ORDER, POSITION AND DIRECTION   Name _____

Each pair of expressions consists of the same symbols but the arrangement of the symbols has changed.   The change in order or position affects the value of each expression.

Evaluate each expression.
Circle the larger value in each pair or indicate that they have equal value.

37   73

1.73   17.3

3^4 4^3

$\dfrac{3}{7}$ $\dfrac{7}{3}$

.7 + 3   .3 + 7

8 ÷ 2   2 ÷ 8

8 X 2   2 X 8

$(1 + 2 + 3)^2$ $1 + (2 + 3)^2$

5% of 40   40% of 5

4 X 2 + 3   4 + 2 X 3