

# Laws of logarithms

(often called log laws) are rules that describe how to handle logarithms.

These rules are as follows:

**Product rule:**  $\ln(a.b) = \ln(a) + \ln(b)$

**Quotient rule:**  $\ln\left(\frac{a}{b}\right) = \ln(a) - \ln(b)$

**Power rule:**  $\ln(a^b) = b . \ln(a)$

**Application of power rule:**  $\ln(y^x) = x\ln(y)$

**Logarithm of 1:**  $\ln(1) = 0$

**Logarithm of e:**  $\ln(e) = 1$  , because  $e^1 = 1$  or  $e^x = x$