

# Mathematics

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(Chapter – 13) (Exponents and Powers)  
(Class – VII)

## Exercise 13.1

### Question 1:

Find the value of:

(i)  $2^6$

(ii)  $9^3$

(iii)  $11^2$

(iv)  $5^4$

### Answer 1:

- (i)  $2^6 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 = 64$   
(ii)  $9^3 = 9 \times 9 \times 9 = 729$   
(iii)  $11^2 = 11 \times 11 = 121$   
(iv)  $5^4 = 5 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5 = 625$

### Question 2:

Express the following in exponential form:

(i)  $6 \times 6 \times 6 \times 6$   
(iii)  $b \times b \times b \times b$   
(v)  $2 \times 2 \times a \times a$

(ii)  $t \times t$   
(iv)  $5 \times 5 \times 7 \times 7 \times 7$   
(vi)  $a \times a \times a \times c \times c \times c \times c \times d$

### Answer 2:

- (i)  $6 \times 6 \times 6 \times 6 = 6^4$   
(ii)  $t \times t = t^2$   
(iii)  $b \times b \times b \times b = b^4$   
(iv)  $5 \times 5 \times 7 \times 7 \times 7 = 5^2 \times 7^3$   
(v)  $2 \times 2 \times a \times a = 2^2 \times a^2$   
(vi)  $a \times a \times a \times c \times c \times c \times c \times d = a^3 \times c^4 \times d$



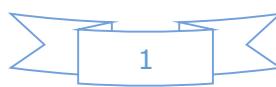
### Question 3:

Express each of the following numbers using exponential notation:

(i) 512                      (ii) 343                      (iii) 729                      (iv) 3125

### Answer 3:

(i) 512



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$$512 = 2 \times 2 = 2^9$$

<b>2</b>	<b>512</b>
<b>2</b>	256
<b>2</b>	128
<b>2</b>	64
<b>2</b>	32
<b>2</b>	16
<b>2</b>	8
<b>2</b>	4
<b>2</b>	2
	1

(ii) 343

$$343 = 7 \times 7 \times 7 = 7^3$$

<b>7</b>	<b>343</b>
7	49
7	7
	1

(iii) 729

$$729 = 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 = 3^6$$



<b>3</b>	<b>729</b>
3	243
3	81
3	27
3	9
3	3
	1

(iv) 3125

$$3125 = 5 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5$$

<b>5</b>	<b>3125</b>
5	625
5	125
5	25
5	5
	1



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### Question 4:

Identify the greater number, wherever possible, in each of the following:

- |       |                    |      |                      |
|-------|--------------------|------|----------------------|
| (i)   | $4^3$ and $3^4$    | (ii) | $5^3$ or $3^5$       |
| (iii) | $2^8$ or $8^2$     | (iv) | $100^2$ or $2^{100}$ |
| (v)   | $2^{10}$ or $10^2$ |      |                      |

### Answer 4:

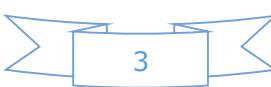
(i)  $4^3 = 4 \times 4 \times 4 = 64$   
 $3^4 = 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 = 81$   
Since  $64 < 81$   
Thus,  $3^4$  is greater than  $4^3$ .

(ii)  $5^3 = 5 \times 5 \times 5 = 125$   
 $3^5 = 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 = 243$   
Since,  $125 < 243$   
Thus,  $3^4$  is greater than  $5^3$ .

(iii)  $2^8 = 2 \times 2 = 256$   
 $8^2 = 8 \times 8 = 64$   
Since,  $256 > 64$   
Thus,  $2^8$  is greater than  $8^2$ .

(iv)  $100^2 = 100 \times 100 = 10,000$   
 $2^{100} = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times \dots \text{14 times } \times \dots \times 2 = 16,384 \times \dots \times 2$   
Since,  $10,000 < 16,384 \times \dots \times 2$   
Thus,  $2^{100}$  is greater than  $100^2$ .

(v)  $2^{10} = 2 \times 2 = 1,024$   
 $10^2 = 10 \times 10 = 100$   
Since,  $1,024 > 100$   
Thus,  $2^{10} > 10^2$



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## Question 5:

Express each of the following as product of powers of their prime factors:

(i) 648

(ii) 405

(iii) 540

(iv) 3,600

## Answer 5:

(i)  $648 = 2^3 \times 3^4$

2	648
2	324
2	162
3	81
3	27
3	9
3	3
	1

(ii)  $405 = 5 \times 3^4$



5	405
3	81
3	27
3	9
3	3
	1

(iii)  $540 = 2^2 \times 3^3 \times 5$

2	540
2	270
3	135
3	45
3	15
5	5
	1



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(iv)  $3,600 = 2^4 \times 3^2 \times 5^2$

2	3600
2	1800
2	900
2	450
3	225
3	75
5	25
5	5
	1

### Question 6:

Simplify:

(i)  $2 \times 10^3$

(ii)  $7^2 \times 2^2$

(iii)  $2^3 \times 5$

(iv)  $3 \times 4^4$

(v)  $0 \times 10^2$

(vi)  $5^2 \times 3^3$

(vii)  $2^4 \times 3^2$

(viii)  $3^2 \times 10^4$

### Answer 6:

(i)  $2 \times 10^3 = 2 \times 10 \times 10 \times 10 = 2,000$

(ii)  $7^2 \times 2^2 = 7 \times 7 \times 2 \times 2 = 196$

(iii)  $2^3 \times 5 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 5 = 40$

(iv)  $3 \times 4^4 = 3 \times 4 \times 4 \times 4 \times 4 = 768$

(v)  $0 \times 10^2 = 0 \times 10 \times 10 = 0$

(vi)  $5^3 \times 3^3 = 5 \times 5 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 = 675$

(vii)  $2^4 \times 3^2 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 = 144$

(viii)  $3^2 \times 10^4 = 3 \times 3 \times 10 \times 10 \times 10 \times 10 = 90,000$

### Question 7:

Simplify:

(i)  $(-4)^3$

(ii)  $(-3) \times (-2)^3$

(iii)  $(-3)^2 \times (-5)^2$

(iv)  $(-2)^3 \times (-10)^3$

### Answer 7:

(i)  $(-4)^3 = (-4) \times (-4) \times (-4) = -64$



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- (ii)  $(-3) \times (-2)^3 = (-3) \times (-2) \times (-2) \times (-2) = 24$   
(iii)  $(-3)^2 \times (-5)^2 = (-3) \times (-3) \times (-5) \times (-5) = 225$   
(iv)  $(-2)^3 \times (-10)^3 = (-2) \times (-2) \times (-2) \times (-10) \times (-10) \times (-10)$

### **Question 8:**

Compare the following numbers:

- (i)  $2.7 \times 10^{12}$ ;  $1.5 \times 10^8$       (ii)  $4 \times 10^{14}$ ;  $3 \times 10^{17}$

### **Answer 8:**

- (i)  $2.7 \times 10^{12}$  and  $1.5 \times 10^8$   
On comparing the exponents of base 10,  
 $2.7 \times 10^{12} > 1.5 \times 10^8$
- (ii)  $4 \times 10^{14}$  and  $3 \times 10^{17}$   
On comparing the exponents of base 10,  
 $4 \times 10^{14} < 3 \times 10^{17}$

