

PreCalculus Unit 3 Review

Solve the equation.

$$\begin{aligned} 1) \quad 4^1 + 2x &= 64 \\ 4^{1+2x} &= 4^3 \\ 1+2x &= 3 \\ -1 & \\ 2x &= 2 \\ x &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2) \quad 27^{4x+5} &= 9^{4x} \\ 27^{4x+5} &= 3^{2(4x)} \\ 12x+15 &= 8x \\ -4x &= 15 \\ x &= -\frac{15}{4} \end{aligned}$$

Change the exponential expression to an equivalent expression involving a logarithm.

$$3) \quad 5^x = 125 \quad | \log_{125} 125 = x$$

Change the logarithmic expression to an equivalent expression involving an exponent.

$$4) \quad \log_b 16 = 4$$

$$b^4 = 16$$

Find the exact value of the logarithmic expression.

$$5) \quad \ln e^3 \quad | \quad 3 \quad \log_e e^3 \quad 3 \log_e e \quad | \quad 3(1)$$

$$6) \quad \log_4 \frac{1}{64}$$

$$\text{Log}_4 4^{-3} = -3$$

$$7) \quad \log_3 \sqrt{3}$$

$$\log_3 \sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{2}} \quad | \quad \text{Log}_3 \frac{1}{2}$$

Use the properties of logarithms to find the exact value of the expression. Do not use a calculator.

8) $\log_{144} 8 + \log_{144} 18$

$$\log_{144}(8 \cdot 18)$$

$$\log_{144} 144$$

$$\boxed{1}$$

9) $10\log 21 - \log 3$

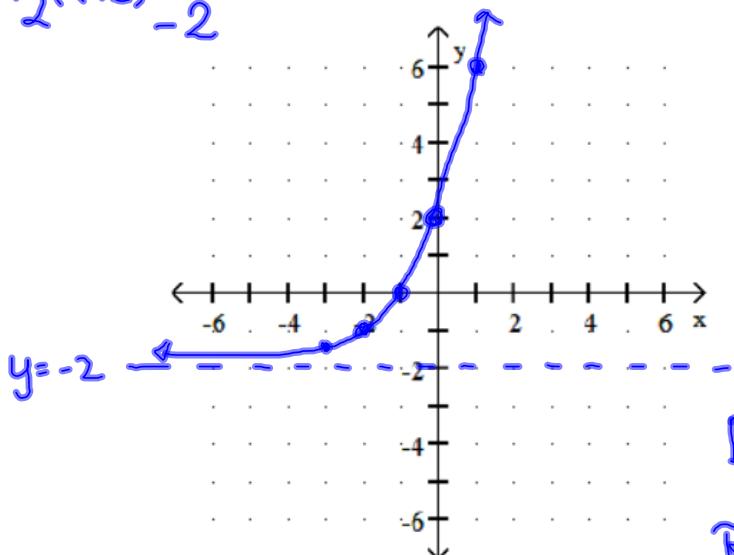
$$10 \log_{10}\left(\frac{21}{3}\right)$$

$$10 \log_{10} 7$$

Graph the function.

10) $f(x) = 2(x+2) - 2$.

$$2^{(x+2)} - 2$$



x	y
-2	$2^0 - 2 = -1$
-1	0
0	2
1	$2^3 - 2 = 6$

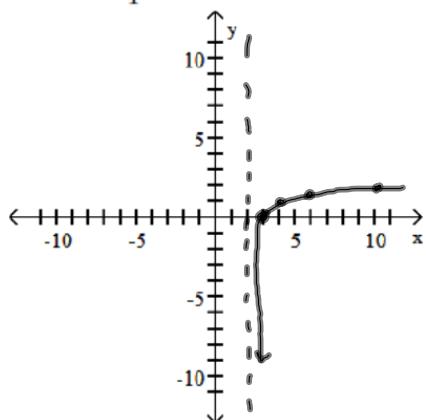
Domain:

$$(-\infty, \infty)$$

Range $(-\infty, \infty)$

H.A. $y = -2$

11) $f(x) = \log_4(x-2)$



calculator

$$y_1 = \frac{\ln(x-2)}{\ln(4)}$$

Change of base

$$\log_4(x-2) = y$$

$$4^y = x-2$$

$$4^y + 2 = x$$

put in numbers for y to find x .

x	$\log_4(x-2)$
0	error
4	0.5
3	0
6	1
10	1.5

Domain

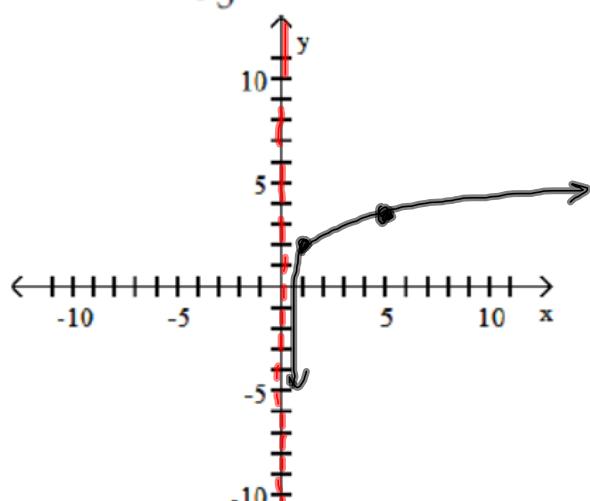
$$x-2 > 0$$

$$x > 2$$

V.A. $x=2$

Range $(-\infty, \infty)$

12) $f(x) = 2 + \log_5 x$



$$y_1 = 2 + \frac{\ln x}{\ln 5}$$

x	$2 + \log_5 x$
0	error
1	$2 + \log_5 1 = 2$
5	$2 + \log_5 5 = 3$

Domain

$$x > 0$$

$$(0, \infty)$$

Range $(-\infty, \infty)$

V.A. $x = 0$

Write as the sum and/or difference of logarithms. Express powers as factors.

13) $\log_4 \sqrt{7x}$

$$\log_4(7x^{1/2}) \quad \frac{1}{2} \log_4 7 + \frac{1}{2} \log_4 x \text{ or } \frac{1}{2}(\log_4 7 + \log_4 x)$$

14) $\log_3 \frac{\sqrt[2]{p} \sqrt{q}}{t^2}$

$$\log_3 \left(\frac{\sqrt[2]{p}}{t^2} \right) + \log_3 \left(\frac{\sqrt{q}}{1} \right) \\ \frac{1}{2} \log_3 p + \frac{1}{2} \log_3 q - 2 \log_3 t$$

Express as a single logarithm.

15) $5 \log_c q - \frac{2}{3} \log_c r + \frac{1}{4} \log_c f - 3 \log_c p$

$$\log_c q^5 - \log_c r^{\frac{2}{3}} + \log_c f^{\frac{1}{4}} - \log_c p^3$$

$$\log_c \frac{q^5}{r^{\frac{2}{3}}} + \log_c \frac{f^{\frac{1}{4}}}{p^3}$$

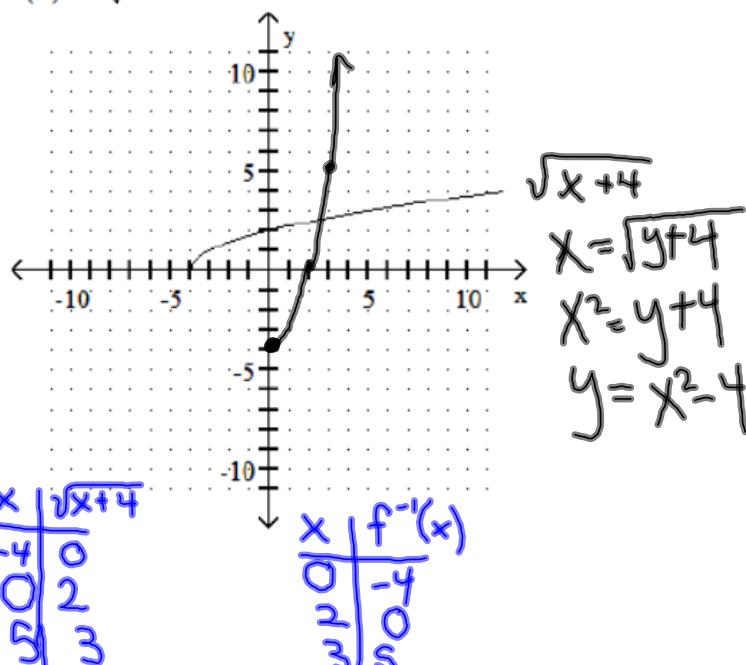
$$\log_c \frac{q^5 + f^{\frac{1}{4}}}{r^{\frac{2}{3}} \cdot p^3}$$

$$\log_c \frac{q^5 + f^{\frac{1}{4}}}{3\sqrt{r^2 \cdot p^3}}$$

$$\log_c \left(\frac{q^5}{r^{\frac{2}{3}}} \right) \left(\frac{f^{\frac{1}{4}}}{p^3} \right)$$

The graph of a one-to-one function f is given. Draw the graph of the inverse function f^{-1} as a dashed line or curve.

16) $f(x) = \sqrt{x+4}$



For the given functions f and g , find the requested composite function.

17) $f(x) = \sqrt{x+6}$, $g(x) = 8x - 10$; Find $(f \circ g)(x)$.

$$\begin{aligned} f \circ g(x) &= \sqrt{8x-10+6} = \sqrt{8x-4} \\ f(g(x)) &= \sqrt{4(2x-1)} \\ &= 2\sqrt{2x-1} \\ \text{Replace } x \text{ in } f(x) &\text{ with } g(x) \end{aligned}$$

Domain:
 $8x-4 \geq 0$
 $8x \geq 4$ $x \geq \frac{1}{2}$
 $2x-1 \geq 0$ $x \geq \frac{1}{2}$

Decide whether the composite functions, $f \circ g$ and $g \circ f$, are equal to x .

18) $f(x) = \frac{x-2}{2}$, $g(x) = 2x + 2$

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

$$2\left(\frac{x-2}{2}\right) + 2 = \frac{2x-4}{2} + 2 = x-2+2 = x$$

$$\cancel{\frac{2(x-2)}{2} + 2} \\ x-2+2 = x$$

Find the inverse function of f . State the domain and range of f .

19) $f(x) = \frac{3x-2}{x+5}$

$$x = \frac{3y-2}{y+5}$$

$$x(y+5) = 3y-2$$

denominator
 $x+5 \neq 0$
 $x \neq -5$

$$xy+5x = 3y-2$$

$$xy-3y = -2-5x$$

$$y(x-3) = -2-5x$$

$$y = \frac{-2-5x}{x-3}$$

$$f^{-1}(x) = \frac{-2-5x}{x-3}$$

denominator
 $x-3 \neq 0$
 $x \neq 3$

Solve the equation.

20) $\log(4x) = \log 5 + \log(x-1)$

$$\log_{10}(4x) = \log_{10}5 + \log_{10}(x-1)$$

$$\log_{10}(4x) = \log_{10}5(x-1)$$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 4x & = & 5x-5 \\ -5x & & -5x \\ -x & = & -5 \end{array}$$

$$\boxed{x = 5}$$

Solve the equation. Express irrational answers in exact form and as a decimal rounded to 3 decimal places.

$$\begin{aligned}
 21) 4^x &= 6^{1-x} \\
 4^x &= 6^{1-x} \\
 \ln 4^x &= (1-x) \ln 6 \\
 x \ln 4 &= (1-x) \ln 6 \\
 x \ln 4 &= 1 \ln 6 - x \ln 6 \\
 +x \ln 6 &+ x \ln 6 \\
 x \ln 4 + x \ln 6 &= 1 \ln 6 \\
 x(\ln 4 + \ln 6) &= \ln 6 \\
 x &= \frac{\ln 6}{\ln 4 + \ln 6} \quad x \approx .564
 \end{aligned}$$

Find the present value. Round to the nearest cent.

22) To get \$25,000 after 10 years at 11% compounded semiannually

$$\begin{aligned}
 A &= P \left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nt} & A &= 25,000 \\
 25,000 &= P \left(1 + \frac{0.11}{2}\right)^{2(10)} & r &= 0.11 \\
 \frac{25,000}{\left(1 + \frac{0.11}{2}\right)^{20}} &= P & t &= 10 \\
 \frac{25,000}{(1.055)^{20}} &= P & n &= 2 \\
 P &= \$185,68.23
 \end{aligned}$$

Solve the problem.

23) The half-life of silicon-32 is 710 years. If 80 grams is present now, how much will be present in 200 years? (Round your answer to three decimal places.) A₀

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \text{Part I Find } k & \text{Part II} \\
 A = A_0 e^{kt} & A = 80 e^{k(200)} \\
 \frac{1}{2}(80) = 80 e^{k(710)} & A = 80 e^{\frac{(0.005)(200)}{710}} \\
 \frac{40}{80} = e^{710k} & A = 80 e^{0.005710} \\
 \ln 0.5 = 710k & \downarrow \\
 \frac{\ln 0.5}{710} = k & 80 e^{(0.005710 \times 200)} \\
 & \boxed{65.810}
 \end{array}$$

Find the domain of the function.

24) $f(x) = \ln(7 - x)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 7 - x &> 0 \\
 -x &> -7 \\
 x &< 7 \quad \text{or} \quad (-\infty, 7)
 \end{aligned}$$

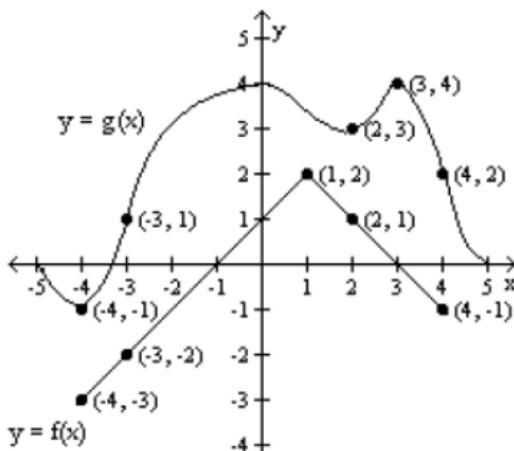
Solve the equation.

25) $\log_2(3x - 2) - \log_2(x - 5) = 4$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \log_2(3x-2) - \log_2(x-5) &= 4 \\
 \log_2 \frac{3x-2}{x-5} &= 4 \quad \text{Domain} \\
 2^4 &= \frac{3x-2}{x-5} \quad x > \frac{2}{3} \\
 16 &= \frac{3x-2}{x-5} \quad x > 5 \\
 16(x-5) &= 3x-2 \\
 16x-80 &= 3x-2 \\
 -3x + 80 &= 3x + 80 \\
 13x &= 78 \\
 x &= 6
 \end{aligned}$$

Evaluate the expression using the values given in the table.

26)



$f(g(-3))$

$$\begin{aligned} &f(g(-3)) \\ &\underbrace{f(1)}_{=} = 2 \end{aligned}$$

Find the amount that results from the investment.

27) \$12,000 invested at 9% compounded quarterly after a period of 3 years

$$\begin{aligned} A &= P\left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nt} & n=4 & t=3 \\ A &= 12,000\left(1 + \frac{0.09}{4}\right)^{4 \cdot 3} & r=.09 & P=12,000 \\ A &= 12,000\left(1 + \frac{0.09}{4}\right)^{12} \\ A &= \$15,672.60 \end{aligned}$$

Solve the problem. Round your answer to three decimals.

28) How long will it take for an investment to double in value if it earns 7.25% compounded continuously?

$$\begin{aligned} A &= Pe^{rt} & r=7.25\% \\ 2 &= 1e^{.0725t} & r=.0725 \\ 2 &= e^{.0725t} & t=? \\ \ln 2 &= \ln e^{.0725t} & (1) \\ \ln 2 &= .0725t \ln e \\ \ln 2 &= .0725t \\ \frac{\ln 2}{.0725} &= t \\ 9.561 \text{ yrs} &\approx t \end{aligned}$$