

**Ditto 4.1****1) \$1.16 Million**

**2) a)  $C(t) = 150(1.08)^t$**

**b) \$277.64****3) 9.1%****4) 20 days****5) a) 23 years****b) 22 1/4 years****Test is Monday**

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2. A concert has been sold out for weeks, and as the date of the concert draws closer, the price of the ticket increases. The cost of a pair of tickets was \$150 yesterday and is \$162 today. Assuming that the cost continues to increase at this rate:

a. Write an equation to model the cost of a pair of tickets.b. What will be the cost one week from now, the day before the concert?

$$\text{a) rate} = \frac{162 - 150}{150} = \frac{12}{150} = .08 \quad (8\% \text{ increase per day})$$

$$t = \text{time} = \# \text{days not years}$$

$$A = P(1 + r)^n t$$

$$t = \# \text{days}, n = \# \text{compounds per day} = 1, r = .08$$

$$A = 150(1 + .08)^{1(t)} \rightarrow A = 150(1.08)^t$$

$$\text{b) yesterday was } 150, \text{ so } t = 0 \xrightarrow{\text{(day 0)}} A = 150.$$

To day is  $t = 1$  (day 1). 1 week from now is

$$t = 1 + 7 = 8$$

$$A = 150(1.08)^8 = \$277.64$$

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4. A super-deadly strain of bacteria is causing the zombie population to double every 2 days. Currently, there are 25 zombies. After how many days will there be 25,600 zombies?

① Like half life formula  $A = A_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{t/h}$

Decay: base =  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $h$  = time for half the amount

Growth: base = double = 2,  $h$  = time to double = 2 days

$$\frac{25,600}{25} = 25(2)^{\frac{t}{2}}$$

$$1024 = (2)^{\frac{t}{2}}$$

$$\log 1024 = \frac{t}{2} \log 2$$

$$2 \log 1024 = t \log 2$$

$$t = \frac{2 \log 1024}{\log 2} = \boxed{20 \text{ days}}$$

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## Exponential Equations

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An exponential equation is an equation in which the variable is in the exponent.

When bases are not the same, follow these steps:

Steps:

1. Express each side of the equation in terms of the same base.
2. Set the exponents equal.
3. Solve.

Example:

$$2^{x-3} = 64$$

$$2^{x-3} = 2^6$$

$$x-3 = 6$$

$$x = 9$$

$$\begin{aligned}2^1 &= 4 \\2^3 &= 8 \\2^4 &= 16 \\2^5 &= 32 \\2^6 &= 64\end{aligned}$$

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Solve.

$$1. \quad 4^{2x-3} = 4^{x+1}$$

$$\begin{aligned}2x-3 &= x+1 \\-x+3 &= -x+1 \\x &= 4\end{aligned}$$

$$5^2 = 25$$

$$2. \quad 5^{1-3x} = 25^x$$

$$\begin{aligned}5^{1-3x} &= (5^2)^x \\5^{1-3x} &= 5^{2x} \\1-3x &= 2x \quad \text{---} \\-\frac{1}{5} &= \frac{5x}{5} \\x &= \frac{1}{5}\end{aligned}$$

$$3. \quad 9^x = 27^{x-1}$$

$$\begin{aligned}(3^2)^x &= (3^3)^{x-1} \\2x &= 3x-3 \\x &= 3\end{aligned}$$

$$4. \quad 81^{3x+3} = 9^x$$

$$(9^2)^{3x+3} = 9^x$$

$$\begin{aligned}6x+6 &= 1 \\6x &= -5 \\x &= -\frac{5}{6}\end{aligned}$$

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5.  $125^{-2x} = 25^{x+1}$

$$(5^3)^{-2x} = (5^2)^{x+1}$$

$$-6x = 2x + 2$$

$$-2 = 8x$$

$$x = -\frac{2}{8} = -\frac{1}{4}$$

6.  $\left(\frac{1}{16}\right)^x = 64^{1-x}$

$$\left(\frac{1}{4^2}\right)^x = (4^3)^{1-x}$$

$$(4^{-2})^x = 4^{3-3x}$$

$$-2x = 3-3x$$

$$x = -3$$

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If you can't get a common base...

**Steps:**

1. Isolate the exponential term ✓

2. Take the log of both sides. ( $\ln$  if e)

3. Use the power rule.

4. Isolate the variable.

5. Use calculator!

$$9^x = 43$$

$$\log 9^x = \log 43$$

$$x \log 9 = \log 43$$

$$x = \frac{\log 43}{\log 9}$$

$$x = 1.712$$

$$16^{2x}$$

$$2x \log 9 = \log 43$$

$$x = \frac{\log 43}{2 \log 9}$$

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Solve. Round all answers to the nearest thousandth. (3 dec)

1.  $5^{2x} = 15$

$$2x \log 5 = \log 15$$

$$x = \frac{\log 15}{2 \log 5}$$

$$x = 0.841$$

3.  $6 = e^t$  use ln  
 $\ln 6 = t$   
 $t = 1.792$

2.  $\frac{8 \cdot 13^x}{8} = 61$

$$13^x = 7.625$$

$$x \log 13 = \log 7.625$$

$$x = \frac{\log 7.625}{\log 13} \approx 0.792$$

4.  $\frac{14}{2} = \frac{2e^{3t}}{2}$  Isolate

$$7 = e^{3t}$$

$$\ln 7 = 3t$$

$$t = \frac{\ln 7}{3} \approx 0.649$$

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5.  $6^{x+1} = 7^{2-x}$

$$(x+1) \log 6 = (2-x) \log 7$$

$$x \log 6 + \log 6 = 2 \log 7 - x \log 7$$

$$x \log 6 + x \log 7 = 2 \log 7 - \log 6$$

$$x (\log 6 + \log 7) = 2 \log 7 - \log 6$$

$$x = \frac{(2 \log 7 - \log 6)}{(\log 6 + \log 7)}$$

$$x \approx 0.562$$

6.  $-4e^{2x-3} + 1 = -59$

$$\frac{-4e^{2x-3}}{-4} = \frac{-60}{-4}$$

$$e^{2x-3} = 15$$

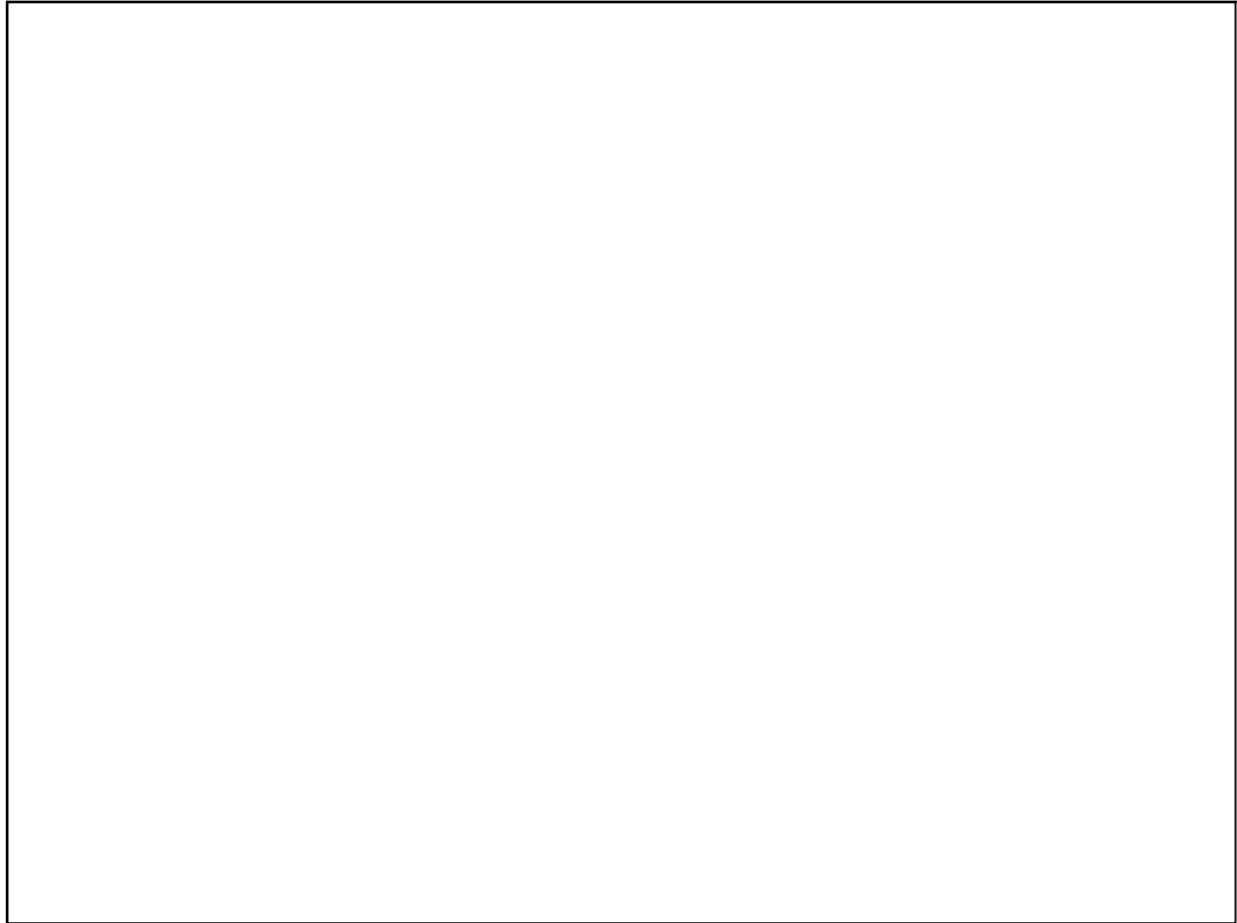
$$(2x-3) \ln e = \ln 15$$

$$\frac{2x}{2} = \frac{\ln 15 + 3}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{\ln 15 + 3}{2}$$

$$x \approx 2.854$$

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