

# Review of Chapter 4 Logarithms

Name Key

## NO CALCULATOR

### Rewrite in Exponential form

1.  $\log_6 37 = x$

$6^x = 37$

2.  $\log x = y$

$10^y = x$

3.  $\ln c = 17$

$c = e^{17}$

### Rewrite in Logarithmic form

4.  $2^6 = 64$

$\log_2 64 = 6$

5.  $49^{\frac{-1}{2}} = \frac{1}{7}$

$\log_{49} \frac{1}{7} = -\frac{1}{2}$

### Simplify each log (Evaluate).

6.  $\log_2 128$  7

7.  $\log_8 8^0$  0

8.  $\log_3 \frac{1}{27}$  -3

9.  $\log_{10} 0.000001$  -6  
 $10^{-6}$

10.  $\ln e^6$  6

11.  $\log_4 8$  3/2  
 $4^x = 8 \rightarrow x^{2x} = 2^3$

12.  $10^{\log_{10} 5}$  5

13.  $\log_5 \sqrt{5}$  1/2

"property"

### Solve for x.

14.  $\log_2(1-x) = 4$  -15

$1-x = 2^4 = 16$

$-x = 15 \rightarrow x = -15$

15.  $\log_8(x+5) - \log_8(x-2) = 1$  3

$\log_8(x^2 + 3x - 10) = 1$   
 $x^2 + 3x - 10 = 8^1$

$x^2 + 3x - 18 = 0$   
 $(x+6)(x-3) = 0$

16.  $\log_{27} x = -\frac{4}{3}$  1/81

$x = 27^{-4/3} \rightarrow 3^{3 \cdot -4/3} = 3^{-4}$

17.  $\log x + \log(x+1) = \log 20$  4

$\log(x^2 + x) = \log 20$   
 $x^2 + x - 20 = 0$   
 $(x+5)(x-4) = 0$

18.  $\log_x 27 = \frac{3}{2}$  9

$27 = x^{3/2}$   
 $3^{3 \cdot 2/3} = x^{3/2 \cdot 2/3}$   
 $3^2 = x$

### Expand

19.  $\log\left(\frac{4x^3}{y^2(x-1)^5}\right) = 2\log 2 + 3\log x - (2\log y + 5\log(x-1))$

$\log 4x^3 - \log y^2(x-1)^5$   
 $\log 4 + \log x^3 - (\log y^2 + \log(x-1)^5)$

20.  $\ln(AB^2C^3) = \ln A + 2\ln B + 3\ln C$   
 $\ln A + \ln B^2 + \ln C^3$

Write as a single logarithm. (Contract)

21.  $\ln x - \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+1) + \frac{1}{2} \ln(3-x^4)^{1/2}$

$\ln \frac{x\sqrt{3-x^4}}{(x^2+1)^2}$

$\ln x - \ln(x^2+1)^2 + \ln\sqrt{3-x^4}$   
 $\ln \frac{x}{(x^2+1)^2} + \ln \sqrt{3-x^4}$

Evaluate (Contract and solve)

22.  $\log_5 250 - \log_5 2$  3  
 $\log_5 125 - \log_5 5^3$

23.  $\log 25 + \log 4$  2  
 $\log_{10} 100 = 10^2$

Solve

CALCULATORS ALLOWED (handwritten)

24.  $\log_4 15$  1.95  
 $\frac{\log 15}{\log 4}$

25.  $8^x = 24$  1.53  
 $\log_8 24 = x \Rightarrow \frac{\log 24}{\log 8} = x$

26.  $e^{\frac{3x}{4}} = 10$  3.07  
 $\frac{3x}{4} = \frac{(\ln 10) \cdot 4}{3}$

27.  $\log_3 \sqrt[2]{243}$  5/2  
 $\log_3 3^{5/2}$

28.  $\log_4 x = 5$  1024  
 $x = 4^5$

29.  $5^{5-3x} = 26$  -0.99  
 $\log_5 26 = 5 - 3x$   
 $(\log_5 26) - 5 = -3x$

30.  $\log_8 6 - \log_8 3 + \log_8 2$  2/3  
 $\log_8 2 + \log_8 2 - \log_8 3$   
 $\log_8 4 = x$   
 $8^x = 4$   
 $3^x = 4^2$

31.  $\ln(2x-3) = 14$  601,303.64  
 $2x-3 = e^{14}$   
 $x = \frac{e^{14} + 3}{2}$

32.  $2^{1-x} = 3^{2x+5}$  -1.66  
 $1 \cdot \log 2 - x \log 2 = 2x \log 3 + 5 \log 3$   
 $\log 2 - 5 \log 3 = 2x \log 3 + x \log 2$   
 $(\log 2 - 5 \log 3) = x(2 \log 3 + \log 2)$

33. \$12000 is invested at 10% interest and compounded monthly. Determine how much the investment is worth after 3 years.

$A = 12,000 \left(1 + \frac{.10}{12}\right)^{(12 \cdot 3)} = \boxed{\$16,178.18}$

34. \$5000 is invested at 8.5% interest and compounded semiannually. How many years would it take for the investment to be worth \$7000?

$7000 = 5000 \left(1 + \frac{.085}{2}\right)^{2t}$   
 $1.4 = (1.0425)^{2t}$   
 $\log_{1.0425} 1.4 = 2t$   
 $t = 4 \text{ years}$

35. If \$12000 is invested at an interest rate of 10% per year, find the amount of the investment at the end of 3 years when compounded continuously.

$A = 12,000 e^{(.10 \cdot 3)} = \boxed{\$16,198.31}$

36. The stray cat population in a small town grows exponentially. In 2012 the town had 30 stray cats and the relative growth rate was 15% per year.

a) Find the projected population after 4 years.

$$n(t) = 30e^{(.15 \cdot 4)} \approx \boxed{54 \text{ cats}}$$

can't have a partial ☺

b) Find the number of years required for the stray cat population to reach 500.

$$500 = 30e^{(.15t)} \quad \frac{\ln\left(\frac{500}{30}\right)}{.15} = \boxed{t \approx 18.8 \text{ years}}$$

37. Uranium-1234 has a half-life of 2700 years. How long will it take a 10 mg sample to decompose to 7 mg?

$$\frac{1}{2} = 10e^{r \cdot 2700} \quad r = \frac{\ln(.5)}{2700} \quad r = -.000256721178$$

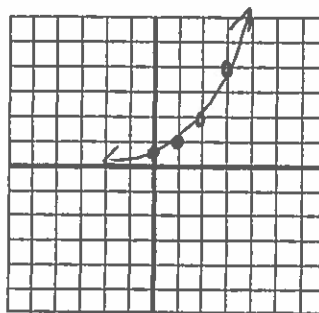
$$7 = 10e^{rt} \quad \frac{\ln(.7)}{r} = t = \boxed{1,389.3 \text{ years}}$$

38. Graph the equation. Describe the transformation. State the Domain, Range and Asymptote.

a)  $y = 2^{x-1}$

X	Y
0	1/2
1	1
2	2
3	4

D:  $(-\infty, \infty)$   
 R:  $(0, \infty)$   
 A:  $y = 0$

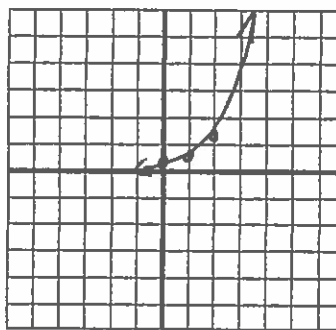


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b)  $y = \frac{1}{2}e^{x-1}$

X	Y
0	.18394
1	.5
2	1.3591

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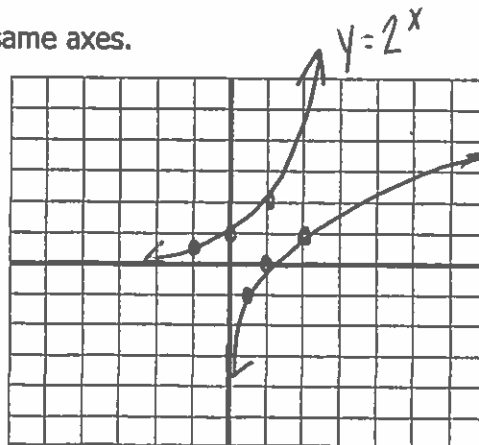
c) Graph  $y = 2^x$  and its inverse  $y^{-1} = \log_2 X$  on the same axes.

$X = 2^y$   
 $\log_2 X = y$

X	Y
-1	1/2
0	1
1	2

X	Y
1/2	-1
1	0
2	1



$\log_2 X$

