

# EXERCISE SET 4.1

## Practice Exercises

In Exercises 1–10, approximate each number using a calculator. Round your answer to three decimal places.

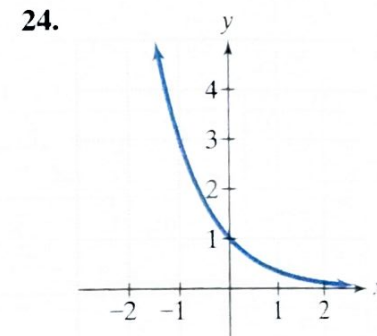
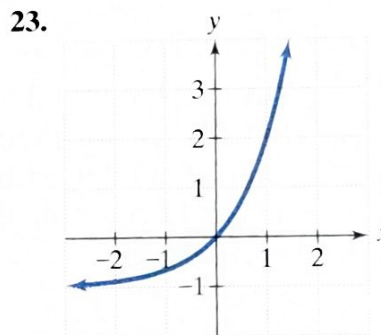
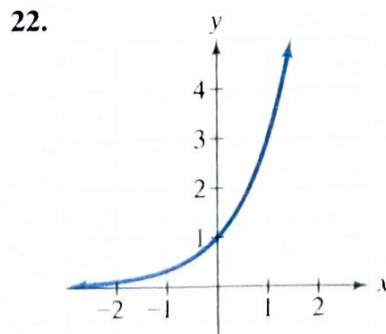
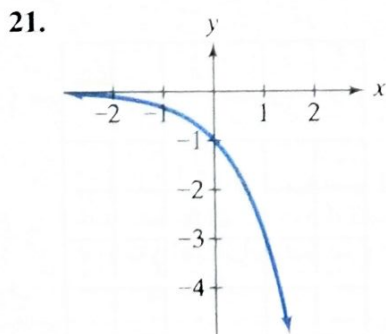
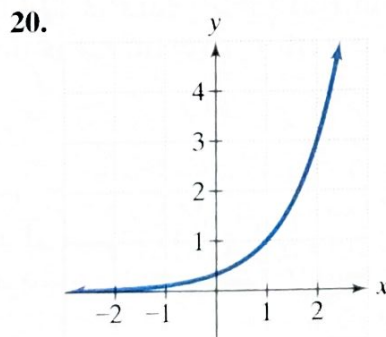
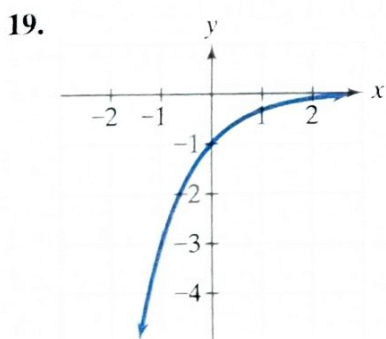
1.  $2^{3.4}$     2.  $3^{2.4}$     3.  $3^{\sqrt{5}}$     4.  $5^{\sqrt{3}}$     5.  $4^{-1.5}$   
 6.  $6^{-1.2}$     7.  $e^{2.3}$     8.  $e^{3.4}$     9.  $e^{-0.95}$     10.  $e^{-0.75}$

In Exercises 11–18, graph each function by making a table of coordinates. If applicable, use a graphing utility to confirm your hand-drawn graph.

11.  $f(x) = 4^x$     12.  $f(x) = 5^x$     13.  $g(x) = \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^x$   
 14.  $g(x) = \left(\frac{4}{3}\right)^x$     15.  $h(x) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x$     16.  $h(x) = \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^x$   
 17.  $f(x) = (0.6)^x$     18.  $f(x) = (0.8)^x$

In Exercises 19–24, the graph of an exponential function is given. Select the function for each graph from the following options:

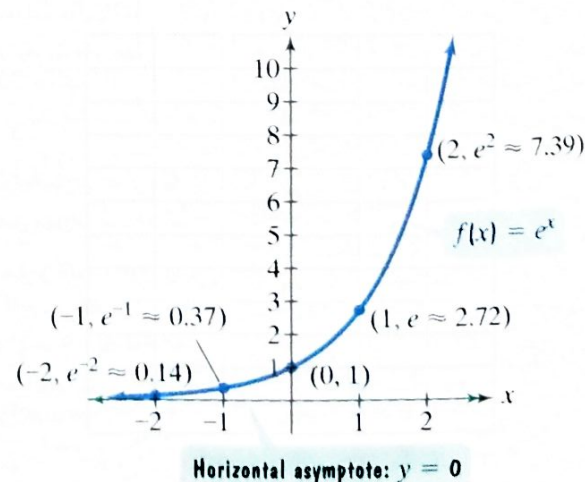
$$f(x) = 3^x, g(x) = 3^{x-1}, h(x) = 3^x - 1, \\ F(x) = -3^x, G(x) = 3^{-x}, H(x) = -3^{-x}.$$



In Exercises 25–34, begin by graphing  $f(x) = 2^x$ . Then use transformations of this graph to graph the given function. Be sure to graph and give equations of the asymptotes. Use the graphs to determine each function's domain and range. If applicable, use a graphing utility to confirm your hand-drawn graphs.

25.  $g(x) = 2^{x+1}$     26.  $g(x) = 2^{x+2}$   
 27.  $g(x) = 2^x - 1$     28.  $g(x) = 2^x + 2$   
 29.  $h(x) = 2^{x+1} - 1$     30.  $h(x) = 2^{x+2} - 1$   
 31.  $g(x) = -2^x$     32.  $g(x) = 2^{-x}$   
 33.  $g(x) = 2 \cdot 2^x$     34.  $g(x) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 2^x$

The figure shows the graph of  $f(x) = e^x$ . In Exercises 35–46, use transformations of this graph to graph each function. Be sure to give equations of the asymptotes. Use the graphs to determine each function's domain and range. If applicable, use a graphing utility to confirm your hand-drawn graphs.



35.  $g(x) = e^{x-1}$

36.  $g(x) = e^{x+1}$

37.  $g(x) = e^x + 2$

38.  $g(x) = e^x - 1$

39.  $h(x) = e^{x-1} + 2$

40.  $h(x) = e^{x+1} - 1$

41.  $h(x) = e^{-x}$

42.  $h(x) = -e^x$

43.  $g(x) = 2e^x$

44.  $g(x) = \frac{1}{2}e^x$

45.  $h(x) = e^{2x} + 1$

46.  $h(x) = e^{\frac{x}{2}} + 2$

In Exercises 47–52, graph functions  $f$  and  $g$  in the same rectangular coordinate system. Graph and give equations of all asymptotes. If applicable, use a graphing utility to confirm your hand-drawn graphs.

47.  $f(x) = 3^x$  and  $g(x) = 3^{-x}$

48.  $f(x) = 3^x$  and  $g(x) = -3^x$

49.  $f(x) = 3^x$  and  $g(x) = \frac{1}{3} \cdot 3^x$

50.  $f(x) = 3^x$  and  $g(x) = 3 \cdot 3^x$

51.  $f(x) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x$  and  $g(x) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{x-1} + 1$

52.  $f(x) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x$  and  $g(x) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{x-1} + 2$

Use the compound interest formulas  $A = P\left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nt}$  and

$A = Pe^{rt}$  to solve Exercises 53–56. Round answers to the nearest cent.

53. Find the accumulated value of an investment of \$10,000 for 5 years at an interest rate of 5.5% if the money is  
a. compounded semiannually; b. compounded quarterly;  
c. compounded monthly; d. compounded continuously.

54. Find the accumulated value of an investment of \$5000