

Bellwork Tuesday, April 29, 2014

Evaluate each for $P = 3$ $Q = -6$ $R = 2$

Give noninteger answers as reduced fractions.

1. $\frac{P^{-3} Q^2}{R^{-1}}$

$$\frac{Q^2 R}{P^3} = \frac{(-6)^2 (2)}{(3)^3}$$

$$= \frac{36 \cdot 2}{27} = \frac{72}{27} = \frac{8}{3}$$

2. $\frac{Q^4 R^{-2}}{P^{-1} Q^2}$

$$= \frac{Q^2 \cdot P}{R^2} = \frac{(-6)^2 \cdot 3}{2^2}$$

$$= \frac{36 \cdot 3}{4} = 27$$

2. Sketch the following exponential functions on the same set of axes. Label each graph with its letter.

A. $y = 3(0.2)^x$

B. $y = 5(7)^x$

C. $y = 3(0.7)^x$

D. $y = 7(4)^x$

E. $y = 5(4)^x$

