

Surds, Indices

YEAR	PAPER	QUESTION
2014	1	Express $\sqrt{40} + 4\sqrt{10} + \sqrt{90}$ as a surd in its simplest form. 3
2014	2	Simplify $\frac{n^5 \times 10n}{2n^2}$. 3
2015	1	Express $\frac{4}{\sqrt{8}}$ with a rational denominator. Give your answer in its simplest form. 3
2015	1	Evaluate $8^{\frac{5}{3}}$. 2
2016	1	The function $f(x)$ is defined by $f(x) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{x}}$, $x > 0$. Express $f(5)$ as a fraction with a rational denominator. 2
2016	2	Simplify $(n^2)^3 \times n^{-10}$. Give your answer with a positive power. 3
2017	2	Express $\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{x}}$ in the form x^n . 2
2018	1	Express $\frac{9}{\sqrt{6}}$ with a rational denominator. Give your answer in its simplest form. 2

2018	1	Remove the brackets and simplify $\left(\frac{2}{3}p^4\right)^2$.	2
2019	1	Express $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{40}}$ as a fraction with a rational denominator. Give your answer in its simplest form.	3
2019	2	Simplify $\frac{a^4 \times 3a}{\sqrt{a}}$.	3
2022	1	Simplify $(m^{-2})^4 \times m^{-5}$. Give your answer with a positive power.	3
2022	1	Expand and simplify $\sqrt{10}(\sqrt{10} - \sqrt{2}) + 8\sqrt{5}$.	3