

1. Find the value of

(i)

$36^{\frac{1}{2}}$  ← square root

6

(ii)

$3^{-2}$  ← square and flip

$\frac{1}{9}$

(Total 2 marks)

2. Write down the value of

(a)

$7^0$  ← anything to the power of zero is 1

1

(1)

(b)

$4^{-1}$  ← flip

$\frac{1}{4}$

(1)

(Total 2 marks)

3. (a) Simplify  $2^0$

1

(1)

(b) Simplify  $5^{-1}$

$\frac{1}{5}$

(1)

(Total 2 marks)

4. (a) Write down the value of  $2^{-1}$

$\frac{1}{2}$

(1)

(b) Write down the value of  $64^{\frac{1}{2}}$

8

(1)

(Total 2 marks)

5. Write down the value of

(i)  $5^0$

.....  
1

(ii)  $4^{-2}$

.....  
 $\frac{1}{16}$

(iii)  $100^{\frac{1}{2}}$

.....  
10

(Total 3 marks)

6. (a) Write down the value of

(i)  $9^0$

.....  
1

(ii)  $169^{\frac{1}{2}}$

.....  
13

(2)

(b) Work out  $64^{\frac{2}{3}}$  ← cube root and square

.....  
16

(2)

(Total 4 marks)

7. (a) Find the value of  $36^{\frac{1}{2}}$

.....  
6

(1)

(b) Find the value of  $8^{-\frac{2}{3}}$  ← cube root, square and flip

.....  
 $\frac{1}{4}$

(2)

(Total 3 marks)

8. Work out

(i)  $4^0$

.....  
1

(ii)  $4^{-2}$

.....  
 $\frac{1}{16}$

(iii)  $16^{\frac{3}{2}}$

.....  
64

(Total 3 marks)

9. Write down the value of

(a)  $25^{\frac{1}{2}}$

.....  
5

(1)

(b)  $9^0$

.....  
1

(1)

(Total 2 marks)

10. (a) Evaluate

(i)  $3^{-2}$

.....  
 $\frac{1}{9}$

(ii)  $36^{\frac{1}{2}}$

.....  
6

(iii)  $27^{\frac{2}{3}}$

.....  
9

(iv)  $\left(\frac{16}{81}\right)^{-\frac{3}{4}}$

.....  
 $\frac{27}{8}$

(5)

11. (a) Find the value of

(i)  $64^0$

1

(ii)  $64^{\frac{1}{2}}$

8

(iii)  $64^{-\frac{2}{3}}$

$\frac{1}{16}$

(4)

(b)  $3 \times \sqrt{27} = 3^n$   
Find the value of  $n$ .

$$3^1 \times 3^{\frac{3}{2}} = 3^{\frac{5}{2}}$$

$$n = \frac{5}{2} \text{ or } 2.5$$

(2)

(Total 6 marks)

12. (a) Work out  $3^6 \div 3^{-7} = 3^{13}$

$3^{13}$   
.....  
(1)

(b) Write down the value of  $36^{\frac{1}{2}}$

6  
.....  
(1)

(c)  $3^n = \frac{1}{9}$   
Find the value of  $n$ .

$n = -2$   
.....  
(1)  
(Total 3 marks)

13. (a) Simplify

(i)  $(3x^2y)^3$

$27x^6y^3$   
.....

(ii)  $(2t^{-3})^{-2}$

$\frac{1}{4}t^6$   
.....  
(4)

14.  $x = 2^p, \quad y = 2^q$

(a) Express in terms of  $x$  and/or  $y$ ,

(i)  $2^{p+q}$

$2^p \times 2^q$

$\frac{xy}{\dots\dots\dots}$

(ii)  $2^{2q}$

$2^q \times 2^q$

$\frac{y^2}{\dots\dots\dots}$

(iii)  $2^{p-1}$

$2^p \div 2^1$

$\frac{x}{2}$

(3)

$xy = 32$

and

$2xy^2 = 32$

$32 = 2^5$

(b) Find the value of  $p$  and the value of  $q$ .

$x = 2^p$   
 $y = 2^q$

$xy = 32$

$2^p \times 2^q = 2^5$

$2^{p+q} = 2^5$

$p+q = 5$

$2xy^2 = 32$

$2^1 \times 2^p \times 2^q \times 2^q = 2^5$

$2^{2q+p+1} = 2^5$

$2q+p+1 = 5$

$2q+p = 4$

$p+q = 5$

$p+2q = 4$

$q = -1$

$p = 6$

$p = \dots\dots\dots 6 \dots\dots\dots$

$q = \dots\dots\dots -1 \dots\dots\dots$

(2)

(Total 5 marks)

16. (a) Write down the value of  $8^{\frac{1}{3}}$

..... 2 .....

(1)

$8\sqrt{8}$  be written in the form  $8^k$

$$8^1 \times 8^{\frac{1}{2}} = 8^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

- (b) Find the value of  $k$ .

$$k = \frac{3}{2} \dots\dots\dots$$

(1)

$8\sqrt{8}$  can also be expressed in the form  $m\sqrt{2}$  where  $m$  is a positive integer.

- (c) Express  $8\sqrt{8}$  in the form  $m\sqrt{2}$

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{8} &= \sqrt{4} \times \sqrt{2} \\ &= 2\sqrt{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$8(2\sqrt{2})$$

.....  $16\sqrt{2}$  .....

(2)

- (d) Rationalise the denominator of  $\frac{1}{8\sqrt{8}}$

Give your answer in the form  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{p}$  where  $p$  is a positive integer.

$$\frac{1}{8\sqrt{8}} = \frac{1}{16\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{16 \times 2}$$

.....  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{32}$  .....

(2)

(Total 6 marks)