

Bellwork Tuesday 12/19

Solve the following equation (notes section, title it Example 5)

$$\ln(x-1) + \ln(x+1) = 0$$

$$\log a + \log b = \log a \cdot b$$

$$\ln(x-1)(x+1) = 0$$

$$\ln(x^2-1) = 0$$

$$\cancel{\ln(x^2-1)} = \cancel{\ln 1}$$

$$\ln 1 = 0$$

$$\ln e = 1$$

$$\ln 0 \text{ und.}$$

$$x^2 - 1 = 1$$

$$+1 \quad +1$$

$$\sqrt{x^2} = \sqrt{2}$$

$$x = \sqrt{2} \quad \checkmark$$

$$x = -\sqrt{2} \quad X$$

$$\ln(x^2-1) = 0$$

e

$$e^0 = x^2 - 1$$

$$1 = x^2 - 1$$

Ex 4:  $\ln(x+2) + \ln(x-4) = 3\ln 2$   $\ln b^a$   
 $\ln(x+2)(x-4) = \ln 2^3$   $\ln b^a$   
 $\ln(x^2 - 2x - 8) = \ln 8$   
 $x^2 - 2x - 8 = 8$   
 $\quad \quad \quad +8 \quad -8$   
 $x^2 - 2x - 16 = 0$   
 $\frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4 - 4(1)(-16)}}{2(1)} = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{68}}{2}$   $\frac{2 + \sqrt{68}}{2} = 5.12$   
 $\frac{2 - \sqrt{68}}{2} = -3.12$

$$\frac{2 \pm \sqrt{68}}{2}$$

$$\frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4 \cdot 17}}{2}$$

$= 1 \pm \sqrt{17}$   $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 1 + \sqrt{17} \approx 5 \checkmark \\ 1 - \sqrt{17} \approx -3 \text{ X excluded} \end{array} \right.$

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$\ln(x-3) + \ln(x+4) = 3\ln 2$

$\ln(x-3)(x+4) = \ln 8$

$\ln(x^2 + 4x - 3x - 12) = \ln 8$

$x+5=0$   
 $x+4=0$   
 $x=-5$   
 $x=-4$   
 excluded  
 extraneous.

~~$\ln(x^2 + x - 12) = \ln 8$~~   
 ~~$\quad \quad \quad -8 \quad -8$~~

~~$x^2 + x - 20 = 0$~~

~~$\frac{5 \pm \sqrt{25 + 80}}{2}$~~   
 ~~$\frac{5 \pm \sqrt{105}}{2}$~~

$x=4$

Ex 6:

$$\cancel{e^{\ln(2x)}} = \cancel{e^3}$$

$$\ln(2x) = 3$$

$$\frac{e^3}{2} = \frac{2x}{2}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{e^3}{2} = x}$$

Ex 7:

$$\frac{20}{20} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{x/3} = \frac{5}{20}$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\frac{x}{3}} = \frac{1}{4}$$

~~$$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{x/3} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2$$~~

$$\frac{x}{3} = 2$$

$$x = 6$$

Homework Example:

# 5

$$\frac{2}{2} (10^{-x/3}) = \frac{20}{2}$$

~~$$10^{-x/3} = 10$$~~

$$-x/3 = 1$$

$$x = -3$$

Ex 4  $\frac{3 \cdot 4^{x/2}}{3} = \frac{96}{3}$

$$4^{x/2} = 32$$

$$(2^2)^{x/2} = 2^5$$

~~$(2)^x = 2^5$~~   
 $x = 5$

Change of base Formula

$$\log_b a = \frac{\ln a}{\ln b}$$

ex:  $\log_2 a = \frac{\ln a}{\ln 2}$

$$\ln \frac{a}{b} = \ln a - \ln b$$

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base formula.

~~$\frac{\sqrt{100}}{\sqrt{4}}$~~

~~$\sqrt{a} = \sqrt{b}$   
 $\ln a = \ln b$~~

~~$\frac{\ln a}{\ln b}$~~  incorrect