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Precalculus – Natural Logs

Class work (Day 3)

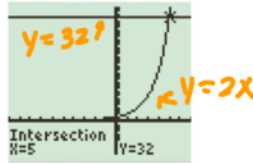
DO NOW: Solve each equation. Round to 3 decimal places, if necessary:

1. $2^x = 32$

HINT: Rewrite with the same base

$$2^x = 2^5$$

$$x = 5$$



2. $\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^x = 9$

HINT: Rewrite with the same base

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

$$-x = 2$$

$$x = -2$$

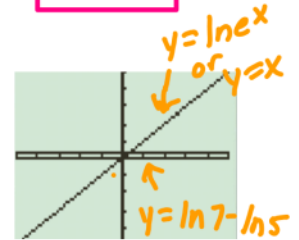
match \rightarrow

4. $\ln e^x = \ln 7 - \ln 5$

HINT: Condense the right side.

$$x = \ln \frac{7}{5}$$

$$x \approx .336$$



3. $\log_4(3x+2) = \log_4(6-x)$

match \rightarrow

$$3x+2 = 6-x$$

$$4x = 4$$

$$x = 1$$

How can you check your solution(s)?

1. Substitute your answer into the equation
2. Graph both sides. Look for point of intersection (x-value).

CLASSWORK:

Find the point of intersection of:

1. $f(x) = e^{4x}$ and $g(x) = \ln e^{20}$

① set functions =

$$e^{4x} = \ln e^{20}$$

② solve

$$e^{4x} = 20$$

* Switch forms

$$\log_e 20 = 4x$$

$$\frac{\ln 20}{4} = \frac{4x}{4}$$

$$x \approx .7489$$

Point: $(.7489, 20)$

2. $f(x) = e^{\ln 50}$ and $g(x) = e^{-2x}$

$$e^{\ln 50} = e^{-2x}$$

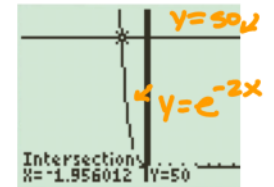
$$50 = e^{-2x}$$

$$\log_e 50 = -2x$$

$$\frac{\ln 50}{-2} = \frac{-2x}{-2}$$

$$x \approx -1.956$$

Point: $(-1.956, 50)$



3. $f(x) = \ln(x^2 + 12)$ and $g(x) = \ln(8x)$

$$\ln(x^2 + 12) = \ln(8x)$$

match \rightarrow

$$x^2 + 12 = 8x$$

$$x^2 - 8x + 12 = 0$$

$$(x-6)(x-2) = 0$$

$$x = 6 \quad x = 2$$

Points: $(6, 0)$ $(2, 0)$

4. Solve: $\ln(2x) = \ln(x^2 - 8)$

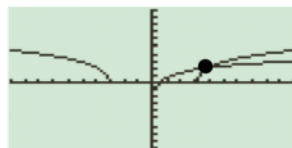
- a. Algebraically
- b. Graphically using your calculator
- c. Any observations? How do you explain this?

$$2x = x^2 - 8$$

$$0 = x^2 - 2x - 8$$

$$0 = (x-4)(x+2)$$

$$x = 4 \quad x = -2$$



$x = -2$ is an extraneous solution
 * Check! can't take \ln of a neg #
 * The graph verifies this.
 (it does not show as a solution)

Find the Domain of each of the following. Write your answer in interval notation:

5. $\ln(5x-15)$

* must be positive (>0)

$$5x-15 > 0$$

$$5x > 15$$

$$x > 3$$

$$\text{Domain } (3, \infty)$$

6. $\ln(5x^2-9x-2)$

$$5x^2-9x-2 > 0$$

$$(5x+1)(x-2) > 0$$

CRITICAL POINTS:

$$5x+1=0$$

$$5x=-1$$

$$x=-1/5$$

$$x=2$$



TEST: $x=-1$ | $x=0$ | $x=3$
 TRUE | -270 | TRUE
 FALSE

$$\text{Domain: } (-\infty, -1/5) \cup (2, \infty)$$

7. $\log_e\left(\frac{x+1}{4x-3}\right)$

$$\frac{x+1}{4x-3} > 0$$

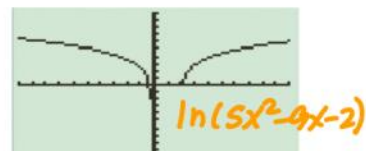
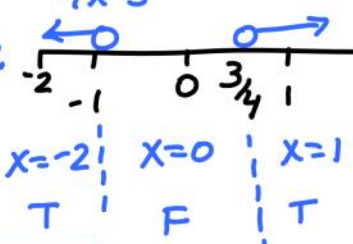
CRITICAL PTS:

$$x=-1$$

$$x=3/4$$

Domain:

$$(-\infty, -1) \cup (3/4, \infty)$$



How can you check your answer? * GRAPH!

Rewrite the following expressions as an expansion of base e with no negative exponents in the final answer.

8. e^{6x^3-7}

$$e^{6x^3} \cdot e^{-7} = \frac{e^{6x^3}}{e^7}$$

9. e^{-4x+3}

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

10. $e^{-\frac{1}{2}x-9}$

$$e^{-\frac{1}{2}x} e^{-9} = \frac{1}{e^{\frac{1}{2}x} e^9}$$

Use the change of base formula to evaluate each. Round to 3 decimal places.

11. $\log_7 4$

$$\frac{\log 4}{\log 7} \approx .712$$

12. $\log_{27} 81$

$$\frac{\log 81}{\log 27} \approx 1.333$$

13. $\log_9 27$

$$\frac{\log 27}{\log 9} \approx 3$$

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Homework (Day 3)

Use the properties of logs to *expand* the expression as a sum, difference, and/or constant multiple of logs

1. $\log_5 \frac{x^2}{y^2 z^3}$

$$2\log_5 x - 2\log_5 y - 3\log_5 z$$

2. $\ln \frac{2w^5 x^{\frac{2}{3}} \sqrt{y}}{z^7}$

$$\ln 2 + 5\ln w + \frac{2}{3}\ln x + \frac{1}{2}\ln y - 7\ln z$$

3. $\ln e \sqrt{x^3 (w-3)}$

$$\log_e e + \frac{1}{2}\ln x^3 + \frac{1}{2}\ln(w-3)$$

$$= 1 + \frac{3}{2}\ln x + \frac{1}{2}\ln(w-3)$$

Condense the expression to the log of a single quantity:

4. $\ln x + 3\ln(x+1)$

$$= \ln x(x+1)^3$$

5. $\frac{1}{3}[\log_8 y + 2\log_8(y+4)] - \log_8(y-1)$

$$\log_8 \frac{y(y+4)^2}{(y-1)}$$

Use the change of base formula to evaluate each. Round to 3 decimal places.

6. $\log_6 5 \approx \frac{\log 5}{\log 6} \approx .898$

7. $\log_{18} 36 \approx \frac{\log 36}{\log 18} \approx 1.24$

8. $\log_2 8 = \frac{\log 8}{\log 2} = 3$

* must be positive (>0)

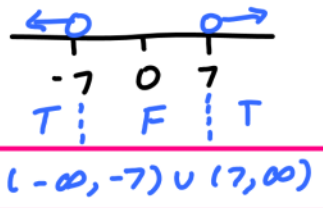
Find the Domain. Write your answer in interval notation:

9. $f(x) = \ln(x^2 - 49)$

$$x^2 - 49 > 0$$

$$(x+7)(x-7) > 0$$

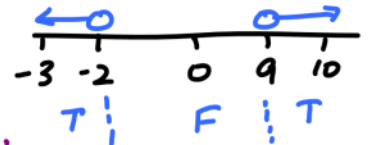
CRITICAL values:
x = -7 x = 7



10. $f(x) = \log_e \left(\frac{x-9}{x+2} \right)$

$$\frac{x-9}{x+2} > 0$$

CRITICAL values:
x = 9 x = -2



$$\text{Domain: } (-\infty, -2) \cup (9, \infty)$$

Rewrite the following expressions as an expansion of base e with no negative exponents in the final answer.

11. $e^{2x^5 - 4}$

$$\frac{e^{2x^5}}{e^4}$$

12. e^{-5x+2}

$$\frac{e^2}{e^{5x}}$$

13. $e^{-\frac{1}{3}x+4}$

$$\frac{e^4}{e^{\frac{1}{3}x}}$$



Find the point(s) of intersection of each set of graphs:

14. $f(x) = \ln 21$ and $g(x) = \ln(x^2 - 15)$

$$\ln 21 = \ln(x^2 - 15)$$

$$21 = x^2 - 15$$

$$0 = x^2 - 36$$

$$0 = (x+6)(x-6) \quad \begin{matrix} * \ln 21 \approx \\ 3.044 \end{matrix}$$

$$x = -6 \quad x = 6$$

$(-6, 3.044)$
 $(6, 3.044)$

15. $y = \log_{11}(3x^2 - 9x - 26)$ and $y_2 = \log_{11}(2 - 14x)$

$$\log_{11}(3x^2 - 9x - 26) = \log_{11}(2 - 14x)$$

$$3x^2 - 9x - 26 = 2 - 14x$$

$$3x^2 + 5x - 28 = 0$$

$$(3x - 7)(x + 4) = 0$$

$$x = 7/3 \quad x = -4$$

points: $(7/3, 0), (-4, 0)$

③ ① ② ④
 $2 \ln(-(x-4)) + 3$

16. Graph: $h(x) = 2 \ln(4-x) + 3$

Transformations: * See below

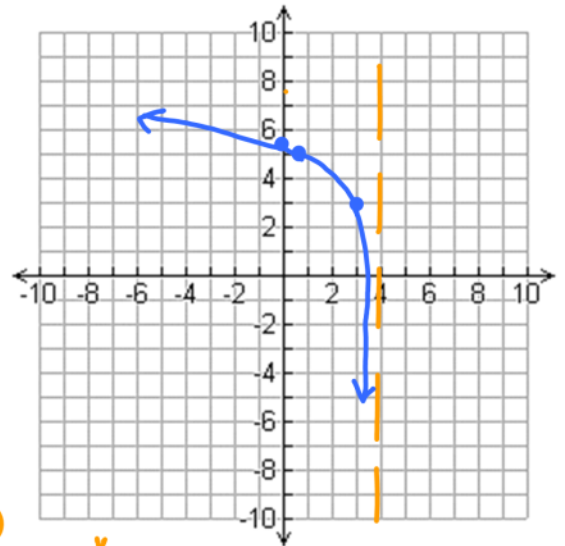
Domain: $4-x > 0 \quad 4 > x \quad x < 4$ $(-\infty, 4)$

Range: $(-\infty, \infty)$

x-int:

y-int: $f(0) = 2 \ln(4) + 3 = 5.7$

Asymptote: $x = 4$ $(0, 5.7)$



$p(x) = \ln x \Rightarrow e^y = x$

②	①			③	④
$x+4$	$-1(x)$	x	y	$y(2)$	$y+3$
3	-1	1	0	0	3
1.3	-2.7	2.7	1	2	5
x					y

- * ① Reflect over y-axis
 ② Shift 4 Right
 ③ Vertical stretch - factor of 2
 ④ shift up 3