

Summer Session, Worksheet for Lesson 3

INSTRUCTIONS FOR ALL **FIVE** PROBLEMS:

Simplify the expressions so that no negative exponents appear in the final result. Assume that all variables represent positive real numbers.

$$1) \frac{(5pw)w^6}{30p^3w^8}$$

$$2) \frac{8a^2(a^{-3})^6}{(a^{-2})^{-1}}$$

$$3) \frac{(3p)^3 p^2}{p^{-1}p^{-5}}(3p^{-4})^{-2}$$

$$4) \left(\frac{5k^{-4}}{k^5} \right)^{-1} \cdot \frac{2}{k}$$

$$5) \left(\frac{2p}{q^2} \right)^3 \left(\frac{3p^6}{q^{-6}} \right)^{-1}$$