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U02 - Math 10C - 4.1 - Exponent Laws Formative Quiz

Q1: Simplify. Leave each answer in EXPONENTIAL form. (6 marks)

$$3^2 * 3^8 = 3^{10}$$

$$2^{23} \div 2^{17} = 2^6$$

$$5^0 = 1$$

$$(9^{10})^{201} = 9^{2010}$$

$$(3x)^3 = 3^3 x^3$$

or
27x³

$$\left(\frac{x}{5}\right)^2 = \frac{x^2}{5^2} \neq \frac{x^2}{25}$$

Q2: The expression $\frac{(x^2 y^3 \cdot x^5)^4}{(x^2)^3}$ can be simplified to $x^{ab} y^{cd}$, where a , b , c , and d are _____ and _____.

(Record your 4-digit answer in the Numerical Response boxes below)

2	2	1	2
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$$\frac{(x^2 y^3 \cdot x^5)^4}{(x^2)^3} = \frac{(x^7 y^3)^4}{x^6} = \frac{x^{28} y^{12}}{x^6} = x^{22} y^{12}$$

$x^{22} y^{12}$ in the form $x^{ab} y^{cd}$

a: 2
b: 2
c: 1
d: 2

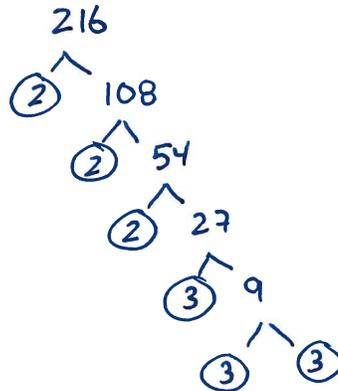
Use the following information to answer Q3-Q4:

The number 216 can be prime factored to determine if it is a perfect square, perfect cube, both, or neither.

Q3: When prime factored, 216 can be written as $(2^a)(3^b)$, where the exponents a and b are ___ and ___.

(Record your two digit answer in the Numerical Response boxes below)

3	3		
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So $216 = 2^3 \cdot 3^3$

In the form $2^a \cdot 3^b$, $a = 3$
 $b = 3$

Q4: The number 216 is

- a. A perfect square only
- b. A perfect cube only
- c. Both
- d. Neither

$\Rightarrow (2 \cdot 3)(2 \cdot 3)(2 \cdot 3)$

or $\sqrt{216} = 14.696\dots$
 $\sqrt[3]{216} = 6$

MARKING

Beginning	0.0 – 4.0
Progressing	4.5 – 6.0
Competent	7.0 – 8.0
Exemplary	8.5 – 9.0