

1. (2 points) What is the difference between an exponential function and a power function?
2. (2 points) In general, what are the 3 ways to find an inverse? Describe each method and when you would use each one. What is the purpose of the inverse function?
3. (2 points) Graph with all parts (i.e., list all transformations, show all important parts of graph, domain and range, etc.) $y = 5 - \log_3(x + 2)$.

4. (2 points)

a. Expand: $\log_2 \left(\frac{4x^3}{\sqrt{x+3}} \right)$

b. Condense to a single logarithmic function: $\ln(3) - \ln(x + 1) + 2 \ln(x - 3) - \frac{1}{2} \ln(x)$

5. (2 points) Solve for x given $7^{2x-1} = 5^{x+1}$ (Give the exact and approximate solutions).