

Section 6.1

1-17: Simplify. Do not leave zero or negative exponents in answers.

$$1. (2xy^3)^2(x^2y^4) \quad 2. \frac{(5x^2y^4)^2}{(-xy^5)^3} \quad 3. \frac{x^2}{8y^3} \cdot \left(\frac{2y}{x^2}\right)^4$$

$$4. \frac{3x^{-2}y^{-3}}{9x^5y^{-4}} \quad 5. \left(\frac{-5}{3}\right)^{-4} \quad 6. (2^{-1} \cdot 3^0 \cdot 5^{-1})^{-1}$$

$$7. \left(\frac{3x^{-1}}{2y^2}\right)^{-3} \quad 8. \frac{(xy^{-2})^{-1}}{(x^2y)^{-2}} \quad 9. \left(\frac{5x^{-1}}{y^{-2}}\right)^{-2} \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{-3}$$

For #10-17, $m > 1$ and $n > 1$.

$$10. x^{m+n} \cdot x^m \cdot x^{m-n} \quad 11. x^2(x^{n-1})^2 \quad 12. x(x^{m+1} + 3x^m + x^{m-1})$$

$$13. (x^{m-n})^m(x^{m+n})^n \quad 14. x^{2n}(x^{2n+1} - x^{3n-2}) \quad 15. \frac{(x^n)^3}{x^n x^3}$$

$$16. \frac{x^n y^{n+1}}{x^{n-1} y^n} \quad 17. \frac{x^{n-1} y^{2n}}{x^{n+1} (y^2)^{n-1}}$$

$$18. \text{Factor: } 1 - 3x^{-1} + 4x^{-2} = x^{-2}(\quad) \quad 19. \text{Solve for } k: 3(9)^{4k} = (3^3)^k$$

Section 6.3 Extra Fun

#1-5: Simplify completely.

$$1. (4x^2 - 7x + 13)(x^2 - 10x - 9) \quad 2. (x^{3n} + 1)(x^{3n} - 1) \quad 3. (x^{2n} + y^n)^2$$

$$4. (x+y)^2 - (x-y)^2 \quad 5. 5[2(3x^2 - 1) + (9 - 3x)] - 2(2x - 9)$$

$$6. \text{Find all values of } k \text{ so that the equation is an identity. } (kx + 3)^2 = 4x^2 + 6xk + 9$$

$$7. \text{What polynomial must be subtracted from } 5x^3 - 7x^2 + 4 \text{ to obtain } -x^3 - 7x^2 + 5x - 6?$$

$$8. \text{Find } a, b, c, \text{ and } d \text{ so that the equation is an identity. } (a + 8y^3 - 3by^2) - (9y^2 + 6 + 5cy^3 - dy) = 8y^3 - 4 + y$$

$$9. \text{(review) Write the equation of a parabola in vertex form that is tangent to the } x\text{-axis, has } y\text{-intercept } 18, \text{ and passes through } (2, 18).$$