

Graphing Logs

$y = \log_b x$

x	y
b	1

$y = \log_3 x$

x	y
3	1

$y = a \log_b(x-h) + k$

↑ Vertical Stretch
 ↗ base
 ↑ hor. Shift
 ↑ Vert Shift

$a < 0$ ref. over x-axis
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x	y
b	1

Domain: $(-\infty, h)$

Range: $(-\infty, \infty)$

Recall Change of Base

$\log_b a = \frac{\log a}{\log b}$

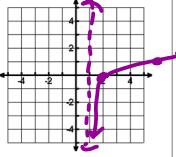
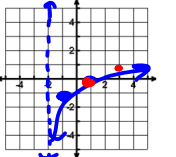
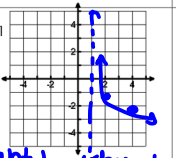
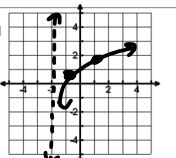
Vertical Asymptote

$x = h$

x-int: $(x, 0)$
y-int: $(0, y)$

$y = 2 \log_3(x+1) - 7$

$y = 2 \cdot \frac{\log(x+1)}{\log 3} - 7$

<p>1. $y = \log_3(x-1)$</p>  <p>Transformations <u>right 1</u></p> <p>State 3 points on Graph <u>(2,0) (6,1)</u></p> <p>Domain <u>(1, ∞)</u> Range <u>(-∞, ∞)</u></p> <p>Asymptote <u>X=1</u></p> <p>X-intercept <u>(2,0)</u> Y-intercept <u>none</u></p> <p><u>Increasing</u> or Decreasing</p> <p>End Behavior $x \rightarrow 1, f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$ $x \rightarrow \infty, f(x) \rightarrow \infty$</p>	<p>2. $y = \log_3(x+2)-1$</p>  <p>Transformations <u>left 2 down 1</u></p> <p>State 3 points on Graph <u>(-1,-1) (1,0)</u></p> <p>Domain <u>(-2, ∞)</u> Range <u>(-∞, ∞)</u></p> <p>Asymptote <u>X=-2</u></p> <p>X-intercept <u>(1,0)</u> Y-intercept <u>(0,-1.4)</u></p> <p><u>Increasing</u> or Decreasing</p> <p>End Behavior $x \rightarrow -2, f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$ $x \rightarrow \infty, f(x) \rightarrow \infty$</p>
<p>3. $y = -\log_3(x-1)-1$</p>  <p>Transformations <u>right 1 down 1</u> <u>ref. over x</u></p> <p>State 3 points on Graph <u>(2,-1) (4,-2)</u></p> <p>Domain <u>(1, ∞)</u> Range <u>(-∞, ∞)</u></p> <p>Asymptote <u>X=1</u></p> <p>X-intercept <u>(5,0)</u> Y-intercept <u>none</u></p> <p>Increasing or <u>Decreasing</u></p> <p>End Behavior $x \rightarrow 1, f(x) \rightarrow \infty$ $x \rightarrow \infty, f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$</p>	<p>4. $y = \log_3(x+2)+1$</p>  <p>Transformations <u>left 2 up 1</u></p> <p>State 3 points on Graph <u>(-1,1) (1,2)</u></p> <p>Domain <u>(-2, ∞)</u> Range <u>(-∞, ∞)</u></p> <p>Asymptote <u>X=-2</u></p> <p>X-intercept <u>(5/3, 0)</u> Y-intercept <u>(0, 1.6)</u></p> <p><u>Increasing</u> or Decreasing</p> <p>End Behavior $x \rightarrow -2, f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$ $x \rightarrow \infty, f(x) \rightarrow \infty$</p>

$y = a \log_b(x-h) + k$

Find the transformations:

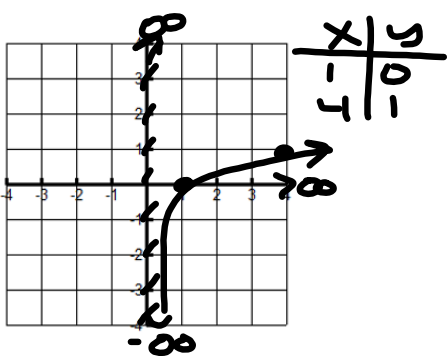
1. $y = \log_b(x+2)$ left 2	2. $y = \log_b(x)+5$ up 5	3. $y = -\log_b(x-1)$ right 1 ref. over x-axis
4. $y = \log_b(-x+3)$ $y = \log_b(-1(x-3))$ ref. over y-axis; right 3	5. $y = -\log_b(x+2)-7$ ref. over x left 2, down 7	6. $y = \log_b(-x)-4$ ref. over y down 4

Find the asymptotes:

7. $y = \log_b(x+2)$ $x+2=0$ $x=-2$	8. $y = \log_b(x)+5$ $x=0$	9. $y = -\log_b(x-1)$ $x-1=0$ $x=1$
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X=h Set arg. = 0 + solve.

10. $y = \log_4 x$



State 3 points on Graph (1, 0) (4, 1)

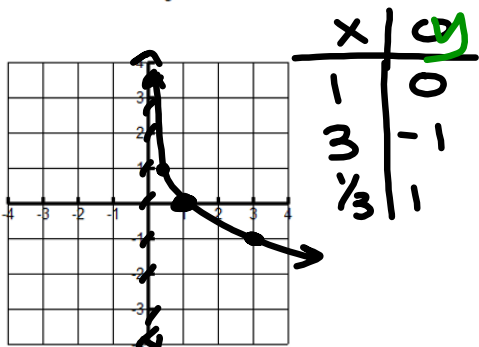
Domain (0, ∞) Range (-∞, ∞)

Asymptote x = 0 Increasing or Decreasing

X-intercept (1, 0) Y-intercept none

End Behavior $x \rightarrow \underline{0}, f(x) \rightarrow \underline{-\infty}$
 $x \rightarrow \underline{\infty}, f(x) \rightarrow \underline{\infty}$

11. $y = \log_{1/3} x = \frac{\log x}{\log 1/3}$



State 3 points on Graph (1, 0) (3, -1)
(1/3, 1)

Domain (0, ∞) Range (-∞, ∞)

Asymptote x = 0 Increasing or Decreasing

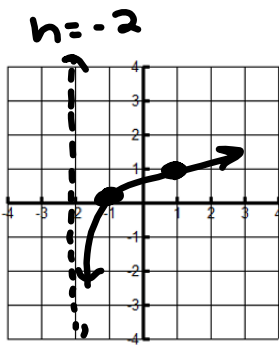
X-intercept (1, 0) Y-intercept none

End Behavior $x \rightarrow \underline{0}, f(x) \rightarrow \underline{\infty}$
 $x \rightarrow \underline{\infty}, f(x) \rightarrow \underline{-\infty}$

Recall:
 $y = \frac{1}{3}x$

x	y
1	1/3

12. $y = \log_3(x+2)$



x	y
-1	0
0	.63

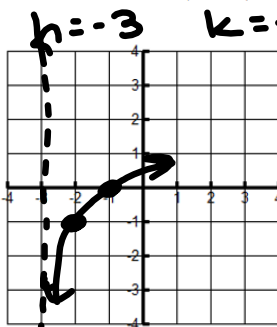
x	y
-1	0
0	.63

$x = -2$

$$y = \log_3 2 = \frac{\log 2}{\log 3} = .63$$

Transformations: left 2State 3 points on Graph (-1, 0) (1, 1)Domain (-2, ∞) Range (-∞, ∞)Asymptote X = -2 increasing or DecreasingX-intercept (-1, 0) Y-intercept (0, .63)End Behavior $x \rightarrow -2, f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$
 $x \rightarrow \infty, f(x) \rightarrow \infty$

13. $y = \log_2(x+3) - 1$



x	y
-2	-1
-1	0

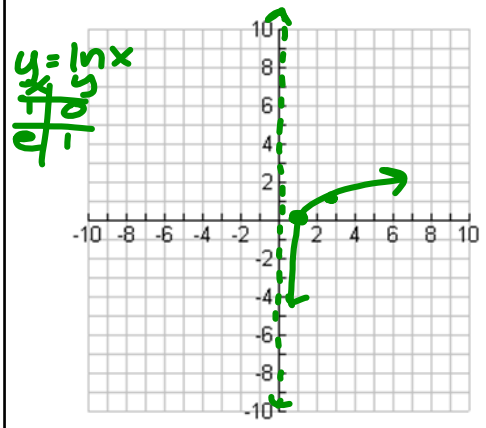
x	y
-2	-1
-1	0

$x = -3$

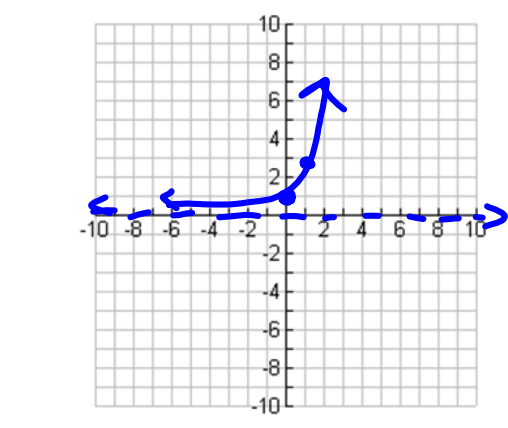
$$y = \frac{\log 3}{\log 2} - 1$$

Transformations: left 3 down 1State 3 points on Graph (-2, -1) (-1, 0)Domain (-3, ∞) Range (-∞, ∞)Asymptote X = -3 increasing or DecreasingX-intercept (-1, 0) Y-intercept (0, .58)End Behavior $x \rightarrow -3, f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$
 $x \rightarrow \infty, f(x) \rightarrow \infty$

$e \approx 2.7$
 1. $y = \ln(x) = \log_e x$
 Transformations: none
 Domain: $(0, \infty)$ Range: $(-\infty, \infty)$
 Asymptote: $x=0$ Inc or Dec
 X-Int: $(1, 0)$ Y-Int: none
 End Behavior: $x \rightarrow 0, f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$
 $x \rightarrow \infty, f(x) \rightarrow \infty$



2. $y = e^x$
 Transformations: none
 Domain: $(-\infty, \infty)$ Range: $(0, \infty)$
 Asymptote: $y=0$ Inc or Dec
 X-Int: none Y-Int: $(0, 1)$
 End Behavior: $x \rightarrow -\infty, f(x) \rightarrow 0$
 $x \rightarrow \infty, f(x) \rightarrow \infty$

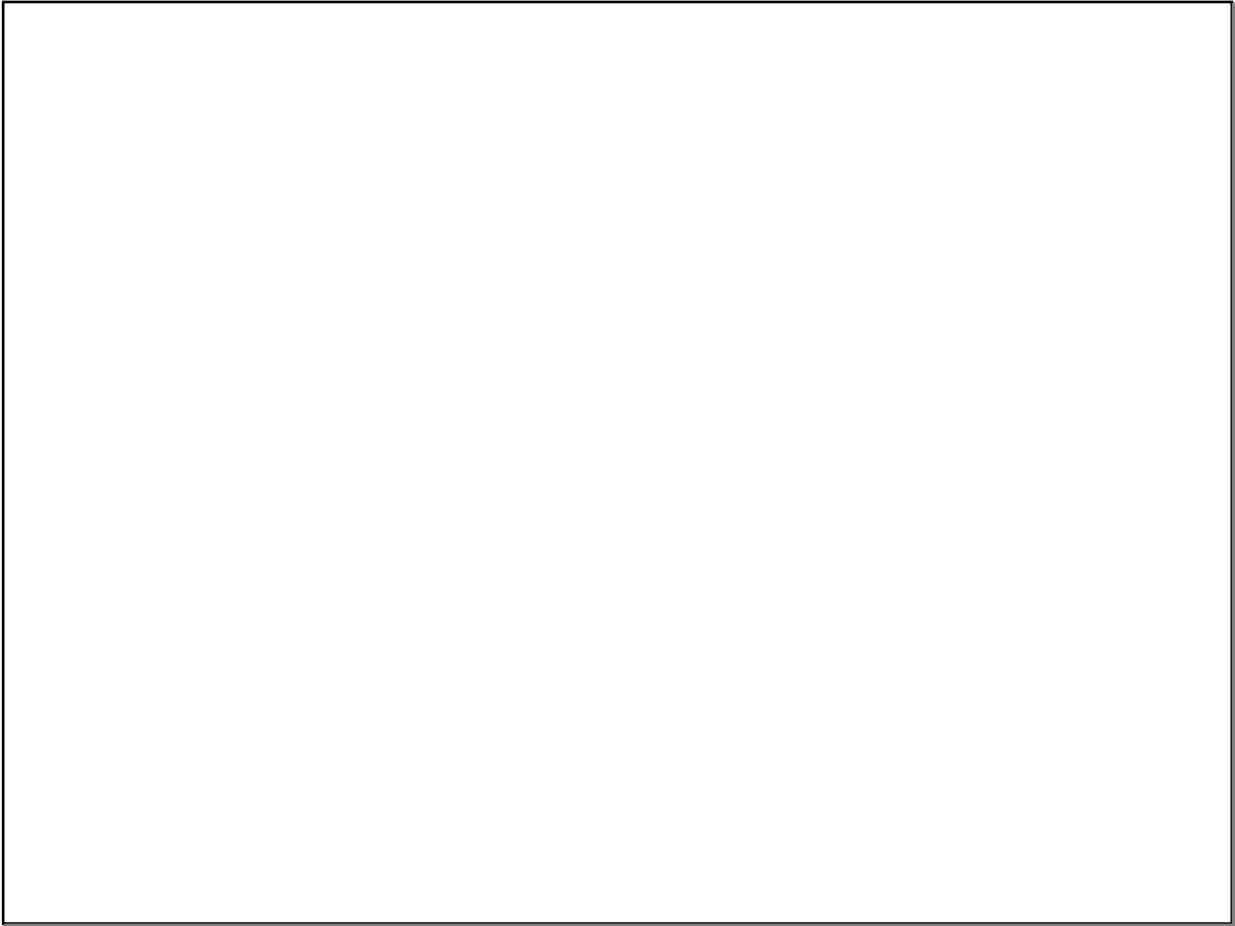


$0 = -3^x + 2$
 $-2 = -3^x$
 $2 = 3^x$
 $x = \log_3 2$
 $x = \frac{\log 2}{\log 3}$
 It's on the x-axis
 $x = \frac{1}{4}$

$y = \log_{1/3} x$

x	y
1	0
1/3	1
3	-1

 It's on the y-axis
 $y = 4 - 2$



$y = \ln(x-h) + k$

3. $y = \ln(x+2) - 1$ $h = -2$ $k = -1$
 $y = a \log_p(x-h) + k$
 Transformations: left 2 down 1

Domain: $(-2, \infty)$ Range: $(-\infty, \infty)$ $\frac{x}{y}$
 Asymptote: $x = -2$ Inc or Dec $\frac{1}{e}$ | 1
 X-Int: $(.7, 0)$ Y-Int: $(0, -3)$ $\frac{x}{y}$
 End Behavior: $x \rightarrow -2, f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$ $\frac{1}{e}$ | 1
 $x \rightarrow \infty, f(x) \rightarrow \infty$ $.7$ | 0

$y = \ln 2 - 1 \approx -.3$

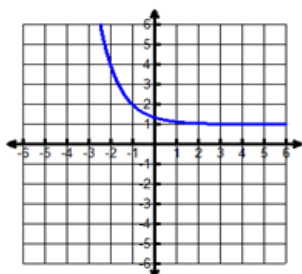
4. $y = e^{x-2} + 1$

Transformations: _____
 Domain: _____ Range: _____
 Asymptote: _____ Inc or Dec
 X-Int: _____ Y-Int: _____
 End Behavior: $x \rightarrow _____, f(x) \rightarrow _____$
 $x \rightarrow _____, f(x) \rightarrow _____$

5. A) Does the table or graph have a larger y-intercept?

B) Determine which is a growth problem and which is a decay problem.

X	F(x)
-2	2.125
-1	2.25
0	2.5
1	3
2	4
3	6



6. A) What is type of asymptote (vertical or horizontal) does this table have?

B) What is the equation of the asymptote?

C) Is this an Exponential Function or a Logarithmic Function?

X	F(x)
-0.5	-0.631
0	0
2	1
8	2

7. A) What is type of asymptote (vertical or horizontal) does this table have?

B) What is the equation of the asymptote?

C) Is this an Exponential Function or Logarithmic Function?

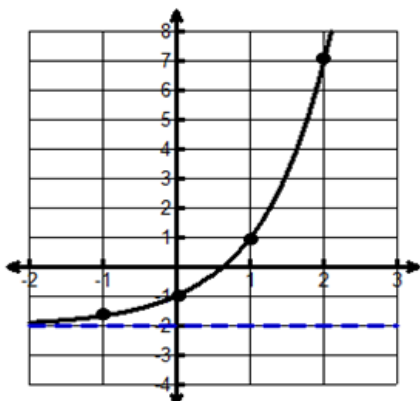
X	F(x)
-1	.111
-0.5	.193
0	.333
1	1
2	3
3	9
4	27

8. Which table is a log function and which table is an exponential function?

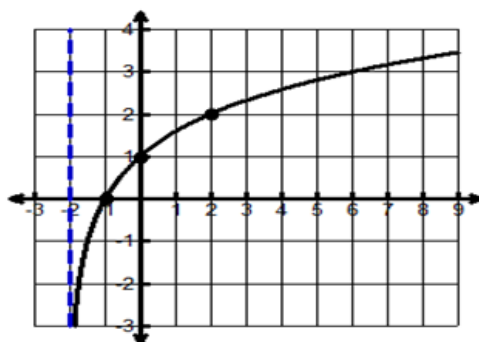
X	F(x)
-0.5	-0.5
0	0
1	.5
3	1
7	1.5
15	2

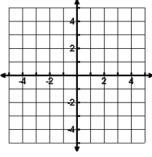
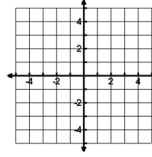
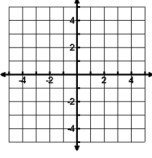
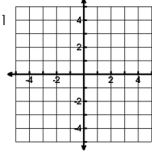
X	F(x)
-0.5	2
0	4
1	16
2	64
3	256

9. Write the equation of the exponential based upon the graph



10. Write the equation of the logarithm based upon the graph



<p>5. $y = \log_2(x - 2)$</p>  <p>Transformations _____</p> <p>State 3 points on Graph _____</p> <p>Domain _____ Range _____</p> <p>Asymptote _____</p> <p>X-intercept _____ Y-intercept _____</p> <p>Increasing or Decreasing _____</p> <p>End Behavior $x \rightarrow \dots, f(x) \rightarrow \dots$ $x \rightarrow \dots, f(x) \rightarrow \dots$</p>	<p>6. $y = \log_{\frac{1}{2}}(x + 2)$</p>  <p>Transformations _____</p> <p>State 3 points on Graph _____</p> <p>Domain _____ Range _____</p> <p>Asymptote _____</p> <p>X-intercept _____ Y-intercept _____</p> <p>Increasing or Decreasing _____</p> <p>End Behavior $x \rightarrow \dots, f(x) \rightarrow \dots$ $x \rightarrow \dots, f(x) \rightarrow \dots$</p>
<p>7. $y = \log_3(-x)$</p>  <p>Transformations _____</p> <p>State 3 points on Graph _____</p> <p>Domain _____ Range _____</p> <p>Asymptote _____</p> <p>X-intercept _____ Y-intercept _____</p> <p>Increasing or Decreasing _____</p> <p>End Behavior $x \rightarrow \dots, f(x) \rightarrow \dots$ $x \rightarrow \dots, f(x) \rightarrow \dots$</p>	<p>8. $y = -\log_2(x - 2) + 1$</p>  <p>Transformations _____</p> <p>State 3 points on Graph _____</p> <p>Domain _____ Range _____</p> <p>Asymptote _____</p> <p>X-intercept _____ Y-intercept _____</p> <p>Increasing or Decreasing _____</p> <p>End Behavior $x \rightarrow \dots, f(x) \rightarrow \dots$ $x \rightarrow \dots, f(x) \rightarrow \dots$</p>