

# Test Outline

## Unit 2: Powers and the Exponent Laws



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Study Guide

### Powers

- Base
- Exponent
- Repeated Multiplication
- The Zero Exponent
- Powers of ten
- Expanded form to Standard form and vice versa

### Order of Operations

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### Exponent Laws

- Product of Powers
- Quotient of Powers
- Power of a Power
- Power of a Product
- Power of a Quotient

## Exponent Laws

## 1) Zero Rule

-Anything raised to the exponent of zero is 1

$$(-5)^0 = 1 \quad \text{or} \quad (x)^0 = 1$$

## 2) Product of Powers Rule

When you multiply like bases you add the exponents

$$(2)^3 \times (2)^5 = (2)^8 \quad \text{or} \quad (a)^m \times (a)^n = (a)^{m+n}$$

## 3) Quotient Rule

When you divide like bases you Subtract the exponents

$$\frac{(-4)^7}{(-4)^5} = (-4)^2 \quad \text{or} \quad (a)^m \div (a)^n = (a)^{m-n}$$

## 4) Power to a Power Rule

With a power to a power we multiply exponents

$$(2^5)^3 = (2)^{15} \quad \text{or} \quad (a^m)^n = (a)^{mn}$$

## 5) Power of Product Rule

With a power of products we multiply exponents

$$[(5^5) \times (6^4)]^3 = 5^{15} \times 6^{12}$$

$$\text{or} \quad [(a^m) \times (b^n)]^p = (a)^{mp} \times (b)^{np}$$

## 6) Power of Quotient Rule

With a power of quotient we multiply exponents

$$\left[ \frac{(-3)^6}{(5)^3} \right]^2 = \frac{(-3)^{12}}{(5)^6}$$

$$\begin{aligned} d) \quad & \left[ \frac{(-2)^7 \times (-2)^8}{(-2)^6 \times (-2)^5} \right]^2 = \left[ \frac{(-2)^{15}}{(-2)^{11}} \right]^2 \\ & = \left[ (-2)^4 \right]^2 \\ & = (-2)^8 \\ & = 256 \end{aligned}$$

Simplify using laws exponents, then evaluate

$$\left[ (-3)^3 \times (-3)^1 \right]^2 + \left[ (2)^7 \div (2)^4 \right]^2 + \left[ (5)^3 - 5^2 \right]$$

$$\left[ (-3)^4 \right]^2 + \left[ (2)^3 \right]^2$$

$$\left[ -3 \right]^8 + (2)^6 + \left[ (5)^3 - 5^2 \right]$$

$$+ 125 - 25$$

$$6561 + 64 + 100$$

$$6725$$

*SIMPLIFY, THEN EVALUATE*

$$\left(\frac{6^8}{6^5}\right)^4$$
$$\frac{(9^6)^5 \times (9^7)^6}{(9^{11} \times 9^5)^4 \times 9^8}$$

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SIMPLIFY, THEN EVALUATE

$$\left(\frac{6^8}{6^5}\right)^4$$

$$(6^3)^4$$

$$(6^{12})$$

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OR

$$\frac{(9^6)^5 \times (9^7)^6}{(9^{11} \times 9^5)^4 \times 9^8}$$

$$\frac{(9^{30}) \times (9^{42})}{(9^{16})^4 \times 9^8}$$

$$\frac{(9^{30}) \times (9^{42})}{(9^{64}) \times 9^8}$$

$$\frac{9^{72}}{9^{72}}$$

$$9^0$$

$$1$$

$$\left(\frac{6^8}{6^5}\right)^4$$

$$\left(\frac{6^{32}}{6^{20}}\right)$$

$$(6^{12})$$

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# Class/Homework

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Complete the following review questions:

1	13 ad,	23 bd,
3	14,	24,
7a,	17,	26,
8abc,	18 bc,	27,
9,	19,	
10a	20 ac,	
12,		

And

Practice test

Page 90 all questions

If you finish this there is a simplifying worksheet that you can work on:

