

SURDS AND INDICES

* **Indices** :- An Indices is a rational number with a rational power.

घातांक :- एक परिमेय संख्या जिसकी घात भी परिमेय होती है।

$$\text{Ex:- } 3^5, 10^{10}, 4^{-2} = \frac{1}{4^2}$$

* **Surds** :- An Irrational number with a power.

करणी :- एक अपरिमेय संख्या जिसकी कोई घात होती है।

$$\text{Ex:- } \sqrt{5}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{10}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} a^m \rightarrow \text{Power} \\ \downarrow \\ \text{base} \end{array}$$

LAWS OF INDICES (घातांक के नियम)

$$1. (a^m)^n = a^{m \times n}$$

$$2. a^{m^n} = a^{m \times m \times m \times \dots \times n \text{ बार}}$$

$$3. a^m \times a^n = a^{m+n}$$

$$4. a^m \times b^m = (a \times b)^m$$

$$5. a^0 = 1$$

$$6. a^{-b} = \frac{1}{a^b} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{a^{-b}} = a^{+b}$$

$$7. \frac{a^m}{b^m} = \left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^m$$

$$8. \frac{a^m}{a^n} = a^{m-n}$$

$$9. a^m = a^n \Rightarrow m = n$$

$$\text{Ex:- } 2^{3^{10}}$$

$$2^{3 \times 3 \times 3 \dots 10 \text{ बार}}$$

$$\text{Ex:- } 2^3 \times 2^4 = 2^7$$

$$\text{Ex:- } 2^4 \times 3^4 = (2 \times 3)^4 = 6^4$$

$$\text{Ex:- } 3^0 = 1, 1000^0 = 1$$

$$\text{Ex:- } 5^{-3} = \frac{1}{5^3}$$

$$\text{Ex:- } \frac{2^3}{3^3} = \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^3$$

$$\text{Ex:- } \frac{4^5}{4^3} = 4^{5-3} = 4^2$$

$$\text{Ex:- } 2^x = 2^3$$

$$(x=3)$$

Important formulae about indices:

घातांक से सम्बन्धित महत्वपूर्ण सूत्र:

If $a > 0, a \neq 1$, m and n are integers then

यदि $a > 0, a \neq 1$, तथा m और n पूर्णांक हो तो

(a) $a^m \times a^n = a^{m+n}$

(b) $a^m \times a^n \times a^p = a^{m+n+p}$

(c) $(a^m)^n = a^{mn}$

(d) $\frac{a^m}{a^n} = a^{m-n}$

(e) $a^0 = 1$

(f) $a^{-m} = \frac{1}{a^m}$

(g) $a^{m^n} = a^{(m^n)}$

(h) $(ab)^n = a^n b^n, (abc)^n = a^n b^n c^n$

Laws Of Surds (करणी के नियम)

1. $\sqrt[n]{a} = (a)^{\frac{1}{n}}$

Ex:- $\sqrt{2} = (2)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

$\sqrt[2]{3} = (3)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

2. $\frac{\sqrt[n]{a}}{\sqrt[n]{b}} = \sqrt[n]{\frac{a}{b}}$

$\sqrt[3]{5} = (5)^{\frac{1}{3}}$

$\sqrt[4]{7} = (7)^{\frac{1}{4}}$

Ex:- $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$

3. if, $a^x = b$
then $a = b^{\frac{1}{x}}$

Ex:- $x^3 = 216$

$x = (216)^{\frac{1}{3}}$

4. $a^x = b^y$
 $a = b^{\frac{y}{x}}$

5. $a^n = y$
 $a = y^{\frac{1}{n}}$

6. $a^x = b^y$
 $a^{\frac{1}{y}} = b^{\frac{1}{x}}$

Important formula for surd:

करणी से सम्बन्धित महत्वपूर्ण सूत्र:

(a) If (यदि) $a^n = y$ then (तो) $a = y^{1/n}$

(b) If (यदि) $a^x = b^y$ then (तो) $a = b^{y/x}$

(c) If (यदि) $a^x = b^y$ then (तो) $a^{1/y} = b^{1/x}$ etc.

(d) $x^n = a \Leftrightarrow x = \sqrt[n]{a}, (a \in R, a \geq 0)$

(e) If n is an odd positive integer and (यदि n एक विषम धन पूर्णांक है तथा) $a > 0$ then (तो) $\sqrt[n]{-a} = -\sqrt[n]{a}$ (here $m, n \geq 2$, and $a, b > 0$ then)

(f) $\sqrt[n]{a} = a^{\frac{1}{n}}$

(g) $(\sqrt[n]{a})^m = \sqrt[n]{a^m} = a^{\frac{m}{n}}$

(h) $\sqrt[n]{a} \cdot \sqrt[n]{b} = \sqrt[n]{ab}$

(i) $\frac{\sqrt[n]{a}}{\sqrt[n]{b}} = \sqrt[n]{\frac{a}{b}}$

(j) $\sqrt[n]{\sqrt[m]{a}} = \left(a^{\frac{1}{m}}\right)^{\frac{1}{n}} = a^{\frac{1}{mn}} = \sqrt[mn]{a}$

(k) $\sqrt[n]{a} \cdot \sqrt[m]{a} = a^{\frac{1}{n}} \times a^{\frac{1}{m}} = a^{\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{m}} = a^{\frac{m+n}{mn}} = \sqrt[mn]{a^{m+n}}$

(l) $\frac{\sqrt[n]{a}}{\sqrt[m]{a}} = \frac{a^{\frac{1}{n}}}{a^{\frac{1}{m}}} = a^{\frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{m}} = a^{\frac{m-n}{mn}} = \sqrt[mn]{a^{m-n}}$

TYPE-I

Q) $3^{\sqrt{x}} + 4^{\sqrt{x}} = 5^{\sqrt{x}}$ find x .

$$3^2 + 4^2 = 5^2$$

$\sqrt{x} = 2 \Rightarrow$ Square both side

$$x^{1/2} = 2$$

$$x = 2^2 = 4$$

$$x = 2^2 = 2^2 = 4$$

Q) $5^{\sqrt{x}} + 12^{\sqrt{x}} = 13^{\sqrt{x}}$ find x

$$5^2 + 12^2 = 13^2$$

$$\sqrt{x} = 2$$

$$x = 2^2 = 4$$

Q) If $3^{x+y} = 81$ and $81^{x-y} = 3$ then the value of $\frac{x}{y}$ is

$$3^{x+y} = 3^4$$

$$\boxed{x+y=4}$$

$$(3^4)^{(x-y)} = 3^1$$

$$3^{4(x-y)} = 3^1$$

$$4(x-y) = 1$$

$$\boxed{x-y = \frac{1}{4}}$$

$$a^m = a^n$$

$$\boxed{m=n}$$

$$\frac{x+y}{x-y} = \frac{4}{\frac{1}{4}} = \frac{16}{1}$$

C & D Rule $\frac{x}{y} = \frac{16+1}{16-1} = \frac{17}{15}$

Q) If $3^{x-1} + 3^{3-x} = 6$, then what is $2^{x-1} + 2^{3-x}$ equal

$$\frac{3^x}{3^1} + \frac{3^3}{3^x} = 6$$

$$\frac{3^{2x} + 3^4}{3 \times 3^x} = 6$$

$x=2$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 3^{2x} + 81 & = & 18 \times 3^x \\ 3^4 + 81 & & 18 \times 3^2 \\ 81 + 81 & & 18 \times 9 \\ 162 & = & 162 \end{array}$$

$$2^{x-1} + 2^{3-x}$$

$$2^{2-1} + 2^{3-2}$$

$$2^1 + 2^1$$

$$4$$

① $a^{m-n} = \frac{a^m}{a^n}$

② $a^{m+n} = a^m \times a^n$

Q) If $5^{x+1} - 5^{x-1} = 600$, then what is the value of 10^{2x} ?

$$5^1 \times 5^x - \frac{5^x}{5^1}$$

$$5^x \left(5 - \frac{1}{5} \right) = 600$$

$$5^x \left(\frac{24}{5} \right) = 600 \Rightarrow 25$$

$$5^x = 125 = 5^3$$

$$\boxed{x=3}$$

$$10^{2x}$$

$$10^{2 \times 3} = 10^6$$

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Q) If $3^{x+3} \times 9^{2x-5} = 3^{3x+7}$ then the value of x is :

$$3^{x+3} \times (3^2)^{2x-5}$$

$$3^{x+3} \times 3^{4x-10}$$

$$3^{5x-7} = 3^{3x+7}$$

$$5x-7 = 3x+7$$

$$2x = 14$$

$$x = 7$$

Q) If $\frac{4^x \times 16^8 \times 8^{\frac{2}{3}}}{2^{3x+2} \times (256)^3} = 32^{\frac{x}{2}+2}$ then the value of x is

$$\frac{2^{2x} \times (2^4)^8 \times (2^{\frac{2}{3}})^{\frac{2}{3}}}{2^{3x+2} \times (2^8)^3} = (2^5)^{\frac{x}{2}+2}$$

$$\frac{2^{2x} \times 2^{32} \times 2^2}{2^{3x+2} \times 2^{24}} = 2^{\frac{5x}{2}+10}$$

$$\frac{2^{2x} \times 2^8 \times 2^2}{2^{3x+2}} = \frac{2^{2x+10}}{2^{3x+2}}$$

$$2^{2x+10-3x-2}$$

$$= 2^{8-x}$$

$$2^{8-x} = 2^{\frac{5x}{2}+10}$$

$$8-x = \frac{5x}{2}+10$$

$$-2 = \frac{5x}{2}+x$$

$$-2 = \frac{7x}{2}$$

$$x = -\frac{4}{7}$$

Q) If $\sqrt{6}^5 \times (36)^2 = \sqrt[3]{6} \times 6^{\frac{x}{2}} \times 6\sqrt{6}$ then find the value

$$(6^{\frac{1}{2}})^5 \times (6^2)^2 = 6^{\frac{1}{3}} \times 6^{\frac{x}{2}} \times 6^1 \times 6^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$6^{\frac{5}{2}} \times 6^4 = 6^{\frac{1}{3} + \frac{x}{2} + 1 + \frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{11}{6} + \frac{x}{2}$$

$$6^{\frac{13}{2}} = 6^{\frac{22+6x}{12}}$$

$$\frac{22+6x}{12}$$

$$\frac{13}{2} = \frac{22+6x}{12}$$

$$22+6x=78$$

$$6x=56$$

$$x = \frac{56}{6} = \frac{28}{3}$$

$$\frac{28}{3}$$

1. $3^{\sqrt{x}} + 4^{\sqrt{x}} = 5^{\sqrt{x}}$ find x .

- (a) 2
- (b) 3
- (c) 4
- (d) 5

2. $3^x - 3^{x-1} = 486$. Find x

- (a) 7
- (b) 9
- (c) 5
- (d) 6

3. If $2^{n-1} + 2^{n+1} = 320$ then the value of n is

यदि $2^{n-1} + 2^{n+1} = 320$ तो n का मान है

- (a) 6
- (b) 8
- (c) 5
- (d) 7

4. $9^{(5x-2)} = 27^4$ find $x = ?$

- (a) 2
- (b) 3.2
- (c) 4
- (d) 1.6

5. If $27^{2n-1} = (243)^3$ then the value of n is :

यदि $27^{2n-1} = (243)^3$ तो n का मान है :

- (a) 3
- (b) 6
- (c) 7
- (d) 9

6. If $3^{x+y} = 81$ and $81^{x-y} = 3$ then the value of $\frac{x}{y}$ is

यदि $3^{x+y} = 81$ तथा $81^{x-y} = 3$ तो $\frac{x}{y}$ का मान क्या होगा?

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|---------------------|---------------------|
| (a) $\frac{15}{17}$ | (b) $\frac{17}{30}$ |
| (c) $\frac{15}{34}$ | (d) $\frac{17}{15}$ |

7. If $11\sqrt{n} = \sqrt{112} + \sqrt{343}$ then the value of n is:

यदि $11\sqrt{n} = \sqrt{112} + \sqrt{343}$ तो n का मान है

- (a) 3
- (b) 13
- (c) 11
- (d) 7

8. simplify $\frac{2^{3a} \times 3^{2a} \times 5^a \times 6^a}{8^a \times 9^{3a/2} \times 10^a}$

(a) 5

(b) 3

(c) 0

(d) 1

9. $\frac{18^4 \times 27^3 \times 36^5}{(1024) \times (243)^4} = (2^{1/2})^8 \times 3^{x/2}$, find the value of x

$\frac{18^4 \times 27^3 \times 36^5}{(1024) \times (243)^4} = (2^{1/2})^8 \times 3^{x/2}$, x का मान ज्ञात करें

(a) 14

(b) 21

(c) 7

(d) 16

10. The value of $\frac{(243)^{\frac{n}{5}} \times 3^{2n+1}}{9^n \times 3^{n-1}}$ is

$\frac{(243)^{\frac{n}{5}} \times 3^{2n+1}}{9^n \times 3^{n-1}}$ का मान है

(a) 3

(d) 9

(c) 6

(d) 12

ANSWER SHEET

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
C	D	D	D	A	D	D	D	A	B

Worksheet solution

Sol 1

$$3^{\sqrt{n}} + 4^{\sqrt{n}} = 5^{\sqrt{n}}$$

we know

$$3^2 + 4^2 = 5^2$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{n} = 2$$

$$n = 4$$

Sol 2

$$3^n - 3^{n-1} = 486$$

$$3^n \left[1 - \frac{1}{3} \right] = 486$$

$$3^n \left[\frac{2}{3} \right] = 486$$

$$3^n = \frac{486 \times 3}{2}$$

$$3^n = 3^6$$

$$\therefore n = 6$$

Sol 3

$$2^{n-1} + 2^{n+1} = 320$$

$$2^n \left[\frac{1}{2} + 2 \right] = 320$$

$$2^n = \frac{320 \times 2}{5}$$

$$2^n = 2^7$$

$$\therefore n = 7$$

Sol 4

$$9^{5n-2} = 27^4$$

$$3^{10n-4} = 3^{12} \left[27^4 = (3^3)^4 \right]$$

$$10n - 4 = 12$$

$$10n = 16$$

$$n = 1.6$$

Sol 5

$$27^{2n-1} = (243)^3$$

$$(3^3)^{2n-1} = (3^5)^3$$

$$3^{6n-3} = 3^{15}$$

$$6n - 3 = 15$$

$$6n = 18$$

$$n = 3$$

Sol 6

$$3^{n+y} = 81 \text{ \& } 81^{n-y} = 3$$

$$3^{n+y} = 3^4, \quad n+y = 4$$

$$\& (3^4)^{n-y} = 3^1, \quad 4n-4y = 1$$

$$4n + 4y = 16$$

$$4n - 4y = 1$$

$$8n = 17$$

and

$$8y = 15$$

$$\therefore \frac{n}{y} = \frac{17}{15}$$

Sol-7

$$11\sqrt{n} = \sqrt{112} + \sqrt{343}$$

$$11\sqrt{n} = 4\sqrt{7} + 7\sqrt{7}$$

$$11\sqrt{n} = 11\sqrt{7}$$

$$\therefore n = 7$$

Sol-8

$$\frac{2^{3a} \times 3^{2a} \times 5^a \times 6^a}{8^a \times 9^{3a/2} \times 10^a}$$

$$\frac{2^{3a} \times 3^{2a} \times 30^a}{2^{3a} \times (3^2)^{3a/2} \times 10^a}$$

$$\frac{2^{3a} \times 3^{2a} \times 30^a}{2^{3a} \times 3^{3a} \times 10^a}$$

$$3^{-a} \times 3^a = 1$$

Sol-9

$$\frac{18^4 \times 27^3 \times 36^5}{(1024) \times (243)} = (2^{1/2})^8 \times 3^{7/2}$$

$$\frac{(2 \times 3^2)^4 \times (3^3)^3 \times (2^2 \times 3^2)^5}{2^{10} \times (3^5)^4} = 2^4 \times 3^{\frac{7}{2}}$$

$$\frac{2^4 \times 2^{10} \times 3^9 \times 3^9 \times 3^{10}}{2^{10} \times 3^{20}} = 2^4 \times 3^{\frac{7}{2}}$$

$$2^4 \times 3^7 = 2^4 \times 3^{\frac{7}{2}}$$

$$3^7 = 3^{\frac{7}{2}}$$

$$7 = \frac{7}{2}$$

$$n = 14$$

Sol-10

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(243)^{\frac{n}{5}} \times 3^{2n+1}}{9^n \times 3^{n-1}}$$

$$= \frac{(3^5)^{\frac{n}{5}} \times 3^{2n+1}}{3^{2n} \times 3^{n-1}}$$

$$= \frac{3^n \times 3^{2n+1}}{3^2 \times 3^{n-1}}$$

$$= \frac{3^{3n} \times 3}{3^{3n} \times 3^{-1}} = 9$$