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1. See table and graph on next slide

$$f^{-1}(x) = \log_{\frac{1}{3}} x$$

$$x = \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^y$$

Domain $(0, \infty)$

Range $(-\infty, \infty)$

Original: $y = 0$

Inverse: $x = 0$

2. See table and graph on the next slide

3. Down 3

4. Right 5 and up 2

5. Left 2 and down 3

6. A

7. a. $3^3 = 27$

b. $x^4 = 16$

c. $5^4 = 625$

d. $7^x = 32$

8. a. $\log_4 256 = b$

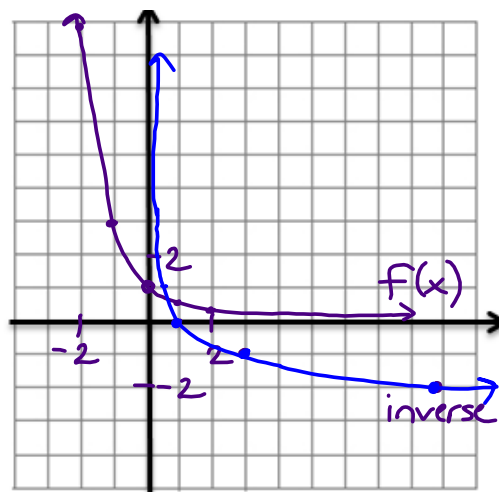
b. $\log_x 17 = 2.1$

c. $\log_7 1 = 0$

d. $\log_3 8.2 = x$

1. Graph $f(x) = \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^x$ and its inverse.

x	-2	-1	0	1	2
y	9	3	1	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{9}$
x	9	3	1	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{9}$
y	-2	-1	0	1	2



What is the equation of the inverse? $f^{-1}(x) = \log_{\frac{1}{3}} x$

What is the domain and range of the inverse?

Domain $(0, \infty)$

Range $(-\infty, \infty)$

What are the asymptotes of the original and inverse equations?

Original $y = 0$

Inverse $x = 0$

② $f(x) = \log_3 x$

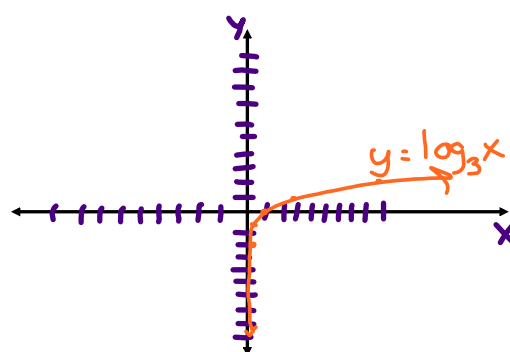
INV: $y = 3^x$

$y = 3^x$ ↓

x	-2	-1	0	1	2
y	$\frac{1}{9}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	1	3	9

$f(x) = \log_3 x$

x	$\frac{1}{9}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	1	3	9
y	-2	-1	0	1	2



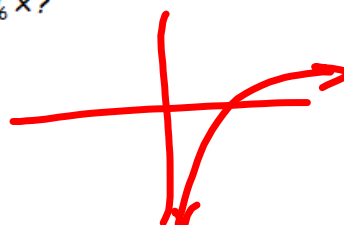
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6. Which statement is false about the graph $c(x) = \log_6 x$?

- a. The asymptote has an equation $y = 0$ ~~$x = 0$~~
- b. The graph has no y-intercept
- c. The domain is the set of positive reals
- d. The range is the set of all real numbers



7. Write the following in exponential form

- a. $\log_3 27 = 3$ $3^3 = 27$
- b. $\log_x 16 = 4$ $x^4 = 16$
- c. $\log_5 625 = 4$ $5^4 = 625$
- d. $\log_7 32 = x$ $7^x = 32$

8. Write the following in logarithmic form

- a. $4^b = 256$ $\log_4 256 = b$
- b. $x^{2.1} = 17$ $\log_x 17 = 2.1$
- c. $7^0 = 1$ $\log_7 1 = 0$
- d. $3^x = 8.2$ $\log_3 8.2 = x$

Solving Exponential and Logarithmic Equations

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Unit10 Day 2

Warm-Up: Powers to Memorize:

Base	Power	2	3	4	5
2		4	8	16	32
3		9	27	81	243
4		16	64	256	x
5		25	125	625	x

6
64

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:

$$\begin{array}{l} 2^x = 64 \\ 2^x = 2^6 \quad \leftarrow 2^6 = 64 \text{ sub in} \\ \underline{x = 6} \end{array}$$

Solve for x.

1. $3^x = 27$

$3^x = 3^3$

$x = 3$

$\{3\}$

2. $8^{x+1} = 32$

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

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

$3x+3 = 5$

$3x = 2$

$x = \frac{2}{3}$

$\{\frac{2}{3}\}$

3. $4^x = 16^{2x-3}$

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

$4^x = 4^{4x-6}$

$x = 4x-6$

$-3x = -6$

$x = 2$

$\{2\}$

4. $9^{2x+1} = 27$

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

$3^{4x+2} = 3^3$

$4x+2 = 3$

$4x = 1$

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

$\{\frac{1}{4}\}$

5. $125^x = \left(\frac{1}{25}\right)^{4-x}$

$(5^3)^x = (5^{-2})^{4-x}$

$5^{3x} = 5^{-8+2x}$

$3x = -8+2x$

$x = -8$

$\{-8\}$

6. Which of the following represents the solution set to the equation $2^{x^2-3} = 64$? $\swarrow 2^6$

(1) $\{\pm 3\}$

(3) $\{\pm\sqrt{11}\}$

(2) $\{0, 3\}$

(4) $\{\pm\sqrt{35}\}$

$$\begin{aligned} 2^{x^2-3} &= 2^6 \\ x^2-3 &= 6 \\ \sqrt{x^2} &= \sqrt{9} \\ x &= \pm 3 \end{aligned}$$

Solve each equation for x:

Step 1: Put into exponential form

Step 2: Solve for x.

1. $2 = \log_x 16$

$x^2 = 16$

$x = \pm 4$ reject -4

$x = 4$ {4}

2. $x = \log_4 64$

$4^x = 64$

$4^x = 4^3$

$x = 3$ {3}

3. $2 = \log_8 x$

$8^2 = x$

$64 = x$

{64}

4. $\log_3 81 = x$

$3^x = 81$

$3^x = 3^4$

$x = 4$ {4}

Evaluate:

Step 1: Set expression equal to x.

Step 2: Put into exponential form.

Step 3: Solve for x.

$$1. \log_3 9 = x$$

$$3^x = 9$$

$$x = 2 \quad (2)$$

$$2. \log_5 1 = x$$

$$5^x = 1$$

$$0$$

$$3. \log_6 \frac{1}{36} = x$$

$$6^x = \frac{1}{36}$$

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

$$-2$$

$$4. \log_5 125 = x$$

$$5^x = 125$$

$$3$$

$$5. \log_2 2 = x$$

$$2^x = 2$$

$$1$$

$$6. \log_3 \sqrt{3} = x$$

$$3^x = \sqrt{3}$$

$$3^x = 3^{1/2} \quad (1/2)$$

$$7. \log_{27} 3 = x$$

$$27^x = 3$$

$$\sqrt[3]{27} = 3$$

$$27^{1/3} = 3$$

$$1/3$$

$$8. \log_{1/4} 1/16 = x$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^x = \frac{1}{16}$$

$$2$$

