

7TH CLASS WS-4 SOLUTIONS

Logarithms

Teaching Task

- $\log(ab)^m = m \log(ab) = m(\log a + \log b)$
- $\log_{10} \sqrt{5} + \log_{10} \sqrt{7} = \log_{10} \sqrt{5} \sqrt{7} = \log_{10} \sqrt{35}$
- $\log_{10} 2 = 0.3010$
 $\log_{10} 32^5 = 5 \log_{10} 32 = 5 \log_{10} 2^5 = 25 \log_{10} 2$
 $= 25 \times 0.3010 = 7.525$
- $\bar{6} \cdot 325 = -6 + 0.325$
- $\log_{10} x = -3.5196 = -(4 - 0.4804)$
 $= -4 + 0.4804$
 $= -4.4804$
 $= \bar{4} \cdot 4804$
- $\log_{10} 5^3 + \log_{10} 2^3 = \log_{10} (5^3 \cdot 2^3) = \log_{10} 10^3 = 3 \log_{10} 10 = 3$
- $2 \log 5\sqrt{5} + 3 \log 2 - \log 2 - \log 50 - 1$
 $= \log (5\sqrt{5})^2 + \log 2^3 - \log 2 - \log 50 - \log 10$
 $= \log \left(\frac{5\sqrt{5} \times 5\sqrt{5} \times 2 \times 2 \times 2}{2 \times 50 \times 10} \right) = \log 1$

Key - C

- $\log_3 27 = a \Rightarrow \log_3 3^3 = a \Rightarrow 3 \log_3 3 = a$
 $\Rightarrow a = 3$

$$\log_2 16 = \log_2 2^4 = 4 \log_2 2 = 4 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

From option (A)

$$6 \times \left(\frac{3+a}{3a} \right) = 6 \left(\frac{3+3}{3(3)} \right) = 6 \left(\frac{6}{9} \right) = 4 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$\therefore \log_2 16 = 6 \left(\frac{3+a}{3a} \right)$$

- $\frac{1}{\log_{x^n} xyz} + \frac{1}{\log_{y^n} xyz} + \frac{1}{\log_{z^n} xyz} =$
 $= \log_{xyz} x^n + \log_{xyz} y^n + \log_{xyz} z^n$
 $= \log_{xyz} x^n \cdot y^n \cdot z^n = \log_{xyz} (xyz)^n = n$

- $\log_{c^2} a^b \cdot \log_{a^3} b^c \cdot \log_{b^4} c^a = \frac{b}{2} (\log_c a) \frac{c}{3} (\log_a b) \frac{a}{4} (\log_b c)$
 $= \frac{abc}{24} \cdot \frac{\log a}{\log c} \cdot \frac{\log b}{\log a} \cdot \frac{\log c}{\log b} = \frac{abc}{24}$

Multiple correct answer type

11. From definition for logarithm
Options A, B, C are correct.

$$12. \quad 2^{\log_{\sqrt{2}} 15} = 2^{\left(\log_{\frac{1}{2^{\frac{1}{2}}}} 15\right)} = 2^{\left(\frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)}\right) \log_2 15} \\ = 2^{2 \log_2 15} = 2^{\log_2 15^2} = 15^2 = 225 = \sqrt[3]{225^3}$$

A and B are correct.

13. If $\log_{\frac{1}{a^n}} m^1 = \frac{n}{x}$

$$\frac{1}{\frac{1}{n}} \log_a m^1 = \frac{n}{x}$$

$$n \log_a m = \frac{n}{x}$$

$$\log_a m^n = \frac{n}{x}$$

$$\therefore a^{\frac{n}{x}} = m^n$$

$$\left(a^{\frac{1}{x}}\right)^n = m^n$$

$$\therefore m = a^{\frac{1}{x}} \Rightarrow m^x = a$$

$$\Rightarrow \log_m a = x \text{ from definition}$$

A, C are correct.

14. Statement – I – True

$$5^{7 \log_5 2} = 5^{\log_5 2^7} = 2^7 = 128$$

Statement – II is false

15. From statement – I – false

$$\log_x a + \log_y x + \log_b y \neq \log_b a$$

Statement – II – True.

$$\log_5 2 \times \log_7 5 \times \log_{10} 7 =$$

$$= \frac{\log 2}{\log 5} \times \frac{\log 5}{\log 7} \times \frac{\log 7}{\log 10} = \frac{\log 2}{\log 10} = \log_{10} 2$$

Key – D

$$16. \quad \frac{1}{\log_{a^2} abc} + \frac{1}{\log_{b^2} abc} + \frac{1}{\log_{c^2} abc} =$$

$$\log_{abc} a^2 + \log_{abc} b^2 + \log_{abc} c^2 = \log_{abc} a^2 \cdot b^2 \cdot c^2$$

$$= \log_{abc} (abc)^2 = 2 \log_{abc} abc = 2$$

$$17. \quad \log_b a \cdot \log_c b \cdot \log_d c \cdot \log_{\frac{1}{a}} d =$$

$$= \frac{\log a}{\log b} \cdot \frac{\log b}{\log c} \cdot \frac{\log c}{\log d} \cdot \frac{\log d}{\log a^{-1}} = \frac{\log a}{-\log a} = -1$$

$$18. \quad (\log_a x)(\log_b y) = \frac{\log x}{\log a} \cdot \frac{\log y}{\log b}$$

$$= \frac{\log x}{\log b} \cdot \frac{\log y}{\log a} = \log_b x \cdot \log_a y$$

Comprehension If $\log_{10} x = p, \log_{10} y = q$

$$19. \quad \frac{p}{q} = \frac{\log_{10} x}{\log_{10} y} = \frac{\log x}{\log 10} \cdot \frac{\log 10}{\log y} = \frac{\log x}{\log y} = \log_y x$$

$$20. \quad x = 10^p, y = 10^q \text{ from definition for logarithm}$$

$$xy = 10^p \cdot 10^q = 10^{p+q}$$

$$21. \quad \frac{x+y+1}{x+y-1} = \frac{10^p + 10^q + 1}{10^p + 10^q - 1}$$

$$22. \quad 64^{(\log_4 2)} = 4^{3 \log_4 2} = 4^{\log_4 2^3} = 2^3 = 8$$

$$23. \quad \log_2 \{ \log_3 (\log_2 x) \} = 1$$

$$\log_3 (\log_2 x) = 2^1 = 2$$

$$\log_2 x = 3^2 = 9$$

$$x = 2^9$$

Matrix matching type

24. Column I

$$a) \log_{0.2} 0.008 = \log_{0.2} (0.2)^3 = 3 \log_{0.2} 0.2 = 3 \rightarrow \textcircled{r}$$

$$b) \log_8 2 = \log_{2^3} 2 = \frac{1}{3} \log_2 2 = \frac{1}{3} \rightarrow \textcircled{p}$$

$$c) \frac{\log 10 \times \log 16}{\log 2} = \log 10 \times \frac{\log 2^4}{\log 2} = \log 10 \times 4 = 4 \log 10 = 4 \rightarrow \textcircled{q}$$

$$d) \frac{\log 216}{\log \sqrt{6}} = \log_{\sqrt{6}} 216 = \log_{6^{\frac{1}{2}}} 6^3 = \frac{3}{\frac{1}{2}} = 3 \times 2 = 6 \rightarrow \textcircled{s}$$

25. Apply formulae
 $\log ab = \log a + \log b$

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

$$\log a^n = n \log a$$

$$a - r, b - t, c - q, d - p$$

LEARNER'S TASK

$$1. \quad 2^4 = 16 \Rightarrow \log_2 16 = 4 \text{ from definition}$$

$$2. \quad \log_5 a^2 = 0 \Rightarrow a^2 = 5^0 \Rightarrow a = 5^{10}$$

3. Conceptual

$$4. \quad \frac{\log 8}{\log 2} = \log_2 2^3 = 3 \log_2 2 = 3$$

$$5. \quad \log 36 = \log (2 \times 18) = \log 2 + \log 18$$

$$= \log(3 \times 12) = \log 3 + \log 12$$

$$= \log(9 \times 4) = \log 9 + \log 4$$

Key – D

$$6. \quad 2^{\log_{10} 5} = 2^{(\log_2 5 \cdot \log_{10} 2)} = \left(2^{\log_2 5}\right)^{\log_{10} 2} = (5)^{\log_{10} 2}$$

$$7. \quad \log_3 4 \times \log_2 3 = \frac{\log 4 \log 3}{\log 3 \log 2} = \frac{\log 4}{\log 2} = \log_2 4$$

$$8. \quad \log_{10} 20 - \log_{10} 2 = \log_{10} \left(\frac{20}{2}\right)$$

$$9. \quad \log_{\sqrt[3]{7}} \sqrt[5]{6} = \log_{\frac{1}{7^{\frac{1}{3}}}} 6^{\frac{1}{5}} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{3}} \log_7 6 = \frac{3}{5} \log_7 6$$

$$10. \quad \log_{q^p} p^q = \frac{q}{p} \log_q p \quad \text{Conceptual}$$

JEE MAIN LEVEL

$$1. \quad 2^{3 \log_2 2} + 3^{2 \log_3 2} = 2^{\log_2 2^3} + 3^{\log_3 2^2} = 2^3 + 2^2 = 8 + 4 = 12$$

$$2. \quad 4^{\log_9 3} + 9^{\log_2 4} = 10^{\log_x 83}$$

$$2^{2 \log_3 3} + 3^{2 \log_2 2} = 10^{\log_x 83}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2^{2 \times \frac{1}{2} \log_3 3} + 3^{2 \times 2 \log_2 2} = 10^{\log_x 83}$$

$$2 + 3^4 = 10^{\log_x 83}$$

$$83 = 10^{\log_x 83}$$

$$\therefore x = 10 \text{ where } 10^{\log_{10} 83} = 83$$

$$3. \quad \text{Let } a^x = b^y = c^z = d^w = k$$

$$a^x = k, b^y = k, c^z = k, d^w = k$$

Apply log for all.

$$x \log a = \log k, y \log b = \log k, z \log c = \log k, w \log d = \log k$$

$$\Rightarrow \log a = \frac{\log k}{x}, \log b = \frac{\log k}{y}$$

$$\log c = \frac{\log k}{z}, \log d = \frac{\log k}{w}$$

$$\therefore \log_a bcd = \frac{\log b + \log c + \log d}{\log a}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{\log k}{y} + \frac{\log k}{z} + \frac{\log k}{w}}{\frac{\log k}{x}}$$

$$= \frac{x \log k \left(\frac{1}{y} + \frac{1}{z} + \frac{1}{w} \right)}{\log k} = x \left(\frac{1}{y} + \frac{1}{z} + \frac{1}{w} \right)$$

Key – C

$$4. \quad \log_{10} 5 = 0.69897$$

$$\log_{10} 50 = \log_{10} (5 \times 10) = \log_{10} 5 + \log_{10} 10$$

$$= 0.69897 + 1 = 1.69897$$

5. $a = 1 + \log_x yz, b = 1 + \log_y zx, c = 1 + \log_z xy$

$$a = \log_x x + \log_x yz = \log_x xyz = \frac{\log xyz}{\log x}$$

$$b = \log_y y + \log_y zx = \log_y xyz = \frac{\log xyz}{\log y}$$

Similarly $c = \frac{\log xyz}{\log z}$

$$ab + bc + ca = \frac{\log xyz}{\log x} \cdot \frac{\log xyz}{\log y} + \frac{\log xyz}{\log y} \cdot \frac{\log xyz}{\log z} + \frac{\log xyz}{\log z} \cdot \frac{\log xyz}{\log x}$$

$$= (\log(xyz))^2 \left\{ \frac{1}{\log x \log y} + \frac{1}{\log y \log z} + \frac{1}{\log z \log x} \right\}$$

$$= (\log(xyz))^2 \left(\frac{\log z + \log x + \log y}{\log x \cdot \log y \cdot \log z} \right)$$

$$= \log(xyz) \log(xyz) \frac{\log xyz}{\log x \cdot \log y \cdot \log z}$$

$$= \frac{\log xyz}{\log x} \cdot \frac{\log xyz}{\log y} \cdot \frac{\log xyz}{\log z} = a \cdot b \cdot c$$

6. $5^x = (0.5)^y = 1000 = 10^3$

$$5^x = 10^3 \rightarrow \textcircled{1} \text{ and } (0.5)^y = 10^3 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

Apply log on both sides

$$x \log 5 = 3 \log 10 = 3 \text{ and } y \log(0.5) = 3 \log 10$$

$$\frac{3}{x} = \log 5 \qquad y \log(0.5) = 3$$

$$\frac{3}{y} = \log\left(\frac{5}{10}\right)$$

$$\frac{3}{x} - \frac{3}{y} = \log 5 - \log \frac{5}{10}$$

$$= \log \frac{5}{\frac{5}{10}} = \log 10 = 1$$

$$3 \left(\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{y} \right) = 1$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{y} = \frac{1}{3}$$

7. $\log 2 = a, \log 3 = b, \log 7 = c$

$$6^x = 7^{x+4} = 7^x \times 7^4$$

Taking log on both sides

$$x \log(3 \times 2) = x \log 7 + 4 \log 7$$

$$x \log(3 \times 2) - x \log 7 = 4 \log 7$$

$$x[\log 3 + \log 2 - \log 7] = 4 \log 7$$

$$x[b+a-c]=4c$$

$$x = \frac{4c}{a+b-c}$$

8. Let $x = 3^{40}$, if $\log_{10} 3 = 0.477$

$$\log_{10} x = 40 \log_{10} 3 = 40(0.477) = 19.08$$

$$\therefore \text{No. of digits in } x = 19 + 1 = 20$$

9. $\log_{10} 2 = 0.3010, \log_{10} 3 = 0.4771$

$$\text{Let } x = (2^{10} \cdot 3^5)^{20} = 2^{200} \times 3^{100}$$

Taking log on both sides

$$\begin{aligned} \log_{10} x &= 200 \log_{10} 2 + 100 \log_{10} 3 \\ &= 200(0.3010) + 100(0.4771) \\ &= 60.20 + 47.71 = 107.91 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{No. of digits in } (3^{10} \cdot 3^5)^{20} \text{ is}$$

$$107 + 1 = 108$$

10. $\log_3 4 \times \log_4 5 \times \log_5 6 \times \log_6 7 \times \log_7 8 \times \log_8 9$

$$= \frac{\log 4}{\log 3} \times \frac{\log 5}{\log 4} \times \frac{\log 6}{\log 5} \times \frac{\log 7}{\log 6} \times \frac{\log 8}{\log 7} \times \frac{\log 9}{\log 8}$$

$$= \frac{\log 9}{\log 3} = \frac{\log 3^2}{\log 3} = \frac{2 \log 3}{\log 3} = 2$$

11. $\frac{\log x}{y-z} = \frac{\log y}{z-x} = \frac{\log z}{x-y} = k$

$$\text{Let } \frac{x(\log x)}{x(y-z)} = \frac{y(\log y)}{y(z-x)} = \frac{z(\log z)}{z(x-y)} = k$$

$$\therefore \log x^x = kx(y-z) = k(xy - xz)$$

$$\text{Similarly } \log y^y = k(yz - yx)$$

$$\log z^z = k(zx - zy)$$

$$\therefore \log x^x + \log y^y + \log z^z = k(xy - xz + yz - yx + zx - zy) = k(0) = 0$$

$$\log x^x \cdot y^y \cdot z^z = 0$$

$$x^x \cdot y^y \cdot z^z = 1$$

12. $a = \log_{12} 18 = \frac{\log 18}{\log_{12} 12} = \frac{\log_2 (2 \times 3^2)}{\log_2 (3 \times 2^2)}$

$$= \frac{1 + 2 \log_2 3}{2 + \log_2 3}$$

$$b = \log_{24} 54 = \frac{\log 54}{\log_{24} 24} = \frac{\log_2 (2 \times 3^3)}{\log_2 (3 \times 2^3)} = \frac{1 + 3 \log_2 3}{3 + \log_2 3}$$

$$\text{Let } x = \log_2 3$$

$$\therefore a = \frac{1+2x}{2+x}, b = \frac{1+3x}{3+x}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore ab + 5(a-b) &= \frac{1+2x}{2+x} \cdot \frac{1+3x}{3+x} + 5\left(\frac{1+2x}{2+x} - \frac{1+3x}{3+x}\right) \\ &= \frac{6x^2 + 5x + 1 + 5((3+x)(1+2x) - (1+3x)(2+x))}{(x+2)(x+3)} \\ &= \frac{6x^2 + 5x + 1 + 5(1-x^2)}{(x+2)(x+3)} = \frac{x^2 + 5x + 6}{x^2 + 5x + 6} = 1\end{aligned}$$

13. $\log_3 x + \log_3 y = 2 + \log_3 2$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \log_3 xy &= 2(1) + \log_3 2 = 2\log_3 3 + \log_3 2 = \log_3 3^2 + \log_3 2 \\ &= \log_3 (9 \times 2) = \log_3 18\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore xy = 18 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$\text{Given } \log_3 (x+y) = 2 \Rightarrow x+y = 3^2 = 9 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$\text{And } (x-y)^2 = (x+y)^2 - 4xy = 9^2 - 4(18) = 9$$

$$\therefore x-y = 3 \rightarrow 3 \quad \text{by verification, we get option (C)}$$

14. $\log_{30} 3 = c, \log_{10} 5 = d$

$$\begin{aligned}\log_{30} 8 &= \log_{30} 2^3 = 3\log_{30} 2 = 3\log_3 \left(\frac{30}{15}\right) = 3\log_{30} \left(\frac{30}{3 \times 5}\right) \\ &= 3[\log_{30} 30 - \log_{30} 3 - \log_{30} 5] \\ &= 3(1 - c - d)\end{aligned}$$

15. $a^2 + b^2 = 7ab$

Adding $2ab$ on both sides

$$a^2 + b^2 + 2ab = 9ab$$

$$(a+b)^2 = 9ab$$

$$a+b = 3\sqrt{ab}$$

$$\frac{a+b}{3} = \sqrt{ab} = (ab)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\log\left(\frac{a+b}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{2}\log(ab)$$

ADVANCED LEVEL

Multiple correct answer type

1. $\log_{q^b} p^a = \frac{b^2}{a^2}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a}{b} \log_q p = \frac{b^2}{a^2} \Rightarrow a^3 \log_q p = b^3$$

$$\Rightarrow \log_q p^{a^3} = b^3$$

$$\Rightarrow p^{a^3} = q^{b^3}$$

$$\text{And } \log_q p = \frac{b^3}{a^3} \Rightarrow p = (q)^{\frac{b^3}{a^3}}$$

Key – B

$$\begin{aligned} 2. \quad a^{\log_m b} &= b^{\log_n a} \\ \Rightarrow a^{\frac{1}{3} \log_m b} &= b^{\frac{1}{3} \log_n a} \\ \Rightarrow a^{\log_m (b)^{\frac{1}{3}}} &= b^{\log_n (a)^{\frac{1}{3}}} \end{aligned}$$

It is true when $m = n \neq 0$ only.

Key – A

3. Conceptual
4. Statement – I True
Statement – II True

$$\frac{1}{\log_x xy} + \frac{1}{\log_y xy} = \log_{xy} x + \log_{xy} y = \log_{xy} xy = 1$$

Key – A

5. Statement – I True
 $\log x_1 + \log x_2 + \dots + \log x_n = \log(x_1 \cdot x_2 \cdot x_3 \dots x_n)$
Statement II – False

$$\begin{aligned} &\log \frac{a^2}{b} + \log \frac{b^2}{c} + \log \frac{c^2}{a} - \log abc \\ &= \log \left(\frac{\frac{a^2}{b} \cdot \frac{b^2}{c} \cdot \frac{c^2}{a}}{abc} \right) = \log \left(\frac{a^2 b^2 c^2}{a^2 b^2 c^2} \right) = \log 1 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Key – C

$$\begin{aligned} 6. \quad \log_{10} \frac{x^2}{2x} &= \log_{10} 5 - 1 = \log_{10} 5 - \log_{10} 10 = \log_{10} \left(\frac{5}{10} \right) = \log_{10} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right) \\ \therefore \frac{x^2}{2x} &= \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow x^2 = \frac{2x}{2} = x \Rightarrow x^2 - x = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$x(x-1) = 0$$

$$x = 0, x = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} 7. \quad \log_a \left(\frac{a^2}{2} \right) &= \log_a 4 - \log_a 2 + 1 = \log_a \left(\frac{4}{2} \right) + \log_a a \\ &= \log_a 2 + \log_a a = \log_a (2a) \\ \therefore \frac{a^2}{2} &= 2a \Rightarrow a^2 = 4a \Rightarrow a^2 - 4a = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$a(a-4) = 0$$

$$a = 0, a = 4$$

$$\begin{aligned} 8. \quad \log_{\frac{3}{x^2}} x^3 &= \log_x a^2 + 1 = \log_x a^2 + \log_x x = \log_x a^2 x \\ \frac{3}{\frac{2}{3}} \log_x x &= \log_x a^2 x \\ \log_x (a^2 x) &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$a^2 x = x^2$$

$$a^2 = x$$

$$a = \pm\sqrt{x}$$

$$9. \quad x^{\log_{x^2+2x} y} = y^{\log_{y^2+2y} x}$$

Bases are equal $\therefore x = y$

And $x^2 + 2x = y^2 + 2y$ It is true when $x=1, y=1$

$$10. \quad 2^{\log_{x^2+5x} 3} = 3^{\log_{25} 2}, \text{ if } 2 = 3^{\log_{25} 2}$$

$$\therefore 2^{\log_{x^2+5x} 3} = 2 = 2^1$$

$$\therefore \log_{x^2+5x} (3) = 1$$

$$(x^2 + 5x)^1 = 3$$

$$x^2 + 5x - 3 = 0$$

Solving for 'x', we get an irrational number because we can't factorise the above equation.

$\therefore$ Key - C

$$11. \quad 5^{\log_{10}(-x)} = (-x)^{\log_{10} 5}$$

By comparing we will get $x = -5$

$$-x = 5$$

Key - D

ADDITIONAL PRACTICE QUESTIONS

Comprehension : $\log_a m + \log_a n = \log_a mn$ & $\log_a m - \log_a n = \log_a \left(\frac{m}{n}\right)$

$$12. \quad \log_{10} 5 + \log_{10} 5x + 1 = \log_{10} (x+5) + \log_{10} 10$$

$$\log_{10} 5(5x+1) = \log_{10} (x+5)10$$

$$\therefore 5(5x+1) = (x+5)10 = 2x+10$$

$$5x+1-2x-10=0$$

$$3x-9=0$$

$$3x=9 \Rightarrow x = \frac{9}{3} = 3$$

$$13. \quad \log_5 (x^2 + x) - \log_5 (x+1) = 2 = \log_5 25$$

$$\log_5 \left(\frac{x^2 + x}{x+1} \right) = \log_5 (25)$$

$$\therefore \frac{x^2 + x}{x+1} = 25$$

$$x^2 + x = 25(x+1) = 25x + 25$$

$$\therefore x^2 - 24x + x - 25 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 25x + x - 25 = 0$$

$$x(x-25)+1(x-25)=0$$

$$(x+1)(x-25)=0$$

$$x+1=0 \quad \text{or} \quad x-25=0$$

$$x=-1 \quad \quad \quad x=25$$

14. $\log_4 x + \log_2 x = 6$ - True

From option D) $x = 16$, we can check,

$$\log_4 4^2 + \log_2 2^4 = 2\log_4 4 + 4\log_2 2 = 2 + 4 = 6$$

15. Conceptual

16. Conceptual

17. Conceptual

18. $\log_{2\sqrt{3}} 1728 = \log_{\sqrt{12}} 12^3 = \log_{(12)^{\frac{1}{3}}} 12^3$

$$= \frac{3}{\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)} \log_{12} 12 = 9 \log_{12} 12 = 9$$

19. $\log_{\sqrt{8}} x = 3\frac{1}{3}$ then $x = ?$

$$\log_{\sqrt{8}} x = \frac{10}{3} \quad \because \sqrt{8} = \sqrt{2^3} = 2^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$x = \left(\sqrt{8}\right)^{\frac{10}{3}} = \left(2^{\frac{3}{2}}\right)^{\frac{10}{3}} = 2^5 = 32$$

20. Conceptual

21. Conceptual

22. Conceptual