

Simplify each expression. Assume all variables are positive.

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| 1. $\sqrt[4]{32}$ | 2. $\sqrt[5]{64}$ | 3. $\sqrt[3]{24}$ | 4. $\sqrt[3]{32}$ |
| 5. $\sqrt{16x^4}$ | 6. $\sqrt[3]{27y^3}$ | 7. $\sqrt[3]{-8x^4}$ | 8. $\sqrt[5]{y^5}$ |
| 9. $\sqrt[3]{\frac{x^9}{27}}$ | 10. $\sqrt[3]{\frac{16}{x^3}}$ | 11. $\sqrt{\frac{50}{z}}$ | 12. $\sqrt[3]{\frac{x^{15}}{7}}$ |

Write each expression in radical form, and simplify.

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| 13. $49^{\frac{1}{2}}$ | 14. $8^{\frac{2}{3}}$ | 15. $16^{\frac{3}{4}}$ | 16. $27^{\frac{4}{3}}$ |
| 17. $7^{\frac{1}{3}}$ | 18. $5^{\frac{2}{3}}$ | 19. $(-27)^{\frac{2}{3}}$ | 20. $(-32)^{\frac{3}{5}}$ |
| 21. $(-1000)^{\frac{2}{3}}$ | 22. $-36^{\frac{3}{2}}$ | 23. $(-1)^{\frac{1}{3}}$ | 24. $4^{\frac{5}{2}}$ |

Write each expression by using rational exponents. Assume all variables are positive.

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| 25. $\sqrt[5]{11^2}$ | 26. $\sqrt[4]{x^3}$ | 27. $\sqrt[8]{y^2}$ | 28. $\sqrt[5]{7}$ |
| 29. $\sqrt[3]{9^6}$ | 30. $(\sqrt[4]{2})^2$ | 31. $\sqrt{4^3}$ | 32. $(\sqrt{y})^5$ |
| 33. $\sqrt[4]{7^8}$ | 34. $(\sqrt[6]{z})^2$ | 35. $\sqrt[6]{m^4}$ | 36. $-\sqrt{19^7}$ |

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| 37. $8^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot 8^{\frac{3}{2}}$ | 38. $n^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot n^{\frac{5}{3}}$ | 39. $16^{\frac{1}{4}} \cdot 16^{\frac{1}{4}} \cdot 16^{\frac{3}{4}}$ | 40. $x^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot x^3$ |
| 41. $(5^{\frac{1}{2}})^6$ | 42. $(7^{\frac{3}{2}})^{\frac{2}{3}}$ | 43. $\frac{49^{\frac{1}{4}}}{49^{\frac{3}{4}}}$ | 44. $\frac{25^{\frac{5}{4}}}{25^{\frac{1}{4}}}$ |
| 45. $8^{-\frac{1}{3}}$ | 46. $(\frac{1}{25})^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ | 47. $(x^3 z^9)^{\frac{2}{3}}$ | 48. $(x^{\frac{1}{2}} y^2)^4 \sqrt[3]{y^3}$ |
| 49. $(m^4 n^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \sqrt{m^2 n^2}$ | 50. $\frac{7^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\sqrt{7}}$ | 51. $(y^{\frac{2}{3}}) \sqrt[3]{y^9}$ | 52. $\frac{z^{\frac{1}{3}}}{\sqrt[3]{z^2}}$ |

53. The formula $r = \left(\frac{3V}{4\pi}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$ gives the radius r , in inches, of a sphere that has a volume of V cubic inches. Use the formula to find the radius of a sphere that has a volume of 36π in³.

54. For which values of n is $2^{\frac{n}{2}}$ an integer? What are the integer values of $2^{\frac{n}{2}}$?

55. **Write About It** Describe two different ways to simplify the expression $\sqrt[3]{7^6}$. Which method is easier? Why?

56. **Critical Thinking** Explain how to solve the equation $16^{\frac{x}{2}} = 64$.