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SM3 Graphing Logarithmic Functions 2019-2020

Name _____ Date _____ Period _____

1. The domain of a logarithmic function $f(x) = \log_a x$ is _____.2. The graph of every logarithmic function $f(x) = \log_a x$, where $a > 0$, and $a \neq 1$, passes through three points:

_____, _____, and _____.

3. **True or False:** If $y = \log_a x$, then $y = a^x$.4. **True or False:** The graph of $f(x) = \log_a x$, where $a > 0$, and $a \neq 1$, has an x-intercept equal to 1 and no y-intercept.**Find the domain of each function. Write the answers in interval notation. SHOW WORK!**

5. $f(x) = \ln(x-3)$

6. $f(x) = 3 - 2\log_4 \left[\frac{x}{2} - 5 \right]$

7. $g(x) = \log_5(2x+8)$

8. $g(x) = \ln(-x-2)$

Use the given function f to:

(a) Find the domain of f and any asymptotes of f . (b) Write the transformations. (c) Graph f . (d) From the graph determine the range.

Use transformations and a table of values for at least 3 key points to get the graphs. No graphing calculators!

9. $f(x) = \ln(x+4)$

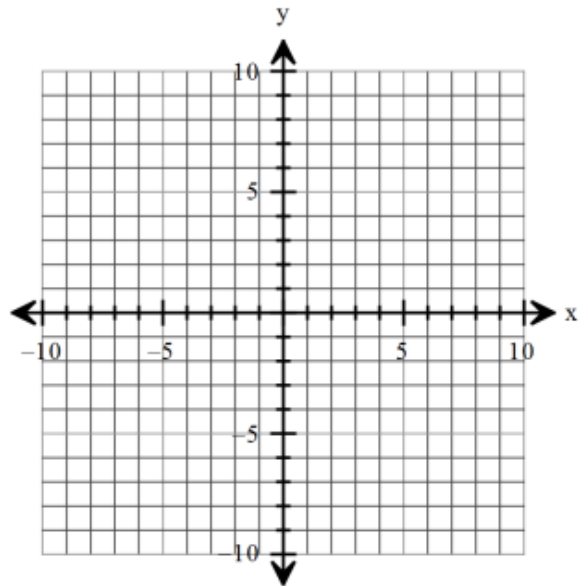
Domain: _____

Asymptotes: _____

Key points and transformations:

x	$f(x)$

x	$f(x)$



Range: _____

10. $f(x) = \log(-x) + 3$

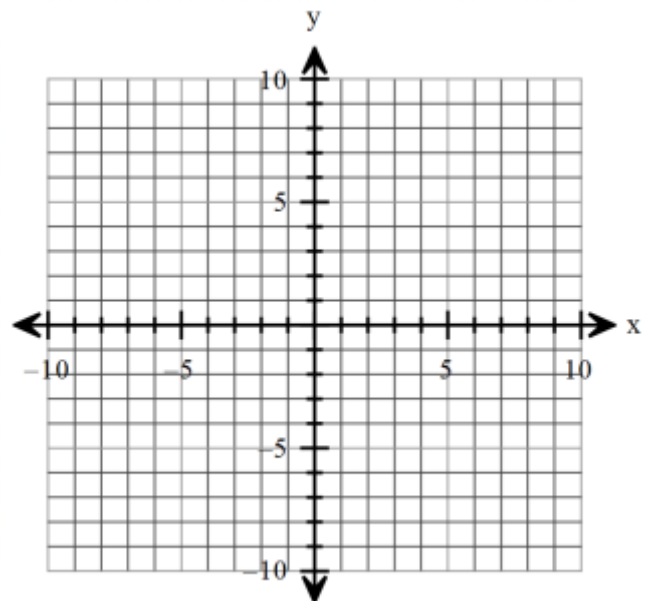
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Asymptotes: _____

Key points and transformations:

x	$f(x)$

x	$f(x)$



Range: _____

11. $f(x) = \ln[-(x+2)]$

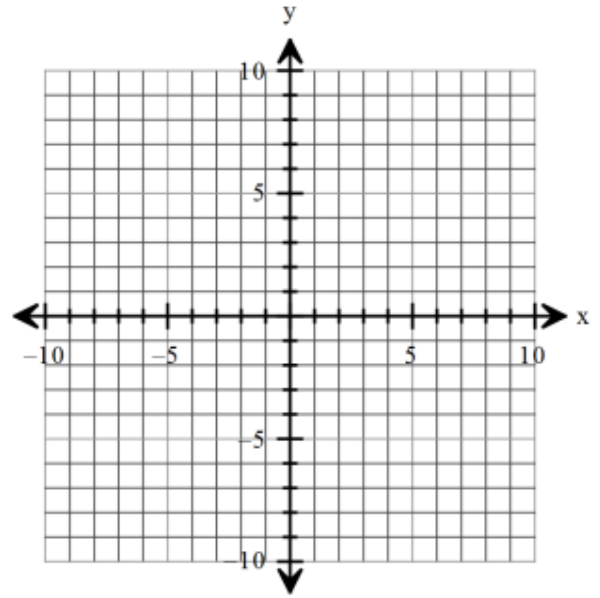
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Asymptotes: _____

Key points and transformations:

x	$f(x)$

x	$f(x)$



Range: _____

12. $f(x) = -\ln(x)$

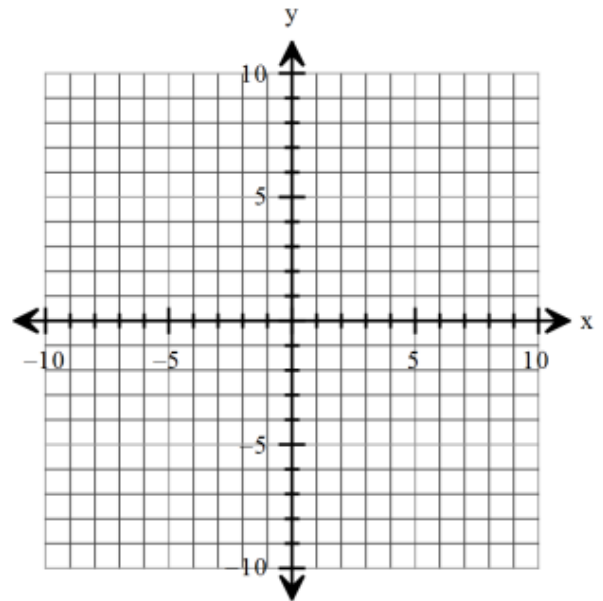
Domain: _____

Asymptotes: _____

Key points and transformations:

x	$f(x)$

x	$f(x)$



Range: _____

13. $f(x) = -2\log_3(x-5)$

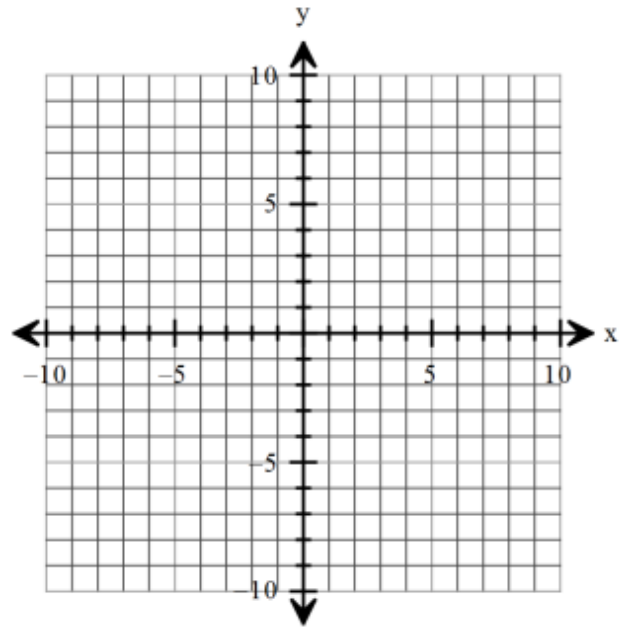
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Asymptotes: _____

Key points and transformations:

x	$f(x)$

x	$f(x)$



Range: _____

14. $f(x) = \log_3(x-4) + 2$

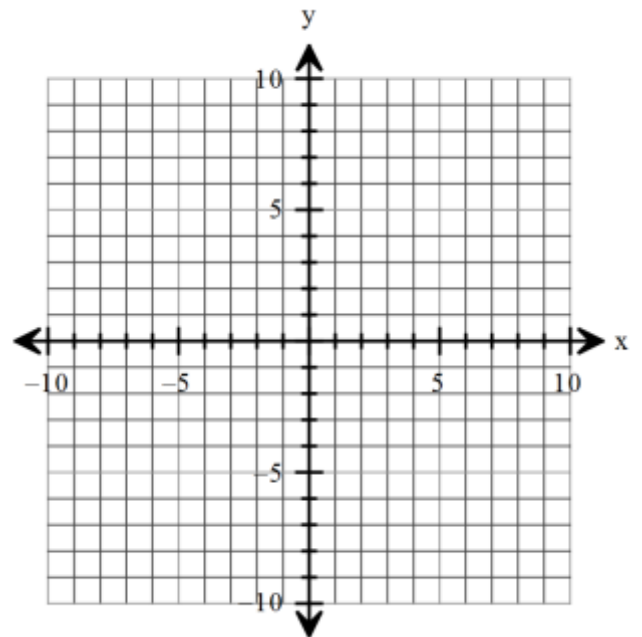
Domain: _____

Asymptotes: _____

Key points and transformations:

x	$f(x)$

x	$f(x)$



Range: _____

15. $f(x) = 3\log_2(-x)$

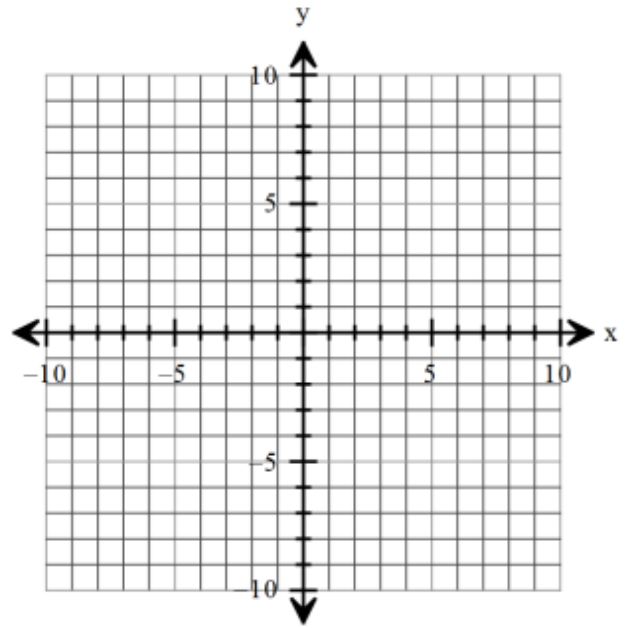
Domain: _____

Asymptotes: _____

Key points and transformations:

x	$f(x)$

x	$f(x)$



Range: _____

16. $f(x) = -4^{(x+2)}$

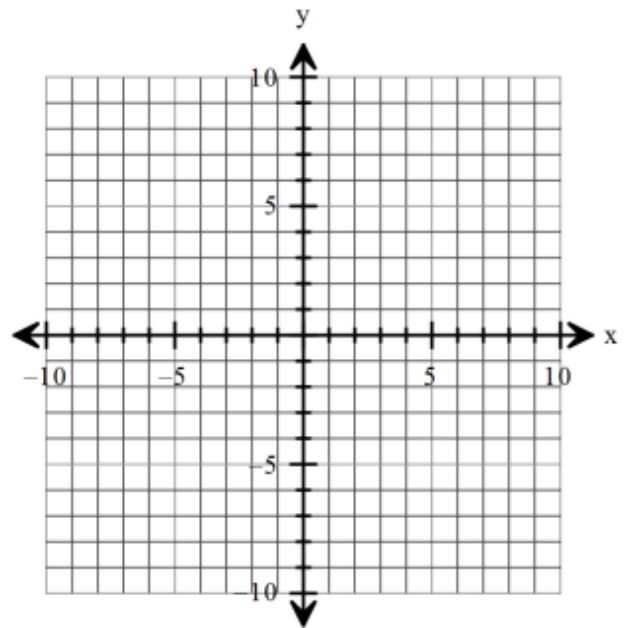
Domain: _____

Asymptotes: _____

Key points and transformations:

x	$f(x)$

x	$f(x)$



Range: _____