

PROPERTIES OF LOGS

1. $\log m + \log n = \log(mn)$
2. $\log m - \log n = \log\left(\frac{m}{n}\right)$
3. $p \log m = \log m^p$

(1) $\log_3(27x)$

$$\log_3 27 + \log_3 x$$

$$\log_3 3^3 + \log_3 x$$

$$3 + \log_3 x$$

(2) $\log_2\left(\frac{16}{x}\right)$

$$\log_2 16 - \log_2 x$$

$$\log_2 2^4 - \log_2 x$$

$$4 - \log_2 x$$

(3) $\log p^3$

$$= 3 \log p$$

(4) $\log\left(\frac{x^5y^3}{z^4}\right)$

$$\log(x^5y^3) - \log z^4$$

$$\log x^5 + \log y^3 - \log z^4$$

$$5 \log x + 3 \log y - 4 \log z$$

(5)

$$\log_3 \sqrt[4]{\frac{x^2y^5}{27z}}$$

$$\log_3\left(\frac{x^2y^5}{27z}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \log_3\left(\frac{x^2y^5}{27z}\right)$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \log_3(x^2y^5) - \frac{1}{4} \log_3(27z)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{4} \log_3 x^2 + \frac{1}{4} \log_3 y^5 - \left(\frac{1}{4} \log_3 27 + \frac{1}{4} \log_3 z \right) \\ & \frac{2}{4} \log_3 x + \frac{5}{4} \log_3 y - \frac{1}{4} \log_3^3 - \frac{1}{4} \log_3 z \\ & \frac{1}{2} \log_3 x + \frac{5}{4} \log_3 y - \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{4} \log_3 z \end{aligned}$$

(6)

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

$$\ln [e^x x^5 (3+x)^{\frac{1}{4}}] - \ln [5(x-2)^4]$$

$$\ln e^x + \ln x^5 + \ln (3+x)^{\frac{1}{4}} - (\ln 5 + \ln (x-2)^4)$$

$$x + 5 \ln x + \frac{1}{4} \ln (3+x) - \ln 5 - 4 \ln (x-2)$$