

Study Guide - Lesson 8.6

Key

Simplify.

1) $\sqrt[5]{128}$

$2^5\sqrt[5]{4}$

2) $\sqrt[3]{64}$

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3) $\sqrt[3]{625}$

$5^3\sqrt[3]{5}$

4) $\sqrt[3]{-384}$

$-4^3\sqrt[3]{6}$

5) $\sqrt[3]{216}$

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6) $\sqrt{343}$

$7\sqrt{7}$

7) $\sqrt[6]{192n^8}$

$2n^6\sqrt[6]{3n^2}$

8) $\sqrt{256xy^4}$

$16y^2\sqrt{x}$

9) $\sqrt[3]{189m^3}$

$3m^3\sqrt[3]{7}$

10) $\sqrt[4]{567a^2b^4}$

$3b^4\sqrt[4]{7a^2}$

11) $\sqrt{288n^3}$

$12n\sqrt{2n}$

12) $\sqrt[5]{256x^5y^4z^3}$

$2x^5\sqrt[5]{8y^4z^3}$

Write each expression in radical form.

13) $(10n)^{\frac{7}{4}}$

$$\left(\sqrt[4]{10n}\right)^7$$

14) $x^{\frac{5}{6}}$

$$\left(\sqrt[6]{x}\right)^5$$

15) $v^{\frac{3}{2}}$

$$\left(\sqrt{v}\right)^3$$

16) $(3x)^{\frac{5}{2}}$

$$\left(\sqrt{3x}\right)^5$$

17) $(6a)^{-\frac{1}{3}}$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{6a}}$$

18) $(4k^2)^{\frac{1}{3}}$

$$\sqrt[3]{4k^2}$$

Write each expression in exponential form.

19) $(\sqrt{7x})^5$

$$(7x)^{5/2}$$

20) $\frac{1}{(\sqrt[6]{10p})^5}$

$$(10p)^{-5/6}$$

21) $(\sqrt[3]{n})^2$

$$n^{2/3}$$

22) $\sqrt[3]{7r}$

$$(7r)^{1/3}$$

23) $(\sqrt{6m})^3$

$$(6m)^{3/2}$$

24) $\frac{1}{(\sqrt[3]{6x})^2}$

$$(6x)^{-2/3}$$

Simplify.

$$25) (r^8)^{-\frac{3}{4}} = \frac{1}{(\sqrt[4]{r^8})^3} = \frac{1}{(r^2)^3} = \frac{1}{r^6}$$

$$27) (25x^4)^{-\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{25x^4}} = \frac{1}{5x^2}$$

$$29) (81n^4)^{\frac{3}{2}} = \sqrt[2]{729n^6} \rightarrow (\sqrt[2]{81n^4})^3 = (9n^2)^3 = 729n^6$$

$$26) (216x^9)^{\frac{4}{3}} = (\sqrt[3]{216x^9})^4 = (6x^3)^4 = 1296x^{12}$$

$$28) (64b^6)^{-\frac{3}{2}} = (\sqrt{64b^6})^3 = \frac{1}{(8b^3)^3} = \frac{1}{512b^9}$$

$$30) (32a^{10})^{\frac{4}{5}} = (\sqrt[5]{32a^{10}})^4 = (2a^2)^4 = 16a^8$$

Directions: Find all real roots.

31. Fourth roots of -1296

No real roots

32. Cube roots of 216

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Directions: Simplify each expression.

$$33) \sqrt[3]{\frac{x^3}{7}} = \frac{\sqrt[3]{x^3} \cdot \sqrt[3]{7} \cdot \sqrt[3]{7}}{\sqrt[3]{7}} = \frac{\sqrt[3]{49x^3}}{\sqrt[3]{343}} = \frac{x\sqrt[3]{49}}{7}$$

$$34) \sqrt[4]{\frac{16x^8}{5}} = \frac{\sqrt[4]{16x^8}}{\sqrt[4]{5}} = \frac{2x^2 \cdot \sqrt[4]{5} \cdot \sqrt[4]{5} \cdot \sqrt[4]{5}}{\sqrt[4]{5}} = \frac{2x^2 \sqrt[4]{125}}{\sqrt[4]{625}} = \frac{2x^2 \sqrt[4]{125}}{5}$$

$$35) \sqrt[3]{x^3} \cdot \sqrt[3]{x^{12}}$$

$$\sqrt[3]{x^{15}} = x^5$$

$$36) 13^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot 13^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$13^{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{2}} = 13^2 = 169$$

$$37) \frac{125^{\frac{2}{3}}}{125^{\frac{1}{3}}} = 125^{\frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{3}} = 125^{\frac{1}{3}} = \sqrt[3]{125} = 5$$

$$38) 7^{\frac{1}{4}} \cdot 7^{-\frac{3}{4}} = 7^{\frac{1}{4} - \frac{3}{4}} = 7^{-\frac{2}{4}} = 7^{-\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{7^{\frac{1}{2}}} \text{ or } \frac{\sqrt{7}}{7}$$