

Math 9 Section 1.7 – Exponent Rules Part 2

Homework: Section 1.7 on Pg. 40; 1all,2-3 right, 5-6 right, 8left, 10-11left – Answers on Pg. 364

Write the following in repeated factor form, then as a single exponential. What do you notice?

$$(2^2)^3 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} = \underline{\hspace{4cm}} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

Power of a Power Rule:

When we raise an exponential to another power, we _____ the powers and keep the _____ the same.

For example, write as a single exponential:

$$(4^5)^4 =$$

$$((-2)^4)^{10} =$$

Write the following in repeated factor form, then as a single exponential. What do you notice?

$$(4 \times 6)^2 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} = \underline{\hspace{4cm}} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

Power of a Product Rule:

When we raise a product (multiplication) to a power, we can take each part of the _____ and raise it to the same _____.

For example, simplify to a product of exponential(s):

$$(8 \times 7)^5 =$$

$$(8^3 \times 7^2)^5 =$$

$$(8 + 7)^5 =$$

Write the following in repeated factor form, then as a single exponential. What do you notice?

$$\left(\frac{7}{8}\right)^3 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

Power of a Quotient Rule:



When we raise a product (division) to a power, we can take the _____ as well as the _____ and raise both to the same _____.

For example, simplify to a fraction:

$$\left(\frac{5}{12}\right)^3 =$$

$$\left(\frac{2^3}{3^2}\right)^4 =$$

All of these are **WRONG!!** Explain **why** and **fix** the mistakes!

$$2^3 \times 2^4 = 4^{3+4} = 4^7$$

$$5^3 \times 5^4 = 5^{3 \times 4} = 5^{12}$$

$$\frac{3^8}{3^2} = 1^{8-2} = 1^6$$

$$\frac{9^6}{9^2} = 9^{6 \div 2} = 9^3$$

$$8^0 = 0$$

$$(6 + 7)^4 = 6^4 + 7^4$$

$$(3^4)^9 = 3^{13}$$

$$\left(\frac{5}{7}\right)^3 = \frac{5^3}{7}$$