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2. a. The large cube is made up of  $3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3$  small cubes.  
Because each small cube contains \$3, the total amount of money in the large cube is  $3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 = 3^4$ .
- b.  $3^4 = 81$   
There is \$81 in the large cube.
3. a.  $10^{26} = 100,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000$   
The diameter of the observable universe is 100,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000 meters.
- b.  $10^{21} = 1,000,000,000,000,000,000,000$   
The diameter of the Milky Way Galaxy is 1,000,000,000,000,000,000,000 meters.  
This can be written as one sextillion meters.
- c.  $10^{16} = 10,000,000,000,000,000$   
The diameter of the solar system is 10,000,000,000,000,000 meters.  
This can be written as ten quadrillion meters.
- d.  $10^7 = 10,000,000$   
The diameter of Earth is 10,000,000 meters.  
This can be written as ten million meters.
- e.  $10^6 = 1,000,000$   
The length of the Lake Erie shoreline is 1,000,000 meters.  
This can be written as one million meters.
- f.  $10^5 = 100,000$   
The width of Lake Erie is 100,000 meters.  
This can be written as one hundred thousand meters.

4. Wives:  $7^1$   
Sacks:  $7 \cdot 7 = 7^2$   
Cats:  $7 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 = 7^3$   
Kits:  $7 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 = 7^4$

5. You can use exponents to write the product of repeated factors.  
*Sample answer:* The formula for the volume of a cube,  $V = s^3$ , is an example of how exponents are used in real life. Exponents are also used in measuring astronomical distances.

## 10.1 On Your Own (pp. 412–413)

1.  $\frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4}$

Because  $\frac{1}{4}$  is used as a factor 5 times, its exponent is 5.

So,  $\frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} = \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^5$ .

2.  $0.3 \cdot 0.3 \cdot 0.3 \cdot 0.3 \cdot x \cdot x$   
Because 0.3 is used as a factor 4 times, its exponent is 4.  
Because  $x$  is used as a factor 2 times, its exponent is 2.  
So,  $0.3 \cdot 0.3 \cdot 0.3 \cdot 0.3 \cdot x \cdot x = (0.3)^4 x^2$ .
3.  $-5^4 = -(5 \cdot 5 \cdot 5 \cdot 5) = -625$
4.  $\left(-\frac{1}{6}\right)^3 = \left(-\frac{1}{6}\right) \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{6}\right) \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{6}\right) = -\frac{1}{216}$
5.  $|-3^3 \div 27| = |-27 \div 27| = |-1| = 1$
6.  $9 - 2^5 \cdot 0.5 = 9 - 32 \cdot 0.5 = 9 - 16 = -7$
7. The diameter is 1.8 meters, so the radius is 0.9 meter.  
Inner sphere:  $V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$   
 $= \frac{4}{3}\pi(0.9)^3$   
 $= \frac{4}{3}\pi(0.729)$   
 $= 0.972\pi$   
Outer sphere:  $\frac{9}{2}\pi = 4.5\pi$   
The volume of the inflated space is  
 $4.5\pi - 0.972\pi = 3.528\pi$ , or about 11.08 cubic meters.

## 10.1 Exercises (pp. 414–415)

### Vocabulary and Concept Check

1.  $-3^4$  is the negative of  $3^4$ , so the base is 3, the exponent is 4, and its value is  $-81$ .  $(-3)^4$  has a base of  $-3$ , an exponent of 4, and a value of 81.
2. The second one does not belong because it is an incorrect statement about the expression. The power is the entire expression  $5^3$ .

### Practice and Problem Solving

3.  $3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3$   
Because 3 is used as a factor 4 times, the exponent is 4.  
So,  $3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 = 3^4$ .
4.  $(-6) \cdot (-6)$   
Because  $-6$  is used as a factor 2 times, the exponent is 2.  
So,  $(-6) \cdot (-6) = (-6)^2$ .

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5.  $\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)$

Because  $-\frac{1}{2}$  is used as a factor 3 times, the exponent is 3.

So,  $\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) = \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^3$ .

6.  $\frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{3}$

Because  $\frac{1}{3}$  is used as a factor 3 times, the exponent is 3.

So,  $\frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{3} = \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^3$ .

7.  $\pi \cdot \pi \cdot \pi \cdot x \cdot x \cdot x \cdot x$

Because  $\pi$  is used as a factor 3 times, the exponent is 3.  
Because  $x$  is used as a factor 4 times, the exponent is 4.

So,  $\pi \cdot \pi \cdot \pi \cdot x \cdot x \cdot x \cdot x = \pi^3 x^4$ .

8.  $(-4) \cdot (-4) \cdot (-4) \cdot y \cdot y$

Because  $-4$  is used as a factor 3 times, the exponent is 3.  
Because  $y$  is used as a factor 2 times, the exponent is 2.

So,  $(-4) \cdot (-4) \cdot (-4) \cdot y \cdot y = (-4)^3 y^2$ .

9.  $6.4 \cdot 6.4 \cdot 6.4 \cdot 6.4 \cdot b \cdot b \cdot b$

Because  $6.4$  is used as a factor 4 times, the exponent is 4.  
Because  $b$  is used as a factor 3 times, the exponent is 3.

So,  $6.4 \cdot 6.4 \cdot 6.4 \cdot 6.4 \cdot b \cdot b \cdot b = (6.4)^4 b^3$ .

10.  $(-t) \cdot (-t) \cdot (-t) \cdot (-t) \cdot (-t)$

Because  $-t$  is used as a factor 5 times, the exponent is 5.

So,  $(-t) \cdot (-t) \cdot (-t) \cdot (-t) \cdot (-t) = (-t)^5$ .

11.  $5^2 = 5 \cdot 5 = 25$

12.  $-11^3 = -(11 \cdot 11 \cdot 11) = -1331$

13.  $(-1)^6 = (-1) \cdot (-1) \cdot (-1) \cdot (-1) \cdot (-1) \cdot (-1) = 1$

14.  $\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^6 = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{64}$

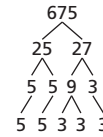
15.  $\left(-\frac{1}{12}\right)^2 = \left(-\frac{1}{12}\right) \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{12}\right) = \frac{1}{144}$

16.  $-\left(\frac{1}{9}\right)^3 = -\left(\frac{1}{9} \cdot \frac{1}{9} \cdot \frac{1}{9}\right) = -\frac{1}{729}$

17. The negative sign is not part of the base;

$-6^2 = -(6 \cdot 6) = -36$ .

18.



The prime factorization of 675 is  $5 \cdot 5 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3$ ,  
or  $5^2 \cdot 3^3$ .

19.  $-\left(\frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4}\right)$

Because  $\frac{1}{4}$  is used as a factor 4 times, the exponent is 4.

So,  $-\left(\frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4}\right) = -\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^4$ .

20. The largest doll is 12 inches and the other 3 are  $\frac{7}{10}$  the height of the next larger doll. Use  $\frac{7}{10}$  as a factor 3 times.

So, an expression for the height of the smallest doll is

$12 \cdot \frac{7}{10} \cdot \frac{7}{10} \cdot \frac{7}{10} = 12 \cdot \left(\frac{7}{10}\right)^3$ .

$12 \cdot \left(\frac{7}{10}\right)^3 = 12 \cdot \frac{343}{1000} = 4.116$

The height of the smallest doll is 4.116 inches.

21.  $5 + 3 \cdot 2^3 = 5 + 3 \cdot 8 = 5 + 24 = 29$

22.  $2 + 7 \cdot (-3)^2 = 2 + 7 \cdot 9 = 2 + 63 = 65$

23.  $(13^2 - 12^2) \div 5 = (169 - 144) \div 5 = 25 \div 5 = 5$

24.  $\frac{1}{2}(4^3 - 6 \cdot 3^2) = \frac{1}{2}(64 - 6 \cdot 9)$   
 $= \frac{1}{2}(64 - 54)$   
 $= \frac{1}{2}(10)$   
 $= 5$

25.  $\left|\frac{1}{2}(7 + 5^3)\right| = \left|\frac{1}{2}(7 + 125)\right| = \left|\frac{1}{2}(132)\right| = |66| = 66$

26.  $\left|-\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 \div \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^2\right| = \left|-\frac{1}{8} \div \frac{1}{16}\right| = \left|-\frac{1}{8} \cdot \frac{16}{1}\right| = |-2| = 2$

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27.

$h$	1	2
$2^h - 1$	$2^1 - 1 = 1$	$2^2 - 1 = 3$
$2^{h-1}$	$2^{1-1} = 2^0 = 1$	$2^{2-1} = 2^1 = 2$

$h$	3	4
$2^h - 1$	$2^3 - 1 = 7$	$2^4 - 1 = 15$
$2^{h-1}$	$2^{3-1} = 2^2 = 4$	$2^{4-1} = 2^3 = 8$

$h$	5
$2^h - 1$	$2^5 - 1 = 31$
$2^{h-1}$	$2^{5-1} = 2^4 = 16$

You should choose getting paid  $2^h - 1$  dollars because when you work more than 1 hour, you will get paid more than the other option.

28. a.  $C = 100(0.99988)^t = 100(0.99988)^4 \approx 99.95$

After 4 years, the amount of carbon-14 remaining is about 99.95 grams.

b. percent remaining =  $\frac{\text{amount remaining}}{\text{original amount}}$

$$= \frac{99.95}{100}$$

$$= 99.95\%$$

After 4 years, 99.95% of the carbon-14 remains.

29. a. To travel from A-440 to A, it takes 12 notes.

b.  $F = 440(1.0595)^n = 440(1.0595)^{12} \approx 880$

The frequency of A is about 880 vibrations per second.

c. *Sample answer:* For a 12-note increase, the frequency approximately doubles.

## Fair Game Review

30. The statement  $8 \cdot x = x \cdot 8$  represents the Commutative Property of Multiplication.

31. The statement  $(2 \cdot 10)x = 2(10 \cdot x)$  represents the Associative Property of Multiplication.

32. The statement  $3(x \cdot 1) = 3x$  represents the Identity Property of Multiplication.

33. B;  $\frac{x}{18} = \frac{24}{27}$

$$\frac{x}{18} = \frac{8}{9}$$

$$x = 16$$

## Section 10.2

### 10.2 Activity (pp. 416–417)

1. a.

Product	Repeated Multiplication Form	Power
$2^2 \cdot 2^4$	$2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2$	$2^6$
$(-3)^2 \cdot (-3)^4$	$(-3) \cdot (-3) \cdot (-3) \cdot (-3) \cdot (-3) \cdot (-3)$	$(-3)^6$
$7^3 \cdot 7^2$	$7 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 \cdot 7$	$7^5$
$5.1^1 \cdot 5.1^6$	$5.1 \cdot 5.1 \cdot 5.1 \cdot 5.1 \cdot 5.1 \cdot 5.1$	$5.1^7$
$(-4)^2 \cdot (-4)^2$	$(-4) \cdot (-4) \cdot (-4) \cdot (-4)$	$(-4)^4$
$10^3 \cdot 10^5$	$10 \cdot 10 \cdot 10 \cdot 10 \cdot 10 \cdot 10 \cdot 10 \cdot 10 \cdot 10$	$10^8$
$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^5 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^5$	$\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2}$	$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{10}$

b. To find the product of two powers with the same base, add their exponents.

$$a^m \cdot a^n = a^{m+n}$$

c.  $2^2 \cdot 2^4 = 2^{2+4} = 2^6$

$$(-3)^2 \cdot (-3)^4 = (-3)^{2+4} = (-3)^6$$

$$7^3 \cdot 7^2 = 7^{3+2} = 7^5$$

$$5.1^1 \cdot 5.1^6 = 5.1^{1+6} = 5.1^7$$

$$(-4)^2 \cdot (-4)^2 = (-4)^{2+2} = (-4)^4$$

$$10^3 \cdot 10^5 = 10^{3+5} = 10^8$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^5 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^5 = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{5+5} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{10}$$

Using the rule to simplify the products results in the values in the third column of the table in part (a).

d.  $2^6 = 64$

$$(-3)^6 = 729$$

$$7^5 = 16,807$$

$$5.1^7 \approx 89,741.1$$

$$(-4)^4 = 256$$

$$10^8 = 100,000,000$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{10} = \frac{1}{1024}$$