

6.5 Properties of Logarithmic Functions and Change of Base Formula DAY TWO CYU

Use when you get it right all by yourself
S Use when you did it all by yourself, but made a silly mistake
H Use when you could do it alone with a little help from teacher or peer
G Use when you completed the problem in a group
X Use when a question was attempted but wrong (get help)
N Use when a question was not even attempted

CONCEPTS	BASIC	INTERMEDIATE	ADVANCED
Evaluating logarithmic expressions	1 - 3	4	
Expanding logarithmic expressions	7	8	9, 10
Condensing logarithmic expressions	11	12, 13	14
Change-of-base formula	15 - 17		18
Making an Argument			19
Error Analysis		20	

Use $\log_7 4 \approx 0.712$ & $\log_7 12 \approx 1.277$ to evaluate the logarithm. Show all work to earn full credit.

1. $\log_7 3 \approx 0.565$ 2. $\log_7 16 \approx 1.424$ 3. $\log_7 48 \approx 1.989$ 4. $\log_7 \frac{1}{4} \approx -0.712$

Expand the logarithmic expression. Show all steps to earn full credit.

7. $\log_3 4x \rightarrow \log_3 4 + \log_3 x$ 8. $\log 10x^5 \rightarrow 1 + 5 \log x$ 9. $\ln \frac{x}{3y} \rightarrow \ln x - \ln 3 - \ln y$ 10. $\log_7 5\sqrt{x} \rightarrow \log_7 5 + \frac{1}{2} \log_7 x$

Condense the logarithmic expression. Show all steps to earn full credit.

11. $\log_4 7 - \log_4 10 \rightarrow \log_4 \frac{7}{10}$ 12. $6 \ln x + 4 \ln y \rightarrow \ln x^6 y^4$
13. $\log_5 4 + \frac{1}{3} \log_5 x \rightarrow \log_5 4\sqrt[3]{x}$ 14. $\log_3 4 + 2 \log_3 \frac{1}{2} + \log_3 x \rightarrow \log_3 x$

Use the change-of-base formula to evaluate the logarithms. Give the exact (CRF) and the approximate answer, rounded to the thousandths.

15. $\log_4 7$

CRF $\frac{\log 7}{\log 4}$
 ≈ 1.404

16. $\log_9 15$

$= \frac{\log 15}{\log 9}$
 ≈ 1.232

17. $\log_6 17$

$= \frac{\log 17}{\log 6}$
 ≈ 1.581

18. $\log_7 \frac{3}{16}$

$= \frac{\log 3}{\log 7} - \frac{\log 16}{\log 7}$
 ≈ -0.860

19. **MAKING AN ARGUMENT** Your friend claims you can use the change-of-base formula to graph $y = \log_3 x$ using a graphing calculator. Is your friend correct? Explain your reasoning.

yes $y = \frac{\log x}{\log 3}$

20. **ERROR ANALYSIS** Describe and correct the error in expanding the logarithmic expression.

a)

~~$\log_2 5x = (\log_2 5)(\log_2 x)$~~

added not multiplied
 $\log_2 5x = \log_2 5 + \log_2 x$

b)

~~$\ln 8x^3 = 3 \ln 8 + \ln x$~~

"3" is with the wrong term
 $\ln 8x^3 = \ln 8 + 3 \ln x$

CYU Reflection: How far can you go: basic, intermediate, or advanced?

Rate your mastery level!

How confident are you with the skills this CYU covered? Circle the score you would give yourself.

