Incorrect. Factor the radicand by separating out all the perfect squares:

$$\sqrt{80x^8y^7z^{12}} = \sqrt{16 \cdot 5 \cdot x^8 \cdot y^6 \cdot y \cdot z^{12}}$$

Rewrite all squares as a number to the power of 2; for example,  $x^8 = (x^4)^2$ .

Separate into individual radicals using  $\sqrt{ab} = \sqrt{a} \cdot \sqrt{b}$ . Simplify and use absolute values where necessary. Multiply to get  $4x^4 \left| y^3 \right| z^6 \sqrt{5y}$ . The correct answer is 5y.