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Which of the following is equivalent to $\left(a^{8}\right)^{24}$ ?

## CORRECT ANSWER

$-9 x^{3} y^{2}$

## DISTRACTORS

| $-40 x^{3} y^{2}$ | $-32 x^{3} y^{2}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| $-9 x^{5} y^{4}$ | $-9 x^{4} y^{3}$ |

## CORRECT ANSWER

$a^{192}$

## DISTRACTORS

| $192 a$ | $32 a$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| $8 a^{24}$ | $a^{32}$ |

## QUESTION

Which of the following is equivalent to $\left(3 x^{3}\right)^{-2}$ ?

## CORRECT ANSWER

$\frac{1}{9 x^{6}}$
DISTRACTORS

| $\frac{1}{9 x^{9}}$ | $\frac{3}{x^{6}}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| $-6 x^{3}$ | $-9 x^{6}$ |

## QUESTION

For any nonzero value of $y,\left(y^{-5}\right)^{3}=$ ?

## CORRECT ANSWER

$$
\frac{1}{y^{15}}
$$

## DISTRACTORS

| $\frac{1}{y^{2}}$ | $y^{8}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| $y^{15}$ | $y^{125}$ |

## QUESTION

$3 x^{5} \cdot 7 x^{9}$ is equivalent to:

## CORRECT ANSWER

| $21 x^{14}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| DISTRACTORS |  |
| $10 x^{4}$ | $10 x^{14}$ |
| $10 x^{45}$ | $21 x^{45}$ |

## QUESTION

For all $\mathrm{x}, 2(-3 x)^{2}$ is equivalent to:

## CORRECT ANSWER

$18 x^{2}$

## DISTRACTORS

| $-36 x^{2}$ | $-18 x^{2}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| $-6 x^{2}$ | $36 x^{2}$ |

## QUESTION

For all positive values of $s, t$, and $h$, which of the following is equivalent to $\frac{\left(s^{2}\right)^{3} t^{2}(t)^{3}}{h^{-2}}$ ?

## CORRECT ANSWER

$s^{6} t^{5} h^{2}$
DISTRACTORS

| $s^{5} t^{6} h^{2}$ | $s^{6} t^{6} h^{2}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| $\frac{s^{5} t^{6}}{h^{2}}$ | $\frac{s^{6} t^{5}}{h^{2}}$ |

## QUESTION

Which of the following expressions is equivalent to $\frac{(3 x)^{2}}{x^{5}} ?$

## CORRECT ANSWER

$$
\frac{9}{x^{3}}
$$

## DISTRACTORS

| $\frac{3}{x^{3}}$ | $\frac{6}{x^{3}}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| $3 x^{7}$ | $6 x^{7}$ |

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$4 b^{8} \cdot 5 b^{3}$ is equivalent to:

## CORRECT ANSWER

$20 b^{11}$

## DISTRACTORS

| $9 b^{5}$ | $9 b^{11}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| $9 b^{24}$ | $20 b^{24}$ |

## QUESTION

For all positive real numbers x , which of the following expressions is equivalent to $\frac{\left(\frac{x^{24}}{x^{6}}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{x^{2}}\right)}$ ?

## CORRECT ANSWER

$x^{20}$

## DISTRACTORS

| $x^{2}$ | $x^{8}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| $x^{12}$ | $x^{16}$ |


| QUESTION |
| :---: |
| For nonzero values of $x$ and $y$, which of the following <br> expressions is equivalent to $\frac{18 x^{3} y^{2}}{3 x y} ?$ |
| CORRECT ANSWER |
| $-6 x^{2} y$ |
| DISTRACTORS |
| $-6 x^{3} y^{2}$ |
| $-15 x^{2} y$ |

## QUESTION

$3 x^{9} \cdot 5 x^{9}$ is equivalent to:

## CORRECT ANSWER

$15 x^{18}$

## DISTRACTORS

| $8 x^{18}$ | $8 x^{81}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| $15 x^{9}$ | $15 x^{81}$ |

## QUESTION

Which of the following expressions is equivalent to $\left(x^{5} y^{3} z^{2}\right)\left(x^{4} y^{3} z^{6}\right)$ for all real values of $\mathrm{x}, \mathrm{y}$, and z ?

## CORRECT ANSWER

$$
x^{9} y^{6} z^{8}
$$

## DISTRACTORS

| $x^{9} y^{9} z^{8}$ | $x^{20} y^{6} z^{8}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| $x^{20} y^{9} z^{12}$ | $x^{21} y^{6} z^{12}$ |

## QUESTION

For all $a>0$, which of the following expressions is equal to $a^{-2}$ ?

## CORRECT ANSWER

$$
\frac{1}{a^{2}}
$$

## DISTRACTORS

| $-2 a$ | $-a^{2}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| $\frac{1}{2 a}$ | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{a}}$ |

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Whenever x and y are nonzero, $\frac{\left(8 x^{5} y^{4}\right)\left(6 x^{13} y^{3}\right)}{16 x^{6} y^{14}}=$ ?

## CORRECT ANSWER

$$
\frac{1}{(3+x)^{100}}
$$

## DISTRACTORS

| $-3^{100}-x^{100}$ | $-300-100 x$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| $\frac{1}{3^{100}}+\frac{1}{x^{100}}$ | $\frac{1}{(3 x)^{100}}$ |

## CORRECT ANSWER

$$
\frac{3 x^{12}}{y^{7}}
$$

## DISTRACTORS

| $3 x^{3} y^{2}$ | $\frac{3 x^{3}}{y^{2}}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| $\frac{3 x^{6}}{16 y^{21}}$ | $\frac{3 x^{59}}{y^{2}}$ |

## QUESTION

Which of the following is equivalent to $\left(a^{3}\right)^{21}$ ?

## CORRECT ANSWER

$a^{63}$

## DISTRACTORS

| $63 a$ | $24 a$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| $3 a^{21}$ | $a^{24}$ |

