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Main Ideas/Questions Notes/Examples

POWERS OF MONOMIALS

To raise a monomial to a power, use the **POWER RULE**: $(x^a)^b = x^{ab}$

NUMERICAL BASES

Directions: Simplify. Express your final answers using only positive exponents.

1. $(8^2)^5$
 8^{10}

2. $(-15^6)^3$
 $(-15)^{18}$

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

4. $(2^4)^{-2}$
 $2^{-8} = \frac{1}{2^8}$

5. $(10^{-3})^{-7}$
 10^{21}

6. $(3^3)^{-1}$
 $3^{-3} = \frac{1}{3^3}$

VARIABLE BASES

7. $(x^9)^3$
 x^{27}

8. $(a^2)^7$
 a^{14}

9. $(k^4)^{-5}$
 k^{-20}

10. $(cd^2)^4$
 $c^4 d^8$

11. $(m^{-2}n^8)^3$
 $m^{-6}n^{24}$
 $= \frac{n^{24}}{m^6}$

12. $(x^{-4}y^{-2})^{-7}$
 $x^{28}y^{14}$

> **Examples with Coefficients:**

- Raise the coefficient to the given power.
- SIMPLIFY the variables with the power rule.

13. $(3x^7)^2$
 $3^2 x^{7 \cdot 2} = 9x^{14}$

14. $(5n^4)^3$
 $5^3 n^{4 \cdot 3} = 125n^{12}$

15. $(10x^7)^2$
 $100x^{14}$

16. $(4w^{-7})^4$
 $256w^{-28} = \frac{256}{w^{28}}$

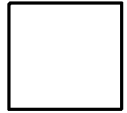
	<p>17. $(2p^2q^5)^6$</p> $64p^{12}q^{30}$	<p>18. $(-7a^8b^3)^2$</p> $49a^{16}b^6$
	<p>19. $(4c^{-9}d^2)^2$</p> $16c^{-18}d^4 = \frac{16d^4}{c^{18}}$	<p>20. $(-3m^{-2}n^{-5})^3$</p> $-27m^{-6}n^{-15} = \frac{-27}{m^6n^{15}}$
	<p>21. $(5k^6)^{-2}$</p> $5^{-2}k^{-12} = \frac{1}{25k^{12}}$	<p>22. $(2a^5b^{-2})^{-4}$</p> $2^{-4}a^{-20}b^8 = \frac{b^8}{16a^{20}}$
MIXED PRACTICE	<p>23. $(6w^8)^2 \cdot 5w^3$</p> $36w^{16} \cdot 5w^3 = 180w^{19}$	<p>24. $(-4a^2)^3 \cdot 2a^7$</p> $-64a^6 \cdot 2a^7 = -128a^{13}$
	<p>25. $(5p^4 \cdot 3p^3)^2$</p> $(15p^7)^2 = 225p^{14}$	<p>26. $(x^{-8}y^{-2} \cdot x^3y^9)^4$</p> $(x^{-5}y^7)^4 = x^{-20}y^{28} = \frac{y^{28}}{x^{20}}$
	<p>27. $\frac{56k^{28}}{(-2k^8)^3}$</p> $\frac{56k^{28}}{-8k^{24}} = -7k^4$	<p>28. $\frac{(12c^3d^7)^2}{18c^8d^{10}}$</p> $\frac{144c^6d^{14}}{18c^8d^{10}} = 8c^{-2}d^4 = \frac{8d^4}{c^2}$
	<p>29. $40m^6n^{21} + (-4m^2n^7)^3$</p> $40m^6n^{21} - 64m^6n^{21} = -24m^6n^{21}$	<p>30. $(4a^8b^2)^3 - (3a^{12}b^3)^2$</p> $64a^{24}b^6 - 9a^{24}b^6 = 55a^{24}b^6$

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Homework 7: Powers of Monomials



Directions: Simplify the following monomials. Express final answers using only positive exponents.

1. $(5^4)^3$
 5^{12}

2. $(-8^2)^9$
 $(-8)^{18}$

3. $(2^2)^{-3}$
 $2^{-6} = \frac{1}{2^6}$

4. $(m^9)^4$
 m^{36}

5. $(k^{-5})^2$
 $k^{-10} = \frac{1}{k^{10}}$

6. $(r^2s^{-1})^{-6}$
 $r^{-12}s^6 = \frac{s^6}{r^{12}}$

7. $(10x^7)^2$
 $100x^{14}$

8. $(-3n^5)^3$
 $-27n^{15}$

9. $(2v^{-6})^5$
 $32v^{-30} = \frac{32}{v^{30}}$

10. $(4c^2d^7)^4$
 $256c^8d^{28}$

11. $(-6p^5q^{-8})^4$
 $1296p^{20}q^{-32} = \frac{1296p^{20}}{q^{32}}$

12. $(5a^{-1}b^4)^{-3}$
 $\frac{1}{125}a^3b^{12} = \frac{a^3b^{12}}{125}$

13. $(2v^8)^3 \cdot -7v^5$
 $8v^{24} \cdot -7v^5$
 $-56v^{29}$

14. $\frac{3}{4}x^{10} \cdot (8x^3)^2$
 $\frac{3}{4}x^{10} \cdot 64x^6 = 48x^{16}$

15. $(-3m^{10} \cdot 4m^{-6})^2$
 $(-12m^4)^2 = 144m^8$

16. $(c^3d^{-1} \cdot cd^{-7})^{-2}$
 $(c^4d^{-8})^{-2} = c^{-8}d^{16}$
 $= \frac{d^{16}}{c^8}$

17. $\frac{(-4h^9)^2}{24h^4} \cdot \frac{16h^{18}}{24h^4} = \frac{2}{3}h^{14}$
 $= \frac{2h^{14}}{3}$

18. $\frac{27r^9s^{15}}{(3r^2s^5)^4} = \frac{27r^9s^{15}}{81r^8s^{20}}$
 $= \frac{1}{3}rs^{-5} = \frac{r}{3s^5}$

19. $(7p^8q^3)^3 - 132p^{24}q^9$
 $343p^{24}q^9 - 132p^{24}q^9$
 $211p^{24}q^9$

20. $(-8x^9y^6)^2 + (4x^6y^4)^3$
 $64x^{18}y^{12} + 64x^{18}y^{12}$
 $128x^{18}y^{12}$