

# Day 1~ Scientific Notation HW

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1. Which expression is equivalent to  $\frac{5^{12} \cdot 7}{5^2 \cdot 7^2}$ ?

A.  $\frac{5^6}{7^2}$

B.  $\frac{5^6}{7}$

**C.  $\frac{5^{10}}{7}$**

D.  $\frac{5^{10}}{7^2}$

*Handwritten work:*  

$$\frac{5^{12} \cdot 7^1}{5^2 \cdot 7^2}$$

$$5^{12-2} \cdot 7^{1-2}$$

$$5^{10} \cdot 7^{-1}$$

$$\frac{5^{10} \cdot \cancel{7^1}}{7^1}$$

2. What is the value of  $\sqrt{0.04}$ ?

A.  $2 = 2 \cdot 2 = 4$

B.  $0.2 = .2 \cdot .2 = .04$

C.  $0.02 = .02 \cdot .02 = .0004$

3. A small paper clip weighs about 0.0005 kilogram. What is 0.0005 written in scientific notation?

**A.  $5 \times 10^{-4}$**

B.  $5 \times 10^{-3}$

C.  $5 \times 10^3$

D.  $5 \times 10^4$

*Handwritten work:*  

$$0.0005$$

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

4. What is the value of 0.002 written in scientific notation?

**A.  $2 \times 10^{-3}$**

B.  $2 \times 10^{-2}$

C.  $2 \times 10^2$

*Handwritten work:*  

$$0.002$$

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

D.  $2 \times 10^3$

5. The average distance from Earth to the Moon is approximately 238,855 miles. Which expression is the best estimate of this distance?

**A.  $2 \times 10^5$  miles**

B.  $3 \times 10^5$  miles

C.  $2 \times 10^6$  miles

D.  $3 \times 10^6$  miles

*Handwritten work:*  

$$238,855$$
 rounded because it is an estimate  $\uparrow$  closer to 2  

$$2.4 \times 10^5$$

6. What is the standard form of  $7.95 \times 10^8$ ?

**A. 795,000,000**

B. 7,950,000,000

C. 79,500,000,000

*Handwritten work:*  

$$7.95 \times 10^8$$

$$7,950,000,000$$

7. The speed of light is about  $3.0 \times 10^8$  meters per second. The speed of sound at sea level is about  $3.0 \times 10^2$  meters per second. About how many times faster is the speed of light than sound?

A. 1,000

B. 6,000

**C. 1,000,000**

D. 3,000,000

*Handwritten work:*  

$$\frac{3.0 \times 10^8}{3.0 \times 10^2}$$

$$\frac{3.0}{3.0} \times 10^{8-2}$$

$$1 \times 10^{8-2}$$

$$1 \times 10^6$$

$$1,000,000$$

8. In 2005, about 3.1 billion books were sold in the United States. How is the number of books sold written in scientific notation?

A.  $3.1 \times 10^6$

B.  $3.1 \times 10^7$

C.  $3.1 \times 10^8$

D.  $3.1 \times 10^9$

3,100,000,000  
 ↑     ↑     ↑  
 Billion Million Thousands  
3,100,000,000  
 $3.1 \times 10^9$

9. The measure of a virus is 0.000085 cm. How is the measure of the virus written in scientific notation?

A.  $8.5 \times 10^5$

B.  $8.5 \times 10^{-4}$

C.  $8.5 \times 10^{-5}$

0.000085  
0.000085  
 $8.5 \times 10^{-5}$

10. How many solutions does the equation  $3x - 2x + 4 = 2 + x + 2$  have?

A. no solution

B. one solution

C. two solutions

D. infinitely many solutions

$$3x - 2x + 4 = 2 + x + 2$$

$$1x + 4 = 4 + x$$

$x + 4 = x + 4 \leftarrow$  same equation, so infinitely many solutions

11. Which equation is equivalent to  $3(2x - 5) = 7(x + 2)$ ?

A.  $6x - 5 = 7x + 2$

B.  $6x + 5 = 7x + 2$

C.  $6x - 15 = 7x + 14$

D.  $6x + 15 = 7x + 14$

$$3(2x - 5) = 7(x + 2)$$

$$6x - 15 = 7x + 14$$

12. Which fraction is equal to  $0.555\dots$ ?

A.  $\frac{5}{11}$

B.  $\frac{1}{2}$

C.  $\frac{5}{9}$

D.  $\frac{5}{8}$

Steps

- ① Identify digits repeating - 5
  - ② Are the digits repeating directly after the decimal? yes
  - ③ Place repeating digit in numerator
  - ④ Place 9's is the denominator \* the # of 9's depends on the number of digits repeating
- $\frac{5}{9} \leftarrow$  repeating #  
 $9 \leftarrow$  one 9 because one digit repeats