

Goals:

- I can evaluate logarithmic expressions.
- I can graph logarithmic functions.

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Algebra II
Logarithms and Logarithmic Functions

KeyConcept Parent Function of Logarithmic Functions



Parent function: $f(x) = \log_b x$

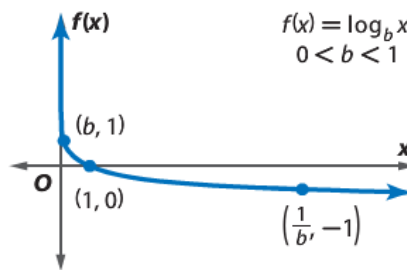
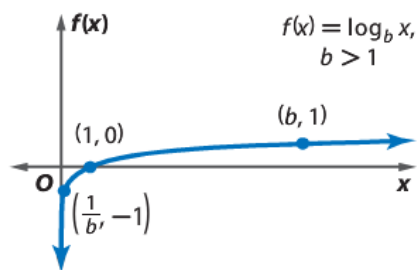
Domain: all positive real numbers

Asymptote: $f(x)$ -axis

Type of graph: continuous, one-to-one

Range: all real numbers

Intercept: $(1, 0)$



To use the Calculator:

- 1) Clear your calculator
- 2) Press Y=
- 3) Math Button (This is below the blue and green buttons)
- 4) Scroll down to A: logBASE(and then press enter)
- 5) Type in the rest of your equation
- 6) When ready to graph press Enter, then press Graph on the top right.