



1. The base in the term  $6^5$  is

- (i) -5 (ii) 5 (iii) -6 (iv) 3 (v) 6

2. The exponent in the term  $9^5$  is

- (i) 9 (ii) -5 (iii) 5 (iv) 2 (v) -9

3. The power in the term  $5^7$  is

- (i) 5 (ii) 4 (iii) -5 (iv) -7 (v) 7

4. The base in the term  $\left(\frac{8}{5}\right)^5$  is

- (i)  $\frac{6}{5}$  (ii) -5 (iii) 5 (iv)  $\left(\frac{-8}{5}\right)$  (v)  $\frac{8}{5}$

5. The exponent in the term  $\left(\frac{9}{7}\right)^6$  is

- (i) -6 (ii)  $\frac{9}{7}$  (iii)  $\left(\frac{-9}{7}\right)$  (iv) 4 (v) 6

6. The power in the term  $\left(\frac{9}{8}\right)^8$  is

- (i) 6 (ii) 8 (iii) -8 (iv)  $\frac{9}{8}$  (v)  $\left(\frac{-9}{8}\right)$

7. The base in the term  $7^{\left(\frac{7}{4}\right)}$  is

- (i)  $\frac{7}{4}$  (ii) -7 (iii) 7 (iv)  $\left(\frac{-7}{4}\right)$  (v) 4

8. The exponent in the term  $3^{\left(\frac{8}{7}\right)}$  is

- (i)  $\frac{8}{7}$  (ii) 3 (iii)  $\frac{6}{7}$  (iv) -3 (v)  $\left(\frac{-8}{7}\right)$

9. The power in the term  $3^{\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)}$  is

- (i)  $\frac{1}{2}$  (ii) 3 (iii) -3 (iv)  $\frac{3}{2}$  (v)  $\left(\frac{-3}{2}\right)$

10. The base in the term  $3^{\left(\frac{9}{2}\right)}$  is

- (i)  $\left(\frac{-9}{2}\right)$  (ii)  $\frac{9}{2}$  (iii) 0 (iv) -3 (v)  $\frac{3}{1}$

11. The exponent in the term  $\left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^{\left(\frac{7}{3}\right)}$  is

- (i)  $\frac{5}{3}$  (ii)  $\left(\frac{-5}{3}\right)$  (iii)  $\left(\frac{-7}{3}\right)$  (iv)  $\frac{7}{3}$

12. The power in the term  $\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)^{\left(\frac{5}{4}\right)}$  is

- (i)  $\frac{5}{4}$  (ii)  $\frac{4}{3}$  (iii)  $\left(\frac{-5}{4}\right)$  (iv)  $\left(\frac{-4}{3}\right)$  (v)  $\frac{3}{4}$

13.  $(-7 \times -3)^6 =$

- (i)  $(-7)^6 \times (-3)^7$  (ii)  $(-7)^6 \times (-3)^6$  (iii)  $(-7)^6 \times (-5)^6$  (iv)  $(-7)^6 \times (-1)^6$  (v)  $(-7)^6 \times (-3)^5$

14.  $(-3 \times -5 \times 7)^{-8} =$

- (i)  $(-3)^{-8} \times (-3)^{-8} \times 10^{-8}$  (ii)  $(-3)^{-8} \times (-7)^{-8} \times 4^{-8}$  (iii)  $(-3)^{-8} \times (-5)^{-7} \times 7^{-7}$  (iv)  $(-3)^{-8} \times (-5)^{-8} \times 7^{-8}$   
(v)  $(-3)^{-8} \times (-5)^{-9} \times 7^{-9}$

15.  $(7 \times 2)^{-2/9} =$

- (i)  $\left(\frac{-2}{9}\right) \left(\frac{-2}{11}\right)$  (ii)  $\left(\frac{-2}{9}\right) \left(\frac{-4}{9}\right)$  (iii)  $\left(\frac{-2}{9}\right) \left(\frac{-2}{7}\right)$  (iv)  $\left(\frac{-2}{9}\right) \left(\frac{-2}{9}\right)$  (v)  $\left(\frac{-2}{9}\right) \left(\frac{-2}{9}\right)$   
(i)  $7 \times 2$  (ii)  $7 \times 2$  (iii)  $7 \times 2$  (iv)  $7 \times 4$  (v)  $7 \times 2$

$$16. (5 \times 2 \times 7)^{-3/5} =$$

$$(i) 5^{\left(\frac{-3}{5}\right)} \times 2^{-1} \times 7^{-1} \quad (ii) 5^{\left(\frac{-3}{5}\right)} \times 5^{\left(\frac{-3}{5}\right)} \times 10^{\left(\frac{-3}{5}\right)} \quad (iii) 5^{\left(\frac{-3}{5}\right)} \times (-1)^{\left(\frac{-3}{5}\right)} \times 5^{\left(\frac{-3}{5}\right)} \quad (iv) 5^{\left(\frac{-3}{5}\right)} \times 2^{\left(\frac{-3}{5}\right)} \times 7^{\left(\frac{-3}{5}\right)}$$

$$(v) 5^{\left(\frac{-3}{5}\right)} \times 2^{\left(\frac{-3}{7}\right)} \times 7^{\left(\frac{-3}{7}\right)}$$

$$17. \left(\frac{5}{3} \times \left(\frac{-6}{5}\right)\right)^{6/5} =$$

$$(i) \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^{(6/5)} \times \left(\frac{-4}{5}\right)^{(6/5)} \quad (ii) \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^{(6/5)} \times \left(\frac{-6}{5}\right)^{(6/7)} \quad (iii) \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^{(6/5)} \times \left(\frac{-6}{5}\right)^{(6/5)} \quad (iv) \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^{(6/5)} \times \left(\frac{-8}{5}\right)^{(6/5)}$$

$$(v) \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^{(6/5)} \times \left(\frac{-6}{5}\right)^2$$

$$18. \left(\left(\frac{-3}{8}\right) \times \left(\frac{-4}{5}\right) \times \left(\frac{-3}{8}\right)\right)^6 =$$

$$(i) \left(\frac{-3}{8}\right)^6 \times \left(\frac{-4}{5}\right)^6 \times \left(\frac{-3}{8}\right)^6 \quad (ii) \left(\frac{-3}{8}\right)^6 \times \left(\frac{-4}{5}\right)^5 \times \left(\frac{-3}{8}\right)^5 \quad (iii) \left(\frac{-3}{8}\right)^6 \times \left(\frac{-4}{5}\right)^7 \times \left(\frac{-3}{8}\right)^7$$

$$(iv) \left(\frac{-3}{8}\right)^6 \times \left(\frac{-6}{5}\right)^6 \times \left(\frac{-5}{8}\right)^6 \quad (v) \left(\frac{-3}{8}\right)^6 \times \left(\frac{-2}{5}\right)^6 \times \left(\frac{-1}{8}\right)^6$$

$$19. \left(\frac{6}{5}\right)^7 =$$

$$(i) \frac{6^7}{8^7} \quad (ii) \frac{6^7}{5^7} \quad (iii) \frac{6^8}{5^7} \quad (iv) \frac{6^7}{3^7} \quad (v) \frac{6^6}{5^7}$$

$$20. 3^{-2} =$$

$$(i) \frac{3^{-3}}{1} \quad (ii) \frac{3^{-2}}{1} \quad (iii) \frac{3^{-2}}{(-2)^{-2}} \quad (iv) \frac{3^{-2}}{4^{-2}} \quad (v) \frac{3^{-1}}{1}$$

(4/3)

21.  $\left(\frac{-6}{7}\right) =$

- (i)  $\frac{\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)}{7}$  (ii)  $\frac{\left(\frac{4}{5}\right)}{7}$  (iii)  $\frac{\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)^4}{7}$  (iv)  $\frac{\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)}{9}$  (v)  $\frac{\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)}{5}$

(-2/7)

22.  $\left(\frac{-8}{7}\right) =$

- (i)  $\frac{\left(\frac{-2}{9}\right)}{7}$  (ii)  $\frac{\left(\frac{-2}{7}\right)}{5}$  (iii)  $\frac{\left(\frac{-2}{5}\right)}{7}$  (iv)  $\frac{\left(\frac{-2}{7}\right)}{7}$  (v)  $\frac{\left(\frac{-2}{7}\right)}{9}$

23.  $6^4 =$

- (i)  $\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{-4}$  (ii)  $\left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^{-4}$  (iii)  $\left(\frac{-1}{6}\right)^{-4}$  (iv)  $\left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^{-5}$  (v)  $\left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^{-3}$

24.  $7^{-9} =$

- (i)  $\left(\frac{-1}{7}\right)^9$  (ii)  $\left(\frac{1}{7}\right)^9$  (iii)  $\left(\frac{1}{7}\right)^8$  (iv)  $\left(\frac{3}{7}\right)^9$  (v)  $\left(\frac{1}{7}\right)^{10}$

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25.  $\left(\frac{-5}{2}\right) =$

- (i)  $\left(\frac{-2}{5}\right)^{-5}$  (ii)  $\left(\frac{-2}{5}\right)^{-4}$  (iii)  $\left(\frac{-2}{5}\right)^{-1}$  (iv)  $\left(\frac{-4}{5}\right)^{-4}$  (v)  $\left(\frac{-2}{5}\right)^{-3}$

$$26. \left(\frac{-6}{7}\right)^{-9} =$$

- (i)  $\left(\frac{-5}{6}\right)^9$  (ii)  $\left(\frac{-7}{6}\right)^8$  (iii)  $\left(\frac{-7}{6}\right)^{10}$  (iv)  $\left(\frac{-3}{2}\right)^9$  (v)  $\left(\frac{-7}{6}\right)^9$

$$27. \frac{5^{-3}}{5^{-3}} =$$

- (i)  $5^3$  (ii) 1 (iii)  $5^{-1}$  (iv)  $5^{-3}$  (v) 5

$$28. \frac{\left(\frac{-9}{2}\right)^6}{\left(\frac{-9}{2}\right)^4} =$$

- (i)  $\left(\frac{-9}{2}\right)^3$  (ii)  $\left(\frac{-11}{2}\right)^2$  (iii)  $\left(\frac{-9}{2}\right)^2$  (iv)  $\left(\frac{-7}{2}\right)^2$  (v)  $\left(\frac{-9}{2}\right)^2$

$$29. \frac{\left(\frac{-3}{5}\right)^3}{\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)^3} =$$

- (i)  $\frac{-25}{8}$  (ii) 1 (iii)  $\frac{-31}{10}$  (iv)  $\frac{-37}{12}$  (v)  $\frac{-31}{10}$

$(-3/4)$

$(\frac{9}{7})$

30.  $\frac{\quad}{(-3/5)} =$

$(\frac{9}{7})$

$(-3/20)$

$(-3/22)$

$(-3/20)$

$(-1/6)$

- (i) 1 (ii)  $(\frac{9}{7})$  (iii)  $(\frac{9}{7})$  (iv)  $(\frac{11}{7})$  (v)  $(\frac{9}{7})$

31.  $[3^{-2}]^{-5} =$

- (i)  $3^{11}$  (ii)  $5^{10}$  (iii) 1 (iv)  $3^9$  (v)  $3^{10}$

32.  $[(-5)^2]^{-5/2} =$

- (i)  $(-5)^{-5}$  (ii)  $(-8)^{-5}$  (iii)  $(-5)^{-6}$  (iv)  $(-5)^{-4}$  (v)  $(-3)^{-5}$

33.  $[2^5]^{-5} =$

- (i)  $2^{-26}$  (ii)  $4^{-25}$  (iii)  $2^{-25}$  (iv)  $(-1)^{-25}$  (v)  $2^{-24}$

34.  $\left[ \left( \frac{5}{2} \right)_6 \right]^{5/2} =$

- (i)  $(\frac{25}{4})_4$  (ii)  $(\frac{25}{4})_6$  (iii)  $(\frac{37}{6})_6$  (iv)  $(\frac{13}{2})_6$  (v)  $(\frac{25}{4})_9$

35.  $\left[ \left( \frac{-9}{7} \right)^{-3} \right]^5 =$

- (i)  $(\frac{-11}{7})^{-15}$  (ii)  $(\frac{-9}{7})^{-15}$  (iii)  $(-1)^{-15}$  (iv)  $(\frac{-9}{7})^{-14}$  (v)  $(\frac{-9}{7})^{-16}$

36.  $\left[ \left( \frac{9}{7} \right)^{-3} \right]^{-5/4} =$

- (i)  $(\frac{9}{7})^{(7/2)}$  (ii) 1 (iii)  $(\frac{11}{7})^{(15/4)}$  (iv)  $(\frac{9}{7})^{(9/2)}$  (v)  $(\frac{9}{7})^{(15/4)}$

$$(-5/2)^{-2}$$

37.  $\left[\left(\frac{9}{2}\right)^{\quad}\right] =$

(i)  $\left(\frac{11}{2}\right)^5$  (ii)  $\left(\frac{7}{2}\right)^5$  (iii)  $\left(\frac{9}{2}\right)^4$  (iv)  $\left(\frac{9}{2}\right)^5$  (v)  $\left(\frac{9}{2}\right)^6$

$$(5/2)^2$$

38.  $\left[\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^{\quad}\right] =$

(i)  $\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^6$  (ii)  $\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^5$  (iii)  $\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^4$  (iv)  $\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)^5$  (v)  $\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^5$

39. The multiplicative inverse of  $4^{-4}$  is

(i)  $4^4$  (ii) 1 (iii) 0 (iv)  $(-4)^{-4}$  (v)  $\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^4$

40. The multiplicative inverse of  $\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^6$  is

(i) 0 (ii)  $\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{-6}$  (iii)  $\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)^6$  (iv) 1 (v)  $2^{-6}$

41. Which of the following statements are true?

a)  $a \cdot x^m = a^m \cdot x^m$

b)  $a^m \cdot a^n = a^{mn}$

c)  $(x^m)^n = x^{(m+n)}$

d)  $a^0 = 1$  ( $a \neq 0$ )

e)  $(x^m)^n = (x^n)^m$

f)  $\frac{x^m}{x^n} = x^{\frac{m}{n}}$

(i) {c,f,d} (ii) {a,d} (iii) {a,e,d} (iv) {b,e} (v) {d,e}

42.  $-1^2 =$

(i) 1 (ii) 0 (iii) undefined (iv)  $\infty$  (v) -1

43.  $-1^5 =$

- (i) 0 (ii)  $\infty$  (iii) -1 (iv) undefined (v) 1

44.  $5^0 =$

- (i) undefined (ii) 1 (iii) -1 (iv)  $\infty$  (v) 0

45.  $0^0 =$

- (i) 1 (ii) undefined (iii) 0 (iv) -1 (v)  $\infty$

46.  $-5^0 =$

- (i) undefined (ii) 1 (iii)  $\infty$  (iv) 0 (v) -1

47.  $0^5 =$

- (i) -1 (ii) 0 (iii) undefined (iv)  $\infty$  (v) 1

48.  $\sqrt{\frac{9}{16}} =$

- (i)  $\frac{1}{2}$  (ii)  $\frac{1}{4}$  (iii)  $\frac{3}{4}$  (iv)  $\frac{3}{2}$  (v)  $\frac{5}{4}$

49. Find the reciprocal of  $5^2$

- (i)  $\left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^2$  (ii)  $\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^2$  (iii)  $\left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^3$  (iv)  $\left(\frac{-1}{5}\right)^2$  (v)  $\frac{1}{5}$

50. Find the reciprocal of  $\left(\frac{-4}{5}\right)^7$

- (i)  $\left(\frac{-7}{4}\right)^7$  (ii)  $\left(\frac{-5}{4}\right)^8$  (iii)  $\left(\frac{-3}{4}\right)^7$  (iv)  $\left(\frac{-5}{4}\right)^7$  (v)  $\left(\frac{-5}{4}\right)^6$

## Assignment Key

1) (v)	2) (iii)	3) (v)	4) (v)	5) (v)	6) (ii)
7) (iii)	8) (i)	9) (iv)	10) (v)	11) (iv)	12) (i)
13) (ii)	14) (iv)	15) (v)	16) (iv)	17) (iii)	18) (i)
19) (ii)	20) (ii)	21) (i)	22) (iv)	23) (ii)	24) (ii)
25) (ii)	26) (v)	27) (ii)	28) (v)	29) (v)	30) (ii)
31) (v)	32) (i)	33) (iii)	34) (ii)	35) (ii)	36) (v)
37) (iv)	38) (v)	39) (i)	40) (ii)	41) (v)	42) (i)
43) (iii)	44) (ii)	45) (ii)	46) (ii)	47) (ii)	48) (iii)
49) (i)	50) (iv)				