

HW 6-1A Properties of Logs and Exponents

Simplify. Your answer should contain only positive exponents with no fractional exponents in the denominator.

1) $4u^4v^4 \cdot uv^4$

2) $3x^{-3}y^{-2} \cdot x^{-2}y^3$

3) $(3x^{-3}y^4)^{-2}$

4) $(a^2b^{-1})^{-2}$

5) $\frac{2x^{-2}y^{-4}}{3y^2}$

6) $\frac{4v^3}{2u^{-1}v^3}$

7) $3x^{\frac{4}{3}}y^{-1} \cdot 4y^{\frac{2}{3}} \cdot 4xy^{\frac{1}{2}}$

8) $\left(y^{\frac{5}{3}}\right)^{-\frac{2}{3}}$

9) $\frac{3xy^{\frac{4}{3}}}{x^{-\frac{1}{2}}y^{-\frac{2}{3}}}$

10) $\frac{h^{\frac{1}{2}}j^{\frac{3}{2}}}{4h^2j^2k^{\frac{1}{2}}}$

Evaluate each expression.

$$11) \log_3 81$$

$$12) \log_{27} 3$$

$$13) \log_7 \frac{1}{343}$$

$$14) \log_4 -16$$

Expand each logarithm.

$$15) \log_4 (u \cdot v)^2$$

$$16) \log_8 \frac{x}{y^2}$$

$$17) \log_8 \frac{x^5}{y}$$

$$18) \log_9 \frac{a^4}{b}$$

Condense each expression to a single logarithm.

$$19) 4 \log_9 a + 4 \log_9 b$$

$$20) 5 \log_2 x + 5 \log_2 y$$

$$21) \frac{2 \log_3 x}{3}$$

$$22) 5 \log_5 x - \log_5 y$$