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LOGARITHM

Example

1. Find the logarithms of

(i) 1728 to the base $2\sqrt{3}$

(ii) 0.00001 to the base 0.01



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2. Show that

$$\log_2 \log_2 \log_2 16 = 1$$

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3. If logarithm of 5832 be 6 find the base

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4. If $3 + \log_{10} x = 2 \log_{10} y$, then express x in terms of y .

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5. Prove that

$$7 \log \left(\frac{10}{9} \right) + 3 \log \left(\frac{81}{80} \right) = 2 \log \left(\frac{25}{24} \right) + \log 2$$

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6. If $\log_{10} 2 = 0.30103$, $\log_{10} 3 = 0.47712$ and $\log_{10} 7 = 0.84510$ find the values of

$$\log_{10} 45$$

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7. If $\log_{10} 2 = 0.30103$, $\log_{10} 3 = 0.47712$ and $\log_{10} 7 = 0.84510$ find the values of $\log_{10} 105$

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8. Prove that $\log_b a \times \log_c b \times \log_d c = \log_d a$

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9. Show that $\log_4 2 \times \log_2 3 = \log_4 5 \times \log_5 3$

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10. Show that $\log_2 10 - \log_8 125 = 1$



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11. If $\frac{\log x}{y - z} = \frac{\log y}{z - x} = \frac{\log z}{x - y}$ show that
 $x^x y^y z^z = 1$



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12. If $a^{2-x} \cdot b^{5x} = a^{x+3} \cdot b^{3x}$, show that
 $x \log \left(\frac{b}{a} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \log a$



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13. Show that $a^{\log_a^x} \times b^{\log_b^y} \times c^{\log_c^z} = \sqrt{xyz}$

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14. If $y = \frac{a^1}{1 - \log_a^x}$ and $z = \frac{a^1}{1 - \log_a^y}$ show that
 $x = \frac{a^1}{1 - \log_a^z}$

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15. If x, y, z are in G.P prove that

$$\log_a^x + \log_a^z = \frac{2}{\log_y^a}, [x, y, a > 0]$$

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16. Solve :

$$(ii) \log_x 2 \log_{\frac{x}{16}} 2 = \log_{\frac{x}{64}} 2.$$

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17. Show that $\log_5 \sqrt{5 \sqrt{5 \sqrt{5 \dots \infty}}} = 1$

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18. Show that the value of $\log_{10} 2$ lies between $\frac{1}{3}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$

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19. If $\log_{10} 2 = 0.30103$ find the value of $\log_5 32$

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20. If $\log_2 x + \log_4 x + \log_{16} x = \frac{21}{4}$ find the value of x

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21. If a,b,c are three consecutive positive integers show that $\log (1+ac)=2\log b$

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22. If a, b, c are in A.P and x, y, z are in G.P prove that

$$(b - c)\log x + (c - a)\log y + (a - b)\log z = 0$$



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23. Prove that $(yz)^{\frac{\log y}{z}} \times (zx)^{\frac{\log z}{x}} \times (xy)^{\frac{\log x}{y}} = 1$



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24. Show that

$$\frac{1}{\log_a bc + 1} + \frac{1}{\log_b ca + 1} + \frac{1}{\log_c ab + 1} = 1$$



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25. If $a > 0$, $c > 0$, $b = \sqrt{ac}$, a , c and $ac \neq 1$, $N > 0$

prove that
$$\frac{\log_a N}{\log_c N} = \frac{\log_a N - \log_b N}{\log_b N - \log_c N}$$



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26. If $\log_l x$, $\log_m x$ and $\log_n x$ are in arithmetic

progression show that , $\log n^2 = \log(\ln)\log_l m$



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27. If $\frac{r}{r_1} + \log_e \left(\frac{r_2}{r_1} \right) = 1$ and $r_2 = er$ then show that $\frac{r_1}{r} \log_e \left(\frac{r_1}{r} \right) = 1$



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28. If $\frac{\log a}{y+z} = \frac{\log b}{z+x} = \frac{\log c}{x+y}$ show that $\left(\frac{b}{c} \right)^x \left(\frac{c}{a} \right)^y \left(\frac{a}{b} \right)^z = 1$



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29. If a, b, c are in A.P and x, y, z are in G.P then prove that

$$a^{(b-c) \log_a^x} \times b^{(c-a) \log_b^y} \times c^{(a-b) \log_c^z} = 1$$



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30. Solve :

(i) $x^{\log_{10} x} = 100x$.



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31. Solve : $2 \log_2 \log_2 x + \log_{\frac{1}{2}} \log_2 (2\sqrt{2x}) = 1$



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Multiple Choice Type Question

1. $\log_{\sqrt{7}}(49) =$

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

Answer: D



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2. $\log_3\left(\frac{1}{81}\right) =$

A. -1

B. -2

C. -3

D. -4

Answer: D



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3. $\log_4 2^{-8} =$

A. -4

B. -3

C. -2

D. -1

Answer: A



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4. $\log_{25} \left(\frac{1}{125} \right) =$

A. $\frac{1}{2}$

B. $-\frac{1}{2}$

C. $\frac{3}{2}$

D. $-\frac{3}{2}$

Answer: D



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5. $\log_{\frac{1}{3}} 81 =$

A. 2

B. -2

C. 4

D. -4

Answer: D



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6. $\frac{\log_3 32}{\sqrt{2}} =$

A. 3

B. 5

C. 15

D. 20

Answer: C



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7. If $\log_x \left(\frac{1}{3} \right) = -\frac{1}{3}$ then $x =$

A. 3

B. 9

C. 27

D. 81

Answer: C



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8. If $\log_{\sqrt{x}} 0.25 = 4$ then $x =$

A. 0.1

B. 0.5

C. 1.5

D. 2.5

Answer: B



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9. If $\log_x 243 = 10$ then which of the following is the value of x ?

A. 3

B. $\frac{1}{3}$

C. 9

D. $\sqrt{3}$

Answer: D



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10. If $\log_{10}(7x - 5) = 2$ then which of the following is the value of x ?

A. 10

B. 12

C. 15

D. 18

Answer: C



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11. If $\log_{\sqrt{7}}(343) = x$ then which of the following is the value of x

A. 3

B. 6

C. 9

D. 12

Answer: B



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12. If $\log_2 3 = a$ then which of the following is the value of $\log_8 27$?

A. $3a$

B. $\frac{1}{a}$

C. $2a$

D. a

Answer: D



13. If $\log_{\sqrt{2}} x = a$ then which of the following is the value of $\log_{2\sqrt{2}} x$?

A. $\frac{a}{3}$

B. a

C. $2a$

D. $3a$

Answer: A



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14. State which of the following is the value of

$$\log_{0.008} \sqrt{5} ?$$

A. $-\frac{1}{6}$

B. $-\frac{1}{3}$

C. $-\frac{1}{2}$

D. $-\frac{1}{8}$

Answer: A



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Very Short Answer Type Question

1. If $\log_e 2 \cdot \log_x 25 = \log_{10} 16 \cdot \log_e 10$ find the value of x

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2. Find the values

$$\log_{2\sqrt{3}} 1728$$

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3. Find the values

$$\log_{3\sqrt{7}} 2401$$

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4. Find the base when 3 is the logarithm of 343



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5. Find the simplest value of $\log_3 5 \times \log_{25} 27$



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6. Express M in terms of N:

$$\frac{1}{2} \log_3 M + \log_3 N = 1$$



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7. Express M in terms of N:

$$\log_{10} N = 3 - 2\log_{10} M$$



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8. Prove that

$$\log_a b \times \log_b c \times \log_c a = 1$$



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9. Find the value of

$$\log\left(\frac{a^n}{b^n}\right) + \log\left(\frac{b^n}{c^n}\right) + \log\left(\frac{c^n}{a^n}\right)$$



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10. Prove that

$$\log_4 \log_4 \log_4 256 = 0$$



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11. If $\log_{30} 3 = a$ and $\log_{30} 5 = b$ find the value of

$$\log_{30} 8$$



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12. If $\log 2 = 0.3010$, $\log 3 = 0.4771$, $\log 7 = 0.8451$

find the values of

$\log 45$



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13. If $\log 2 = 0.3010$, $\log 3 = 0.4771$, $\log 7 = 0.8451$

find the values of

$\log 108$



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14. If $\log 2 = 0.3010$, $\log 3 = 0.4771$, $\log 7 = 0.8451$

find the values of

$\log 84$



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15. If $\log 2 = 0.3010$, $\log 3 = 0.4771$, $\log 7 = 0.8451$

find the values of

$\log 294$



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16.

If

$\log 2 = 0.3010$, $m \log 3 = 0.4771$, $\log 7 = 0.8451$ find

the values of

$\log 12.6$



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17. If three positive real number a, b and c are in G.P

show that $\log a$, $\log b$ and $\log c$ are in A.P



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Short Answer Type Question

1. Find the values :

$$\log_3 \sqrt[4]{(729) \sqrt[3]{9^{-1} \cdot (27)^{-\frac{4}{3}}}}$$



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2. Find the values :

$$\log_2 [\log_2 \{ \log_3 (\log_3 27^3) \}]$$



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3. Find the values :

$$(\log_a b) \times (\log_b c) \times (\log_c d) \times (\log_d a)$$



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4. Calculate :

$$(i) \frac{\log \sqrt{27} + \log 8 - \log \sqrt{1000}}{\log 1.2}$$



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5. Find the values :

$$\log_6 \sqrt{6\sqrt{6}\dots\infty}$$



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6. Find the values :

$$\frac{\log_{10} 385}{5} + \frac{\log_{10} 81}{32} + 3\frac{\log_{10} 5}{3} + \frac{\log_{10} 1}{9}$$

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7. Prove that

$$\log 2 + 16 \log\left(\frac{16}{15}\right) + 12 \log\left(\frac{25}{24}\right) + 7 \log\left(\frac{81}{80}\right) = 1$$

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8. Prove that

$$\log\left(\frac{36}{25}\right)^3 + 3 \log\left(\frac{2}{9}\right) - \log 2 = 2 \log\left(\frac{16}{125}\right)$$

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9. Prove that

$$\log\left(\frac{75}{16}\right) - 2\log\left(\frac{5}{9}\right) + \log\left(\frac{32}{243}\right) = \log 2$$

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10. Prove that

$$x^{\log y - \log z} \times y^{\log z - \log x} \times z^{\log x - \log y} = 1$$

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11. Prove that

$$\log\left(\frac{a^2}{bc}\right) + \log\left(\frac{b^2}{ca}\right) + \log\left(\frac{c^2}{ab}\right) = 0$$



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12. Prove that

$$\log_2 \log_2 \log_4 256 + 2 \log_{\sqrt{2}} 2 = 5$$



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13. Prove that

$$(v) \frac{1}{\log_{xy}(xyz)} + \frac{1}{\log_{yz}(xyz)} + \frac{1}{\log_{zx}(xyz)} = 2$$



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14. Prove that

$$\log_{b^3} a \times \log_{c^3} b \times \log_{a^3} c = \frac{1}{27}$$



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15. Prove that

$$\log a + \log a^2 + \log a^3 + \dots + \log a^n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \log a$$



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16. Prove that

$$\log a + \log a^3 + \log a^5 + \dots + \log a^{2n-1} = n^2 \log a$$



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17. Prove that

$$\log_{\frac{1}{y}} x \times \log_{\frac{1}{z}} y \times \log_{\frac{1}{x}} z = -1$$



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18. Prove that

$$\log_{x^2} x \times \log_{y^2} y \times \log_{z^2} z = \frac{1}{8}$$



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19. Given $\log_{10} 2 = 0.30103$, $\log_{10} e = 0.43429$, find the value of $\log_e (125) + \log_3 81 + e^{\log_e 2}$



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20. If $a^2 + b^2 = 7ab$ show that

$$\log \left[\frac{1}{3}(a + b) \right] = \frac{1}{2}(\log a + \log b)$$



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21. If $\log\left(\frac{x+y}{5}\right) = \frac{1}{2}(\log x + \log y)$ show that

$$\frac{x}{y} + \frac{y}{x} = 23$$

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22. If $a^{3-x} \cdot b^{5x} = a^{5+x} \cdot b^{3x}$, then show that

$$x \log\left(\frac{b}{a}\right) = \log a.$$

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23. If $a^4 + b^4 = 14a^2b^2$ show that

$$\log_e(a^2 + b^2) = \log_e a + \log_e b + 2 \log_e 2$$

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24. If $\frac{\log x}{y - z} = \frac{\log y}{z - x} = \frac{\log z}{x - y}$, then prove that $xyz = 1$.



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25. If $\frac{\log x}{b - c} = \frac{\log y}{c - a} = \frac{\log z}{a - b}$ prove that

(a) $x^a y^b z^c = 1$

(b) $x^{b+c} \cdot y^{c+a} \cdot z^{a+b} = 1$

(c) $x^{b^2+bc+c^2} \cdot y^{c^2+ca+a^2} \cdot z^{a^2+ab+b^2} = 1$



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26. If a sequence of positive numbers are in G.P show that their logarithms in A.P

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27. The first and the last terms of a G.P are a and k respectively if the number of terms be n prove that

$$n = 1 + \frac{\log k - \log a}{\log r} \text{ where } r \text{ is the common ratio}$$

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28. Prove that :

(viii) $\frac{\log_a x}{\log_{ab} x} = 1 + \log_a b.$

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29. If $\log_p x = a$ and $\log_q x = b$ prove that

$$\log_{\frac{p}{q}} x = \frac{ab}{a-b}$$

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30. If $\log(x^2 y^3) = a$ and $\log(x) \div y = b$ find $\log x$ and

$\log y$ in terms of a and b

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31. If $x = \frac{e^y - e^{-y}}{e^y + e^{-y}}$ show that $y = \frac{1}{2} \log_e \left(\frac{1+x}{1-x} \right)$



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32. If $\log_a b = 10$ and $\log_{6a}(32b) = 5$ find the value of a



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33. If the logarithm of a^2 to the base b^3 and the logarithm of b^8 to the base a^{12} be equal find the value of each logarithm



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34. Solve :

$$\log_{10} x - \log_{10} \sqrt{x} = \frac{2}{\log_{10} x}$$



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35. Solve : $\log_2 \log_2 \log_2 x = -1$



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36. Solve : $\log_8 x + \log_4 x + \log_2 x = 11$



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37. Solve : $\frac{1}{\log_x 10} + 2 = \frac{2}{\log_{0.5}(10)}$

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38. Prove that $\log_{10} 2 > 0.3$

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Long Answer Type Question

1. $\frac{\log x}{ry - pz} = \frac{\log y}{pz - rx} = \frac{\log z}{qx - py}$ show that

$$x^p y^q z^r = 1$$

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2. If $y = 10^{\frac{1}{1 - \log_{10} x}}$ and $z = 10^{\frac{1}{1 - \log_{10} y}}$ show that
 $x = 10^{\frac{1}{1 - \log_{10} z}}$



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3. If the p th, q th and r th terms of a G.P are a , b and c respectively show that

$$(q - r)\log a + (r - p)\log b + (p - q)\log c = 0$$



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4. If $x = \log_a(bc)$, $y = \log_b(ca)$, $z = \log_c(ab)$, then

$$\text{find } \frac{1}{x+1} + \frac{1}{y+1} + \frac{1}{z+1}$$



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5. If $x = \log_a(bc)$, $y = \log_b(ca)$ and $z = \log_c(ab)$

show that

$$x + y + z + 2 = xyz$$



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6. If $x = \log_{2a} a$, $y = \log_{3a} 2a$, $z = \log_{4a} 3a$, then

show that $xyz + 1 = 2yz$.



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7. If $x=1 + \log_a(bc)$, $y = 1 + \log_b(ca)$ and $z=1+\log_c(ab)$

prove that $xy+yz+zx=xyz$



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8. Prove that the value of $\log_{10} 3$ lies in between

$\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{2}{5}$.



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9. Solve

$$\log_x 3 \frac{\log_x 3}{81} 3 = \frac{\log_x 3}{729} 3$$



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10. Solve :

$$(iv) x^{\log_2 a} + a^{\log_2 x} = 2a^2.$$



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11. Solve

$$\log_4(x - 1) = \log_2(x - 3)$$



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12. Solve :

$$(iii) 4^{\log_9 3} + 9^{\log_2 4} = 10^{\log_x 83}$$



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