

1. Let $a > 0$, $b > 0$ and x and y are any real numbers. Fill out the table of **Laws of Exponents** below:

1.	$b^{x+y} = b^x \cdot b^y$	3.	$(b^x)^y = b^{xy}$
2.	$b^{x-y} = b^x / b^y$	4.	$(ab)^x = a^x b^x$

2. Use the table above to rewrite and simplify the expression. Write down the number of the rule that you are using to the side of your work.

a. $\sqrt[3]{x^{-2}} = x^{-2/3}$

b. $b^{(n-1)}(3b^2)^n =$
 $= b^{n-1} \cdot 3^n \cdot b^{2n}$
 $= 3^n \cdot b^{2n+n-1}$
 $= 3^n \cdot b^{3n-1}$

c. $\frac{6x^2y}{\sqrt{4xy^3}} = 6x^2y \cdot (4xy^3)^{-1/2} =$
 $= 6x^2y \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot x^{-1/2} \cdot y^{-3/2}$
 $= 3 \cdot x^{3/2} \cdot y^{-1/2}$

3. Are the following statements true or false? If the statement is false, provide a counterexample (using specific numbers) showing it is false.

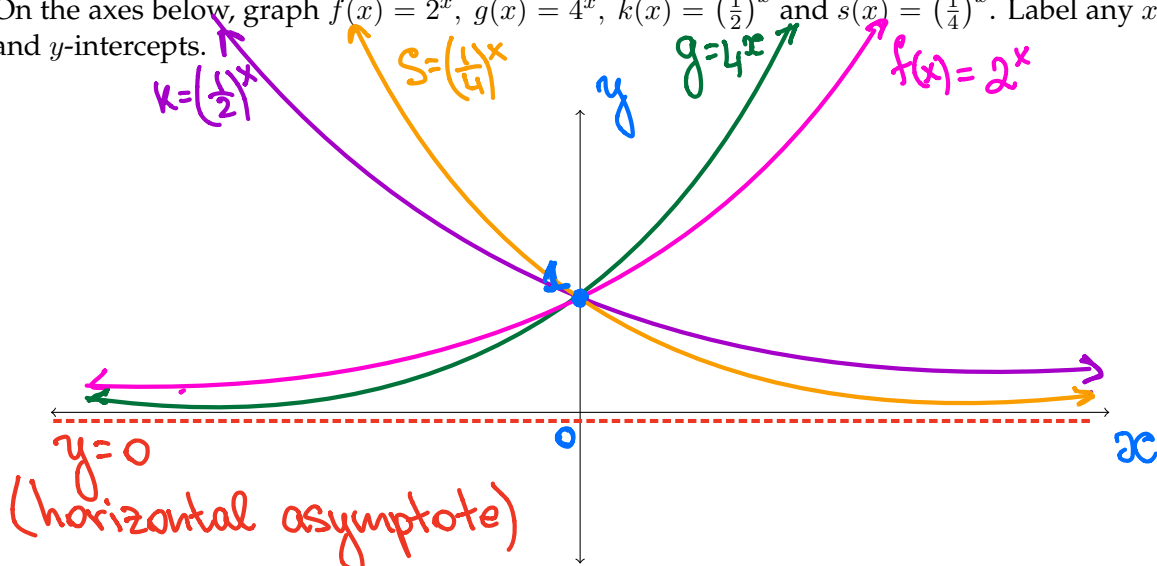
a. $(a+b)^2 = a^2 + b^2$ **False.** $(a+b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2 \neq a^2 + b^2$

b. $\sqrt{x^2 + 4} = x + 2$ **False.** This rule is illegal for $\sqrt{\quad}$

c. $\frac{a+b}{c+d} = \frac{a}{c} + \frac{b}{d}$ **False.** This rule is illegal for rational functions

d. $\frac{a+b}{c} = \frac{a}{c} + \frac{b}{c}$ **True.**

4. On the axes below, graph $f(x) = 2^x$, $g(x) = 4^x$, $k(x) = (\frac{1}{2})^x$ and $s(x) = (\frac{1}{4})^x$. Label any x - and y -intercepts.



5. What is the domain and range of $f(x) = 4^x$? Horizontal and vertical asymptotes?

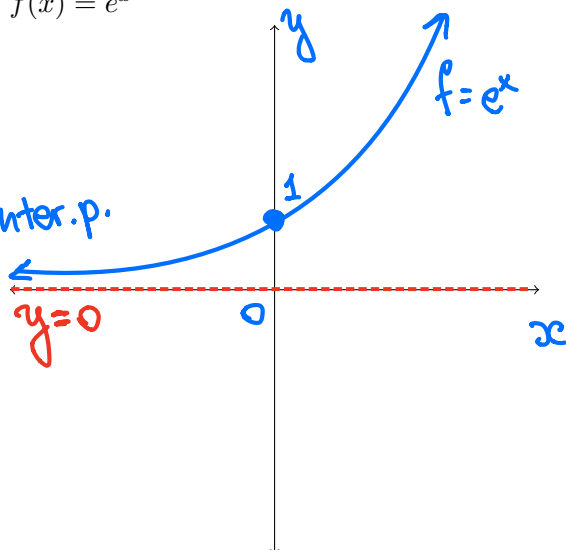
$$\text{Dom}(f(x)) = \mathbb{R}$$

$y=0$ is a horizontal asymptote. No vertical asymptotes

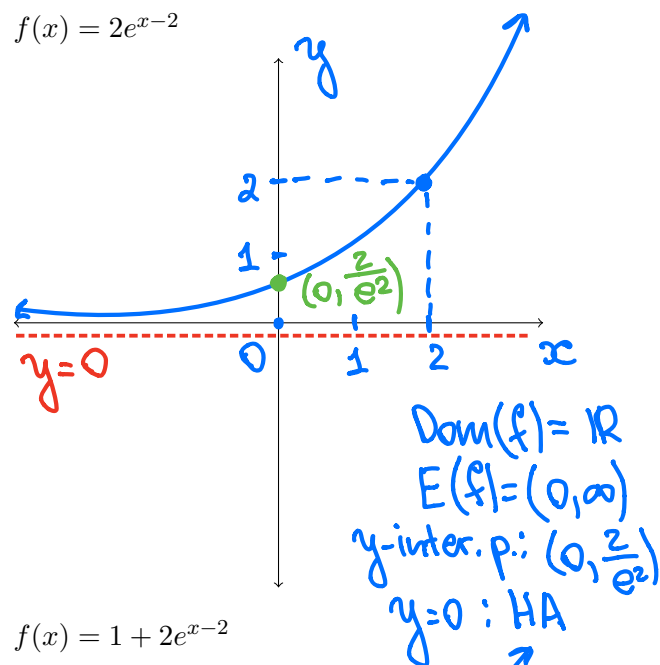
6. Sketch the graph of each function below, using what you know about transformations of functions. Determine its domain and range, and label any x - and y -intercepts (use exact numbers) and horizontal or vertical asymptotes.

(a) $f(x) = e^x$

$\text{Dom}(f) = \mathbb{R}$
 $E(f) = (0, \infty)$
 $(0, 1)$ is a y -inter.p.
 $y=0$: HA

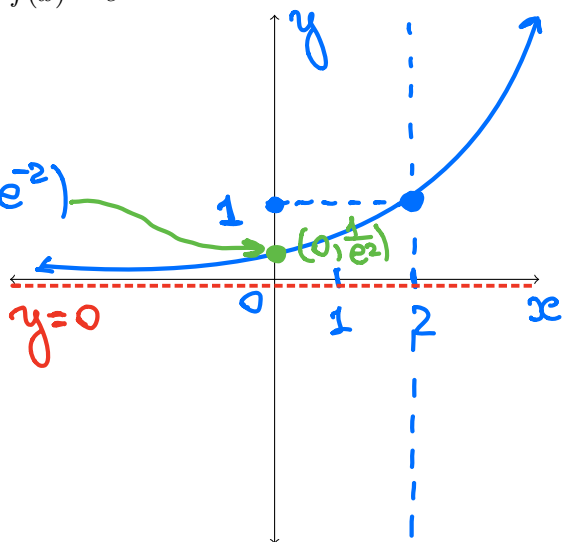


(c) $f(x) = 2e^{x-2}$

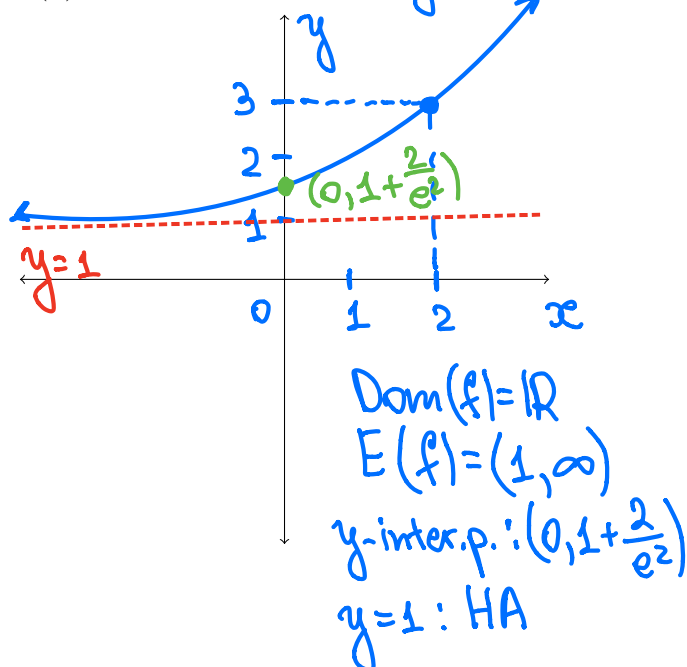


(b) $f(x) = e^{x-2}$

$\text{Dom}(f) = \mathbb{R}$
 $E(f) = (0, \infty)$
 y -inter.p.: $(0, e^{-2})$
 $y=0$: HA



(d) $f(x) = 1 + 2e^{x-2}$



HA (horizontal asymptote)