

Write in expanded form and using exponents (simplify).

Ex. 1:  $\underline{2^4} \cdot \underline{2^3}$

$$2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 = 2^7$$

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Ex. 2:  $\underline{7^6} \cdot \underline{7^1}$

$$7 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 = 7^7$$

$$49 \cdot 49 \cdot 49 \cdot 7 = 823,543$$

Ex. 3:  $\underline{r^4} \cdot \underline{r^6}$

$$r \cdot r \cdot r \cdot r \cdot r \cdot r \cdot r \cdot r \cdot r \cdot r = r^{10}$$

Ex. 4:  $\underline{c^3} \cdot \underline{c^5}$

$$c \cdot c \cdot c \cdot c \cdot c \cdot c \cdot c = c^8$$

Expanded

stretch out

Simplify, Evaluate

Find the answer

Any # Bases

that have an  
EXPONENT

of 4 or smaller  
we need to  
evaluate.

Simplify.

Ex. 5:  $-7x^2 \cdot 11x^4$

$$-7 \cdot 11 \cdot x^2 \cdot x^4$$

$$\underline{-77x^6}$$

Ex. 6:  $-2m \cdot (-8m^5)$

$$-2 \cdot -8 \cdot m^1 \cdot m^5$$

$$\underline{16m^6}$$

Ex. 7:  $(-3)^8 \underline{x^5} y^2 \underline{x^7}$

$$\underline{3^8 x^{12} y^2}$$

① Show multiplication

② Regroup

③ Multiply BIG #s

④ Simplify common bases

If ( - ) Exponent

→ If exp even → +

→ If exp odd → -

Would the coefficient be positive or negative?

# in front

**Multiplication Rule:**

If there are common bases being multiplied, then keep the base &amp; add the exponent.

$$x^{17} \cdot x^{35} = x^{17+35} = \underline{x^{52}}$$

Simplify.

Ex. 8:  $\underline{b^4} \cdot \underline{gb^5}$

$$b^9 g$$

Ex. 9:  $(\underline{3cb^5})(\underline{-2b^4e})$

$$3 \cdot -2 \cdot b^5 \cdot b^4 \cdot c \cdot e$$

$$\underline{-6b^9ce}$$

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$$\text{Ex. 10: } \frac{3^7}{3^3} = \frac{\cancel{3} \cdot \cancel{3} \cdot \cancel{3} \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3}{\cancel{3} \cdot \cancel{3} \cdot \cancel{3}}$$

$$\frac{3^4}{1} = 3^4 = 81$$

$$\text{Ex. 11: } \frac{4^8}{4^2} = \frac{\cancel{4} \cdot \cancel{4} \cdot 4 \cdot 4 \cdot 4 \cdot 4 \cdot 4 \cdot 4}{\cancel{4} \cdot \cancel{4}}$$

$$\frac{4^6}{1} = 4^6$$

$$\frac{2}{2} = 1$$

$$\text{Ex. 12: } \frac{n^9}{n^4} = \frac{\cancel{n} \cdot \cancel{n} \cdot \cancel{n} \cdot \cancel{n} \cdot \cancel{n} \cdot \cancel{n} \cdot \cancel{n} \cdot n \cdot n}{\cancel{n} \cdot \cancel{n} \cdot \cancel{n} \cdot \cancel{n}}$$

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

$$\frac{x}{x} = 1$$

$$\frac{n^5}{1} = n^5$$

### Division Rule:

If you have common bases in a fraction, then keep the base & subtract the exp

$$\frac{a^{98}}{a^{40}} = a^{98-40} = a^{58}$$

Top exp - Bottom exp

Simplify.

$$\text{Ex. 13: } \frac{12g^6}{3g^5} = \boxed{4g}$$

- ① Simplify the BIG #s  
 ② Simplify common bases

$$\text{Ex. 14: } \frac{18x^8y^5}{2x^2y^1} = \boxed{9x^6y^4}$$

$$\text{Ex. 15: } \frac{6^5 \cdot 5^7}{6^2 \cdot 5} = \textcircled{6^3 \cdot 5^6}$$

$$\text{Ex. 16: } \frac{3gh^4}{2h^1} = \frac{3gh^3}{2} = \textcircled{\frac{3gh^3}{2}}$$