

Practice 7-3

Example Exercises

Example 1

Write each equation in logarithmic form.

1. $2^3 = 8$

2. $3^4 = 81$

3. $4^3 = 64$

4. $5^4 = 625$

5. $10^4 = 10,000$

6. $2^{-3} = \frac{1}{8}$

7. $27^{\frac{2}{3}} = 9$

8. $16^{\frac{3}{4}} = 8$

Write each equation in exponential form.

9. $\log_2 16 = 4$

10. $\log_3 \frac{1}{27} = -3$

11. $\log 100 = 2$

12. $\log_5 125 = 3$

13. $\log_8 64 = 2$

14. $\log_9 9 = 1$

15. $\log_{12} 1 = 0$

16. $\log_{23} 1 = 0$

17. $\log_{55} \frac{1}{5} = -1$

18. $\log_7 7 = 1$

19. $\log_2 64 = 6$

20. $\log_6 36 = 2$

Example 2

Evaluate each logarithm.

21. $\log_4 16$

22. $\log_4 4$

23. $\log_4 1$

24. $\log_{16} 256$

25. $\log_{16} 16$

26. $\log_{16} 1$

27. $\log_{16} 4$

28. $\log_{16} 2$

29. $\log 0.01$

30. $\log 0.001$

31. $\log 100$

32. $\log_3 243$

Example 3

The $[H^+]$ is given. Find the pH. Use the formula $\text{pH} = -\log[H^+]$.

33. 1.5×10^{-3}

34. 3.1×10^{-6}

35. 1.3×10^{-5}

36. 6.3×10^{-5}

The pH is given. Find the $[H^+]$. Use the formula $\text{pH} = -\log[H^+]$.

37. 1.4

38. 3.0

39. 4.6

40. 8.0

41. 5.1

42. 5.9

43. 6

44. 7

Example 4

Graph each logarithmic function.

45. $y = \log x$

46. $y = \log_3 x$

47. $y = \log_6 x$

48. $y = \log_{\frac{1}{2}} x$