

Algebra 2 7.4

Solve logarithmic equations

Solve logarithmic inequalities

domain

$$x > 0$$

extraneous (solution)

argument

whiteboards

base 10 log

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$$\log_{10} 100 = 2$$

$$10^2 = 100$$

Quiz 7.3-7.4 Fri.

1B. $\log_{16} x = \frac{5}{2}$

$\frac{5}{2}$

$16 = x$

$1024 = x$

Try writing in exp form

11. $\log_6 \left(\frac{1}{36} \right) = x$

$$6^x = 6^{-2}$$

$$14. \log_3 \frac{-6+8}{2} = \log_3 \frac{4+2}{2}$$

$$3x+8 = x^2+x$$

$$-3x-8 = x^2-2x-8$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \begin{array}{ccc}
 -8 & & \\
 -4 & \times & 2 \\
 & & -2
 \end{array} \\
 0 = x^2 - 2x - 8 \\
 (x-4)(x+2) \\
 \begin{array}{ccc}
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 x=4 & & x=-2 \quad \text{!!} \\
 \text{!!} & & \text{!!}
 \end{array}
 \end{array}$$

check answers
(argument (antilog) must be pos.)

4-12
16. $\log_6(x^2 - 6x) = \log_6(-8)$

$$x^2 - 6x = -8$$

$$x^2 - 6x + 8 = 0$$

~~$\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ -4 \quad -2 \\ \hline -6 \end{array}$~~ ~~$(x-4)(x-2)$~~

~~$x=4$~~ ~~$x=2$~~

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Example 3 Solve a Logarithmic Inequality

Solve $\log_3(x) > 4$.

$$x > 3^4$$

$$x > 81$$

Argument must be positive
If = no problem.

My number vs 3^4

But if my exponent is bigger...

Guided Practice

Solve each inequality.

3A. $\log_4 x \geq 3$

$$x = 4^3$$

$$x \geq 64$$

3B. $\log_2 x \leq 4$

$$x < 2^4$$

$$x < 16$$



argument must be positive

Guided Practice $\frac{2x+1 > 0}{-1 \quad -1}$
 $2x > -1$

$$\frac{x+4 > 0}{-4 \quad -4}$$

4. Solve $\log_5(2x+1) \leq \log_5(x+4)$. Check your solution.

$$\begin{array}{r} 2x+1 \leq x+4 \\ -x-1 \quad -x-1 \end{array}$$

$$x > -4$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x \leq 3 \\ x > -\frac{1}{2} \end{array}$$



Solve each inequality.

4. $\log_5 x > 3$

6. $\log_4(2x + 5) \leq \log_4(4x - 3)$

7. $\log_8 (2x) > \log_8 (6x - 8)$

28. $\log_2(4x - 6) > \log_2(2x + 8)$

20.

speed ↓ dist. ↓

$$w = 93 \log_{10} d + 65$$

$\frac{w-65}{93} = \log_{10} d$

$$10^{\frac{w-65}{93}} = d$$

$$w = 93 \log_{10} 525 + 65$$
$$= 93(2.72) + 65$$

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$$10^{\frac{w-65}{93}} = 525$$

WB. $2 \times 12 \text{ yrs}$

$20 \times$ current

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$$y = ()^x$$
$$20y = (2)^{\frac{1}{12}x}$$

$$\frac{1}{12}x = \log_2 y$$

$$x = 12 \log_2 20y$$

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$$\log_9(2x-1) < 0.5$$

$$2x-1 < 9^{0.5} \quad 2x-1 > 0$$

$$2x > 1$$

$$x > \frac{1}{2}$$

$$2x-1 < 3$$

$$+1 \quad +1$$

$$2x = 4$$

$$x = 2$$