

Write the product using exponents.

1. $(-15) \cdot (-15) \cdot (-15)$

2. $\left(\frac{1}{12}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{1}{12}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{1}{12}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{1}{12}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{1}{12}\right)$

Evaluate the expression.

3. -2^3

4.
$$10 + 3^3 \div 9$$

Simplify the expression. Write your answer as a power.

5.
$$9^{10} \cdot 9$$
 6. $(6^6)^5$



8. $\frac{(-3.5)^{13}}{(-3.5)^9}$

Evaluate the expression.

9.
$$5^{-2} \cdot 5^2$$

10.
$$\frac{-8}{(-8)^3}$$

Write the number in standard form.

11. 3×10^7

12. 9.05×10^{-3}

Evaluate the expression. Write your answer in scientific notation. 13. $(7.8 \times 10^7) + (9.9 \times 10^7)$ 14. $(6.4 \times 10^5) - (5.4 \times 10^4)$

Evaluate the expression. Write your answer in scientific notation.

15. $(3.1 \times 10^6) \times (2.7 \times 10^{-2})$ **16.** $(9.6 \times 10^7) \div (1.2 \times 10^{-4})$

17. CRITICAL THINKING Is $(xy^2)^3$ the same as $(xy^3)^2$? Explain.

19. TASTE BUDS There are about 10,000 taste buds on a human tongue. Write this number in scientific notation.

20. LEAD From 1978 to 2008, the amount of lead allowed in the air in the United States was 1.5×10^{-6} gram per cubic meter. In 2008, the amount allowed was reduced by 90%. What is the new amount of lead allowed in the air?