

CLASS 7
MATHEMATICS
CHAPTER: EXPONENTS

$$1000 = 10 \times 10 \times 10 = 10^3$$

$$125 = 5 \times 5 \times 5 = 5^3$$

1. Express 64 as a power of 2

$$64 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 = 2^6$$

$$64 = 2^6 \text{ Ans}$$

2. Find the value of 3^4

$$3^4 = 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 = 81 \text{ Ans}$$

LAWS OF EXPONENTS

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EXAMPLES

$(a^m) \times (a^n) = a^{(m+n)}$	$2^3 \times 2^2 = 2^{(3+2)} = 2^5$
$(a^m) \div (a^n) = a^{(m-n)}$	$2^3 \div 2^2 = 2^{(3-2)} = 2^1$
$(a^m)^n = a^{(m \times n)}$	$(2^3)^2 = 2^{(3 \times 2)} = 2^6$
$a^n \times b^n = (a \times b)^n$	$2^2 \times 3^2 = (2 \times 3)^2 = 6^2$
$a^n \div b^n = (a/b)^n$	$4^2 \div 2^2 = (4/2)^2 = 2^2$
$a^0 = 1$	$2^0 = 1$
$a^{(-n)} = 1/a^n$	$2^{-2} = 1/2^2 = 1/4$

1. **Simplify & write the answer in the exponential form**

$$(-4)^{-3} \times 5^{-3} \times (-5)^{-3} = (-4 \times 5 \times -5)^{-3}$$

$$= 100^{-3} = 1/100^3 \text{ Ans}$$

2. Find the value of $(3^0 + 4^{-1}) \times 2^2$

$$(3^0 + 4^{-1}) \times 2^2 = (1 + 1/4) \times 4 = (5/4) \times 4 = 5 \text{ Ans}$$

3. Simplify :

$$(5^{-1} \times 2^{-1}) \div 6^{-1}$$

$$= (1/5 \times 1/2) \div 1/6$$

$$= (1/10) \times 6 = 3/5 \text{ Ans}$$

SCIENTIFIC NOTATION

- $0.1 = 1/10 = 10^{-1}$
- $0.001 = 1/1000 = 10^{-3}$
- $450 = 45 \times 10 = [(45/10) \times 10] \times 10$
 $= 4.5 \times 10 \times 10 = 4.5 \times 10^2$
- $0.00052 = 52/100000 = 52/10^5 = [(52/10) \times 10]/10^5$
 $= (5.2 \times 10)/10^5 = 5.2 \times (10/10^5) = 5.2 \times (1/10^4)$
 $5.2 \times (10^{-4})$

Home work

1. Simplify and write the answer in the exponential form
(i) $(2^5 \div 2^8)^5 \times 2^{-5}$
(ii) $[1/2^3]^2$
2. Write the following numbers using scientific notation
2500, 0.8, 0.0027

From Text Book

<u>Exercise 4.1</u>	1. (ii) 2. (iii) 3. (vi) 4. (ii)
<u>Exercise 4.2</u>	1. (i),(vii), (xv) 6. (ii), (iii)

(Practice all the examples in the text book)