

" " Looklike $x^3 + \dots$

Exercise 3. If $f(x) = x^3 + 2x^2 + 4x + 8$

- Find a rational root r of the polynomial function using Desmos or graphing calculator.
- Use synthetic division to divide $f(x)$ by $x - r$.
- Find the remaining two roots by solving the quadratic function. Express f in factored form. What is the characteristic of the roots? (Multiplicity?)
- Sketch a graph. How do the roots of the function relate to its graph?

$$\begin{aligned}
 & x^3 + 2x^2 + 4x + 8 \\
 & (x^3 + 2x^2) + (4x + 8) \\
 & x^2(x + 2) + 4(x + 2) \\
 & (x + 2)(x^2 + 4) \\
 \text{if } & (x + 2)(x + 2i)(x - 2i) = 0
 \end{aligned}$$



a.) $x = -2$ is a root
 $\rightarrow f(-2) = 0$

b.)

-2	1	2	4	8
	↓	→	→	→
	1	0	4	0

$x^2 + 0x + 4$ remainder

c.) $x^2 + 4 = 0$
 $x^2 = -4$
 $x = \pm 2i$

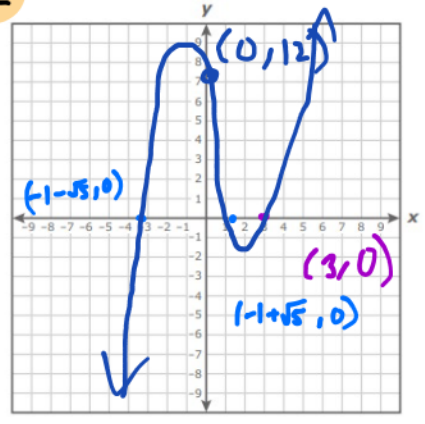
Exercise 4. If $f(x) = x^3 - x^2 - 10x + 12$

- Find a rational root r of the polynomial function using Desmos or graphing calculator.
- Use synthetic division to divide $f(x)$ by $x - r$.
- Find the remaining two roots by solving the quadratic function. What is the characteristic of the roots? (Rational, irrational, complex?)
- Sketch a graph. How do the roots of the function relate to its graph?

a.) Possible rational roots: $\pm \frac{1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 12}{1}$ all factors of constant 12

$(3, 0) \rightarrow f(3) = 0$
 $\therefore 3$ is a root
 $x - 3$ is a factor

all factors of leading coefficient 1.



b.)

3	1	-1	-10	12
	↓	3	6	-12
	1	2	-4	0

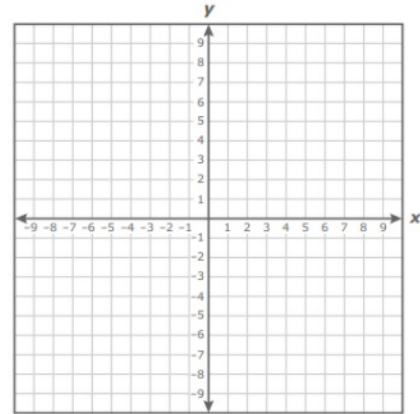
$x^2 + 2x - 4$

c.) $x^2 + 2x - 4 = 0$
 $x = \frac{-(-2) \pm \sqrt{(-2)^2 - 4(1)(-4)}}{2(1)}$
 $x = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{20}}{2} = \frac{-2 \pm 2\sqrt{5}}{2} = -1 \pm \sqrt{5}$

$$x = -1 \pm \sqrt{5}$$

Exercise 5. If $f(x) = x^4 + x^3 - x^2 + x - 2$

- Find two rational roots r_1 and r_2 of the polynomial function using Desmos or graphing calculator.
- Apply synthetic division twice: First divide $f(x)$ by $x - r_1$, then divide the resulting quotient by $x - r_2$.
- Find the remaining two roots by solving the quadratic function. What is the characteristic of the roots? (Rational, irrational, complex?)
- Sketch a graph. How do the roots of the function relate to its graph?



Exercise 6. Find the polynomial of degree 3 with roots 1, 2, -3, and $f(-1) = 8$.

- Express the polynomial in factored form $f(x) = a(x - r_1)(x - r_2)(x - r_3)$.
- Use $f(-1) = 8$ to solve for a .

$$a.) f(x) = a(x-1)(x-2)(x+3)$$

$$b.) f(-1) = a(-1-1)(-1-2)(-1+3) \quad a = \frac{8}{12} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$8 = a(-2)(-3)(+2)$$

$$8 = 12a$$

$$f(x) = \frac{2}{3}(x-1)(x-2)(x+3)$$

Exercise 7. Find a polynomial of degree 4 with real coefficients and roots $2i$ and 3. Root 3 has multiplicity 2.

$$\begin{array}{l} \rightarrow 4 \text{ roots} \\ r_1 = 2i \quad r_3 = -2i \\ r_2 = 3 \quad r_4 = 3 \end{array}$$

$$P(x) = a(x-2i)(x+2i)(x-3)^2$$

$$= a(x^2 + 4)(x-3)^2$$

SECTION 2.2 SUPPLEMENTARY EXERCISES

For each quadratic function,

- i. Determine the vertex.
- ii. Sketch the graph.
- iii. Determine the domain and the range of the function.
- iv. Find the roots. Determine whether the roots are two real roots, one real root, or two complex roots.

a) $f(x) = (x - 3)^2 - 1$

b) $f(x) = -(x - 1)^2 + 7$

c) $f(x) = \frac{1}{3}(x - 8)^2 - 7$

d) $f(x) = -(x - 2)^2 + 9$

e) $f(x) = 6(x + 5)^2 + 4$

f) $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}(x + 5)^2 - 3$

g) $f(x) = -(x - 3)^2 - 1$

h) $f(x) = 4(x + 7)^2 + 8$

i) $f(x) = 2x^2 + 4x - 5$

j) $f(x) = -x^2 + 4x - 6$

SECTION 2.3 SUPPLEMENTARY EXERCISES

1. a) Divide $x^3 + 2x^2 - 6x - 9$ by $x - 2$

b) Divide $x^3 + 2x^2 - 6x - 9$ by $x + 3$

c) Divide $2x^3 - 3x^2 - 5x + 18$ by $x + 2$

2. Find the zeros of a function

a) One zero of $f(x) = x^3 - 2x^2 - 9x + 18$ is $x = 2$. Find the other zeros.

b) One zero of $f(x) = 4x^3 + 9x^2 - 52x + 15$ is $x = -5$. Find the other zeros.

c) Find all the real zeros for $f(x) = x^4 + 4x^3 - 9x^2 - 36x$.

d) Find all the real zeros for $f(x) = x^4 - 13x^2 + 36$.

3. Find a polynomial of degree 4 with real coefficients and roots i and $2 + i$.

Module III

Exponential and Logarithmic Functions

Section 3.1 Exponential Functions and Graphs

For any real number x , an exponential function is a function of the form

$$f(x) = c \cdot b^x$$

Where the base b is a positive real number such that $b \neq 1$ and c is a non-zero real number.

exponential
 $2^x \neq x^2$
 power

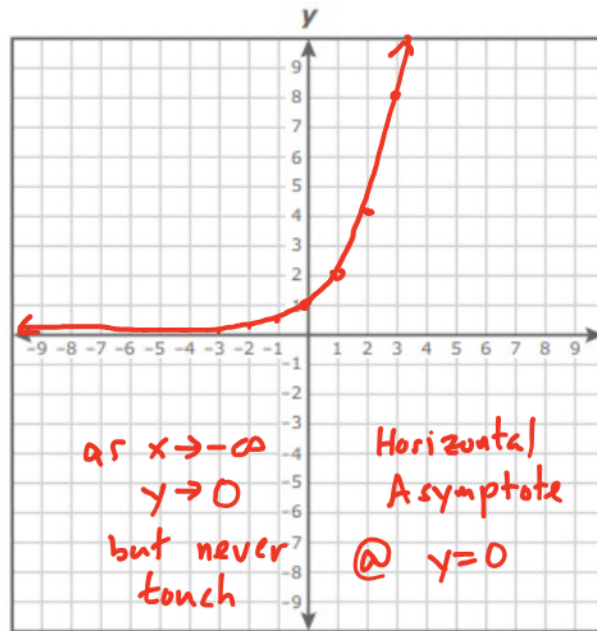
Example 1: Graph the exponential function: $f(x) = 2^x$. What is its domain and range?

x	$y = f(x)$
-3	$\frac{1}{8}$
-2	$\frac{1}{4}$
-1	$\frac{1}{2}$
0	1
1	2
2	4
3	8

$$2^{-3} = \frac{1}{2^3} = \frac{1}{8}$$

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

$$2^{-2} = \frac{1}{2^2} = \frac{1}{4}$$



as $x \rightarrow \infty$
 $y \rightarrow \infty$

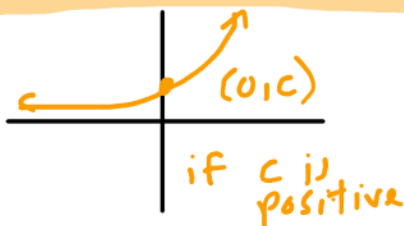
Domain
 $(-\infty, \infty)$

Range
 $(0, \infty)$

Characteristics of the exponential graph: $y = c \cdot b^x$



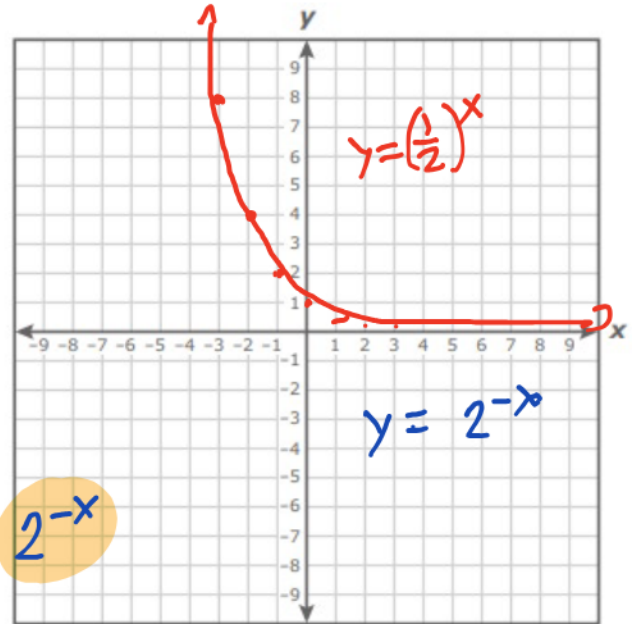
- The exponential graph is always increasing if $b > 1$; it is always decreasing if $0 < b < 1$.
- The graph does not cross the x -axis; $y = 0$ is a horizontal asymptote.
- The graph has the y -intercept $(0, c)$.
- The domain of the exponential function is all real numbers $(-\infty, \infty)$.
- If $c > 0$, the range of the exponential function is $(0, \infty)$. If $c < 0$, the range is $(-\infty, 0)$.



Example 2:

- a) Graph the exponential function: $g(x) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x$. What is its domain and range?
 b) Graph the exponential function: $h(x) = 2^{-x}$. What is its domain and range?
 c) How do the two graphs compare? Why is it so?

x	$g(x) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x$	$h(x) = 2^{-x}$
-3	8	8
-2	4	4
-1	2	2
0	1	1
1	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$
2	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$
3	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{8}$



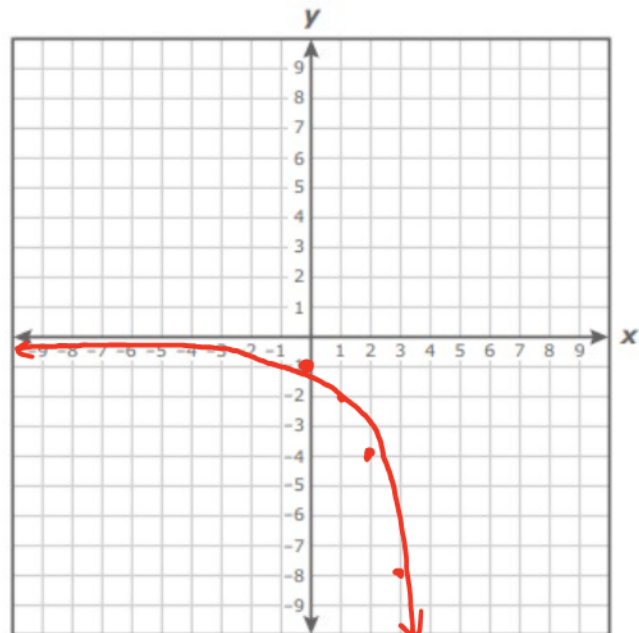
Domain $(-\infty, \infty)$
 Range $(0, \infty)$

Proof: $\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x = 2^{-x}$

$2^{-x} = 2^{-1 \cdot x} = (2^{-1})^x = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x$

Example 3: Graph the exponential function: $k(x) = -2^x$. What is its domain and range?

x	$y = k(x)$
-3	$-\frac{1}{8}$
-2	$-\frac{1}{4}$
-1	$-\frac{1}{2}$
0	-1
1	-2
2	-4
3	-8



Domain: $(-\infty, \infty)$
 Range: $(-\infty, 0)$

* $-f(x)$ is $f(x)$ reflected over x-axis
 "switch positive and negative."

Section 3.2 Logarithmic Functions and Graphs

If $b > 0$ and $b \neq 1$, then $y = \log_b x \Leftrightarrow x = b^y$

Exercise 1: Evaluate the logarithms and rewrite each logarithmic relation as an exponential relation.

Evaluate the logarithm	Rewrite in exponential form
$\log_3 9 = ?$	$\log_3 9 = 2 \Leftrightarrow 3^2 = 9$
$\log_3 1 = 0$	$3^0 = 1$
$\log_3 \left(\frac{1}{9}\right) = 2$	$3^{-2} = \frac{1}{9}$
$\log_2 8 = 3$	$2^3 = 8$
$\log_8 2 = \frac{1}{3}$	$8^{\frac{1}{3}} = 2$
$\log_{\frac{1}{2}} 2 = -1$	$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{-1} = 2$

$$\sqrt[3]{8} = 8^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x = 2$$

$$2^{-1x} = 2^1$$

$$-x = 1$$

$$x = -1$$

Exercise 2: Evaluate the logarithms.

a) $\log_{10} 1 = 0$

e) $\log_{10} \left(\frac{1}{10}\right) = -1$

b) $\log_{10} 10 = 1$

f) $\log_{10} \left(\frac{1}{100}\right) = -2$

c) $\log_{10} 100 = 2$

g) $\log_{10} \left(\frac{1}{1000}\right) = -3$

d) $\log_{10} 1000 = 3$

$$\log(x) = \log_{10}(x)$$

"common logarithm"

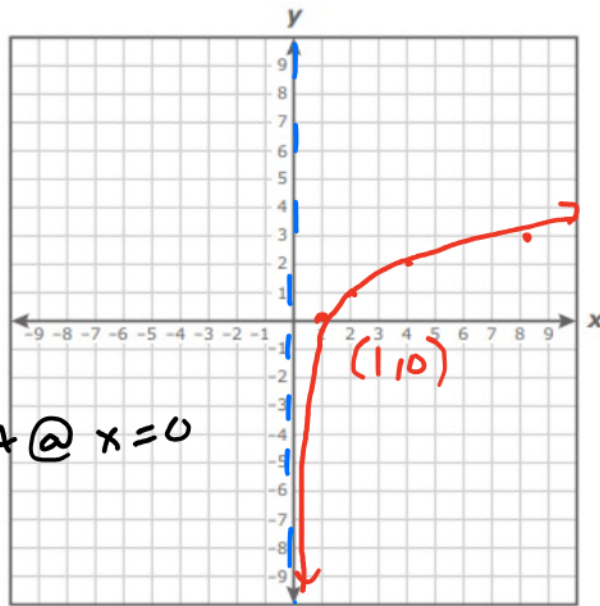
Exercise 3: Graph the logarithmic function: $y = \log_2 x$.

Convert logarithm to exponential form; complete the table of values and graph. What is its domain and range?

$$y = \log_2 x \Leftrightarrow x = 2^y$$

x	y
$\frac{1}{8}$	-3
$\frac{1}{4}$	-2
$\frac{1}{2}$	-1
1	0
2	1
4	2
8	3

Domain: $(0, \infty)$
 Range: $(-\infty, \infty)$



* Functions and Inverse Functions swap domain and range

* Graphs of functions & Inverse Functions are reflections over line $y=x$

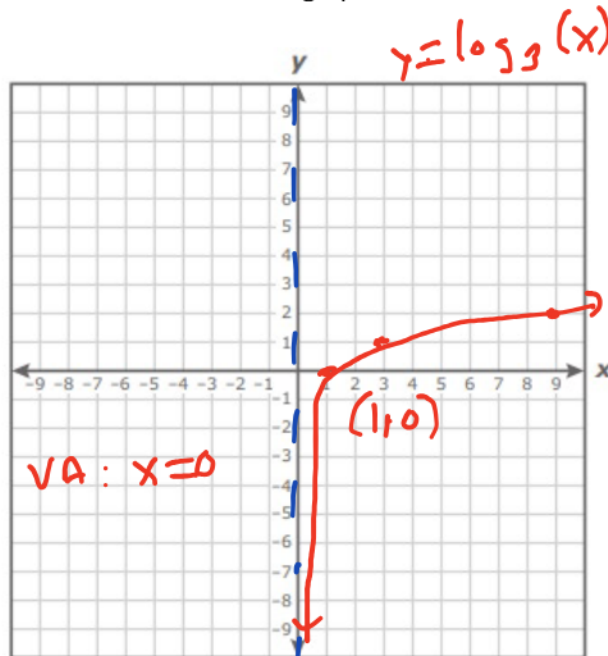
Exercise 4: Graph the logarithmic function: $y = \log_3 x$.

Convert logarithm to exponential form; complete the table of values and graph. What is its domain and range?

$$y = \log_3 x \Leftrightarrow x = 3^y$$

x	y
$\frac{1}{9}$	-2
$\frac{1}{3}$	-1
1	0
3	1
9	2

Domain: $(0, \infty)$
 Range: $(-\infty, \infty)$



Characteristics of the logarithmic function: $f(x) = \log_b x$

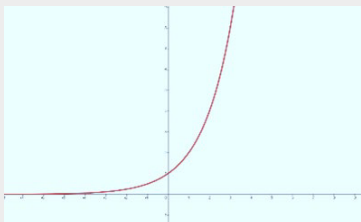
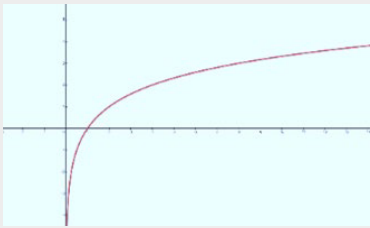
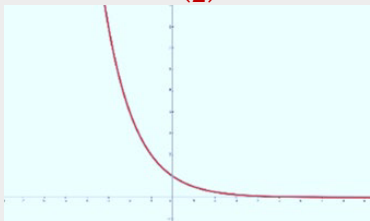
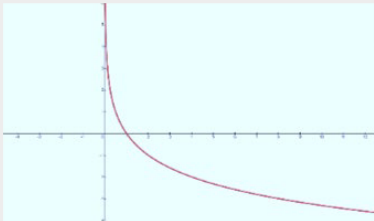
- The function does not cross the y -axis; $x = 0$ is a vertical asymptote.
- The function has the x -intercept $(1, 0)$.
- The domain of the exponential function is $(0, \infty)$.
- The range of the exponential function is $(-\infty, \infty)$.



Use the link to try the Desmos activity: <https://www.desmos.com/calculator/bvh8odgu6n>

How do the exponential and logarithmic graphs change when the base is >1 ? When the base is between 0 and 1? _____

What is the inverse symmetry between the exponential and the logarithmic functions of the same base? _____

Comparing the Graphs of $y = b^x$ and $y = \log_b x$ ($b > 0, b \neq 1$)		
	$y = b^x$	$y = \log_b x$
Domain	$(-\infty, \infty)$	$(0, \infty)$
Range	$(0, \infty)$	$(-\infty, \infty)$
x -intercept	None	$(1, 0)$
y -intercept	$(0, 1)$	None
Contains points	$(0, 1), (1, b)$	$(1, 0), (b, 1)$
Asymptote	x -axis or horizontal line $y = 0$	y -axis or vertical line $x = 0$
Example $b > 1$ (Always increasing)	$y = 2^x$ 	$y = \log_2 x$ 
Example $0 < b < 1$ (Always decreasing)	$y = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x$ 	$y = \log_{1/2} x$ 

Section 3.3 Properties of Logarithms

Properties of Logarithms

	Properties of Exponents	Corresponding Properties of Logarithms
Product Property	$b^{x+y} = b^x \cdot b^y$	$\log_b(x \cdot y) = \log_b x + \log_b y$
Quotient Property	$b^{x-y} = \frac{b^x}{b^y}$	$\log_b\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = \log_b x - \log_b y$
Power Property	$(b^x)^n = b^{nx}$	$\log_b(x^n) = n \cdot \log_b x$
	$b^1 = b$	$\log_b(b) = 1$
	$b^0 = 1$	$\log_b(1) = 0$

Exercise 1: Use the properties of logarithm and the values $\log_5 3 \approx 0.683$ and $\log_5 7 \approx 1.209$ to evaluate each of the following. (What is the value of $\log_5 5$?)

$$\text{a) } \log_5 21 = \log_5(7 \cdot 3) = \log_5(7) + \log_5(3) \approx 1.209 + 0.683 \approx 1.892$$

$$\text{b) } \log_5 \frac{3}{7} = \log_5(3) - \log_5(7) \approx 0.683 - 1.209 \approx -0.526$$

$$\text{c) } \log_5 35 = \log_5(7 \cdot 5) = \log_5(7) + \log_5(5) \approx 1.209 + 1 \approx 2.209$$

$$\text{d) } \log_5 \frac{15}{7} = \log_5(15) - \log_5(7) = \log_5(3) + \log_5(5) - \log_5(7) \approx 0.683 + 1 - 1.209 = 0.474$$

$$\text{e) } \log_5 49 = \log_5(7) + \log_5(7)$$

$$\log_5(7^2) = 2 \log_5(7) = 2(1.209) \approx 2.418$$

$$\log_b(b) = 1$$

$$\log_5(5) = 1$$

$$\log(10) = 1$$

$$\ln(e) = 1$$

The logarithm with base 10 is called the **common logarithm** denoted by \log_{10} or \log

$$\log_{10} x = \log x$$

The logarithm with base e is called the **natural logarithm** denoted by \log_e or \ln

$$\log_e x = \ln x$$

The Number e

The **natural base e** is a mathematical constant defined as the value $\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n$ as n approaches ∞ . Its value is approximately

$$e \approx 2.71828182845$$

Properties of \log and \ln

\log	\ln
$\log(x \cdot y) = \log x + \log y$	$\ln(x \cdot y) = \ln x + \ln y$
$\log\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = \log x - \log y$	$\ln\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = \ln x - \ln y$
$\log x^n = n \log x$	$\ln x^n = n \ln x$
$\log 10 = 1$	$\ln e = 1$
$\log 1 = 0$	$\ln 1 = 0$

Exercise 2: Expand using the properties of logarithms. Assume x and y are positive.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } \log_3\left(\frac{9\sqrt{x}}{y^2}\right) &= \log_3(9\sqrt{x}) - \log_3(y^2) = \log_3(9) + \log_3(\sqrt{x}) - \log_3(y^2) \\ &= 2 + \log_3(x^{\frac{1}{2}}) - \log_3(y^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) } \log\frac{(x+3)}{100} &= \log(x+3) - \log_{10}(100) \\ &= \log(x+3) - 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c) } \ln\left(\frac{6e^4}{4}\right) &= \ln(6) + \ln(e^4) - \ln(4) \\ &= \ln(6) + 4\ln(e) - \ln(2^2) \\ &= \ln(6) + 4 - 2\ln(2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \ln(e) &= 1 \\ \log_e(e) &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$* e = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!}$$