

# Trig 1-5 Simplifying Expressions and Negative Exponents

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Simplify. Display answers without negative exponents.

\_\_\_\_\_ 1.  $\frac{n^4 y^3}{n^2 y^5}$

\_\_\_\_\_ 11.  $\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{-1}$

\_\_\_\_\_ 2.  $\frac{4a^3 b^5 c}{6a^2 b^3 c}$

\_\_\_\_\_ 12.  $\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^{-2}$

\_\_\_\_\_ 3.  $\frac{-8ny}{10ny^3}$

\_\_\_\_\_ 13.  $\left(\frac{a^3}{a^{-2}}\right)^2$

\_\_\_\_\_ 4.  $\frac{n^6}{y^{10}} \cdot \frac{y^{12}}{n^5}$

\_\_\_\_\_ 14.  $\left(\frac{a^3}{a^{-2}}\right)^{-2}$

\_\_\_\_\_ 5.  $\frac{a^2 bc^3 d}{ab^4 cd^2}$

\_\_\_\_\_ 15.  $(3a^{-5})^2$

\_\_\_\_\_ 6.  $n^{-4} \cdot n^7$

\_\_\_\_\_ 16.  $(3a^{-5})^{-2}$

\_\_\_\_\_ 7.  $n^{-3} \cdot y^5 \cdot n^{-2} \cdot y^{-3}$

\_\_\_\_\_ 17.  $\left(\frac{a^{-2} b^2}{ab^{-4} c}\right)^{-2}$

\_\_\_\_\_ 8.  $\frac{n^{-3} a}{n^2 a^{-2}}$

\_\_\_\_\_ 18.  $\left(\frac{2x^4 y^{-1}}{5x^3 yz}\right)^{-2}$

\_\_\_\_\_ 9.  $\frac{c^3 w^{-5} h^{-1}}{c^{-1} w^{-2} h}$

\_\_\_\_\_ 19.  $(2s^{-3} t^2 u^{-1} d)^{-3}$

\_\_\_\_\_ 10.  $\frac{y^3 e^{-5} s^3}{y^7 e^2 s^{-4}}$

\_\_\_\_\_ 20.  $(-1)^{-1}$

## SAT Questions

- \_\_\_\_\_ **21.** Which of the following is equal to  $(7^8 \times 7^9)^{10}$ ?
- A.  $7^{27}$       B.  $7^{82}$       C.  $7^{170}$       D.  $49^{170}$       E.  $49^{720}$
- \_\_\_\_\_ **22.** If a certain number is doubled and the result is increased by 7, the number obtained is 19. What is the original number?
- \_\_\_\_\_ **23.** If the average (arithmetic mean) of  $x$ ,  $5x$ , and  $6x$  is 8, what is the value  $x$ ?
- A. 1      B. 2      C. 3      D. 4      E. 5
- \_\_\_\_\_ **24.** If  $4(x + 3) = 15$ , then what is the value of  $4x + 3$ ?
- \_\_\_\_\_ **25.** If  $b$  represents a positive integer, which of the following expressions necessarily represents an even integer?
- A.  $2b$       B.  $b + 2$       C.  $2b + 1$       D.  $3b$       E.  $2b - 1$