

1.2 Exercises

Vocabulary and Concept Check

- VOCABULARY** How are exponents and powers different?
- VOCABULARY** Is 10 a perfect square? Is 100 a perfect square? Explain.
- WHICH ONE DOESN'T BELONG?** Which one does *not* belong with the other three? Explain your reasoning.

$$2^4 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2$$

$$3 + 3 + 3 + 3 = 3(4)$$

$$3^2 = 3 \times 3$$

$$5 \cdot 5 \cdot 5 = 5^3$$

Practice and Problem Solving

Write the product as a power.

- 9×9
 - 13×13
 - $15 \times 15 \times 15$
- $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2$
 - $14 \times 14 \times 14$
 - $8 \cdot 8 \cdot 8 \cdot 8$
- $11 \times 11 \times 11 \times 11 \times 11$
 - $7 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 \cdot 7$
 - $16 \cdot 16 \cdot 16 \cdot 16$

- ERROR ANALYSIS** Describe and correct the error in writing the product as a power.

X $4 \cdot 4 \cdot 4 = 3^4$

Find the value of the power.

- 5^2
 - 4^3
 - 2^5
 - 14^2

Use a calculator to find the value of the power.

- 7^6
 - 4^8
 - 12^4
 - 17^5

- ERROR ANALYSIS** Describe and correct the error in finding the value of the power.

X $8^3 = 8 \cdot 3 = 24$

- POPULATION** The population of Virginia is about 8×10^6 . About how many people live in Virginia?
- FIGURINES** The smallest figurine in a gift shop is 2 inches tall. The height of each figurine is twice the height of the previous figurine. Write a power to represent the height of the tallest figurine. Then find the height.

