

**61.** Simplify  $(\frac{1}{2x^2})^{-3}$ .

a.  $6x^6$

b.  $8x^6$

c.  $\frac{1}{6x^6}$

d.  $\frac{3}{8x^5}$

e.  $\frac{1}{8x^5}$

**63.** Simplify  $36^{\frac{-3}{2}}$ .

- a. -6
- b. -216
- c. -12
- d.  $\frac{1}{216}$
- e.  $-\frac{1}{216}$

**8.** The product  $(2x^4y)(3x^5y^8)$  is equivalent to:

**F.**  $5x^9y^9$

**G.**  $6x^9y^8$

**H.**  $6x^9y^9$

**J.**  $5x^{20}y^8$

**K.**  $6x^{20}y^8$

**17.** Simplify  $-(6x^4y^3)^2$ .

a.  $-36x^6y^5$

b.  $36x^2y$

c.  $-36x^8y^6$

d.  $36x^8y^4$

e.  $-36xy$

**4.** Which of the following is equivalent to  $(4x^2)^3$  ?

**F.**  $64x^8$

**G.**  $64x^6$

**H.**  $12x^6$

**J.**  $12x^5$

**K.**  $4x^6$

**22.** For all  $a > 1$ , the expression  $\frac{3a^4}{3a^6}$  equals:

F.  $\frac{1}{2}$

G.  $-a^2$

H.  $a^2$

J.  $-\frac{1}{a^2}$

K.  $\frac{1}{a^2}$

**35.**  $(3x^3)^3$  is equivalent to:

- A.**  $x$
- B.**  $9x^6$
- C.**  $9x^9$
- D.**  $27x^6$
- E.**  $27x^9$

50. If  $x = 3^a$  and  $y = 3^{-a}$  then what is  $y$  in terms of  $x$ ?

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- F → F.  $y = \frac{1}{x}$   
G.  $y = -\frac{1}{x}$   
H.  $y = \frac{3}{x}$   
J.  $y = -x$   
K.  $y = x^{-3}$

$$x = 3^a \quad y = 3^{-a}$$

$\log_3 x = a$  and  $\log_3 y = -a$  or  $-\log_3 y = a$

Set the two equal to each other

$$\log_3 x = -\log_3 y \text{ or } \log_3 x + \log_3 y = 0$$

$\log_3 xy = 0$  becomes  $3^0 = xy$  when converted  
 $1 = xy \therefore y = \frac{1}{x}$

29. If  $a$ ,  $b$ , and  $c$  are positive integers such that  $a^b = x$  and  $c^b = y$ , then  $xy = ?$

- A.  $ac^b$
- B.  $ac^{2b}$
- C.  $(ac)^b$
- D.  $(ac)^{2b}$
- E.  $(ac)^{b^2}$

8. For all  $a$  and  $b$ ,  $3a^2b^3(2a^3b^3) = ?$

- F.  $5a^5b^6$
- G.  $5a^6b^9$
- H.  $6a^2b^3$
- J.  $6a^5b^6$  ←
- K.  $6a^6b^9$

Multiply  $3a^2b^3(2a^3b^3) =$   
 $6a^5b^6$

**25.** The expression  $-8x^3(7x^6 - 3x^5)$  is equivalent to:

- A.**  $-56x^9 + 24x^8$
- B.**  $-56x^9 - 24x^8$
- C.**  $-56x^{18} + 24x^{15}$
- D.**  $-56x^{18} - 24x^{15}$
- E.**  $-32x^4$

41. For positive real numbers  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$ , which of the following expressions is equivalent to  $x^{\frac{1}{2}}y^{\frac{2}{3}}z^{\frac{5}{6}}$ ?

A.  $\sqrt[3]{xy^2z^3}$

B.  $\sqrt[6]{xy^2z^5}$

C.  $\sqrt[6]{x^3y^2z^5}$

D.  $\sqrt[6]{x^3y^4z^5}$

E.  $\sqrt[11]{xy^2z^5}$

**20.** Simplify  $\sqrt[3]{16x^5y^4}$ .

f.  $2xy\sqrt[3]{2x^2y}$

g.  $8x^2y$

h.  $8xy\sqrt[3]{2}$

i.  $2xy\sqrt[3]{xy}$

j.  $4x^2y^2\sqrt[3]{x}$