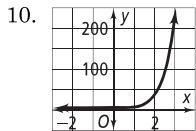
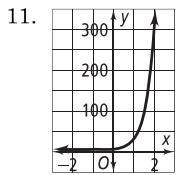


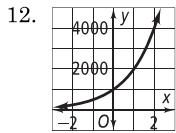
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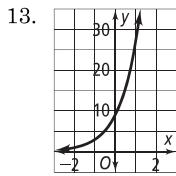
19. exponential decay; 2



20. exponential growth; 12



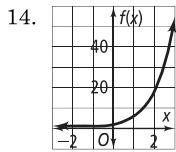
24. exponential growth;  $\frac{1}{100}$



26a. \$2249.73

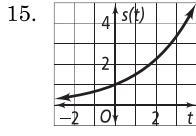
26b. \$4051.63

26c. 6 years



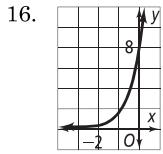
26d. 11 years

27.  $y = 120,000(1.012)^x$ ; 143,512.



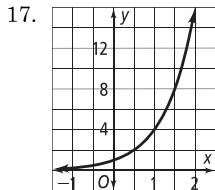
28.  $y = 1,860,000(0.985)^x$ ; 1,551,485

29a.  $y = 72\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x$



29b. 2.25 inches

30. \$262.48; yes;  $A(t) = 1000(1.06)^t$ ; no; when  $t = 4$ ,  $A(t) = \$1262.48$  which represents the amount of money in the account after four years.

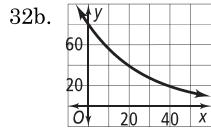


31a. about 5.6%

31b. about 0.0017%

18. exponential growth; 129

32a.  $y = 80(0.965)^x$



The population first drops below 15 animals in about 47 years.

Answers may vary. Sample:

33.  $y = 59.5(0.6)^x$

34. 1.70

35. 6

36. 0.25

37. 0.45

38. 1.125

39. 0.999

40. 1.001

41. 2

42. about \$42,140

43. C

44. Check students' work.

45. B

The graph shows a decreasing function, which eliminates A.  
The  $y$ -values are all positive, which eliminates C.

The answer is B.

46. C

47. G

48. D

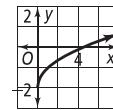
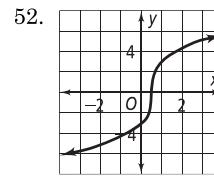
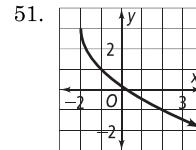
49. G

50.  $r = \frac{11D^{-1} + 5}{10}$

$$10r - 5 = 11D^{-1}$$

$$\frac{10r - 5}{11} = D^{-1}$$

The inverse function tells you the speed the car is traveling when you see the deer, given the number of feet the car travels during your reaction time. Yes; the inverse is a function.



54.  $(2 + 3x)(4 - 6x + 9x^2)$

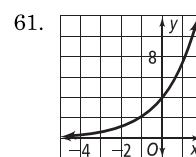
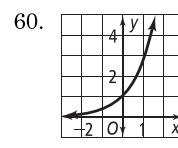
55.  $(3x - 1)(x + 4)$

56.  $(4x - 5)(4x - 5)$

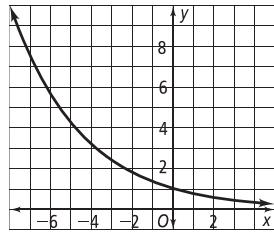
57.  $(1, -1)$

58.  $(0, 0)$

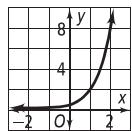
59.  $(3, -3, 9)$



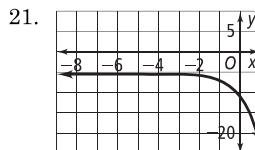
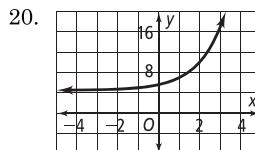
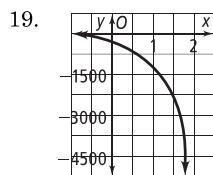
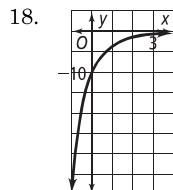
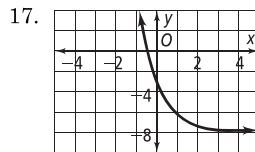
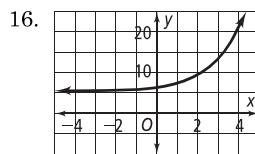
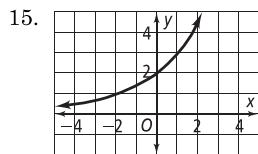
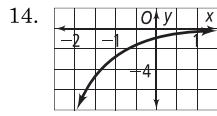
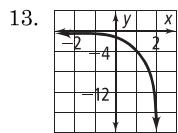
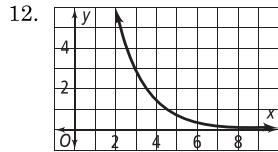
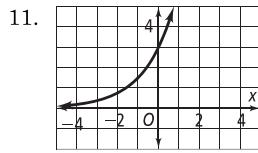
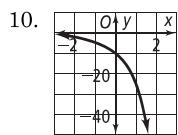
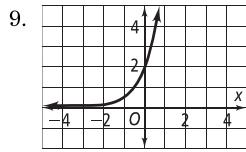
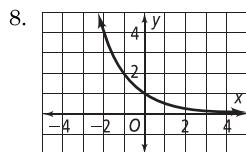
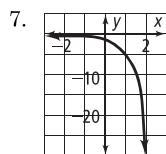
62.



63.



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**Lesson 7-2 - Practice and Problem-Solving Exercises Answers**



22a.  $y = 127.27(0.837)^x + 70$

22b. about 5.25 minutes

23. 403.4288

24. 0.1353

25. 1

26. 12.1825

27. 15.1543

28. \$2330.65

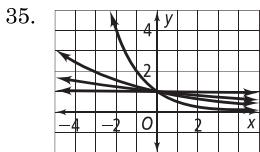
29. \$448.30

30. \$1819.76

31. \$6168.41

32. about 10.7 years

33. The graph of  $f(x) = \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{x+2}$  is a shift of the parent function 2 units left and 1 unit up.

34. If  $c < 0$ , the graph models exponential decay.If  $c = 0$ , the graph is a horizontal line.If  $c > 0$ , the graph models exponential growth.

As the value of  $b$  approaches 1, the graph comes closer to being a straight line.

36.  $y = 50\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{143}x}$ ; 0.85 mg

37.  $y = 24\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{5730}x}$ ; 0.64 mg

38.  $y = 4\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x$ ;  $y = 4\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{x+4} + 3$

39.  $y = -3^x$ ;  $y = -3^{x-8} + 2$

40.  $y = \frac{1}{2}(2)^x$ ;  $y = \frac{1}{2}(2)^{x-6} - 7$

41.  $y = -3\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^x$ ;  $y = -3\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{x+15} - 1$

42. about 61.4 pascals

43a. about 8 names; about 20 names

43b. Graphically, it will never happen. The graph has  $y = 25$  as an asymptote. (In reality, you would be close to knowing all the names in about 21 days.)

43c. Answers may vary. Sample:  
My learning rate might be higher since I can learn names quickly.

44a.  $9168 \text{ ft}^3$

44b.  $V = 9168 - 405(2^x - 1)$   
about 5 weekends

45. C

46. G

47. A

48. H

49. C

50.  $A = Pe^{rt}$

$8000 = Pe^{(0.06)(4)}$

$\frac{8000}{e^{(0.06)(4)}} = P$

$P = 6293.022889$

$P = \$6293.02$

To have exactly \$8000 after four years, you should invest \$6293.02.

51. exponential growth; 23

52. exponential growth; 3

53. exponential decay; 2

54. exponential growth; 5

55.  $6\sqrt{5}$

56.  $-\sqrt[3]{4}$

57.  $5(\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{5})$

$$58. \quad 2\left(\sqrt[4]{2} + \sqrt[4]{8}\right)$$

$$59. \quad \sqrt{3}$$

$$60. \quad 11\sqrt{7}$$

$$61. \quad f^{-1}(x) = \frac{x+1}{4}; \text{ yes}$$

$$62. \quad f^{-1}(x) = x^{\frac{1}{7}}; \text{ yes}$$

$$63. \quad f^{-1}(x) = \left(\frac{x-1}{5}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}; \text{ yes}$$

**Algebra 2**  
**Lesson 7-3 - Practice and Problem-Solving Exercises Answers**

12.  $\log_7 49 = 2$

31. 3

13.  $\log 1000 = 3$

32. The earthquake in Missouri was about 1.58 times as intense.

14.  $\log_5 625 = 4$

33. The earthquake in Chile was about 39.81 times as intense.

15.  $\log \frac{1}{10} = -1$

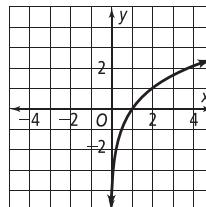
34. The earthquake in Missouri was about 50,119 times as intense.

16.  $\log_8 64 = 2$

35. The earthquake in Missouri was about 10 times as intense.

17.  $\log_{\frac{1}{2}} 4 = -2$

36.



18.  $\log_{\frac{1}{3}} \frac{1}{27} = 3$

19.  $\log 0.01 = -2$

20. 4

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

22. 1

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

24. 3

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

26. undefined

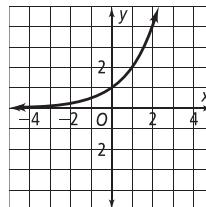
27. 2

28. 5

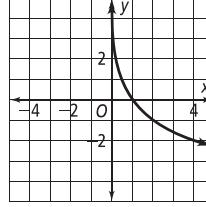
29. 1

30. 4

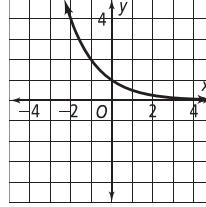
37.



38.



39.



40. translate the graph 1 unit up

41. translate the graph 2 units to the right

42. translate the graph 5 units to the right and 3 units up

43. translate the graph 2 units to the left and 1 unit down

44. apple juice: acidic; buttermilk: acidic; cream: acidic; ketchup:  
acidic; shrimp sauce: basic; strained peas: acidic

45.  $\approx 3.16 \times 10^{-9}$

46.  $2^7 = 128$

47.  $10^{-4} = 0.0001$

48.  $6^1 = 6$

49.  $4^0 = 1$

50.  $7^5 = 16,807$

51.  $2^{-1} = \frac{1}{2}$

52.  $3^{-2} = \frac{1}{9}$

53.  $10^1 = 10$

54. 0

55. -2

56. 1

57. 7

58. error in the second line; it should read  $27^x = 3$ ; the correct  
answer is  $\frac{1}{3}$ .

59. First rewrite  $y = \log_1 x$  as  $1^y = x$ .

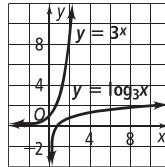
For any real number  $y$ ,  $1^y = 1$ .

So, the only possible value for  $x$  is 1.

60. Answers may vary. Sample:

$$y = \log_3 x$$

$$y = 3^x$$



61.  $y = 4^x$

62.  $y = 0.5^x$

63.  $y = 10^x$

64.  $y = 2^{x-1}$

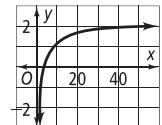
65.  $y = 10^x - 1$

66.  $y = 10^{x-1}$

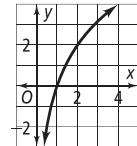
67.  $y = 2^{x-2}$

68.  $y = 10^x + 6$

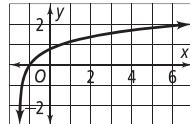
69.



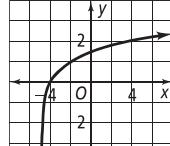
70.



71.



72.



73. domain:  $x > 0$   
range: all real numbers

74. domain:  $x > 0$   
range: all real numbers

75. domain:  $x > 3$   
range: all real numbers

76. domain:  $x > 2$   
range: all real numbers

77.  $4 = \log_3(81)$

78.  $4 = \log_x(y)$

79.  $8 = \log_6(a+1)$

80. 4

81. 3

82. 3

83. -2

84a. II

84b. III

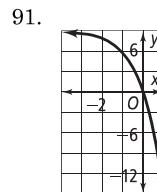
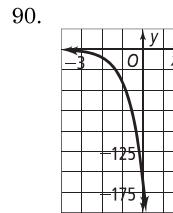
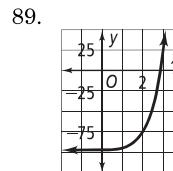
84c. I

85. D

86. I

87. C

88.  $\sqrt[3]{(\sqrt{a})^7} = \sqrt[3]{(a)^{\frac{7}{2}}}$   
 $= \left((a)^{\frac{7}{2}}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$   
 $= a^{\frac{7}{6}}$



92.  $(2x-3)(2x-1)$

93.  $4(b-5)(b+5)$

94.  $(5x-2)(x+3)$

95. 2

96. 256

97.  $\frac{1}{4}$

98. 12

**Algebra 2**  
**Lesson 7-4 - Practice and Problem-Solving Exercises Answers**

9.  $\log 14$

28.  $2 - \log_5 x$

10.  $\log_2 3$

29.  $1 + 4 \log m - 2 \log n$

11.  $\log 972$

30.  $\approx 3.17$

12.  $\log \frac{2}{3}$

31.  $\approx 1.2$

13.  $\log \frac{m^4}{n}$

32.  $\approx 1.748$

14.  $\log \frac{5}{2^k}$

33.  $\approx 1.43$

15.  $\log_6 5x$

35.  $\approx 3.631$

16.  $\log_7 \frac{xy}{z}$

36.  $\approx 2.564$

17.  $\log_3 32xy$

37.  $\approx 3.183$

18.  $3 \log x + 5 \log y$

38. 12  
39. -2

19.  $2 + \log_7 x + \log_7 y + \log_7 z$

40. 5

20.  $1 - \log_b x$

41. 1

21.  $2 \log a$

42. 2

22.  $\log_5 r - \log_5 s$

43. 2

23.  $2 \log_3 2 + 2 \log_3 x$

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

24.  $\log_3 7 + 2 \log_3 (2x - 3)$

45. Yes; the explosion is in violation of town regulations because the loudness of the sound is 102 dB and exceeds the limit of 100 dB.

25.  $2 \log a + 3 \log b - 4 \log c$

46. about 3 dB

26.  $\log_4 5 + \frac{1}{2} \log_4 x$

27.  $1 + \frac{1}{2} \log_8 3 + \frac{5}{2} \log_8 a$

47. The coefficient  $\frac{1}{2}$  is missing in  $\log_4 s$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\log_4 \sqrt{\frac{t}{s}} &= \frac{1}{2} \log_4 \frac{t}{s} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (\log_4 t - \log_4 s) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \log_4 t - \frac{1}{2} \log_4 s\end{aligned}$$

48. No; the expression  $(2x+1)$  is a sum, so it is not covered by the Production, Quotient, or Power Properties.

49. The log of a product is equal to the sum of the logs:

$$\log(MN) = \log M + \log N.$$

50. true;  $\log_2 4 = 2$  and  $\log_2 8 = 3$ ;  $2 + 3 = 5$

51. false;

$$\begin{aligned}\log_3 \frac{3}{2} &= \log_3 3 - \log_3 2 \\ \frac{1}{2} \log_3 3 &= \log_3 3^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ \log_3 3 - \log_3 2 &\neq \log_3 3^{\frac{1}{2}}\end{aligned}$$

52. false;  $\log(x-2) \neq \frac{\log x}{\log 2}$

53. false;  $\log_b \frac{x}{y} = \log_b x - \log_b y \neq \frac{\log_b x}{\log_b y}$

54. false;  $\log x^2 = 2 \log x \neq (\log x)(\log x)$

55. false;  $\log_4 7 - \log_4 3 = \log_4 \frac{7}{3} \neq \log_4 4$

56.  $\log_3 \sqrt[4]{2x}$

57.  $\log x \frac{2\sqrt{y}}{z^3}$

58.  $\log_4 \frac{m^x n^y}{p}$

59.  $\log_b \frac{x^{\frac{2}{3}} y^{\frac{3}{4}}}{z^5}$ , or  $\log_b \frac{\sqrt[3]{x^2} \sqrt[4]{y^3}}{z^5}$

60.  $\frac{1}{2} \log 2 + \frac{1}{2} \log x - \frac{1}{2} \log y$

$$61. \log s + \frac{1}{2} \log 7 - 2 \log t$$

$$62. 3 \log 2 + \frac{3}{2} \log x - 3 \log 5$$

$$63. 3 \log m - 4 \log n + 2 \log p$$

$$64. 3 \log 2 + \frac{1}{2} \log r - \log s$$

$$65. \frac{1}{2} \log_b x + \frac{2}{3} \log_b y - \frac{2}{5} \log_b z$$

$$66. \frac{5}{2} \log_4 x + \frac{7}{2} \log_4 y - \log_4 z - 4 \log_4 w$$

$$67. \frac{1}{2} \log(x+2) + \frac{1}{2} \log(x-2) - 2 \log(x+3)$$

$$68. \frac{\log 2}{\log 7}$$

$$69. \frac{\log 8}{\log 3}$$

$$70. \frac{\log 140}{\log 5}$$

$$71. \frac{\log 3.3}{\log 9}$$

$$72. \frac{\log 3x}{\log 4}$$

73. A 1.0 magnitude star is about 2.5 times brighter than a 2.0 magnitude star.

74. Capella is about 1.02 times brighter than Rigel.

$$75. \frac{1}{2} \log x + \frac{1}{4} \log 2 - \log y$$

$$76. 3 \log_3 \left[ (xy)^{\frac{1}{3}} + z^2 \right]$$

$$77. \frac{1}{2} \log_7(r+9) - 2 \log_7 s - \frac{1}{3} \log_7 t$$

78. -1

94. 3

79. 0

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

80. B

81. I

82. C

83. Answers may vary. Samples:

$$\begin{aligned}\log 18 &= \log \frac{36}{2} \\ &= \log 36 - \log 2\end{aligned}$$

Quotient Property

$$\begin{aligned}\log 18 &= \log(2)(9) \\ &= \log 2 + \log 9\end{aligned}$$

Product Property

$$\begin{aligned}\log 18 &= \log 324^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \log 324\end{aligned}$$

Power Property

$$\begin{aligned}\log 18 &= \log(2)(3)^2 \\ &= \log 2 + 2 \log 3\end{aligned}$$

Product and Power Properties

84.  $\log_7 49 = 2$

85.  $\log_8 \frac{1}{4} = -\frac{2}{3}$

86.  $\log_5 \frac{1}{125} = -3$

87.  $\pm 8$

88.  $\frac{64}{7}$

89. 2

90.  $x^3 + 5x^2 - 3x - 15$

91.  $x^4 + 17x^2 + 16$

92.  $x^4 - 2x^3 - 2x^2 + 14x - 35$

93. 2

**Algebra 2**  
**Lesson 7-5 - Practice and Problem-Solving Exercises Answers**

7. 3

27.  $\approx 6$

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

28.  $\approx 4.89$

9. 1

29.  $\approx 0.64$

10. -1

30.  $\approx 1.25$

11.  $\frac{4}{5}$

31. during 2012

12. -1

32. 0.05

33.  $\frac{\sqrt{10}}{10}$  or  $\approx 0.3162$

13. 2

34. 33

14.  $\frac{2}{5}$

35. 10,000

15.  $\approx 1.5850$

36.  $\frac{1}{60}$  or 0.0167

16.  $\approx 2.1240$

37.  $\sqrt{10}$  or  $\approx 3.1623$

17. 3

38.  $100\sqrt{10} - 1$  or  $\approx 315.2$

18.  $\approx 3.4650$

39. 2

19.  $\approx 0.9534$

40.  $3 \times 10^8$

20.  $\approx 3.2056$

41.  $100,000\sqrt{5}$  or  $\approx 223,606.8$

21.  $\approx 0.2720$

42. 5

22.  $\approx 2.1073$

43.  $\frac{1}{4}$

24.  $\approx 1.2871$

44.  $\approx 1357.2$

25.  $\approx 4.7027$

45. 7

26.  $\approx 14.4894$

46. 5.8

47a.  $\approx 18.9658$

47b.  $\approx 18.9658$

47c. Answers may vary. Sample:

You don't have to use the Change of Base Formula with the base-10 method, but there are fewer steps with the base-2 method.

48. about 5.2

49. about 7.6 years

50. -1

51. 3

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

53. 3

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

55. -2

56. 3

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

58a. 13 years after July 2007

58b. 35 years after July 2007

58c. 25 years after July 2007

59. Answers may vary. Sample:  
 $\log x = 1.6$

$$x = 10^{1.6}$$
$$x \approx 39.81$$

60. 1.1201

61. 143.6

62a.  $1 \text{ W/m}^2$ ;  $10^4 \text{ Wm}^2$

62b. 10,000 times as intense

63a. top up:  $10^{-5} \text{ W/m}^2$ ; top down:  $10^{-2.5} \text{ W/m}^2$

63b.  $\approx 99.68\%$

64.  $\approx 2.9315$

65. 625

66.  $\sqrt{\frac{16}{3}}$  or  $\approx 2.3094$

67. 10

68.  $\approx 0.8505$

69. 1.5

70. 200.8

71.  $\approx 2.7944$

72.  $5^{3x} = 125$   
 $5^{3x} = 5^3$   
 $3^x = 3$   
 $x = 1$

73. 500

74.  $\approx 1.0451$

75.  $114.\bar{3}$

76.  $x = 6$ ;  $y = 1024$

77.  $x = 2$ ;  $y = 2$

78.  $x = 6$ ;  $y = 2$

79.  $x = 5$  or  $x = -2$

80.  $x = -4$ , or  $x = 2$

81. 1

$$100. \log_7 \frac{32}{y^2}$$

82. approximately 20,031 meters above sea level

83a. bassoon, guitar, harp, violin, viola, cello

83b. bassoon, guitar, harp, cello, bass

83c. harp, violin

83d. harp, violin

84. 4

85. 333

86. 25

87. 4

88. 18

89.  $\log 2 + 3 \log x - 2 \log y$

90.  $\log_3 x - \log_3 y$

$$91. 1 + \frac{1}{2} \log_3 x$$

$$92. x^2 - 3x - 1$$

$$93. 3x^2 - 3$$

$$94. 9x^2 - 1$$

$$95. 1, \pm i$$

$$96. \pm 2, \pm 2i$$

$$97. \pm \sqrt{3}; \pm \sqrt{2}$$

$$98. \log_2 3$$

$$99. \log 3x^4$$

**Algebra 2**  
**Lesson 7-6 - Practice and Problem-Solving Exercises Answers**

11.  $\ln 125$

31.  $\approx 1.242$

12.  $\ln 18$

32.  $\approx 3.219$

13.  $\ln 4$

33.  $\approx 2.401$

14.  $\ln \frac{m^5}{n^3}$

34.  $\approx 1.151$

15.  $\ln \frac{\sqrt[3]{xy}}{z^4}$

35. 0

16.  $\ln \frac{a\sqrt[3]{c}}{b^2}$

36.  $\approx 23.752$

17.  $\ln 40,960$

38. 7.79 km/s; yes

18.  $\ln \frac{1}{81}$

39. at least 25 seconds

19.  $\ln 1$

40. approximately 16,384 years old

20.  $\approx 134.476$

41. approximately 11,552 years old

21.  $\approx 0.135$

42. 0

22.  $\approx 1.078 \times 10^{15}$

43.  $\frac{1}{4}$

23.  $\approx \pm 11.588$

44. 1

24.  $\approx 110.196$

45. 83

25.  $\approx \pm 2.241$

46. 1

26.  $\approx \pm 0.908$

47. 2

27.  $\approx 1488.979$

48. 10

28. 5.482 or  $-3.482$

49. 10

29.  $\approx 2.890$

50. 3

30.  $\approx 5.493$

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

52.  $\log e \neq 1$ ;  $\ln 100 = \frac{\log 100}{\log e} = \frac{\log 10^2}{\log e} = \frac{2}{\log e} \approx 4.61$

53. about 301 days

54. sometimes

55. never

56. always

57. 10.8  
The rocket has a mass ratio of 10.8.

58. about 5.8% per hour

59. about 19.8 hours

60.  $\approx 27,347.9$

61.  $\approx 78.342$

62. no solution

63. Because the function is simplified in the beginning and the square root of the exponential function is not calculated.

64a.  $y = 1.5e^{0.12104t}$

64b. 2010

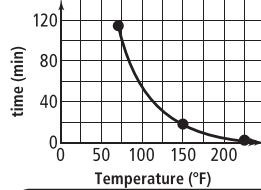
64c. 2018

64d.  $t = \frac{\ln\left(\frac{y}{1.5}\right)}{0.12104}$

64e. Substitute the number of users,  $y$ , found in (b) and (c) into the equation in (d). Determine whether your answers in years are the same as  $t$  for each.

65a. about 43 minutes

65b.  $t = -\frac{1}{0.041} \ln\left(\frac{T-72}{164}\right)$



Temperature (°F)	225	200	175	150	125	100	75
Minutes Later	1.7	6.0	11.3	18.1	27.6	43.1	97.6

66. approximately 5.78%

67. 4

68. 958

69. 19

70. 3

71. 3

72. 4

73.  $\approx 2.846$

74.  $\approx 0.272$

75.  $3333.\bar{3}$

76.  $\approx 1.002$

77.  $9.0 \times 10^{-5}$

78.  $y = \frac{x-7}{5}$ ; yes

79.  $y = \sqrt[3]{\frac{x-10}{2}}$ ; yes

80.  $y = \pm\sqrt{5-x}$ ; no

81.  $y = \frac{x-2}{3}$ ; yes

82. 10

83. 15

84.  $\frac{6}{5}$