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### Properties of Exponents - Practice

Simplify the following:

1.  $(d^3n^{-2})^2(d^{-2}n^4)^3$

4.  $(m^4h^3)(m^3h^2)$

2.  $\frac{x^0y^{-7}z^{12}}{w^{-4}z^6}$

5.  $\frac{5x^9y^{12}}{x^4y^5}$

3.  $(t^3s^{-4})^{-3}$

6.  $(z^0y^3x^{-8})^2$

7. Choose **ALL** correct answers. Which of the following expressions is equivalent to  $\frac{1}{x^3}$  when simplified?

A. $(x^3)^{-3} \cdot x^6$	B. $(x^9 \cdot x^{-6})^{-1}$
C. $(x^{-9} + x^6)^{-1}$	D. $(x^{15})^{-2} \cdot x^{-10}$

8. **Describe** and **correct** the error in evaluating the expression:

$$\begin{aligned} 5^{-2} &= \frac{1}{(-5)(-5)} \\ &= -\frac{1}{25} \end{aligned}$$

9. Choose **ALL** correct answers. Which of the following expressions is equivalent to  $w^2$  when simplified?

A. $(w^4)^{-2} \cdot w^{10}$	B. $(w^2 \cdot w^{-4})^{-1}$
C. $(w^{-8} + w^6)^{-1}$	D. $(w^6)^{-2} \cdot w^{-3}$

