

**3.1 - Exponential and Logistic Functions**

1. Determine whether each statement is always (A), sometimes (S), or never (N) true for exponential function  $f(x) = a \cdot b^x$ .

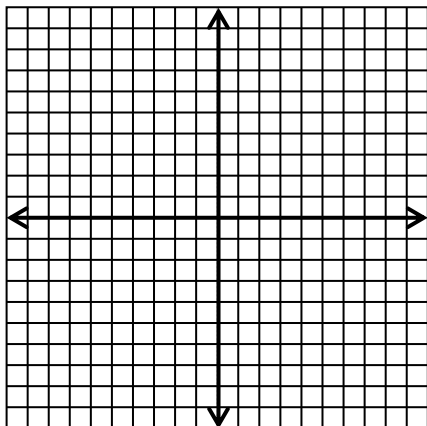
- a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = 0$ . \_\_\_\_\_
- b)  $f(x)$  is an odd function. \_\_\_\_\_
- c) The graph of  $f(x)$  passes through the point (0, b). \_\_\_\_\_
- d)  $f(x)$  is bounded above if  $a < 0$ . \_\_\_\_\_
- e) The graph of  $f(x)$  has a vertical asymptote. \_\_\_\_\_

2. Determine whether each statement is always (A), sometimes (S) or never (N) true for logistic function  $g(x) = \frac{c}{1 + a \cdot b^x}$ .

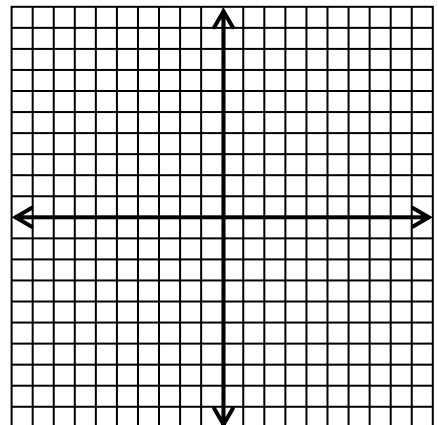
- a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} g(x) = 0$  \_\_\_\_\_
- b) The initial value of  $g(x)$  is greater than 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- c) The graph of  $g(x)$  is strictly increasing. \_\_\_\_\_
- d) The domain of  $g(x)$  is all positive real numbers. \_\_\_\_\_
- e)  $g(x)$  has a vertical asymptote. \_\_\_\_\_

3. Sketch a graph of each function:

a)  $f(x) = 4(2)^x$



b)  $f(x) = \frac{9}{1 + 2(\frac{1}{2})^x}$

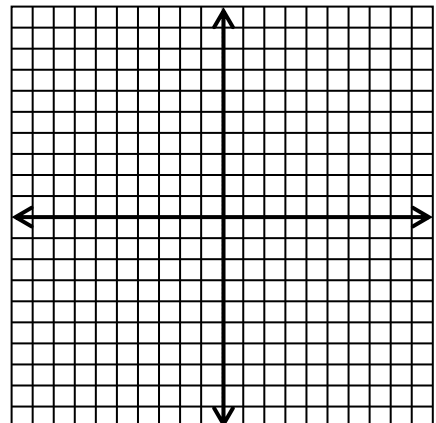


### 3.2 - Exponential and Logistic Modeling

4. Write an exponential function that satisfies the following conditions (make sure to define your variables!): Initial population = 23,000, population doubles every 9 years.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
5. Write a logistic function to model a population with an initial value of 3, a limit to growth of 51, and which passes through the point (3, 17).
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
6. (calculator allowed) The population of a bee colony is currently 520, and is increasing at a rate of 2.3% per year.
  - a) Write an equation to model the bee population  $B$  after  $t$  years.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  - b) How many years will it take until the bee population reaches 2000 bees?  
Round your answer to the nearest hundredth of a year.

### 3.3 - Logarithmic Functions and their Graphs

7. Sketch a graph of the function  $g(x) = \log_2(-x)$ :



8. What transformations are required to transform the function  $f(x) = \log x$  into the function  $g(x) = \log_{15}(x+7)$ ?

9. Simplify:

a)  $\log_3\left(\frac{1}{81}\right)$

b)  $\ln\left(\sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{e^7}}\right)$

### **3.4 - Properties of Logarithmic Functions**

10. (calculator allowed) Evaluate  $\log_5 19$ . Round your answer to the nearest thousandth.

11. (calculator allowed) Solve  $e^{x+4} = 253$  for  $x$ . Round your answer to the nearest thousandth.

12. (calculator allowed) Solve  $\log_6(x+7) = 3.54$  for  $x$ . Round your answer to the nearest thousandth.

13. Evaluate  $4\log_6 3 + \log_6 16$