

HOMWORK 7-5 / 7-6

1) $8^{2x} = 32$ since both 8 and 32 are powers of 2, we do not have to use logs

$$\overset{\text{multiply}}{(2^3)^{2x}} = 2^5$$

$$8 = 2^3 \quad 32 = 2^5$$

$$2^{6x} = 2^5$$

$$6x = 5$$

$$x = \frac{5}{6}$$

$$2) 7^n = 343$$

$$343 = 7^3$$

$$7^n = 7^3$$

$$n = 3$$

$$3) 9^{2x} = 27$$

$$9 = 3^2$$

$$27 = 3^3$$

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

$$4x = 3$$

$$x = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$4) 25^{2n+1} = 625$$

$$25^{2n+1} = 25^2$$

$$2n+1 = 2$$

$$2n = 1$$

$$n = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$5) 36^{-2x+1} = 216$$

$$(6^2)^{-2x+1} = 6^3$$

$$6^{2(-2x+1)} = 6^3$$

$$2(-2x+1) = 3$$

$$-4x + 2 = 3$$

$$-4x = 1$$

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

$$6) 64^x = 4096$$

$$(4^3)^x = 4^6$$

$$3x = 6$$

$$x = 2$$

$$7) 5^{2x} = 20$$

$$\log_5 5^{2x} = \log_5 20$$

$$\frac{2x}{1} = \frac{\log 20}{2}$$

$$= 0.93$$

method 2

$$\log 5^{2x} = \log 20$$

$$2x \log 5 = \log 20$$

$$\frac{2x}{2} = \frac{\log 20}{\log 5} = 0.93$$

$$8) 8^{n+1} = 3$$

method 1
(use \log_8)

$$\log_8 8^{n+1} = \log_8 3$$

$$n+1 = \log_8 3$$

$$n = \frac{\log 3}{\log 8} - 1$$

change of
base

$$\log_8 3 = \frac{\log 3}{\log 8}$$

method 2
(use \log)

$$\log 8^{n+1} = \log 3$$

$$(n+1) \log 8 = \log 3$$

$$n+1 = \frac{\log 3}{\log 8} - 1$$

$$n = \frac{\log 3}{\log 8} - 1$$

$$9) \log_4 4^{n-2} = \log_4 3$$

$$n-2 = \log_4 3 + 2$$

$$n = \frac{\log 3}{\log 4} + 2$$

$$10) \log_4 4^{2n} = \log_4 5$$

$$2n = \log_4 5$$

$$n = \frac{\log_4 5}{2}$$

$$11) 15^{2n-3} = 245$$

$$\log_{15} 15^{2n-3} = \log_{15} 245$$

$$2n-3 = \log_{15} 245 + 3$$

$$n = \frac{\log_{15} 245 + 3}{2}$$

$$12) 4^x - 5 = 12$$

$$\log_4 4^x = \log_4 17$$

$$x = \log_4 17$$

$$13) \frac{2 \log X = 2}{2} \log X = 1$$

$$10^1 = X$$

$$\boxed{X = 10}$$

$$14) \log(2x+5) = 3$$

$$10^3 = 2x + 5$$

$$10,000 = 2x$$

$$\frac{9,995}{2} = \frac{2x}{2}$$

$$15) \log(3x-2) = 3$$

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error!

$$10^3 = 3x - 2$$

$$\frac{1002}{3} = \frac{3x}{3}$$

$$\boxed{X = \frac{1002}{3}}$$

$$16) \log(x-25) = 2$$

$$10^2 = x - 25$$

$$100 = x - 25$$

$$\boxed{X = 125}$$

$$17) \frac{2 \log(2x+5)}{2} = \frac{4}{2}$$

$$\log(2x+5) = 2$$

$$10^2 = 2x + 5$$

$$100 = 2x + 5$$

$$\frac{95}{2} = \frac{2x}{2}$$

$$\boxed{X = \frac{95}{2}}$$

$$18) \frac{3 \log(1-2x)}{3} = \frac{6}{3}$$

$$\log(1-2x) = 2$$

$$10^2 = 1 - 2x$$

$$100 = -2x$$

$$\frac{99}{2} = \frac{-2x}{2}$$

$$\boxed{X = -49.5}$$

$$19) P = 8,100,000$$

$$r = 2\% = 0.02$$

growth factor $1 + 0.02 = 1.02$

$$a) A = P(1+r)^{st}$$

$$y = a \cdot b^t$$

$$y = 8,100,000(1.02)^t$$

$$b) A = 9,000,000 \quad t = ?$$

$$9,000,000 = 8,100,000(1.02)^t$$

$$\frac{90}{81} = \frac{81}{81}(1.02)^t$$

$$\log \frac{10}{9} = \log 1.02^t$$

$$\frac{\log \frac{10}{9}}{\log 1.02} = \frac{t \log 1.02}{\log 1.02}$$

$5.32 = t$ It would take about 5.32 years to reach 9 million

$$20) \frac{3}{3} e^{3x-5} = \frac{49}{3}$$

$$\ln e^{3x-5} = \ln \frac{49}{3}$$

$$3x-5 = \ln \frac{49}{3} + 5$$

$$\frac{3}{3} x = \frac{\ln \frac{49}{3} + 5}{3}$$

$$21) \frac{7}{7} e^{5x+8} = \frac{0.23}{7}$$

$$\ln e^{5x+8} = \ln \frac{0.23}{7}$$

$$5x+8 = \ln \frac{0.23}{7} - 8$$

$$\frac{5}{5} x = \frac{\ln \frac{0.23}{7} - 8}{5}$$

$$22) \quad \cancel{6} - e^{12x} = 5.2$$

$$-e^{12x} = -0.8$$

$$\ln e^{12x} = \ln 0.8$$

$$\frac{12x}{12} = \frac{\ln 0.8}{12}$$

$$23) \quad \cancel{-7} + \ln 2x = 4$$

$$\ln 2x = 11$$

$$e^{11} = 2x$$

$$x = \frac{e^{11}}{2}$$

$$24) \quad \cancel{3} - 4 \ln(8x+1) = 12$$

$$-4 \ln(8x+1) = 9$$

$$\ln(8x+1) = -\frac{9}{4}$$

$$e^{-9/4} = 8x+1$$

$$\frac{e^{-9/4} - 1}{8} = \frac{8x}{8}$$

$$x = \frac{e^{-9/4} - 1}{8}$$

$$25) \quad \ln x + \ln 3x = 14$$

product prop.

$$\ln 3x^2 = 14$$

$$\frac{e^{14}}{3} = x^2$$

$$x = \sqrt{\frac{e^{14}}{3}}$$

$$26) \quad 2 \ln x + \ln x^2 = 3$$

$$\ln x^2 + \ln x^2 = 3$$

$$\ln x^4 = 3$$

$$e^3 = x^4$$

$$x = \sqrt[4]{e^3}$$

$$27) \ln x + \ln 4 = 2$$

$$\ln 4x = 2$$

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

$$\boxed{x = \frac{e^2}{4}}$$

$$28) \ln x - \ln 5 = -1$$

$$\ln \frac{x}{5} = -1$$

$$5 \cdot e^{-1} = \frac{x}{5} \cdot 5$$

$$\boxed{x = 5e^{-1}}$$

$$29) \ln e^{x+5} = 17$$

$$\frac{x+5}{-5} = \frac{17}{-5}$$

$$\boxed{x = 12}$$

$$30) y = a e^{-0.00012t}$$

$$32 = 100 e^{-0.00012t}$$

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remains beginning %
%.

$$\frac{32}{100} = e^{-0.00012t}$$

$$\ln 0.32 = \ln e^{-0.00012t}$$

$$\frac{\ln 0.32}{-0.00012} = \frac{-0.00012t}{-0.00012}$$

$$t = 9495.29$$

The approximate age of the bone is 9495 years.