Indices Rules - Brackets

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1) Evaluate the following. Where appropriate, leave your answer as a fraction.

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a)
$$(4^3)^2$$

b)
$$(2^3)^2$$

c)
$$(4^{-2})^{-1}$$

d)
$$(2^4 \div 2^{-2})^0$$

$$e)\left(\frac{4^{-1}}{4^{-3}}\right)^2$$

2) Simplify, giving your answer in index form

[5]

a)
$$(6^2)^5$$

b)
$$(3^3)^{-2}$$

c)
$$(2^{-3} \times 2^{-3})^3$$

d)
$$(5^{-1} \div 5^3)^{-1}$$

e)
$$\left(\frac{7^{-3}}{7^{-1}}\right)^{-2}$$

Solutions for the assessment Indices Rules - Brackets

1) a) 4096

b) 64

c) 16

d) 1

e) 256

2) a) 6¹⁰

b) 3^{-6} or $\frac{1}{3^6}$

c) 2^{-18} or $\frac{1}{2^{18}}$

d) 5⁴

e) 7⁴