Algebra II, 6.1-7.2

1. Write with a single exponent

a) 
$$\frac{3^4}{q^4}$$

b) 
$$(a+b)^3(a+b)^4$$

2. Rewrite each expression by rationalizing the denominator

a) 
$$\frac{r-4}{\sqrt{r-3}-1}$$

b) 
$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{3}}$$

3. If possible, write the expression as a constant times a power of a variable, and identify the coefficient and exponent:

a) 
$$\frac{3}{\sqrt[3]{z}}$$

b)  $\sqrt{\sqrt{16x^5}}$ 

c) 
$$\sqrt[4]{625+625 x}$$

d) 
$$\left(\frac{2}{3\sqrt{x}}\right)^3$$

4. Newton's law of universal gravitation states that two objects are attracted with a force, F, which is directly proportional to the product of their masses,  $m_1$  and  $m_2$ , and inversely proportional to the square of the distance between their centers, r. Write a possible formula for the gravitational force between two objects in terms of the mass and distance (use what you know of power functions to help).