

## 6.1 Properties of Exponents DAY THREE

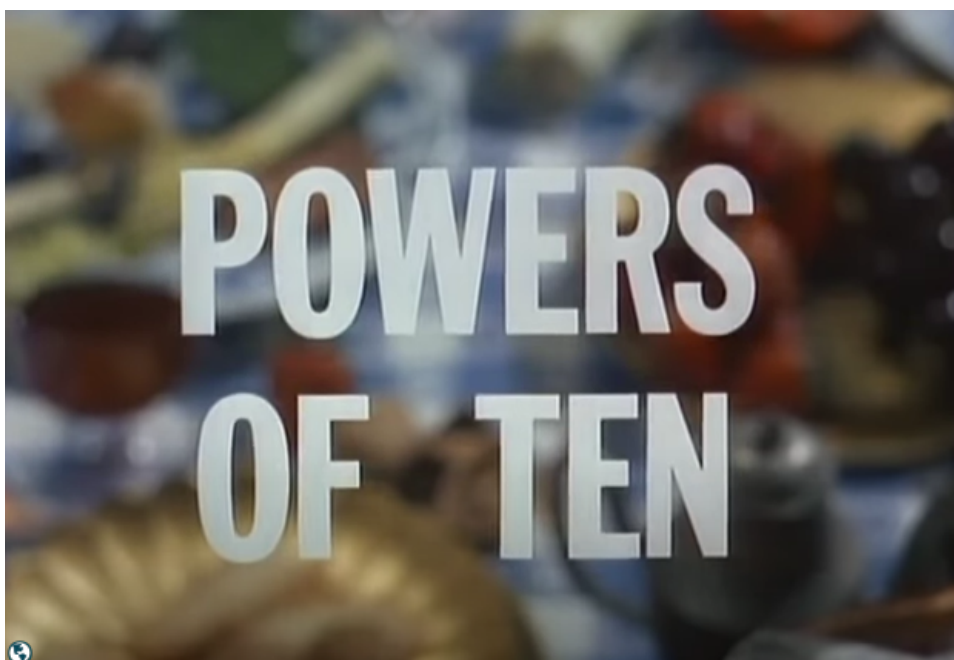
Warm-up: review of scientific notation

a) If the exponent is negative, which direction does the decimal move?

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b) When your calculator does scientific notation it gives you an E or EE. What does this stand for in your scientific notation?

$\times 10$



How to relate real-life problems to the "Powers of 10"

<https://www.fastcompany.com/1662461/how-to-apply-eamess-legendary-powers-of-10-to-real-life-problems>

## Writing Numbers in Scientific Notation

<p>When the number is greater than or equal to 1, use a positive exponent.</p>	<p><math>84,000 = 8.4 \times 10^4</math></p> <p><i>The decimal point moves 4 places.</i></p>
<p>When the number is less than 1, use a negative exponent.</p>	<p><math>0.0783 = 7.83 \times 10^{-2}</math></p> <p><i>The decimal point moves 2 places.</i></p>

**Examples:** Write each number in scientific notation.

1) 58,927

$5.8927 \times 10^4$

2) 0.000487

$4.87 \times 10^{-4}$

3) 0.000059

$5.9 \times 10^{-5}$

4) 13,300

$1.33 \times 10^4$

**Practice:** Write each number in scientific notation.

1) 1,304,000,000

$1.304 \times 10^9$

2) 0.000028

$2.8 \times 10^{-5}$

3) 6,730,000

$6.73 \times 10^6$

4) 0.0417

$4.17 \times 10^{-2}$

**Examples:** Write each number in standard notation.

1)  $4 \times 10^5$

400,000  
400,000

2)  $8.3 \times 10^{-4}$

0.00083  
0.00083

3)  $2.97 \times 10^{-2}$

0.0297  
0.0297

4)  $8.456 \times 10^7$

84,560,000  
84,560,000

**Practice:** Write each number in standard notation.

1)  $1.8499 \times 10^9$

1,849,900,000  
1,849,900,000

2)  $3.582 \times 10^{-6}$

0.000003582  
0.000003582

3)  $6.41 \times 10^3$

6,410  
6,410

4)  $9.06 \times 10^{-5}$

0.0000906  
0.0000906

## EXAMPLES: Circle the BEST answer.

1)  $8 \times 10^5$  is 2/20/200/2,000 times as great as  $4 \times 10^2$ .

400

2)  $4 \times 10^{-5}$  is 0.02/0.2/2/20 times as great as  $2 \times 10^{-4}$ .

$$2 \cdot 10^{-1} = .2$$

$$\frac{4 \cdot 10^{-5}}{2 \cdot 10^{-4}} = 10^{-5-(-4)}$$

3) The mass of a proton is about  $1.7 \times 10^{-24}$  g. The mass of a neutron is about the same as a proton. The nucleus of an atom of carbon has 6 protons and 6 neutrons. The mass of the nucleus is about  $2 \times 10^{-26}$  units. Circle the best choice for the units this measurement is given in: g/kg/tons

**PRACTICE: Circle the BEST answer.**

1)  $9 \times 10^{10}$  is  $30/300/3,000/30,000$  times as great as  $3 \times 10^7$ .

$$\frac{9 \cdot 10^{10}}{3 \cdot 10^7} = 3 \cdot 10^3 = 3000$$

2)  $4 \times 10^{-12}$  is  $0.00001/0.0001/10/1000$  times as great as  $4 \times 10^{-8}$ .

$$\frac{4 \cdot 10^{-12}}{4 \cdot 10^{-8}} = 1 \cdot 10^{-12-(-8)} = 1 \cdot 10^{-4} = 0.0001$$

3) The air distance between Los Angeles, California, and New York City, New York, is about  $3.9 \times 10^3$  units. Circle the best choice for the units this measurement is given in: cm / m / **km**

$$3.9 \times 10^3 = 3900$$

**Example:** Evaluate the expression. Write your answer in scientific notation and standard form.

1)  $(3 \times 10^2)(1.5 \times 10^{-5})$

$$3 \cdot 1.5 \cdot 10^2 \cdot 10^{-5}$$

$$\boxed{4.5 \cdot 10^{-3}}$$

$$\boxed{0.0045}$$

2)  $\frac{(6.4 \times 10^7)}{(1.6 \times 10^5)}$  =  $\boxed{4 \cdot 10^2}$   
 $\boxed{400}$

**Practice:** Evaluate the expression. Write your answer in scientific notation and standard form.

1)  $(6.1 \times 10^{-3})(8 \times 10^9)$

$$48.8 \times 10^6$$

$$(4.88 \cdot 10^1)(10^6)$$

$$\boxed{4.88 \cdot 10^7}$$

$$\boxed{48,800,000}$$

2)  $\frac{(3.9 \times 10^{-5})}{(7.8 \times 10^{-8})} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 10^{-5-(-8)}$

$$0.5 \cdot 10^3$$

$$(5 \cdot 10^1) \cdot 10^3$$

$$5 \cdot 10^2$$

$$\boxed{500}$$

Prefix	Power	Decimal	Name
yotta	$10^{24}$	1,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000	septillion
zetta	$10^{21}$	1,000,000,000,000,000,000,000	sextillion
exa	$10^{18}$	1,000,000,000,000,000,000	quintillion
peta	$10^{15}$	1,000,000,000,000,000	quadrillion
tera	$10^{12}$	1,000,000,000,000	trillion
giga	$10^9$	1,000,000,000	billion
mega	$10^6$	1,000,000	million
kilo	$10^3$	1,000	thousand
(none)	$10^0$	1	one
milli	$10^{-3}$	.001	thousandth
micro	$10^{-6}$	.000 001	millionth
nano	$10^{-9}$	.000 000 001	billionth
pico	$10^{-12}$	.000 000 000 001	trillionth
femto	$10^{-15}$	.000 000 000 000 001	quadrillionth
atto	$10^{-18}$	.000 000 000 000 000 001	quintillionth
zepto	$10^{-21}$	.000 000 000 000 000 000 001	sextillionth
yocto	$10^{-24}$	.000 000 000 000 000 000 000 001	septillionth

E+24

E+21

E+18

....

E-18

E-21

E-24

Write each number using calculator notation.

a)  $7.5 \times 10^5$

7.5E5

b)  $3 \times 10^{-7}$

3E-7

c)  $2.7 \times 10^{13}$

2.7E13

Write each number using scientific notation.

a)  $4.5E-1$

$4.5 \cdot 10^{-1}$

0.45

b)  $5.6E12$

$5.6 \cdot 10^{12}$

c)  $6.98E-8$

$6.98 \cdot 10^{-8}$

## Real-Life Application Example

In 2012, on average, about  $9.46 \times 10^{-1}$  pound of potatoes was produced for every  $2.3 \times 10^{-5}$  acre harvested. How many pounds of potatoes on average were produced for each acre harvested? Write your answer in scientific notation and in standard form.

$$\frac{9.46 \cdot 10^{-1} \text{ lbs}}{2.3 \cdot 10^{-5} \text{ acre}}$$

$$10^{-1+5}$$

$$\boxed{4.113 \cdot 10^4}$$

## Real-Life Application Practice:

The speed of light is approximately  $3 \times 10^5$  kilometers per second. How long does it take sunlight to reach Jupiter? Write your answer in scientific notation and in standard form.

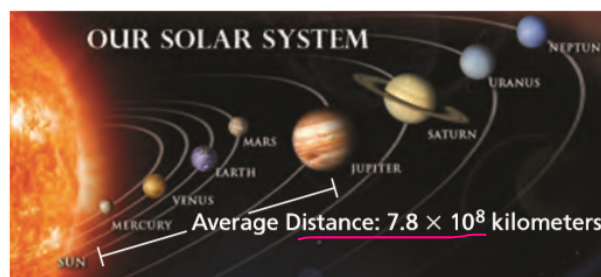
$$d = r \cdot t$$

$$\frac{d}{r} = t$$

$$\frac{7.8 \cdot 10^8}{3 \cdot 10^5}$$

$$2.6 \times 10^3$$

$$\boxed{2600 \text{ sec}}$$



## Real-life Application Practice AGAIN:

A byte is a unit used to measure a computer's memory. The table shows the numbers of bytes in several units of measure.

Unit	kilobyte	megabyte	gigabyte	terabyte
Number of bytes	$2^{10}$	$2^{20}$	$2^{30}$	$2^{40}$

a) How many kilobytes are in 1 terabyte?  $2^{30}$

$$2^{10} \cdot 2^3 \quad 2^{10} \cdot \square = 2^{40}$$

b) How many megabytes are in 16 gigabytes?

$$16 \cdot 2^{10} = 16,384$$

c) Another unit used to measure a computers memory is a bit. There are 8 bits in a byte. How can you convert the number of bytes in each unit of measure given in the table to bits? Can you still use a base of 2? Explain.

$$2^3 \\ 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2$$

## 6.1 Day Three Assignment

### Scientific Notation Practice Worksheet