

Vocabulary Review

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Choose the correct term to complete each sentence.

- In the exponential function $y = ab^x$, when $b > 1$, b is the ?. **growth factor**
- A ? is a logarithm that uses base 10. **common logarithm**
- The line $x = 2$ is a(n) ? of the function $f(x) = \frac{2}{x-2}$. **asymptote**
- The Change of Base Formula can be used to evaluate a ? with any base. **logarithm**
- An ? can be solved by taking the logarithm of each side of the equation. **exponential equation**

Skills and Concepts

8-1 Objectives

- ▼ To model exponential growth (p. 430)
- ▼ To model exponential decay (p. 432)

The general form of an **exponential function** is $y = ab^x$, where x is a real number, $a \neq 0$, $b > 0$, and $b \neq 1$. When $b > 1$, the function models exponential growth, and b is the **growth factor**. When $0 < b < 1$, the function models exponential decay, and b is the **decay factor**.

Determine whether each equation represents exponential growth or exponential decay. Find the rate of increase or decrease for each model. Graph each equation.

6. $y = 5^x$ 7. $y = 2(4)^x$ 8. $y = 0.2(3.8)^x$ 9. $y = 3(0.25)^x$

6–9. See margin.

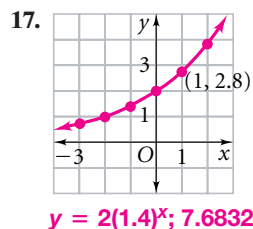
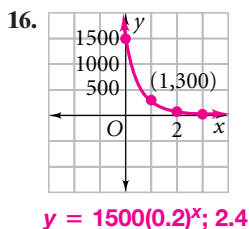
Write an exponential equation whose graph passes through the given points.

10. $(1, 5)$, $(2, 7)$ 11. $(3, 1.5)$, $(4, 15)$ 12. $(-1, 6\frac{3}{4})$, $(2, \frac{1}{4})$ 13. $(-2, 9)$, $(0, 1)$

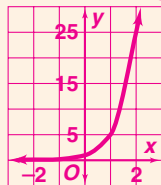
Write an exponential function to model each situation. Find the value of each function after five years, to the nearest dollar.

14. A \$12,500 car depreciates 9% each year. $y = 12,500(0.91)^x$; \$7800
15. A baseball card bought for \$50 increases 3% in value each year.
 $y = 50(1.03)^x$; \$58

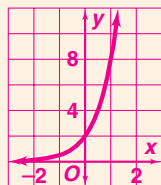
Write an exponential equation for each graph. Evaluate the equation for $x = 4$.



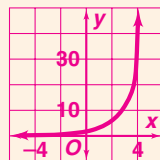
6. exponential growth; 400%



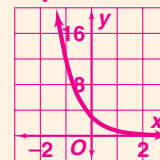
7. exponential growth; 300%



8. exponential growth; 280%



9. exponential decay; -75%



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8D: Vocabulary For use with Chapter Review

Study Skill: Math vocabulary may seem less important than being able to solve problems, but without knowing the vocabulary words from previous lessons or chapters you may have trouble understanding new concepts as they are introduced.

Draw a line from each word or phrase in the left column to the example that matches it in the column on the right. Some items may have more than one match. For help, see the Glossary in your textbook.

- | Words | Example |
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| 1. asymptote | a. $y = \log 5$ |
| 2. common logarithm | b. $1.79 \ln e^{1.79} = 6$ |
| 3. continuously compounded interest formula | c. $y = ab^x$ |
| 4. decay factor | d. $y = \log x$ and $y = 10^x$ |
| 5. exponential function | e. $y = \ln x$ |
| 6. growth factor | f. $3 \ln 2^5 = 8$ |
| 7. logarithm | g. $3 \ln 2^5 = 7(3)^2$ |
| 8. logarithmic function | h. $A = Pn^{rt}$ |
| 9. inverse functions | i. for $y = (\frac{1}{2})^x$, the x-axis |
| 10. natural logarithm | j. $5 \ln 10^5 = 100,000$ |
| 11. Change of Base Formula | k. x^2 and \sqrt{x} |
| 12. exponential equation | l. $y = (\frac{1}{2})^x$ |
| 13. logarithmic equation | m. $0.4 \ln y = 2(0.4)^x$ |
| | n. $y = e^x$ and $\ln y = x$ |
| | o. $0.778 \ln 10^{0.778} = 6$ |
| | p. $\frac{\log 9}{\log 2} = \log 9$ |
| | q. $14^{x-1} = 36$ |
| | r. $\log(3x + 1) = 2$ |
| | s. $\log_{15} = \frac{\log 15}{\log 2}$ |



- a. Write an exponential function that could model the information in this graph.
- b. Describe a business, scientific (not mathematical), or economic situation for which this graph might represent. Include how the different mathematical aspects of the graph affect the situation.
- c. How will the graph and situation change when you change the base of this exponential function?
- d. Describe the conditions under which the function represents a growth or decay situation.

- a. Write a detailed description of how logarithms can be used to solve exponential equations and how exponents can be used to solve logarithmic equations.
- b. Give and solve an example of each type of equation.
- c. Explain why using logarithms and exponents to solve equations that contain the other is an important concept in mathematics.

8-4 Objective

- ▼ To use the properties of logarithms (p. 454)

48. $2 \log_4 x + 3 \log_4 y$; Product and Power Properties
49. $\log 4 + 4 \log 5 + \log t$; Product and Power Properties
50. $\log_3 2 - \log_3 x$; Quotient Property
51. $2 \log(x + 3)$; Power Property

For any positive numbers, M , N , and b , $b \neq 1$, each of the following statements is true. Each can be used to rewrite a logarithmic expression.

- $\log_b MN = \log_b M + \log_b N$, by the Product Property
- $\log_b \frac{M}{N} = \log_b M - \log_b N$, by the Quotient Property
- $\log_b M^x = x \log_b M$, by the Power Property

Write each logarithmic expression as a single logarithm.

44. $\log 8 + \log 3$ **$\log 24$** 45. $\log_2 5 - \log_2 3$ **$\log_2 \frac{5}{3}$**

46. $4 \log_3 x + \log_3 7$ **$\log_3 7x^4$** 47. $\log z - \log y$ **$\log \frac{z}{y}$**

Expand each logarithm. State the properties of logarithms that you use.

48. $\log_4 x^2 y^3$ 49. $\log 4s^4 t$ 50. $\log_3 \frac{2}{x}$ 51. $\log(x + 3)^2$

52. Use the formula $L = 10 \log \frac{I}{I_0}$. Suppose the sound intensity of a fan must be reduced by one third. By how many decibels would the loudness be decreased?
about 1.76 dB

8-5 Objectives

- ▼ To solve exponential equations (p. 461)
- ▼ To solve logarithmic equations (p. 463)

An equation in the form $b^{cx} = a$, where the exponent includes a variable, is called an **exponential equation**. You can solve exponential equations by taking the logarithm of each side of the equation. An equation that includes a logarithmic expression is called a **logarithmic equation**.

Solve each equation. Round your answers to the nearest hundredth.

53. $4^x = 27$ **2.38** 54. $3^x = 36$ **3.26** 55. $7^{x-3} = 25$ **4.65** 56. $5^x = 9$ **1.37**

Solve by graphing.

57. $5^{2x} = 25$ **1** 58. $3^{7x} = 160$ **≈ 0.66** 59. $6^{3x+1} = 215$ **≈ 0.67** 60. $0.5^x = 0.12$ **≈ 3.06**

Solve each logarithmic equation. Leave your answer in exact form.

61. $\log 3x = 1$ **$\frac{10}{3}$** 62. $\log_2 4x = 5$ **8**

63. $\log x = \log 2x^2 - 2$ **50** 64. $2 \log_3 x = 54$ **7,625,597,484,987**

65. Convert $\log_2 7$ to a logarithm in base 5. **$\log_5 91.68$**

66. **Biology** A culture of 10 bacteria is started, and the number of bacteria will double every hour. In about how many hours will there be 3,000,000 bacteria?
about 18.2 h

8-6 Objectives

- ▼ To evaluate natural logarithmic expressions (p. 470)
- ▼ To solve equations using natural logarithms (p. 471)

The inverse of $y = e^x$ is the **natural logarithmic function** $y = \log_e x = \ln x$. You solve natural logarithm equations in the same way as common logarithm equations.

Solve each equation.

67. $e^{3x} = 12$ **0.83** 68. $\ln x + \ln(x + 1) = 2$ **2.26** 69. $2 \ln x + 3 \ln 2 = 5$ **4.31**

70. $\ln 4 - \ln x = 10$ **0.00018** 71. $4e^{(x-1)} = 64$ **3.77** 72. $3 \ln x + \ln 5 = 7$ **6.03**

73. **Savings** An initial investment of \$350 is worth \$429.20 after six years of continuous compounding. Find the interest rate. **about 3.4%**