

# Algebra 2 – Unit 9

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## 9 Review – Exponents & Logarithms

Unit 9 Equations	Exponential Growth or Decay	Compounding Interest
Any other equations related will be given in the application problem.	$y = ab^x$	$A = Pe^{rt}$ or $A = P\left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nt}$

### Part 1 – #1-11 No graphing calculator.

1. Under each function, write "yes" if it is an exponential function. If the answer is "no", write an explanation why not.

a)  $y = 3x^5$

No, x isn't the exp.

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

yes

2. Tell whether the equation represents an exponential growth or exponential decay function.

a)  $y = -0.5\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^x$  growth

b)  $y = -3(e)^{-x}$  growth  
decay

3. Rewrite  $\log_{16} \frac{1}{4} = -\frac{1}{2}$  in exponential form.

$$16^{-1/2} = 1/4$$

4. Rewrite  $3^{-4} = \frac{1}{81}$  in logarithmic form.

$$\log_3 1/81 = -4$$

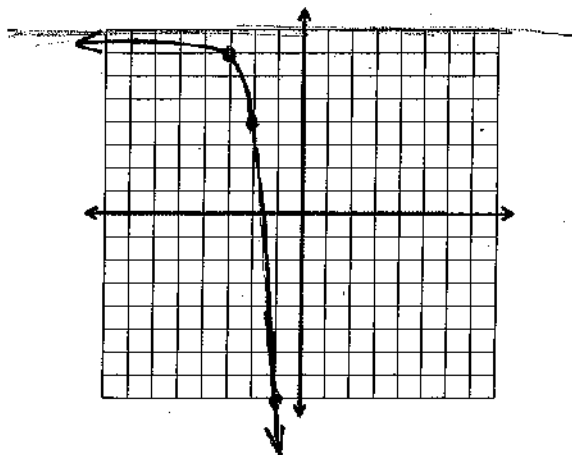
5. Evaluate  $\log_{36} 6$

$$36^? = 6$$

$$? = 1/2$$

For 6-7, sketch the graph of each exponential function by doing the following: Sketch the asymptote, label at least two distinct coordinate points on each graph, and write the domain and range of each function.

6.  $y = -4(4)^{x+2} + 8$



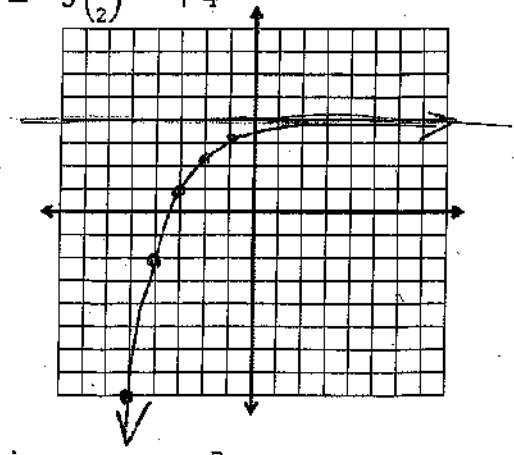
Domain:

$\mathbb{R}$

Range:

$y < 8$

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



Domain:

$\mathbb{R}$

Range:

$y < 4$

8. Sketch the graph of the given function by doing the following: Sketch the asymptote, label at least **two distinct coordinate points**, and write the domain and range.

$$f(x) = \log_3(x+4)$$

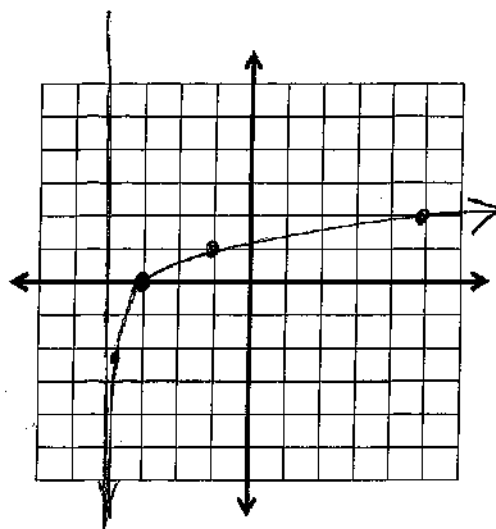
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Domain:

$$x > -4$$

Range:

$$\mathbb{R}$$



9. Simplify  $\frac{e^x}{(e^{2x})^{-3}}$ . Your answer should contain only positive exponents.

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

10. Expand  $\ln \frac{x}{\sqrt{y}}$

$$\ln x - \frac{1}{2} \ln y$$

$$\ln x - \frac{\ln y}{2}$$

11. Condense to a single logarithm:

$$2 \log a + \frac{1}{3} \log b - \log c$$

$$\log \frac{a^2 \sqrt[3]{b}}{c}$$

**Part 2 – #12-21 Graphing calculator is allowed.**

12. Give the percent increase or percent decrease for each equation.

a)  $y = 3(1.13)^x$

13% Increase

b)  $y = 0.3(0.938)^x$

6.2% Decrease

13. Use a calculator to approximate  $\log_2 9$  to three decimal places. Show your work by using the change-of-base formula.

change of base  $\left\{ \frac{\log 9}{\log 2} = 3.169 \right.$

For 14-16, solve each equation. If necessary, round answers to three decimal places.

14.  $5 + \log_2 a = 3$

$$\log_2 a = -2$$

$$2^{-2} = a$$

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

15.  $-4 \log_6(9x) - 7 = -23$

$$\log_6 9x = 4$$

$$6^4 = 9x$$

$$x = 144$$

16.  $7 \cdot 9^{2p-4} + 3 = 45$

$$9^{2p-4} = 6$$

$$\log_9 6 = 2p-4$$

$$p = 2.408$$

Application - show all work to earn full credit!

17. Dennis just inherited \$10,000 from a distant relative who passed away. After spending \$2,000 on new tank-tops, he puts the rest into a savings account that earns 4.5% interest compounded monthly. How much money will he have after 5 years?

$$8,000 \left(1 + \frac{.045}{12}\right)^{12(5)}$$

$$\boxed{\$10,014.37}$$

18. The value of a new car purchased for \$20,000 decreases by 10% per year. Write an exponential decay model for the value of the car. Use the model to estimate the value after 4 years.

$$20,000 (1 - .10)^4$$

$$\boxed{\$13,188}$$

19. Audrey just won the mega-millions lottery! She decided to take a lump sum payment of \$250 million dollars. While thinking about what to do with the money, she wondered how much she could earn from the interest each year if it was all put into a savings account that compounded continuously. She found an account that would pay 2.25% interest. How much interest will she gain after one year?

$$250,000,000 e^{.0225(1)}$$

$$= \$255,688,758.50$$

$$\boxed{\text{Interest } \$5,688,758.54}$$

20. The magnitude of an earthquake can be modeled by  $M = 0.29(\ln E) - 9.9$  where  $E$  is the amount of energy released (in ergs). During Mr. Bean's senior year in high school, he woke up to an earthquake that released  $8.18 \times 10^{22}$  ergs. Mr. Bean's skis actually fell off the wall and he thought there was a monster truck outside his bedroom window...seriously...it was scary! What was the magnitude of this earthquake?

$$0.29(\ln 8.18 \times 10^{22}) - 9.9$$

$$\boxed{M = 12.429}$$

21. The decibel level of a sound is given by  $D = 10 \log \frac{I}{10^{-12}}$  where  $I$  is the intensity of the sound measured in watts per square meter.

- a) What is the decibel level of a police siren if the sound intensity is  $3.162 \times 10^{-2}$  watts per square meter?

$$10 \log \frac{3.162 \times 10^{-2}}{10^{-12}}$$

$$\boxed{D = 104.999}$$

- b) If an NBA arena has a decibel level (dB) of 120. What is the sound intensity? How many times greater is that sound than a police siren (from part a)?

$$120 = 10 \log \frac{x}{10^{-12}}$$

$$12 = \log \frac{x}{10^{-12}}$$

$$10^{12} = \frac{x}{10^{-12}}$$

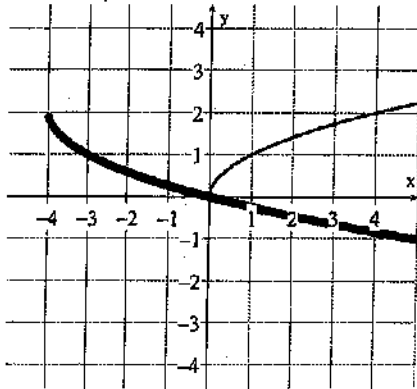
$$x = 10^{12} \cdot 10^{-12}$$

$$\underline{\underline{x = 1}}$$

$$\boxed{1.96838 \text{ greater}}$$

### Algebra Skills

1. Below are graphs of  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$  (thin line) and its translation (bold line). Write an equation of the translation.



Simplify the fraction by rationalizing the denominator.

2.  $\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}$

3.  $\frac{21}{5\sqrt{7}}$

Solve by factoring.

4.  $x^3 + 2x^2 - 48x = 0$

5.  $6x^2 - 23x + 21 = 0$

### 540 Prep

1. Simplify:  $(5^{x-1})(5^{2x+1})^x$

- (A)  $(5)^{4x}$   
 (B)  $(5)^{3x^2}$   
 (C)  $(5)^{2x^3}$   
 (D)  $(5)^{2x^2+2x-1}$

2. If  $f(x) = 6(2)^{3x+1} + 4$ , find  $f(-1)$ .

0	1	2	3
4	5	6	7
8	9	0	1
2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9
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