

8.2.5

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## Gr 8 Wiskunde / Mathematics

Eksponente / Exponents (5)

1.  $a^m \times a^n = a^{m+n}$
  2.  $a^m \div a^n = a^{m-n}$
  3.  $(a^m)^n = a^{m \times n}$
  4.  $a^0 = 1$
  5.  $a^{-m} = \frac{1}{a^m}$
  6.  $\sqrt[n]{a^m} = a^{\frac{m}{n}}$
- Alles gemeng  
Mixed calculations

a)  $2^3 x^4 \times 2^{-1} x^3$

$$= 2^{3-1} x^{4+3}$$

$$= 2^2 x^7 / 4x^7$$

1. Kyk na tipe bewerking? X

What type of calculation? X

- grondballe = / bases =

- eksp + / exp +

2. Skryf eerste grondtal<sup>exp</sup> neer  $2^3$ Write down every first base<sup>exp</sup>  $x^4$ 

3. Skryf eksponente by mekaar

Write exponents next to each other

b)  $\frac{3^4 a^2 b^{-3}}{3^2 a^4 b^{-5}}$

Ek "skuif" alles eers na "boonste vloer"

I always "move" everything to the "top"

 $\therefore$  tekens verander / signs change

$= 3^{4-2} a^{2-4} b^{-3+5}$

$= 3^2 a^{-2} b^2$

Wie is nie "happy" nie?

$= \frac{3^2 b^2}{a^2} / \frac{9b^2}{a^2}$

Which ones aren't "happy"?

 $\hookrightarrow$  basement

c)  $\frac{(3ab^{-2})^2}{b^{-3}} \times \left( \frac{3a^2b^0}{a^4b} \right)^3$

$= \frac{3^2 a^2 b^{-4}}{b^{-3}} \times \frac{3^3 a^6 b^0}{a^{12} b^3}$

$= 3^{2+3} a^{2+6-12} b^{-4+0+3-3}$

$= 3^5 a^{-6} b^{-4}$

Not happy?

$= \frac{3^5}{a^6 b^4}$