

Warm Up

1) $\frac{4e^2}{16e^4}$

2) $(3e^5)^{-2} = \frac{1}{(3e^5)^2} = \frac{1}{9e^{10}}$

3) $e^4 e^x e^{-1} = e^{x+3}$

4) You deposit \$2000 into a bank account that pays 5% interest compounded quarterly.

Equation: $A = P \left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nt}$

What is the balance after 5 years? $= 2000 \left(1 + \frac{.05}{4}\right)^{4(5)}$
\$ 2564.07

When will the balance reach \$5000?

$$5000 = 2000 \left(1 + \frac{.05}{4}\right)^{4t}$$

$$2.5 = 1.0125^{4t}$$

$$\log_{1.0125} 2.5 = 4t$$

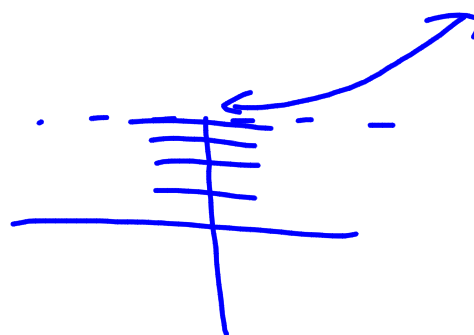
$$y = 2 \cdot \textcircled{3}^{\textcircled{-3}} + 4$$

Shift + 5 = Right + 3

$$D: (-\infty, \infty)$$

$$R: (4, \infty)$$

Asymptote $y = 4$



Exponential Models

Growth Model: $y = a(1+r)^t$

Decay Model: $y = a(1-r)^t$

Compound Interest: $A = P\left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nt}$

Continuously Compounded: $A = Pe^{rt}$

Homework Questions

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7.4 Evaluating Logarithms

- *What is a logarithm?
- *How are logarithmic and exponential functions related?
- *How do I evaluate and simplify logarithms?

7.4 Evaluating Logarithms

You know that $2^2=4$ and $2^3=8$.

However, for what value of x does $2^x=6$?

$$\frac{\log 6}{\log 2} = 2.58 \quad \log_2 6 = x$$

*Mathematicians define this x -value using a logarithm and write $x=\log_2 6$.

7.4 Evaluating Logarithms

KEY CONCEPT

For Your Notebook

Definition of Logarithm with Base b

Let b and y be positive numbers with $b \neq 1$. The **logarithm of y with base b** denoted by $\log_b y$ and is defined as follows:

$$\log_2 6 \quad \log_b y = x \quad \text{if and only if} \quad \text{exp.} \quad b^x = y$$

The expression $\log_b y$ is read as "log base b of y ."

This definition tells you that the equations $\log_b y = x$ and $b^x = y$ are equivalent: the first is in *logarithmic form* and the second is in *exponential form*.

7.4 Evaluating Logarithms

Logarithms & Exponentials

$$\log_2 8 = 3$$

answer
base
exponent

$$\underline{2}^3 = 8$$

rite in logarithmic form.

$$9^2 = 81$$

← see the
L
for log

$$\log_9 81 = 2$$

rite in exponential form.

$$\log_8 512 = 3$$

$$8^3 = 512$$

↑ see the
e
for exp.

7.4 Evaluating Logarithms

To rewrite a logarithm in exponential form...

$$\text{Ex) } \log_5 125 = x$$

rewrite $5^x = 125$
evaluate $\boxed{3}$

$$\text{Ex 2) } \log_4 64 = x$$

$4^x = 64$
 $\boxed{3}$

$$\text{Ex 3) } \log_5 625 = x$$

Examples - Rewrite in exponential form

TOYO

$$\log_4 1 = 0$$

$$4^0 = 1$$

$$\log_7 7 = 1$$

$$7^1 = 7$$

$$\log_{0.25} 4 = -1$$

$$\frac{1}{4}^{-1} \cdot 25^{-1} = 4$$

$$\log_{14} 1 = 0$$

$$14^0 = 1$$

$$\log_3 81 = 4$$

$$3^4 = 81$$

Examples - Evaluate Logs

$$\log_4 64 = x$$

$$4^x = 64$$

$$\boxed{3}$$

$$\log_5 (1/5) = x$$

$$\frac{5^x}{1} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$5^{-1} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\boxed{x = -1}$$

Try - Evaluate Logs

$$\log_{1/5} 125 = x$$

$$\frac{1}{5}^x = 125$$

$$\boxed{-3}$$

$$\log_3 81 = x$$

$$3^x = 81$$

$$\boxed{4}$$

$$\log_{10} (1/1000)$$

$$10^x = \frac{1}{1000}$$

$$\boxed{-3}$$

$$\log_{36} 6 = x$$

$$36^x = 6$$

$$\boxed{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\sqrt[36]{6}$$

$$\log_{1/4} 256$$

$$\frac{1}{4}^x = 256$$

$$\boxed{-4}$$

1) Which of the following expressions is equivalent to $(-2x^5y^2)^4$?

a. ~~$-16x^{20}y^8$~~

b. ~~$-8x^{20}y^8$~~

c. ~~$8x^9y^6$~~

d. $16x^9y^6$

e. $16x^{20}y^8$

$(-2)^4$

2) Which of the following is a value of x that satisfies $\log_x 36=2$?

a. 4

b. 6

c. 8

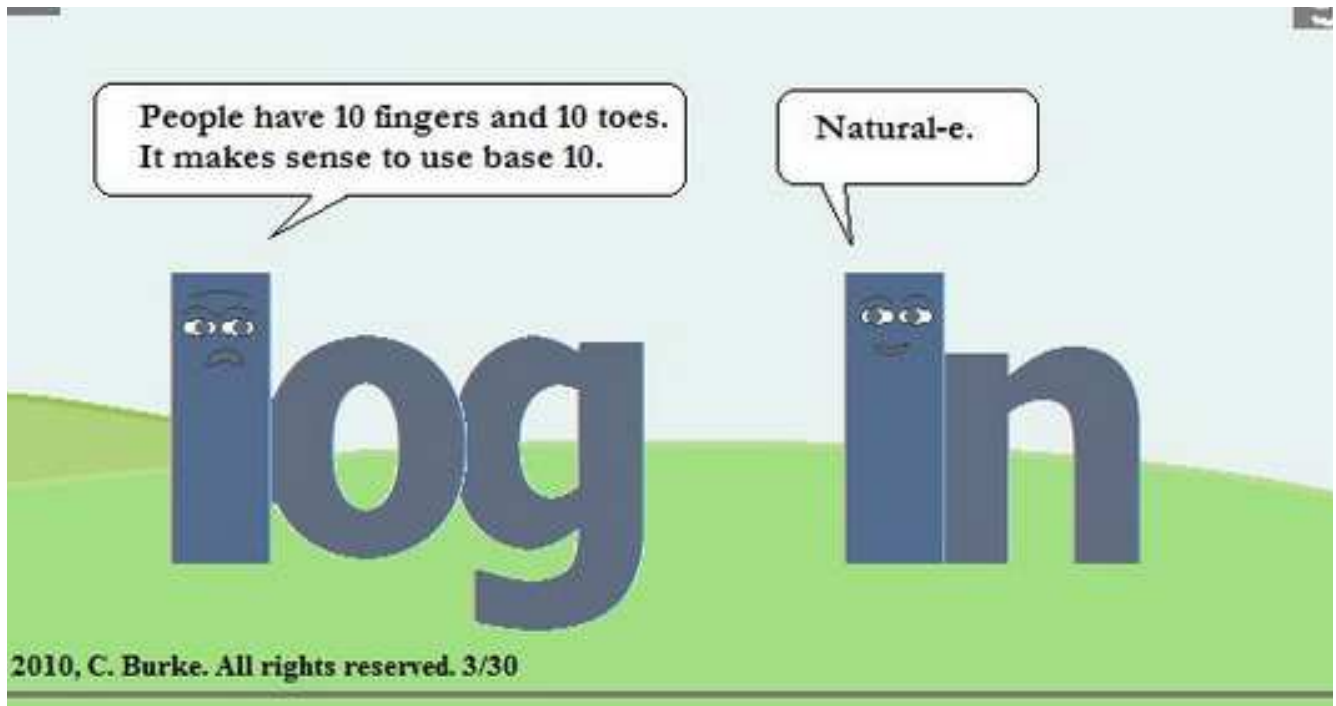
d. 16

e. 18

$x^2 = 36$

<http://ed.ted.com/lessons/steve-kelly-logarithms-explained>

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Logarithm of 1

$\log_b 1 = 0$ because $b^0 = 1$.

$$\log_7 1 = 0$$

$$7^0 = 1$$

Logarithm of b with Base b

$\log_b b = 1$ because $b^1 = b$.

$$\log_{10} 10 = 1$$

$$10^1 = 10$$

Evaluating Log Practice

A) $\log_4 1 = x$
 $4^x = 1$ 0

B) $\log_{(1/4)} 4$
 $(1/4)^x = 4$ -1

C) $\log_3 81$
 $3^x = 81$ 4

D) $\log_7 7$
 $7^x = 7$ 1

E) $\log_{14} 1$ 0

F) $\log_5 (1/5)$ -1

G) $\log_{10} (1/1000)$ -3

H) $\log_{64} 2$ $1/6$

I) $\log_{(1/4)} 256$ -4

J) $\log_{36} 6$ $1/2$

War!

SPECIAL LOGARITHMS A **common logarithm** is a logarithm with base 10 denoted by \log_{10} or simply by \log . A **natural logarithm** is a logarithm with base e . It can be denoted by \log_e , but is more often denoted by \ln .

Common Logarithm

$$\log_{10} x = \log x$$

Natural Logarithm

$$\log_e x = \ln x \quad \ln(x)$$

$$e^{\ln x} = x$$

$\log 100$ - common log base 10

$$\ln(e^x) = x$$

~~$\ln(e 4)$~~ natural log base e

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INVERSE FUNCTIONS By the definition of a logarithm, it follows that the logarithmic function $g(x) = \log_b x$ is the inverse of the exponential function $f(x) = b^x$. This means that:

$$g(f(x)) = \log_b b^x = x \quad \text{and} \quad f(g(x)) = b^{\log_b x} = x$$

Simplify:

$$10 \log 4$$

$$10^{\log_{10} 4}$$

4

$$\log_5 25^x$$

$$\log_5 5^{2x}$$

2x

$$e^{\ln 3} = 3$$

TOYO

A) $\underline{10}^{\log_8 8}$
8

B) $\log_6 36^x$
 $\log_6 6^{2x}$
2x

C) Rewrite
 $2^{-3} = (1/8)$
 $\log_2 1/8 = -3$

USING INVERSE PROPERTIES Simplify the expression.

28. $7^{\log_7 x}$

29. $\log_5 5^x$

30. $30^{\log_{30} 4}$

31. $10^{\log 8}$

32. $\log_6 36^x$

33. $\log_3 81^x$

34. $\log_5 125^x$

35. $\log_2 32^x$

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$$\log_3 81^x$$

$$\log_3 3^{4x}$$

$$4x$$

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Quiz on Graphing and WP Monday/Tuesday!

Quiz on evaluating logs Wednesday/Thursday!

