

Kerry Ojakian's MTH 30 Class
Class Assignment #16

1. Evaluate

(a) $\log_{102} 102^4$

(b) $\log_3(\log_8 2)$

2. Simplify.

(a) $\log_a a^{\frac{1}{5}}$

(b) $\log_a \sqrt[3]{a}$

3. Simplify.

(a) $2^{\log_2 7}$

(b) $a^{\log_a \frac{1}{5}}$

4. Simplify.

(a) $10^{\log \sqrt{4}}$

(b) $e^{\ln 3x^2}$

5. Use the properties of logarithms to expand the following expressions.

(a) $\log_9(5y) =$

(b) $\log_8 x^7 =$

6. Use the properties of logarithms to expand the following expressions.

(a) $\log_b(3x^2y^3)$

(b) $\log_8 \frac{x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{y^3}$

7. Use the properties of logarithms to expand the following expressions.

(a) $\log_5 \sqrt[5]{\frac{x^2}{y}}$

(b) $\ln \left[\frac{x^4 \sqrt{x^2 + 3}}{(x + 3)^5} \right]$

8. Use the properties of logarithms to condense the following expressions.

(a) $\log x + \log 5 =$

(b) $\log_8 x + 3 \log_8 y =$

9. Use the properties of logarithms to condense the following expressions.

(a) $\frac{1}{2}(\log x + \log y) =$

(b) $\frac{1}{3}(\log_7 x + 4 \log_7 y) - 3 \log_7(x + y) =$

10. Use the change of base formula to write the following logarithms as logarithms in the indicated base.

(a) $\log_7 12$; write it in base 10.

(b) $\log_9 127$; write it in base e .

11. Use the change of base formula to write the following logarithms as logarithms in the indicated base.

(a) $\log_{25} 9$; write it in base 5 and simplify.

(b) $\log_{\frac{1}{2}} 8$; write it in base 2 and simplify.
