

PROPERTIES OF LOGARITHMS

Directions: Write each exponential equation in logarithmic form.

1.) $3^3 = 27$ _____ 2.) $4^3 = 64$ _____ 3.) $7^{-2} = \frac{1}{49}$ _____

4.) $36^{\frac{1}{2}} = 6$ _____ 5.) $10^{-2} = \frac{1}{100}$ _____ 6.) $e^3 = 20.09$ _____

Directions: Write each logarithmic equation in exponential form.

7.) $\log_5 125 = 3$ _____ 8.) $\log_8 64 = 2$ _____ 9.) $\log_{\frac{1}{1000}} = -3$ _____

10.) $\log_9 27 = \frac{3}{2}$ _____ 11.) $\ln 4 = 1.386$ _____ 12.) $\ln \frac{1}{2} = -0.693$ _____

Directions: Evaluate each logarithmic expression.

13.) $\log_4 64 =$ _____ 14.) $\log_{125} 5 =$ _____ 15.) $\log_4 \frac{1}{16} =$ _____

16.) $\log_3 \frac{1}{243} =$ _____ 17.) $\log 10000 =$ _____ 18.) $\log_2 \sqrt[4]{8} =$ _____

Directions: Use the properties of logarithms and natural logarithms to simplify each expression.

19.) $5^{\log_5 7} =$ _____ 20.) $e^{\ln 8} =$ _____ 21.) $10^{\log 6} =$ _____

22.) $\log_2 2^5 =$ _____ 23.) $\ln e^2 =$ _____ 24.) $\log 10^3 =$ _____

Directions: Evaluate each logarithm by using the *change-of-base formula*. Round your result to four decimal places.

25.) $\log_3 7 =$ _____ 26.) $\log_7 4 =$ _____ 27.) $\log_{\frac{1}{4}} 5 =$ _____

28.) $\log_9 0.4 =$ _____ 29.) $\log_{20} 0.125 =$ _____ 30.) $\log_{15} 1250 =$ _____

Directions: Expand each logarithmic expression. Do not leave any exponents in your final answer.

$$31.) \ln\left(\frac{x^4\sqrt{y}}{z^5}\right)$$

$$32.) \log_2\left(\frac{\sqrt{x}y^4}{z^4}\right)$$

$$33.) \log_5\left(\frac{125x^2}{y^2z^3}\right)$$

$$34.) \log_{10}\left(\frac{xy^4}{100z^5}\right)$$

$$35.) \ln\sqrt[4]{x^3(x^2 + 3)}$$

$$36.) \ln\sqrt{x^2(x + 2)}$$

Directions: Use the laws of logarithms to express each of the following as single logarithm.

$$37.) \ln x - 3 \ln(x + 1)$$

$$38.) 2 \ln 8 + 5 \ln(z - 4)$$

$$39.) \log x - 2 \log y + 3 \log z$$

$$40.) 3 \log_3 x + 4 \log_3 y - 4 \log_3 z$$

$$41.) \ln x - 4[\ln(x + 2) + \ln(x - 2)]$$

$$42.) 4[\ln z + \ln(z + 5)] - 2 \ln(z - 5)$$