

## Unit 4.1 Zero and negative exponents PRACTICE

Period: \_\_\_\_\_

Simplify each expression.

1.  $13^0$

2.  $5^{-3}$

3.  $\frac{3}{3^{-4}}$

4.  $\frac{2}{4^{-1}}$

5.  $-(7)^{-2}$

6.  $46^{-1}$

7.  $-6^0$

8.  $-(12x)^{-2}$

9.  $\frac{1}{8^0}$

10.  $6bc^0$

11.  $-(11x)^0$

12.  $\left(\frac{2}{9}\right)^{-2}$

13.  $3m^{-8}p^0$

14.  $\frac{5a^{-4}}{2c}$

15.  $\frac{-3k^{-3}(mn)^3}{p^{-8}}$

16.  $\left(\frac{2m}{3n}\right)^{-3}$

17.  $8^{-2}q^3r^{-5}$

18.  $-(10a)^{-4}b^0$

19.  $\frac{11xy^{-1}z^0}{v^{-3}}$

20.  $\frac{5m^{-1}}{9(ab)^{-4}c^7}$

Evaluate each expression for  $a = -4$ ,  $b = 3$ , and  $c = 2$ .

21.  $3a^{-1}$

22.  $b^{-3}$

23.  $4a^2b^{-2}c^3$

24.  $9a^0c^4$

25.  $-a^{-2}$

26.  $(-c)^{-2}$

Write each number as a power of 10 using negative exponents.

27.  $\frac{1}{1000}$

28.  $\frac{1}{10}$

Write each expression as a decimal.

29.  $10^{-3}$

30.  $8 \cdot 10^{-4}$

31. The number of people who vote early doubles every week leading up to an election. This week 1200 people voted early. The expression  $1200 \cdot 2^w$  models the number of people who will vote early  $w$  weeks after this week. Evaluate the expression for  $w = -3$ . Describe what the value of the expression represents in the situation.
32. A pizza shop makes large pizzas with a target diameter of 16 inches. A pizza is acceptable if its diameter is within  $3 \cdot 2^{-2}$  in. of the target diameter. Let  $d$  represent the diameter of a pizza. Write an inequality for the range of acceptable large pizza diameters in inches.
33. **Open-ended** Choose a fraction to use as a value for the variable  $c$ . Find the values of  $c^{-1}$ ,  $c^{-3}$ , and  $c^3$ .