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# Exponents (Quotient of powers)

By Using the law Quotient of powers,  
write each expression in a single exponent. ( $x^m / x^n = x^{m-n}$ )

1) $\frac{(15)^5}{(15)^{-2}}$  <u>15<sup>7</sup></u>	2) $\frac{23^{17}}{23^9}$  <u>23<sup>8</sup></u>	3) $\frac{(-9)^{-8}}{(-9)^{-12}}$  <u>(-9)<sup>4</sup></u>
4) $\frac{(-17)^{-15}}{(-17)^{-7}}$  <u>(-17)<sup>-8</sup></u>	5) $\frac{(-14)^{-9}}{(-14)^5}$  <u>(-14)<sup>-14</sup></u>	6) $\frac{(11)^{-7}}{(11)^{-2}}$  <u>(11)<sup>-5</sup></u>
7) $\left(\frac{5}{7}\right)^{10} \div \left(\frac{5}{7}\right)^4$  <u><math>\left(\frac{5}{7}\right)^6</math></u>	8) $\left(\frac{10}{17}\right)^{19} \div \left(\frac{10}{17}\right)^7$  <u><math>\left(\frac{10}{17}\right)^{12}</math></u>	9) $\left(\frac{2}{9}\right)^5 \div \left(\frac{2}{9}\right)^{-4}$  <u><math>\left(\frac{2}{9}\right)^9</math></u>
10) $\left(\frac{14}{25}\right)^{-12} \div \left(\frac{14}{25}\right)^{-5}$  <u><math>\left(\frac{14}{25}\right)^{-7}</math></u>	11) $\left(\frac{-3}{8}\right)^{14} \div \left(\frac{-3}{8}\right)^{-9}$  <u><math>\left(\frac{-3}{8}\right)^{23}</math></u>	12) $\left(\frac{-10}{19}\right)^{-15} \div \left(\frac{-10}{19}\right)^{-3}$  <u><math>\left(\frac{-10}{19}\right)^{-12}</math></u>