# 4.1 Properties of Exponents

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$$2^{3} = 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 = 8$$
3 factors of 2

$$2^5 = 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 = 32$$

factors of 2

$$b^5 = b \cdot b \cdot b \cdot b$$

factors of b

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$$2^{4}2^{3} = (2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2)(2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2) = 2^{7} = 128$$
4 factors of 2 3 factors of 2

$$2^{4}2^{3} = 2^{(4+3)} = 2^{7} = 32$$

$$b^5 b^3 = b^{\frac{5+3}{3}} = b^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

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$$b^m b^n = b$$

$$b_m p_u = p_{m+u}$$

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$$a^{3}a^{7}=a^{10}$$

$$a^{5}b^{5} = a^{7}b^{3}$$

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$$3^{2} \cdot 3^{2} = 8.9 = 72$$

$$(-2)^3 3^2 = -89 = -72$$

odd power of negative base is negative

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$$(-2)^{4} 3^{2}$$
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even power of negative base is positive

even power of positive base is positive

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$$\underline{a^m} = a^{\underline{m-n}}$$

$$\frac{3}{3} = \frac{3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3}{3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3} = 3$$

$$\frac{ab^{2}}{ab} = \frac{4-2}{a}b^{2-1} = a^{2}b$$

$$\underline{a^m} = a^{m-n}$$

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$$(a^m)^n = a^{mn}$$

$$\left(a^{2}\right)^{3} = a \cdot a \cdot a = 0$$

$$(a^3)^5 = a$$

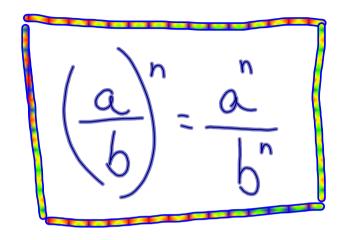
$$a^3 a^3 a^3 a^3$$

$$(a^m)^n = a^{mn}$$

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$$\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^{3} = \frac{a}{b} \cdot \frac{a}{b} = \frac{a^{3}}{b^{3}}$$

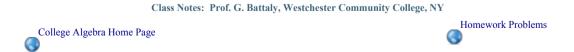
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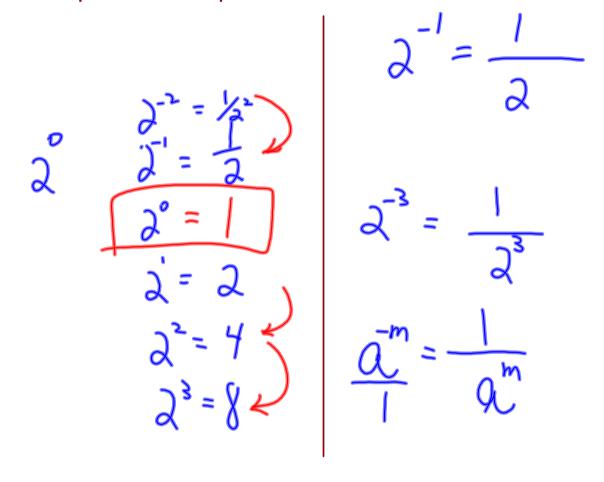
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$$\left(\frac{ab}{c}\right)^{3} = \frac{(a^{2}b)^{3}}{c^{3}} = \frac{ab^{3}}{c^{3}}$$



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$$\frac{3}{3} = \frac{1}{9}$$

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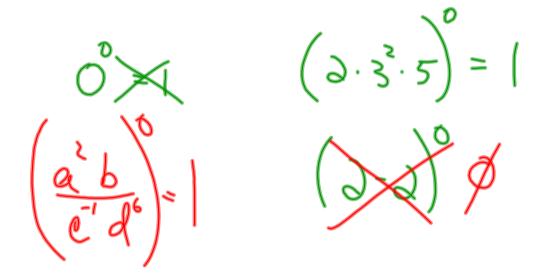
$$\frac{3}$$

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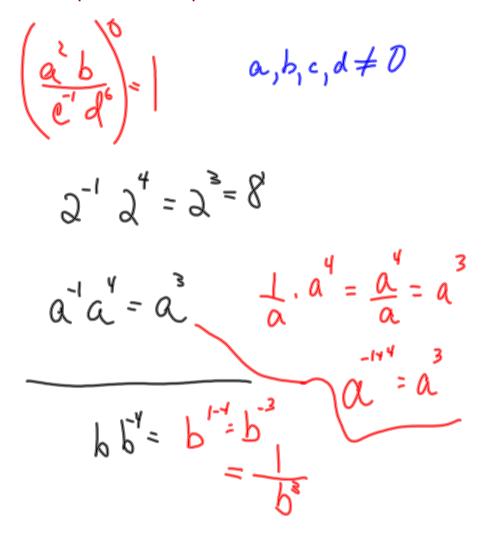


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$$\frac{3^{2}}{3^{2}} = \frac{1}{3^{2}} = \frac{1}{9}$$

$$(3^{2})^{-1} = 3^{2} = 3^{2}$$

$$\frac{1}{3^{2}} + \frac{1}{3^{2}}$$

$$\frac{1}{3^{2}} + \frac{1}{3^{2}} = 130$$

$$\frac{1}{3^{2}} + \frac{1}{3^{2}} = 5$$
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$$20. (4b^{-9})(5b^{4}) = 20b = 20$$

$$\frac{a6. (4b^{3}c^{7})^{2} (ab^{5}c^{4})^{3}}{(4^{3}b^{6}c^{14})(2^{3}b^{15}c^{13})} \qquad (a^{m})^{1} = a^{m}$$

$$\frac{(4^{3}b^{6}c^{14})(2^{3}b^{15}c^{13})}{(2^{3}b^{3}c^{15}c^{13})} \qquad (b^{3})^{2} = b^{3} \cdot b^{3} = b^{3}$$

$$\frac{(b^{3})^{2} = b^{3} \cdot b^{3} = b^{3}}{(c^{3})^{2} = c^{7}c^{7}} \qquad (c^{7})^{2} = c^{7}c^{7}$$

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$$\frac{7b^{-4}}{6b^{-8}} = \frac{7b^{-8}}{6b^{-4}} = \frac{7}{6}b^{-4}$$

or

$$\frac{7b^{-4}}{4b^{-8}} = \frac{7}{6}b^{-4+8} = \frac{7}{6}b^{4}$$

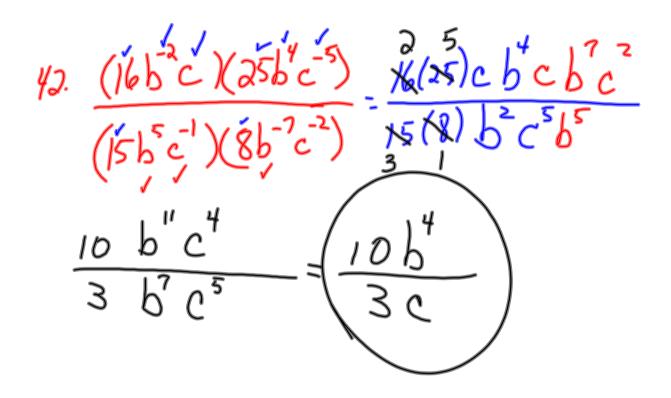
$$\frac{a^m}{a^n} = a^{m-n}$$

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$$\frac{(16b^{2}c)(25b^{2}c^{-5})}{(15b^{5}c^{-1})(8b^{-7}c^{-2})} \qquad \frac{a^{5}}{a^{r}} = a^{-r}$$

$$\frac{78(25)}{75(8)} \qquad b^{24+251}$$

$$\frac{70}{3}b^{4}c^{-1} = \frac{10b^{4}}{3c}$$

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