

Algebra 1 7.1

Multiply monomials using the properties of exponents

Simplify expressions using properties of exponents

monomial

constant

linear

nonlinear

exponent

base

activity: triangle puzzles (if time)

5 in a row

KeyConcept Simplify Expressions

To simplify a monomial expression, write an equivalent expression in which:

- each variable base appears exactly once,
- there are no powers of powers, and
- all fractions are in simplest form.

Circle song?

$$\underline{A = \pi r^2}$$

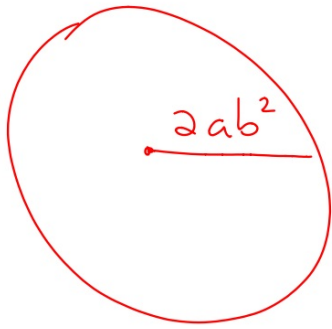
$$\underline{C = \pi d}$$

Triangle puzzle

$$\underline{A = \frac{1}{2} b h}$$

$$= \frac{b \cdot h}{2}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} A &= \pi r^2 \\ &= \pi (2ab^2)(2ab^2) \\ &= 4\pi a^2 b^4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{base} &= 4xy^2 \\ \text{height} &= 3x^2y^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \frac{1}{2}bh \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(4xy^2)(3x^2y^2) \\ &= 6x^3y^4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\left[(-2x^2y^3)^2 \right]^3$$

$$\left[\begin{matrix} (-2xx) & (-2xx) \\ yyy & yyy \end{matrix} \right] \cdot \left[\begin{matrix} (-2xx) & (-2xx) \\ yyy & yyy \end{matrix} \right] \cdot \left[\begin{matrix} (-2xx) & (-2xx) \\ yyy & yyy \end{matrix} \right]$$

$$64x^{12}y^{18}$$