

Key

Sept. 22 Worksheet

1. Change each of the following equations from exponential to logarithm form, then solve for x.

$$b^x = y \rightarrow \log_b y = x$$

$$7^x = 49$$

$$\log_7 49 = x$$

$$x = 2$$

$$4^x = 64$$

$$\log_4 64 = x$$

$$x = 3$$

$$3^x = 81$$

$$\log_3 81 = x$$

$$x = 4$$

$$18^x = 5496$$

$$\log_{18} 5496 = x$$

$$x = 2.98$$

2. Transform the following into its inverse, then solve for x.

$$e^x = 16$$

$$\ln 16 = x$$

$$x = 2.77$$

$$e^x = 127$$

$$\ln 127 = x$$

$$x = 4.84$$

$$4(16)^x = 48$$

$$\log_{16} 12 = x$$

$$x = .896$$

$$6e^x - 24 = 18$$

$$\ln 7 = x$$

$$x = 1.95$$

3. You deposit \$1,500 into a savings account with a simple annual interest rate of 4%. How much interest will you earn in 3 years?

$$\text{\$180}$$

4. A person borrows \$5,000 for 6 months at a simple interest rate of 8% per year. How much interest will they pay?

$$\text{\$200}$$

5. An investment earned \$250 in simple interest over 2 years at an annual rate of 5%. What was the original principal amount?

\$2,500

6. A loan of \$3,000 accrues \$360 in simple interest over a period of 2 years. What is the annual interest rate?

6%

7. What is the present value of a bond that will be worth \$12,000 in 11 months, assuming a simple annual interest rate of 8%?

\$11,180.25

or

either works

\$11,180.12