

Topic: Logarithm

Question 1 [2008 EOY, Q7]	marks
Solve the following equations for x: $\log_2(x+6) + \log_2(x-1) = 1 + \log_2(3x)$	[4]
Question 2 [2009 EOY, Q10]	marks
Solve the following equations: (a) $x^2 - 6 = x ,$	[4]

(b)

$$3^{2x-1} + 3^{x-2} = 3^x - \frac{4}{9},$$

[5]

(c)

$$1 + \lg(x + 1.6) = \lg 2 + \lg(2x^2 + 1).$$

[4]

Question 3 [2010 EOY, Q13]	marks
Solve the following equations: (a) $\log_8[2 + \log_2(x - 4)] = \log_{125} 5$	[3]
(b) $e^{2\ln y} = \lg 1.6$	[3]
Question 4 [2010 EOY, Q14]	marks
Solve the pair of simultaneous equations $e^x (e^2)^y = (e^2)^y$ $\lg(x - 1) + \lg(x + 1) = \lg y + \lg(2x - y)$	[6]

Question 5 [2011 EOY, Q13]	marks
Solve the following equations (a) $\log_2\left(\frac{x^2}{4} + 12\right) = 2\log_2(x + 5) - 2,$	[4]
(b) $\log_4(x^2) + 3\log_{x^2} 4 = 4$	[4]

Question 6 [2012 EOY, Q3]	marks
Solve the equation $\log_x(2x+1) - 2\log_{x^2}(4x-1) + 1 = 0$.	[4]
Question 7 [2013 EOY, Q1c]	marks
(iii) Solve the equation $\log_5 x + 1 = 6\log_x 5$.	[3]

Question 8 [2014 EOY, Q3]	marks
(i) Solve the equations $\log_{(x-1)}(3x^2 - 7x - 2) = 2$	[4]
(ii) $\ln \sqrt{x} - 2 + \frac{1}{2} \ln x = 0$, where $x > 0$	[5]

Question 9 [2015 EOY, Q6]	marks
Solve the following equations. (i) $\log_3 x = \ln 2$,	[2]
(ii) $1 + \log_{\sqrt{2}}(y - 1) = \log_2(22 - 7y)$.	[4]