

# Practice for Quiz 1

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## Practice 4-2: Logarithms

### Question 11

Simplify  $\log_2 5 + \log_2 3$

Recall that the sum of two logs with the same base is the log of the product of the arguments.

Therefore,  $\log_2 5 + \log_2 3 = \log_2 15$

### Question 12

Re-write  $\log_3(x^q)$  without exponentiation

$q * \log_3(x)$

### Question 13

Re-write  $\log_4 x$  using base-3 logs instead of base 4.

$$\log_4 x = \frac{\log_3 x}{\log_3 4}$$

### Question 14

Fill in the blank:  $\log_4 9 = \log_2 \textit{blank}$

$$\log_4 9 = \frac{\log_2 9}{\log_2 4}$$

$$\log_4 9 = \frac{\log_2 9}{2}$$

$$\log_4 9 = \log_2 \sqrt{9}$$

$$\log_4 9 = \log_2 3$$

### Question 15

Simplify  $\log_5(24) - \log_5(4)$

$$\log_5(24) - \log_5(4) = \log_5\left(\frac{24}{4}\right)$$

$$\log_5\left(\frac{24}{4}\right) = \log_5(6)$$

### Question 16

Re-write  $\log_{10}(x^7)$  without exponentiation

$$7 * \log_{10}(x)$$

### Question 17

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### Question 18

Fill in the blank:  $\log_9(4) = \log_3(\textit{blank})$

$$\log_9(4) = \frac{\log_3(4)}{\log_3(9)}$$

$$\log_9(4) = \frac{\log_3(4)}{2}$$

$$\log_9(4) = \log_3(\sqrt{4})$$

$$\log_9(4) = \log_3(2)$$

$$\text{Blank} = 2$$

### Question 19

Simplify  $\log_2 5 + \log_2 3$

$$\log_2 5 + \log_2 3 = \log_2(5 * 3)$$

$$\log_2(5 * 3) = \log_2(15)$$

### Question 27

Re-write  $\log_2 16x^3$  with no constants or operators in a *logs* argument.

$$\log_2 16x^3 = \log_2 16 + \log_2 x^3$$

$$4 + 3 \log_2 x$$

### Question 28

What is  $\log_3 5 * \log_5 3$ ?

$$\log_3 5 * \log_5 3 = \frac{\log_5 5}{\log_5 3} * \frac{\log_5 3}{\log_5 5}$$

$$\log_3 5 * \log_5 3 = \frac{1}{\log_5 3} * \frac{\log_5 3}{1}$$

$$\log_3 5 * \log_5 3 = 1$$