

$$(2^{21} \cdot 5^2)^2$$

$$2^{42} 5^4$$

$$\textcircled{5} \left[\left(\frac{1}{3} \right)^2 \cdot \frac{1}{9} \right]^3$$

$$\left[(3^{-1})^2 \cdot 3^{-2} \right]^3$$

$$\left[3^{-2} \cdot 3^{-2} \right]^3$$

$$(3^{-4})^3$$

$$3^{-12} = \frac{1}{3^{12}}$$

$$⑦ \quad (16^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot 32^{\frac{1}{4}})^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\left((2^4)^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot (2^5)^{\frac{1}{4}} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\left(2^2 \cdot 2^{\frac{5}{4}} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$2^{\frac{2}{3}} \cdot 2^{\frac{5}{12}} = \boxed{2^{\frac{13}{12}}}$$

$$\frac{2 \cdot 4}{3 \cdot 4} + \frac{5}{12}$$

$$\frac{8}{12} + \frac{5}{12}$$

$$\frac{13}{12}$$