Practice

Form G

Rational Exponents and Radicals

What is the value of each expression?

1.
$$\sqrt[3]{64}$$
 4

2.
$$\sqrt[3]{125}$$
 5

3.
$$\sqrt[5]{32}$$
 2

4.
$$\sqrt{100}$$
 10

5.
$$\sqrt[4]{1}$$
 1

6.
$$\sqrt{225}$$
 15

7.
$$\sqrt[3]{729}$$
 9

8.
$$\sqrt{289}$$
 17

9.
$$\sqrt[3]{243}$$
 $3\sqrt[3]{3^2}$

Write each expression in radical form.

10.
$$b^{\frac{3}{2}} \sqrt[2]{b^3}$$

11.
$$(36x)^{\frac{1}{2}} 6\sqrt{x}$$

12.
$$25y^{\frac{1}{2}}$$
 25 \sqrt{y}

13.
$$81s^{\frac{2}{3}}81\sqrt[3]{5^2}$$

14.
$$(72b)^{\frac{1}{2}} 6\sqrt{2b}$$

15.
$$(125a)^{\frac{2}{3}}$$
 25 $\sqrt[3]{a^2}$

16.
$$(40x)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$
 2 $\sqrt[3]{5x}$

17.
$$36t^{\frac{1}{4}}$$
 36 $\sqrt[4]{t}$

18.
$$(99r)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$
 3 $\sqrt{11r}$

Write each expression in exponential form.

19.
$$\sqrt[3]{b^4}$$
 $b^{\frac{4}{3}}$

20.
$$\sqrt{(3x)^4}$$
 9 x^2

21.
$$\sqrt[3]{125}d^4$$
 5 $d^{\frac{4}{3}}$

22.
$$\sqrt{49a}$$
 $7a^{\frac{1}{2}}$

23.
$$\sqrt[3]{(64b)^2}$$
 16 $b^{\frac{2}{3}}$

24.
$$\sqrt[4]{256b^5}$$
 4 $b^{\frac{5}{4}}$

25.
$$\sqrt{144d^4}$$
 12 d^2

26.
$$\sqrt[3]{(27x)^2}$$
 $9x^{\frac{2}{3}}$

27.
$$\sqrt{625a^5}$$
 25a $\frac{5}{2}$

28. You can use the formula $S = 10m^{3}$ to approximate the surface area S, in square centimeters, of a horse with mass m, in grams. What is the surface area of a horse with a mass of 4.5×10^5 grams? Round your answer to the nearest whole square centimeter. about 58,723 sq cm

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What is the value of each expression? The first one has been started for you.

1.
$$\sqrt{36} = \sqrt{6 \cdot 6}$$
 6

2.
$$\sqrt{100}$$
 10

3.
$$\sqrt[3]{64}$$
 4

4.
$$\sqrt[3]{125}$$
 5

6.
$$\sqrt[4]{256}$$
 4

Write each expression in radical form. The first one has been started for you.

7.
$$x^{\frac{1}{2}} = \sqrt[2]{x^1} \sqrt{x}$$

8.
$$(25x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$
 5*x*

9.
$$x^{\frac{2}{3}} \sqrt[3]{x^2}$$

10.
$$15x^{\frac{3}{4}}$$
 15 $\sqrt[4]{x^3}$

11.
$$(27x^3)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$
 3*x*

12.
$$16t^{\frac{1}{5}}$$
 16 $\sqrt[5]{t}$

Write each expression in exponential form.

13.
$$\sqrt[3]{x}$$
 $x^{\frac{1}{3}}$

14.
$$\sqrt{a^3}$$
 $a^{\frac{3}{2}}$

15.
$$\sqrt{16a}$$
 4 $a^{\frac{1}{2}}$

16.
$$\sqrt{(49w)^2}$$
 49w

17.
$$\sqrt[3]{125d^2}$$
 5 $d^{\frac{2}{3}}$

18.
$$\sqrt{(2m)^4}$$
 4m²