

LESSON Practice A
Integer Exponents

Simplify.

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

2. $2^{-4} = \frac{1}{2^4} = \frac{1}{\quad \cdot \quad \cdot \quad \cdot \quad} = \frac{1}{\quad}$

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

4. $(-1)^{-5} = \frac{1}{(\quad)^5} = \frac{1}{\quad \cdot \quad \cdot \quad \cdot \quad \cdot \quad} = \frac{1}{\quad} = \underline{\quad}$

5. $-(7.2)^0$ _____

6. $(4)^{-3}$ _____

Evaluate each expression for the given value(s) of the variable(s).

7. x^{-2} for $x = 3$

8. $m^0 n^{-3}$ for $m = 2$ and $n = 3$

9. $5r^{-4}$ for $r = -2$

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

$(\quad)^0 (\quad)^{-3} = (\quad) \cdot \frac{1}{(\quad)^3}$
= _____

$5(\quad)^{-4} = 5 \cdot \frac{1}{(\quad)^4}$
= $5 \cdot \frac{1}{\quad \cdot \quad \cdot \quad \cdot \quad}$
= $5 \cdot \frac{1}{\quad} =$

Simplify.

10. $4x^{-3}$ _____

11. $\frac{5}{b^{-2}}$ _____

12. $\frac{m^3 n^{-4}}{p^0}$ _____

13. $\frac{k^{-4}}{2}$ _____

14. $\frac{f^4}{g^{-1}}$ _____

15. $\frac{r^6 t^0}{s^{-2}}$ _____

16. The weight of a silver charm is 2^{-2} grams.
Evaluate this expression. _____

17. There are about 10^4 different species of birds
on Earth. Just over 10^3 of them are threatened.
Evaluate both expressions. _____

LESSON Practice B
Integer Exponents

Simplify.

1. $5^{-3} = \frac{1}{5^3} = \frac{1}{125}$

2. $2^{-6} = \frac{1}{2^6} = \frac{1}{64}$

3. $(-5)^{-2} = \frac{1}{(-5)^2} = \frac{1}{25}$

4. $-(4)^{-3} = -\frac{1}{4^3} = -\frac{1}{64}$

5. $-6^0 = -1$

6. $(7)^{-2} = \frac{1}{7^2} = \frac{1}{49}$

Evaluate each expression for the given value(s) of the variable(s).

7. d^{-3} for $d = -2$

8. a^5b^{-6} for $a = 3$ and $b = 2$

9. $(b - 4)^{-2}$ for $b = 1$

10. $5z^{-x}$ for $z = -3$ and $x = 2$

11. $(5z)^{-x}$ for $z = -3$ and $x = 2$

12. $c^{-3} (16^{-2})$ for $c = 4$

Simplify.

13. t^{-4}

14. $3r^{-5}$

15. $\frac{s^{-3}}{t^{-5}}$

16. $\frac{h^0}{3}$

17. $\frac{2x^{-3}y^{-2}}{z^4}$

18. $\frac{4fg^{-5}}{5h^{-3}}$

19. $\frac{14a^{-4}}{20bc^{-1}}$

20. $\frac{a^4c^2e^0}{b^{-1}d^{-3}}$

21. $\frac{-3g^{-2}hk^{-2}}{-6h^0}$

22. A cooking website claims to contain 10^5 recipes.
Evaluate this expression.

23. A ball bearing has diameter 2^{-3} inches.
Evaluate this expression.