

Practice 1-5

Example Exercises

Example 1

Simplify each expression.

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| 1. $-48 \div 6$ | 2. $(-23)(-3)$ | 3. $(-6)(32)$ |
| 4. $16 \div (-4)$ | 5. $(14)(-5)(-3)$ | 6. $(24)(-2) - 15$ |
| 7. $-13 + (-2)(17)$ | 8. $(-3)(4) + 8(-7)$ | 9. $(-7)(-3) - (-11)(-6)$ |
| 10. $\frac{-64}{8} + 3(-4)(2)$ | 11. $(-32) \div (-16) + 2(-6)$ | 12. $(-7)(-15) - \left(\frac{-18}{3}\right)$ |

Evaluate each expression for $x = -6$, $y = 3$, and $z = -5$.

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| 13. $7x - z$ | 14. xyz | 15. $4y \div (-3z)$ |
| 16. $\frac{10x}{y-1}$ | 17. $\frac{xy}{z-1}$ | 18. $5z - 4xy$ |
| 19. $\frac{2(x-y)}{5}$ | 20. $xy + 8z$ | 21. $\frac{-5(x+y)}{3}$ |

Example 2

Find the mean rounded to the nearest tenth.

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| 22. 2, -7, 9, -7, -2, 8, 7 | 23. 23, -10, -8, 33, 28, -13 |
| 24. -4, -7, 12, 10, -1, -7, 1, -9, 1, 12, -15 | 25. -25, -28, -6, 8, 2, -1, 9, -11, 3, 7 |
| 26. -1, 5, 0, 1, -4, -1, -8, 1, -4, 1, 0, -7, -19 | 27. -3, 8, 2, -11, 5, 0, 1, -5, -8, 1, 12, 17, 30 |

Example 3

Simplify each expression.

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| 28. $(-5)^3$ | 29. $(-4)^4$ | 30. -2^4 |
| 31. $4^2 + (-7)^2$ | 32. $-(-3)^3$ | 33. $-8^2 - (-9)^2$ |
| 34. $\left(\frac{-18}{6}\right)^3$ | 35. $-(-6)^3 \div (-3)^2$ | 36. $\frac{12^2}{(-2)^3}$ |

Evaluate each expression for $x = -4$, $y = -3$, and $z = 2$.

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|--------------------------|-----------------------|----------------|
| 37. x^3 | 38. x^2z | 39. y^5 |
| 40. $(x + z)^3$ | 41. $\frac{-6y^2}{z}$ | 42. $4x^2 - z$ |
| 43. $3x^2 \div y$ | 44. $3x - y^2$ | 45. x^2y^3 |
| 46. $\frac{6x}{y} + z^3$ | 47. $x^3 \div z^2$ | 48. $(xyz)^2$ |