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## PREFACE

This book is written for students, of management sciences. The most important meaning, and consequences of the basic statement are stated, restated, and discussed to make sure that the students understand them.

The material was developed over several years of classroom experience.

As is visual in a mathematics text, the exercises at the end of each section are vital parts of the material.

There are also problems that require the student to use the concept in constructing mathematical models for described situation. This is the process that transforms mathematics from our abstract intellectual exercise into a useful tool for solving everyday problem. The computational sections in each of the chapters of the book have been very richly illustrated with worked examples. The book will serve as a companion to all students of Management Sciences.

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# DEDICATION

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# 1.0 INDICES AND LOGARITHMS:

## ILLUSTRATIONS/HINTS

1 **INDICES:** Facts, Laws and Formulae to make the topic easy, are stated below:

$$b^x \times b^y = b^{x+y}$$

$$b^x \div b^y = b^{x-y}$$

$$(b^x)^y = b^{xy}$$

$$b^{x/y} = \sqrt[y]{b^x} \text{ OR } (y\sqrt{b})^x$$

$$b^{1/2} = \sqrt{b}$$

$$b^{1/n} = \sqrt[n]{b}$$

$$b^{-y} = \frac{1}{b^y}$$

$$b^0 = 1$$

**NOTE:**  $b^x$   $\begin{cases} \longrightarrow \text{Index (pl. = Indices), power etc} \\ \searrow \text{Base [They has to be the same for the law to be useful]} \end{cases}$

1.1 Worked examples on indices, with illustration on how the formulae stated above are use.

### Example 1

$$\begin{aligned} 2^7 \times 2^4 &= 2^{7+4} \\ &= 2^{11} \end{aligned}$$

### Example 2

$$\begin{aligned} 3^8 \div 3^5 &= 3^{8-5} \\ &= 3^3 = 3 \times 3 \times 3 \\ &= 27 \end{aligned}$$

### Example 3

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \quad (5^4)^6 &= 5^{4 \times 6} \\ &= 5^{24} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} 16 \\ 4 \times 4 \times 4 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (b) \quad 27^{1/3} &= (\sqrt[3]{27})^1 \\ &= (\sqrt[3]{3 \times 3 \times 3})^1 \\ &= (3)^1 \\ &= 3^1 = \underline{3} \end{aligned}$$

### Example 5

$$\begin{aligned} 64^{1/2} &= \sqrt{64} \\ &= \sqrt{8 \times 8} \\ &= 8 \end{aligned}$$

### Example 6

$$\begin{aligned} (a) \quad 81^{1/4} &= \sqrt[4]{81} \\ &= \sqrt[4]{3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3} \\ &= 3 \\ (b) \quad 64^{1/6} &= \sqrt[6]{64} \\ &= \sqrt{2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2} \\ &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

### Example 7

$$\begin{aligned} (a) \quad 2^{-1} &= \frac{1}{2^1} \\ &= \frac{1}{2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2} \\ &= \frac{1}{16} \\ (b) \quad 3^{-1} &= \frac{1}{3^1} \\ &= \frac{1}{3 \times 3 \times 3} \\ &= \frac{1}{27} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x &= 2, \\ y &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b &= 27, \\ x &= 4, \\ y &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b^{1/2} &= \sqrt{b} \\ b &= 64 \\ b^{1/2} &= \sqrt{64} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b^{1/n}$$

























**Solution**

$$d = \frac{gv^2t^2}{v^2 + gt}$$

Cross multiply

$$\therefore gv^2t^2 = d[v^2 + gt]$$

$$gv^2t^2 = dv^2 + dgt$$

Subtract dgt from both sides

$$\therefore gv^2t^2 - dgt = dv^2 + dgt - dgt$$

$$\therefore gv^2t^2 - dgt = dv^2$$

Factorise L.H.S.

$$\therefore gt[v^2t - d] = dv^2$$

Divide both sides by  $t[v^2t - d]$ 

$$\therefore \frac{gt[v^2t - d]}{t[v^2t - d]} = \frac{dv^2}{t[v^2t - d]}$$

$$\therefore g = \frac{dv^2}{t[v^2t - d]}$$

$$= \frac{dv^2}{v^2t^2 - dt}$$

 $d = 7$ ,  $v = 5$  and  $t = 3$ .

$$g = \frac{dv^2}{v^2t^2 - dt}$$

$$= \frac{7 \times 5^2}{5^2 \times 3^2 - 7 \times 3}$$

$$= \frac{175}{225 - 21} = \frac{175}{204}$$

$$\approx \underline{0.86} \text{ (2 places of decimal)}$$











$$\begin{aligned}\text{Amount} &= \text{N}52500 + \text{N}2625 \\ &= \text{N}55,125.00\end{aligned}$$

#### Third year

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Principal}_1 &= \text{N}55,125.00 \\ \text{Rate} &= 5\% \\ \text{Interest}_1 &= \frac{\text{N}55,125 \times 5}{100} \\ &= \text{N}2,756.25\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Amount}_1 = \text{N}5756.25$$

#### Fourth year

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Principal}_1 &= \text{N}57881.25 \\ \text{Rate} &= 5\% \\ \text{Interest}_1 &= \frac{\text{N}57881.25 \times 5}{100} \\ &= \text{N}2,894.06\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Amount}_1 &= \text{N}57881.25 + \text{N}2894.06 \\ &= \text{N}60,775.31\end{aligned}$$

#### Fifth year

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Principal}_1 &= \text{N}60,775.31 \\ \text{Rate} &= 5\% \\ \text{Interest}_1 &= \frac{\text{N}60,775.31 \times 5}{100} \\ &= \text{N}3038.77\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Amount}_1 &= \text{N}60,775.31 + \text{N}3038.77 \\ &= \text{N}63,814.08 \Rightarrow \text{Amount} \\ &\quad \text{at the end of the fifth}\end{aligned}$$

However with numbers above 5 they are better solved using formula unless it is stipulated that any other method should be used.



































































































































































































