

Math Fact or Fiction?

State whether the statement is true or false.

1. $(xy)^n = x^n y^n$

2. $(2x)^2 = 2x^2$

3. $2(x)^n = (2x)^n$

4. $\frac{1}{x^{-n}} = x^n$

5. $\frac{a}{ax} = x$

6. $\frac{ab+ac}{a} = b + c$

7. $\frac{a}{ab+ac} = \frac{1}{b+c}$

8. $\frac{4x+3y}{w} = \frac{4x}{w} + \frac{3y}{w}$

9. $\frac{w}{4x+3y} = \frac{w}{4x} + \frac{w}{3y}$

10. $\frac{ab+c+d}{aw} = \frac{b+c+d}{w}$

11. $\frac{\log a}{\log b} = \log a - \log b$

12. $\log(a - b) = \frac{\log a}{\log b}$

13. $\log(a + b) = \log a \log b$

14. $\log ab = \log a + \log b$

15. $\frac{\ln a}{\ln b} = \frac{a}{b}$

16. *If $\ln a = \ln b$, then $a = b$.*

17. $x \log a^w = \log a^{xw}$

18. $-2^4 = 16$

19. $-x^2 = x^2$

20. $\frac{\frac{a}{b}}{c} = \frac{ac}{b}$

21. $\frac{\frac{a}{b}}{c} = \frac{ab}{c}$

22. $\frac{\sqrt{xy}}{x} = \sqrt{y}$

23. $\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = x + y$

24. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y}} = \sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y}$

25. $\frac{1}{0} = 0$

26. $x^0 = 1$

27. $\frac{a}{b} + \frac{c}{d} = \frac{a+c}{b+d}$

28. $\frac{a}{b} \cdot \frac{c}{d} = \frac{ad}{bc}$

29. $\frac{a}{b} \cdot \frac{c}{d} = \frac{bc}{ad}$

30. $a(x + y)^n = (ax + ay)^n$

31. $\frac{x+2}{x+5} = \frac{2}{5}$

32. $3x + 3x = 6x^2$

33. $1^{-1} = -1$

34. $a^2 + b^2 = (a + b)(a - b)$

35. $(a + b)^2 = a^2 + b^2$

36. $a^3 + b^3 = (a + b)(a^2 - ab + b^2)$