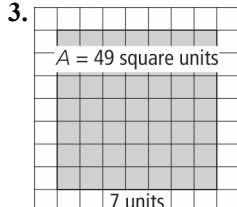


# Chapter 4 BLM Answers

## BLM 4–2 Chapter 4 Prerequisite Skills

1. a) (2)(3)(3)(3) b) (2)(2)(2)(2)(3)(3)(3)  
c) (7)(7)(7)(7)(3) d) (2)(2)(3)(3)(5)(5)

2. a)  $6^4$  b)  $(-4)^5$



4. a)  $(5)(5)(5)$  b)  $5^3$

5. a)  $(-3)^7$  b)  $2^8$  c)  $7^7$  d)  $2^{12} = 8^4$  e)  $-6$

6. a) 512 b) 2592 c) 1 d)  $\frac{3}{4}$

7. a) 88.2 m b) 80 km/h

8. 268 cm<sup>3</sup>

## BLM 4–3 Chapter 4 Warm-Up

### Section 4.1

1. a)  $\square = 8$  b)  $\square = 10$  c)  $\square = 5$  d)  $\square = 12$

2. a) Example: 5.2 b) Example: 9.5 c) Example: 8.8

3. a)  $\square = 4$  b)  $\square = 2$  c)  $\square = 3$  d)  $\square = 10$

4. a) 8 b) 9 c) 125

5. a) (2)(2)(3) b) (2)(3)(3)(5) c) (2)(2)(2)(2)(7)

### Section 4.2

1. a)  $x^8$  b)  $y^6$  c)  $b^4$

2. a)  $x^{10}$  b)  $y$  c)  $b^{22}$

3. a)  $4x^6$  b)  $64y^6$  c)  $9x^{12}y^{10}$

4. a)  $\frac{9}{10}$  b)  $\frac{1}{16}$  c)  $\frac{15}{2}$

5. a)  $\square = 5$  b)  $\square = 4$  c)  $\square = 4$  d)  $\square = 3$

### Section 4.3

1. a)  $\frac{19}{12}$  b)  $\frac{1}{8}$  c)  $\frac{13}{12}$  2. a) 1 b)  $\frac{1}{8}$  c)  $\frac{16}{9}$  d)  $\frac{81}{625}$

3. a)  $y^6$  b)  $b^7$  c)  $x^{-10}$  d)  $y^{-5}$

4. a) 0.875 b) 0.8 c) 0.6875 5. \$21 494

### Section 4.4

1. a) (2)(3)(3)(3) b) (2)(2)(3)(3)(5) c) (2)(2)(2)(5)(5)

2. a) 5 b)  $-100$  c)  $-4$

3. a)  $7^{\frac{1}{2}}$  b)  $(-8)^{\frac{1}{3}}$  c)  $x^{\frac{5}{3}}$

4. a) 9 b)  $\frac{1}{4}$  c)  $\frac{1}{16}$

5. Both b) and c)

## BLM 4–6 Section 4.1 Extra Practice

1. a) perfect square b) neither c) perfect cube

- d) perfect square e) both f) perfect cube

2. a) 16 b) 15 c) 10 d) 41 e) 8 f) 4

3. a) 17 b) 38 c) 55 d) 12 e) 18 f) 20

4. 250 m 5. 12 m 6. 30 cm 7. 6 m 8. 60 cm

## BLM 4–7 Section 4.2 Extra Practice

1. a)  $\frac{1}{c^4}$  b)  $\frac{m}{n^2}$  c)  $\frac{3}{x^3}$  d)  $\frac{4m^3}{n^2}$  e)  $\frac{-2}{x^4}$  f)  $\frac{-5}{x^3y^2}$

2. a) 2 b)  $\frac{1}{3^3}$  c)  $5^7$  d)  $\frac{1}{(3^{16})(4^2)}$  e)  $2^{12}$  f)  $\frac{1}{3^8}$

g)  $\frac{2^6}{4^2}$  h)  $\frac{1}{(6^6)(5^9)}$

3. a)  $6y^2$  b)  $\frac{12m^6}{n}$  c)  $\frac{1}{m^3n^8}$  d)  $9x^2y^8$

e)  $\frac{y^6}{16x^2}$  f)  $-500x^4$  g)  $\frac{9n^4}{4m^2}$  h)  $\frac{4y^4}{9x^2}$

4. a)  $\frac{1}{25}$  b) 1 c)  $\frac{49}{36}$  d)  $-9$  e) 9 f)  $\frac{7}{12}$

g)  $-20$  h) 30 i)  $\frac{4096}{729}$

5. a) 32 000 b) 125 6. Yes.  $\left(\frac{2}{1}\right)^3 = 8$

## BLM 4–8 Section 4.3 Extra Practice

1. a)  $x^4$  b)  $3m^{\frac{17}{4}}$  c)  $x^2$  d)  $\frac{x}{2}$  e)  $x^2y^4$

2. a)  $y^{\frac{1}{2}}$  b)  $\frac{-2}{x^2}$  c)  $x$  d)  $\frac{1}{4x^{\frac{1}{4}}}$  e)  $x^2$

3. a)  $5^{-3} = \frac{1}{125}$  b)  $3^{-3} = \frac{1}{27}$  c)  $2^8 = 256$  d)  $3^5 = 243$

e)  $\left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{25}$

4. a)  $7^{-3.6} = 0.0009$  b)  $4^{\frac{9}{2}} = 512$  c)  $7^2 = 49$

d)  $\frac{6^3}{3} = 1.1006$  e)  $3^{-1} = 0.3333$

5. a) The number of bacteria increases by 1.5 times every 40 h.

b) 7500. There are 7500 bacteria after 40 h.

c) 5154.385;  $5154.385 - 5000 = 154.385$ . There are approximately 154 more bacteria after 3 h.

d) Example: The value  $h = 0$  indicates the starting population of 5000 bacteria.

**BLM 4-9 Section 4.4 Extra Practice**

1. a)  $\sqrt{5^3}$  b)  $(\sqrt[3]{27})^4$  c)  $\sqrt{4x^3}$  d)  $\sqrt{\frac{y^6}{x^{12}}}$  e)  $\sqrt[3]{x^6y}$

2. a)  $(9x)^{\frac{3}{2}}$  b)  $(4x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}$  c)  $(64x^6)^{\frac{1}{3}}$  d)  $y^{\frac{1}{2}}$

e)  $9\left(x^{\frac{5}{2}}\right)^{\frac{1}{5}}$

3. a) 52.3832 b) 4.6416 c) 0.8660 d) 2.9240  
e) -2.6321

4. a)  $\sqrt{75}$  b)  $\sqrt{\frac{8}{5}}$  c)  $\sqrt[3]{32}$  d)  $\sqrt[3]{-128}$  e)  $\sqrt[3]{375}$

5. a)  $6\sqrt{5}$  b)  $6\sqrt{3}$  c)  $5\sqrt[3]{6}$  d)  $3\sqrt[3]{3}$  e)  $9\sqrt{6}$

6. a)  $3\sqrt{20}$ ,  $\sqrt{35}$ ,  $\sqrt[3]{45}$ ,  $\sqrt[3]{\frac{5}{3}}$ . Example: I estimated

the values and plotted the values on a number line.  
b)  $4\sqrt{5}$ ,  $\sqrt{60}$ ,  $2\sqrt[3]{5}$ ,  $\sqrt[3]{4}$ . Example: I converted each mixed radical to an entire radical.

**BLM 4-10 Chapter 4 Test**

1. C 2. A 3. B 4. D 5. C 6. A

7. a)  $5^{11}$  b)  $\frac{b^2}{8a}$

8. a)  $6^{\frac{2}{3}}$  b)  $20^{\frac{1}{2}}$

9. a) 1927 b) 16 377

10. a) 2.5 ft b) 6.25 ft<sup>2</sup>; 25 ft<sup>2</sup>