

6.  $\log_5 \frac{1}{125} = \boxed{-3}$

$5^x = \frac{1}{125} = \frac{1}{5^3} = 5^{-3}$

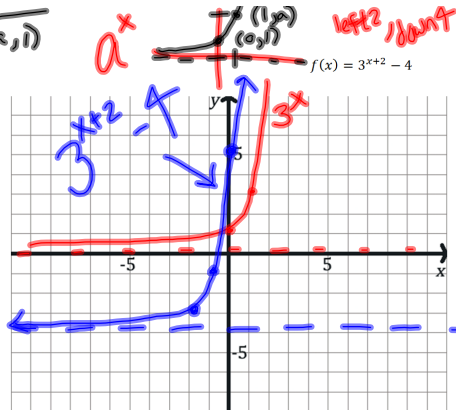
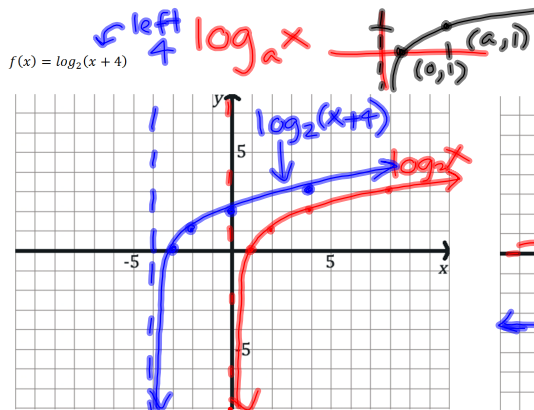
7.  $\log_{27} 3 = \boxed{\frac{1}{3}}$

$27^x = 3 \quad \sqrt[3]{27} = 3$

8.  $3^{2 \log_3 2} = 3^{\log_3 2^2} = 3^{\log_3 4} = \boxed{4}$

9.  $\ln \frac{e^2}{\sqrt[3]{e}} = \ln e^2 - \ln e^{1/3} = 2 - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{6}{3} - \frac{1}{3} = \boxed{\frac{5}{3}}$

10.  $\log_4 8 = \frac{\log_2 8}{\log_2 4} = \boxed{\frac{3}{2}}$



14. Express as a single logarithm.

$$\begin{aligned}
 4 \ln x - 2[\ln 3y + 3 \ln 2x] &= 4 \ln x - 2[\ln 3y + \ln (2x)^3] \quad \text{plog } x = \log x^p \\
 &= \ln x^4 - 2 \ln (3y \cdot 8x^3) \\
 &= \ln x^4 - \ln (24x^3y)^2 \\
 &= \ln \left( \frac{x^4}{24^2 x^6 y^2} \right) = \ln \left( \frac{1}{576 x^2 y^2} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

16. Solve for x.

$$3^{5x+2} = \frac{1}{27}$$

$$3^{5x+2} = 3^{-3}$$

$$5x+2 = -3$$

$$5x = -5$$

$$x = -1$$

17. Solve for x.

$$\log_3 x + \log_3 (x-8) = 2$$

$$\log_3 [x(x-8)] = 2$$

$$3^2 = x(x-8)$$

$$9 = x^2 - 8x$$

$$x^2 - 8x - 9 = 0$$

$$(x-9)(x+1) = 0$$

$$x = 9$$
~~$$x = -1$$~~

18. A certain element has a half-life of 30 years and we start with a 4000 gram sample of the element.

$$P(30) = \frac{1}{2} P_0$$

$$2000 = 4000 e^{k \cdot 30}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = e^{k \cdot 30}$$

$$\ln \frac{1}{2} = k \cdot 30$$

$$k = \frac{\ln \frac{1}{2}}{30}$$

$$P(t) = P_0 e^{kt}$$

$$P(t) = 4000 e^{\frac{\ln \frac{1}{2}}{30} t}$$

c. Determine the number of years  $t$  it will take for there to be only 100 grams of the element left. in terms of the natural log. what is  $t$ , when  $P(t) = 100$ ?

$$100 = 4000 e^{kt}$$

$$\frac{100}{4000} = e^{kt}$$

$$\frac{1}{40} = e^{kt}$$

$$\ln \frac{1}{40} = kt$$

$$t = \frac{\ln \frac{1}{40}}{k} = \frac{\ln \frac{1}{40}}{\frac{\ln \frac{1}{2}}{30}}$$

$$= \frac{\ln(40)^{-1}}{\frac{1}{30} \cdot \ln(2)^{-1}} = \frac{30(-\ln 40)}{-\ln 2} = \frac{30 \ln 40}{\ln 2}$$

Solution  
to # 3 as  
written on board:  
 $(-3/8, 19/8, -1/8)$

## 10.1 Sequences and Series

An infinite sequence is a function that has as its domain the set of natural #'s

1	,	2	,	3	,	4	,	5	...	$-n..$
↓		↓		↓		↓		↓		
2	,	4	,	8	,	16	,	32	...	$-2^n...$

what is the  $n^{\text{th}}$  term of the sequence?

A finite sequence has as its domain  $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$  for some finite  $n$ .

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A series is the sum of the terms in a sequence.

$$a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + \dots + a_n = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i$$

↗  
sigma notation

$$\{2, 4, 8, 16, 32, \dots\}$$

$n^{\text{th}}$  term is  $2^n$

the sum of the first 10 terms is

$$\sum_{i=1}^{10} 2^i = 2^1 + 2^2 + 2^3 + 2^4 + \dots + 2^{10}$$

## Recursively-defined sequences/series

Fibonacci sequence:

$\begin{matrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 & 9 & 10 \\ 1, & 1, & 2, & 3, & 5, & 8, & 13, & 21, & 34, & 55, \dots \end{matrix}$

$$n^{\text{th}} \text{ term } a_n = a_{n-2} + a_{n-1}$$

Recursively-defined sequence is dependent on previous terms

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$$2. a_n = (n-1)(n-2)(n-3)$$

$$a_1 = 0$$

$$a_2 = 0$$

$$a_3 = 0$$

$$a_4 = (4-1)(4-2)(4-3) = 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1 = 6$$

$$a_5 = (5-1)(5-2)(5-3) = 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 = 24$$

$$8. a_n = (-1)^{n-1} (3n-5)$$

$$a_1 = (-1)^{1-1} (3 \cdot 1 - 5) = -2$$

$$a_2 = (-1)^{2-1} (3 \cdot 2 - 5) = -1$$

$$a_3 = (-1)^{3-1} (3 \cdot 3 - 5) = 4$$

$$a_4 = (-1)^{4-1} (3 \cdot 4 - 5) = -7$$

$$a_5 = (-1)^{5-1} (3 \cdot 5 - 5) = 10$$

$(-1)^n$   
 $\Rightarrow$   
alternating  
sequence

$$a_n = \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n \rightarrow e$$

find the  $n^{\text{th}}$  term:

$$26. \quad -2, 3, 8, 13, 18, \dots$$

1
2
3
4
5

what function of  $n$  takes  $\{1, 2, 3, \dots, n, \dots\}$  to this sequence?

$$a_n = a_{n-1} + 5 \quad \leftarrow \text{recursive definition}$$

$$a_n = 5n - 7 \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, \dots \\ a_n = 5n \end{array} \right.$$

$$28. \quad \sqrt{2 \cdot 1}, \sqrt{2 \cdot 2}, \sqrt{2 \cdot 3}, \sqrt{2 \cdot 4}, \sqrt{2 \cdot 5}, \dots$$

$$a_n = \sqrt{2n}$$

$$32. \quad \ln e^2, \ln e^3, \ln e^4, \ln e^5, \dots$$

$$a_n = \ln e^{n+1} = n+1$$

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# 7, 9, 25-31 odd

### Arithmetic Sequences/Series:

**Definition:** A sequence is arithmetic if there exists a number  $d$ , called the common difference, such that  $a_{n+1} = a_n + d$  for any integer  $n \geq 1$ .

The nth term of an arithmetic sequence is given by  $a_n = a_1 + (n - 1)d$ , for any integer  $n \geq 1$ .

The sum of the first n terms of an arithmetic sequence is given by  $S_n = \frac{n}{2}(a_1 + a_n)$

### Geometric Sequences/Series:

**Definition:** A sequence is geometric if there is a number  $r$ , called the common ratio, such that  $\frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} = r$ , or  $a_{n+1} = a_n r$ , for any integer  $n \geq 1$ .

The nth term of a geometric sequence is given by  $a_n = a_1 r^{n-1}$ , for any integer  $n \geq 1$ .

The sum of the first n terms of a geometric sequence is given by  $S_n = \frac{a_1(1-r^n)}{1-r}$ , for any  $r \neq 1$ .

When  $|r| < 1$ , the limit or sum of an infinite geometric series is given by  $S_\infty = \frac{a_1}{1-r}$