

Condition Number of e^x

$$\text{Condition Number} = \frac{xf'(x)}{f(x)}$$

In the case of $f(x) = e^x$, $f'(x) = e^x$

Therefore, the condition number is $\frac{xe^x}{e^x} = x$

When the condition number is 10^8 , x is also 10^8 . Hence, $f(x) = e^{10^8} \cong 10^{0.43 \cdot 10^8}$.

This means that $f(x)$ has roughly 10^8 digits.