

1. What is the inverse of the function  $y = \log_3 x$ ?

- (1)  $y = 3^x$       (2)  $x = 3^y$       (3)  $y = \log_x 3$       (4)  $y = x^3$

2. The equation  $\log_a x = y$  where  $x > 0$  and  $a > 1$  is equivalent to

- (1)  $a^x = y$       (2)  $x^y = a$       (3)  $a^y = x$       (4)  $y^a = x$

3. The function  $y = 2^x$  is equivalent to

- (1)  $x = y \log 2$    (2)  $x = \log_2 y$    (3)  $y = \log_2 x$    (4)  $y = x \log 2$

4. Which is the equivalent exponential form of  $\log_b N = x$ ?

- (1)  $x^b = N$       (2)  $b^x = N$       (3)  $b^N = x$       (4)  $N^b = x$

5. If  $\log_b x = y$ , then  $x$  equals

- (1)  $y^b$       (2)  $\frac{y}{b}$       (3)  $y \cdot b$       (4)  $b^y$

6. Which logarithmic equation is equivalent to  $L^m = E$ ?

- (1)  $\log_E m = L$                       (2)  $\log_m E = L$   
(3)  $\log_L E = m$                       (4)  $\log_E L = m$

7. Which equation is equivalent to  $y = 3^x$ ?

- (1)  $\log_3 x = y$    (2)  $\log 3 = x$    (3)  $\log_3 y = x$    (4)  $\log_y x = 3$

8. The equation  $y = a^x$  expressed in logarithmic form is

- (1)  $x = \log_a y$    (2)  $x = \log_y a$    (3)  $y = \log_a x$    (4)  $a = \log_x y$

9. If  $\log_b n = y$ , then  $n$  equals

- (1)  $b^y$       (2)  $y^b$       (3)  $y \cdot b$       (4)  $\frac{y}{b}$

10. Solve for  $x$  in terms of  $a$  and  $b$ :

$$\log_b x = a$$

11. If  $\log a = x$  and  $\log b = y$ , then  $\log(ab^2)$  equals

(1)  $x + \frac{1}{2}y$       (2)  $2x + 2y$       (3)  $x + 2y$       (4)  $\frac{1}{2}(x + y)$

12. Write  $\sqrt[3]{x} \times \sqrt{x}$  as a single term with a rational exponent.

13. Express  $\frac{12x^{-5}y^5}{24x^{-3}y^{-2}}$  in simplest form, using only positive exponents.

14. Determine the exact value of  $(\frac{27}{64})^{-\frac{2}{3}}$  as a fraction in simplest form.

15. The expression  $9^{\frac{3}{2}} \cdot 27^{\frac{1}{2}}$  is equivalent to

(1)  $243^{\frac{3}{4}}$       (2)  $243^2$       (3)  $3^{\frac{9}{2}}$       (4)  $3^2$

16. Explain how  $\left(3^{\frac{1}{5}}\right)^2$  can be written as the equivalent radical expression  $\sqrt[5]{9}$ .

17. The expression  $\left(x^{\frac{1}{2}}y^{-\frac{2}{3}}\right)^{-6}$  is equivalent to

(1)  $\frac{1}{x^3y^4}$       (2)  $x^3y^4$       (3)  $\frac{x^3}{y^4}$       (4)  $\frac{y^4}{x^3}$

18. When  $b > 0$  and  $d$  is a positive integer, the expression  $(3b)^{\frac{2}{d}}$  is equivalent to

(1)  $\left(\sqrt[d]{3b}\right)^2$

(2)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3b^d}}$

(3)  $\left(\sqrt{3b}\right)^d$

(4)  $\frac{1}{\left(\sqrt[d]{3b}\right)^2}$

