

# Problem Set # 5

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1 a  $\log_2 64 = \log_2 2^6 = 6$

b  $\log_2 \left(\frac{1}{32}\right) = \log_2 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^5 = -5$

c  $\log_2 \sqrt{8} = \log_2 2^{3/2} = \frac{3}{2}$

d  $\log_2 \frac{\sqrt{32}}{\sqrt[3]{2}} = \log_2 2^{5/2} - \log_2 2^{1/3}$   
 $= \frac{5}{2} - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{15}{6} - \frac{2}{6} = \frac{13}{6}$

e  $\ln(e^2) = 2$

f  $\ln \sqrt[3]{e^4} = \ln(e^{4/3}) = \frac{4}{3}$

g  $2 \log 10 + 3 \ln e^3 = 2 + 9 = 11$

2 a  $\log 10^{2x} = 2x$

b  $10^{\log 2x} = 2x$

c  $\log 10^{x^2 + 2x + 1} = x^2 + 2x + 1$

d  $3 \ln 5x = e^{\ln(5x)^3} = (5x)^3 = 125x^3$

$$\underline{3} \quad a \quad 120 = 3(10)^x$$

$$40 = 10^x$$

$$\log 40 = \log 10^x = x$$

$$\underline{b} \quad 120 = 3(10)^{x+3}$$

$$40 = 10^{x+3}$$

$$\log 40 = x+3$$

$$-3 + \log 40 = x$$

$$\log 4 - 2 = x$$

$$\underline{c} \quad 100 = \log(10x)$$

$$100 = \log 10 + \log x$$

$$99 = \log x$$

$$10^{99} = x$$

$$\underline{d} \quad 100 = \log(25x^2)$$

$$100 = \log(5x)^2$$

$$100 = 2 \log 5x$$

$$50 = \log 5x$$

$$10^{50} = 5^x$$

$$\frac{10^{50}}{5} = x$$

e

$$100 = 3e^{x+5}$$

$$\frac{100}{3} = e^{x+5}$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{100}{3}\right) = x+5$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{100}{3}\right) - 5 = x$$

f

$$100 = \ln(25x^3)$$

$$e^{100} = 25x^3$$

$$\frac{e^{100}}{25} = x^3$$

$$\sqrt[3]{\frac{e^{100}}{25}} = x$$

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$$A(t) = 1000(1.03)^t$$

a 1000 is the  $A(0)$   
1.03 is a 3% growth per unit time

b \$1000

$$2 = 1.03^t$$

c , , , +  $\log 1.03$

c

$$\log 2 = t \log 1.03$$
$$\frac{\log 2}{\log 1.03} = t$$

d

$$3 = 1.03^t$$
$$\log 3 = t \log 1.03$$
$$\frac{\log 3}{\log 1.03} = t$$

e

$$5 = 1.03^t$$
$$\frac{\log 5}{\log 1.03} = t$$

f

$$n = 1.03^t$$
$$\frac{\log n}{\log 1.03} = t$$

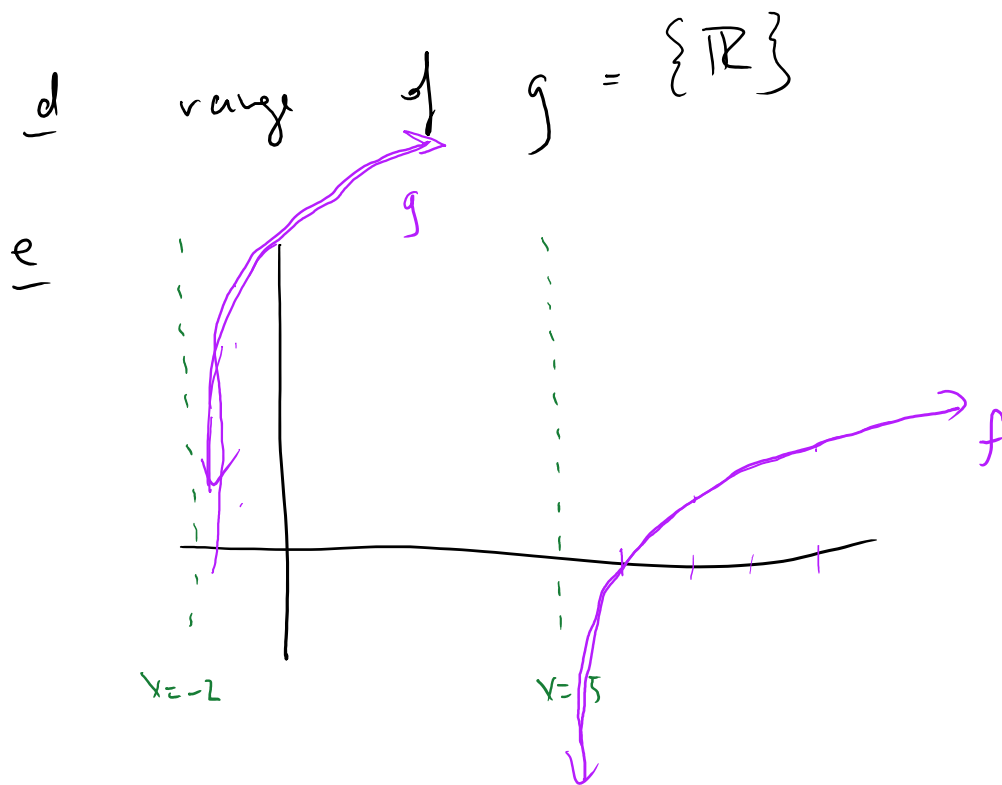
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Let  $f(x) = \log_2(x-5)$   $g(x) = \log(x+2) + 5$

a domain of  $f = \{x \mid x > 5\}$

b domain of  $g = \{x \mid x > -2\}$

c range of  $f = \{\mathbb{R}\}$



6 The scale on which the earth moves is so wide that a logarithmic scale is introduced to keep the measurements in a smaller range.

7 pH, Brightness, sound levels.