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Section 1: Given each function, provide an example of a graph that will match each description (NC). Then, graph only the exponential equations (all f(x) equations).

1.) DESCRIPTION	$f(x)=3^x$	$g(x) = \log(x)$
a) Horizontal shift LEFT 3 units	$f(x)=3^{x+3}$	$g(x) = \log(x+3)$
b) Horizontal shift RIGHT 2 units	$f(x)=3^{x-2}$	$g(x) = \log(x - 2)$
c) Vertical shift UP 4 units	$f(x)=3^x+4$	$g(x) = \log(x) + 4$
d) Vertical shift DOWN 5 units	$f(x)=3^x-5$	$g(x) = \log(x) - 5$
e) Reflection over the <i>x</i> -axis	$f(x) = -3^x$	$g(x) = -\log(x)$
f) Reflection over the <i>y</i> -axis	$f(x) = 3^{-x}$	$g(x) = \log(-x)$

See last page for graphs of f(x)

**SECTION 2**: Rewrite each exponential equation in logarithmic form

2.) 
$$5^x = 625$$

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4.) 
$$e^3 = 20.085$$
  $\ln 20.085 = 3$  5.)  $u^v = w$   $\log_u w = v$ 

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$$u^{v} = w$$

$$\log_u w = v$$

**SECTION 3**: Rewrite each logarithmic equation in exponential form

6.) 
$$\log_2 \frac{1}{8} = -3$$
  $2^{-3} = \frac{1}{8}$ 

$$2^{-3} = \frac{1}{9}$$

7.) 
$$\ln 143 = x$$
  $e^x = 143$ 

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8.) 
$$\log_4 64 = 3$$
  $4^3 = 64$ 

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9.) 
$$\log \frac{1}{100} = -2$$
  $10^{-2} = \frac{1}{100}$ 

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**SECTION 4**: Evaluate

10.) 
$$\log_4 4^2 = 2$$

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 11.)  $\ln e^3 = 3$ 

12.) 
$$\log 10^2 = 2$$

13.) 
$$2^{\log_2 5} = 5$$

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 14.)  $e^{\ln 12} = 12$ 

15.) 
$$10^{\log 4} = 4$$

16.) 
$$\log_3 8 = \frac{\log 8}{\log 3} = 1.893$$

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 17.)  $\log_5 12 = \frac{\log 12}{\log 5} = 1.544$  18.)  $\log_2 7 = \frac{\log 7}{\log 2} = 2.807$ 

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SECTION 5: Expand each logarithmic expression. Your answer may not contain any expressions or radicals.

19.) 
$$\log\left(\frac{x^3\sqrt{y+1}}{z^2}\right)$$

$$3\log x + \frac{1}{2}\log(y+1) - 2\log z$$

20.) 
$$\ln\left(\frac{yz\sqrt{x}}{w}\right)$$

$$\ln y + \ln z + \frac{1}{2} \ln x - \ln w$$

22.)  $3 \ln x + 2 \ln 5 - \ln(x+2)$ 

**SECTION 6**: Condense each logarithmic expression

21.) 
$$3 \log x + 2 \log y + \frac{1}{2} \log z$$

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$$\log(x^3y^2\sqrt{z}) \qquad \qquad \ln\left(\frac{25x^3}{x+2}\right)$$

**SECTION 7**: Solving Exponential Equations

23.) 
$$3^{x-2} = 27$$

$$3^{x-2} = 3^3$$
$$x - 2 = 3$$
$$x = 5$$

24.) 
$$e^{x+5} = e^7$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 x + 5 &= 7 \\
 x &= 2
 \end{aligned}$$

25.) 
$$4^x = 42$$

$$\log_4 4^x = \log_4 42$$
  

$$x = \log_4 42$$
  

$$x = \frac{\log 42}{\log 4} = 2.70$$

26.) 
$$4(5^{x+2}) = 32$$

$$5^{x+2} = 8$$

$$\log_5 5^{x+2} = \log_5 8$$

$$x + 2 = \log_5 8$$

$$x = \log_5 8 - 2$$

$$x = \frac{\log 8}{\log 5} - 2 = -0.71$$

27.) 
$$e^x = 18$$

$$\ln e^x = \ln 18$$
$$x = \ln 18 = 2.89$$

28.) 
$$3e^x = 24$$

$$e^x = 8$$
$$\ln e^x = \ln 8$$
$$x = \ln 8 = 2.08$$

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## **SECTION 8**: Solving Logarithmic Equations

29.) 
$$\log_4(x-1) = 2$$

$$4^{\log_4(x-1)} = 4^2$$
  
 $x - 1 = 16$   
 $x = 17$ 

30.) 
$$\ln x = 2$$

$$e^{\ln x} = e^2$$
$$x = e^2 = 7.39$$

31.) 
$$\log x = 6$$

$$10^{\log x} = 10^6$$

$$x = 10^6$$

$$x = 1,000,000$$

32.) 
$$\log_3(x+5) = 5$$

$$3^{\log_3(x+5)} = 3^5$$
  
 $x + 5 = 3^5$   
 $x = 3^5 - 5 = 238$ 

33.) 
$$\log_3 x + \log_3 (x - 8) = 2$$

$$\log_3 x(x-8) = 2$$

$$3^{\log_3 x(x-8)} = 3^2$$

$$x(x-8)=9$$

$$x^2 - 8x - 9 = 0$$

$$(x-9)(x+1)=0$$

$$x = 9$$

34.) 
$$\log_4 x - \log_4 (x - 1) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\log_4\left(\frac{x}{x-1}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$4^{\log_4\left(\frac{x}{x-1}\right)} = 4^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\left(\frac{x}{x-1}\right) = 2$$

$$x = 2(x - 1)$$

$$x = 2x - 2$$

$$x = 2$$

35.) 
$$\log_3(5x - 1) = \log_3(x + 7)$$

$$5x - 1 = x + 7$$

$$4x = 8$$

$$x = 2$$

36.) 
$$\log_6(3x + 14) - \log_6 5 = \log_6 2x$$

$$\log_6\left(\frac{3x+14}{5}\right) = \log_6 2x$$

$$\left(\frac{3x+14}{5}\right) = 2x$$

$$3x + 14 = 10x$$

$$7x = 14$$

$$x = 2$$

## **SECTION 9**: Application Problems

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

Continuous Compound Interest: 
$$A = Pe^{rt}$$

37.) Emily plans to put her graduation money into an account and leave it there for 4 years while she goes to college. She receives \$1,050 in graduation money to college that she puts into an account that earns 4.25%. How much money will be in Emily's account at the end of four years if it is compounded?

a.) Quarterly? 
$$A = 1050 \left(1 + \frac{0.0425}{4}\right)^{4*4} = \$1,243.45$$
 b.) Monthly? 
$$A = 1050 \left(1 + \frac{0.0425}{12}\right)^{12*4} = \$1,244.20$$
 c.) Continuously? 
$$A = 1050 e^{0.0425*4} = \$1,244.57$$

b.) Monthly? 
$$A = 1050 \left(1 + \frac{0.0425}{12}\right)^{12*4} = \$1,244.20$$

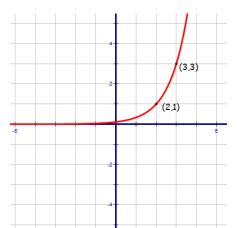
c.) Continuously? 
$$A = 1050e^{0.0425*4}$$
 = \$1,244.57

- 38.) The number of people infected by the flu in a particular region after t hours is given by:  $P(t) = 5e^{0.03t}$  where  $t \ge 0$ .
  - a.) Is this a growth or decay problem? *Growth problem*
  - b.) What is the initial population of people infected by the flu? 5 people
  - c.) What is the population of people infected by the flu after 12 hours? 8 people
  - d.) What is the population of people infected by the flu after 1 day? 11 people
- 39.) The population of mosquitoes after t days is given by:  $P(t) = 500e^{-0.055t}$  where  $t \ge 0$ .
  - a.) Is this a growth or decay problem? Decay problem
  - 500 mosquitoes b.) What is the initial population of mosquitoes?
  - c.) What is the population of mosquitoes after 1 day? 474 mosquitoes
  - d.) What is the population of mosquitoes after 72 hours? 424 mosquitoes

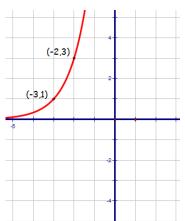
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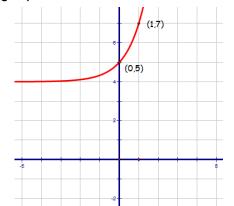
a) 
$$f(x) = 3^{x+3}$$



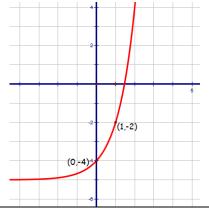
b) 
$$f(x) = 3^{x-2}$$



c) 
$$f(x) = 3^x + 4$$



d) 
$$f(x)=3^{x}-5$$



e) 
$$f(x) = -3^x$$

