

§6.3* THE NATURAL EXPONENTIAL FUNCTION

$$\ln(x) := \int_1^x \frac{1}{t} dt \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{d}{dx} \ln(x) = \frac{1}{x} > 0 \quad (x > 0)$$

$$\text{DOM}(\ln) = (0, \infty)$$

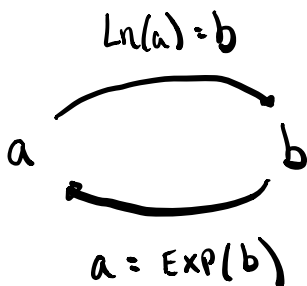
$$\therefore \ln(x) \text{ IS INCREASING} \Rightarrow \underline{\underline{\ln(x) \text{ IS } 1-1-1}}$$



$\ln(x)$ HAS AN INVERSE FUNCTION! e^x

$$\text{LET } \text{EXP}(x) := \ln^{-1}(x)$$

TEMP. NAME FOR THE INVERSE OF NATURAL LOGARITHM FUNCTION.



$$\text{DOM}(\text{EXP}) = \text{RAN}(\ln) = (-\infty, \infty)$$

$$\text{RAN}(\text{EXP}) = \text{DOM}(\ln) = (0, \infty)$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\text{EXP}(x) > 0$$

$$\text{EXP}(0) = 1 \quad : \quad \ln(1) = 0$$

$$\text{EXP}(1) = e \quad : \quad \ln(e) = 1$$

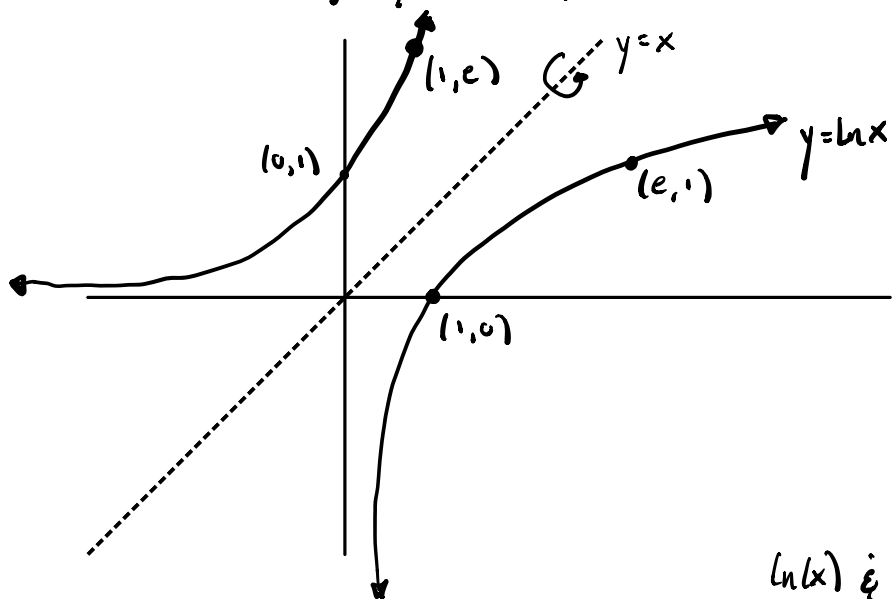
THM: $\ln^{-1}(x) = \text{EXP}(x) = e^x.$

PROOF: $\ln(e^x) = x \ln(e) = x$

$$\cancel{\text{EXP}(\ln(e^x))} = \text{EXP}(x) \quad \Rightarrow \quad \text{EXP}(x) = e^x$$

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Note: Both $\ln(x)$ & e^x ARE INCREASING FUNCTIONS.



IF $a < b$
 THEN $\ln(a) < \ln(b)$ ($a, b > 0$)
 AND $e^a < e^b$.

$\ln(x)$ & e^x PRESERVE ORDER.

ex. SOLVE THE INEQUALITY $5 < e^{4x-3} \leq 7$

$$\ln(5) < \ln(e^{4x-3}) \leq \ln(7)$$

$$\ln(5) < (4x-3) \underbrace{\ln(e)}_1 \leq \ln(7)$$

$$\frac{\ln(5)+3}{4} < 4x \leq \frac{\ln(7)+3}{4}$$

ex. FIND THE DOMAIN OF $f(x) = \sqrt{10 - e^{3x}}$, & FIND f^{-1} .

$$\text{Dom}(f) = \{x : 10 - e^{3x} \geq 0\}$$

$$10 \geq e^{3x}$$

$$\ln(10) \geq \ln(e^{3x}) = 3x$$

$$x \leq \frac{\ln(10)}{3} = \ln(10^{1/3}) = \ln(\sqrt[3]{10})$$

$$= (-\infty, \frac{1}{3} \ln(10)]$$

$$a < b$$

$$b > a$$

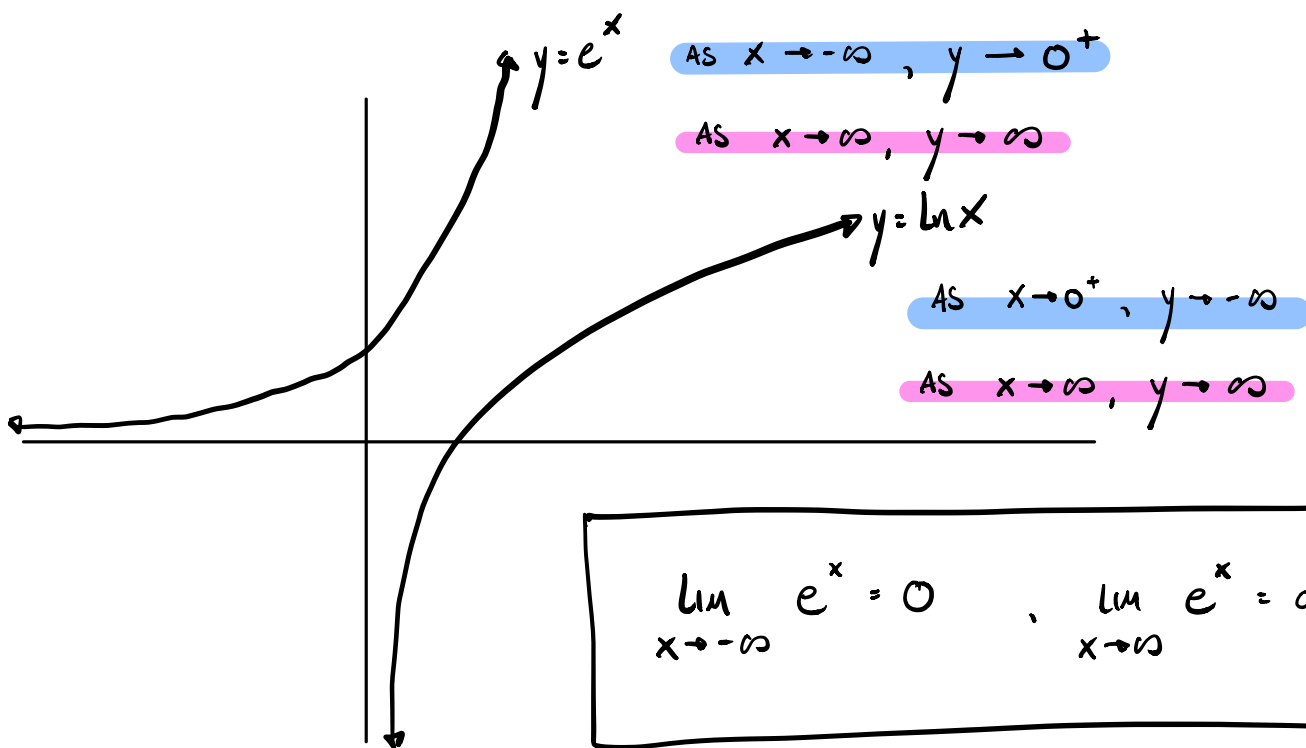
Let $y = f(x)$. Solve for x . Switch $x \leftrightarrow y$. $y = f^{-1}(x)$.

$$y = \sqrt{10 - e^{3x}} \Rightarrow y^2 = 10 - e^{3x}$$

$$e^{3x} = 10 - y^2 \Rightarrow 3x = \ln(10 - y^2)$$

$$x = \frac{1}{3} \ln(10 - y^2)$$

$$f^{-1}(x) = \frac{1}{3} \ln(10 - x^2)$$



ex. FIND THE LIMIT $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^{x^2} - e^{-x^2}}{e^{x^2} + e^{-x^2}}$ (IDEA $\approx \frac{e^{x^2} - 0}{e^{x^2} + 0} = 1?$)

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\cancel{e^{x^2}} (1 - e^{-2x^2})}{\cancel{e^{x^2}} (1 + e^{-2x^2})}$$

$$= \frac{\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (1 - e^{-2x^2})}{\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (1 + e^{-2x^2})}$$

$$\left(\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3x^3 + 1}{4x^3 - 2x} \right)$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\cancel{x^3} (3 + \frac{1}{x^3})}{\cancel{x^3} (4 - \frac{2}{x^2})} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$= \frac{1-0}{1+0} = \boxed{1} \quad e^{(x^y)}$$

$$(e^x)^y \neq e^{x^y}$$

LAWS OF EXPONENTS:

$$1. e^x e^y = e^{x+y}$$

$$2. \frac{e^x}{e^y} = e^{x-y}$$

$$3. (e^x)^y = e^{xy}$$

PROOF OF 3: $\ln((e^x)^y) = y \ln(e^x)$ Log rule 3
 $= yx$

$$e^{\ln((e^x)^y)} = e^{yx}$$

$$(e^x)^y = e^{xy}$$

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CALCULUS

$$\frac{d}{dx} e^x = e^x$$

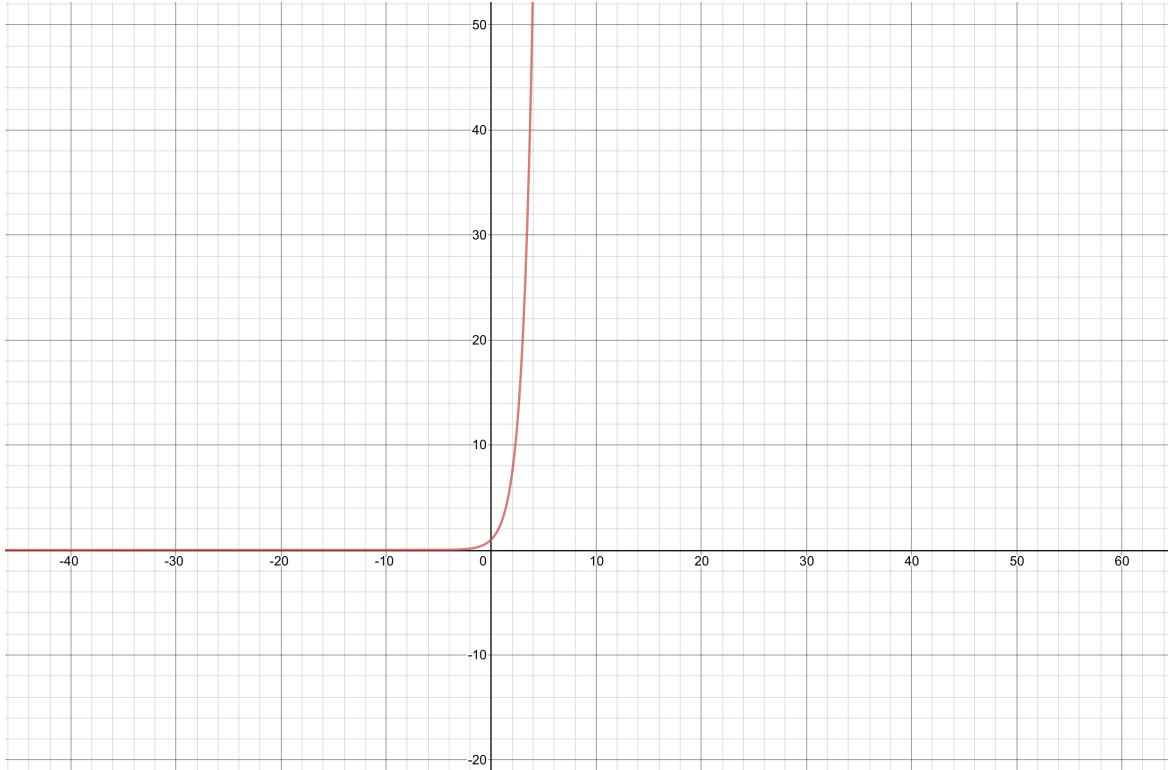
PROOF: Let $y = e^x$. FIND y' . EXPLICIT

$\ln y = x$ IMPLICIT

$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln y = \frac{d}{dx} x \Rightarrow \frac{d}{dy} \ln y \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} x$$

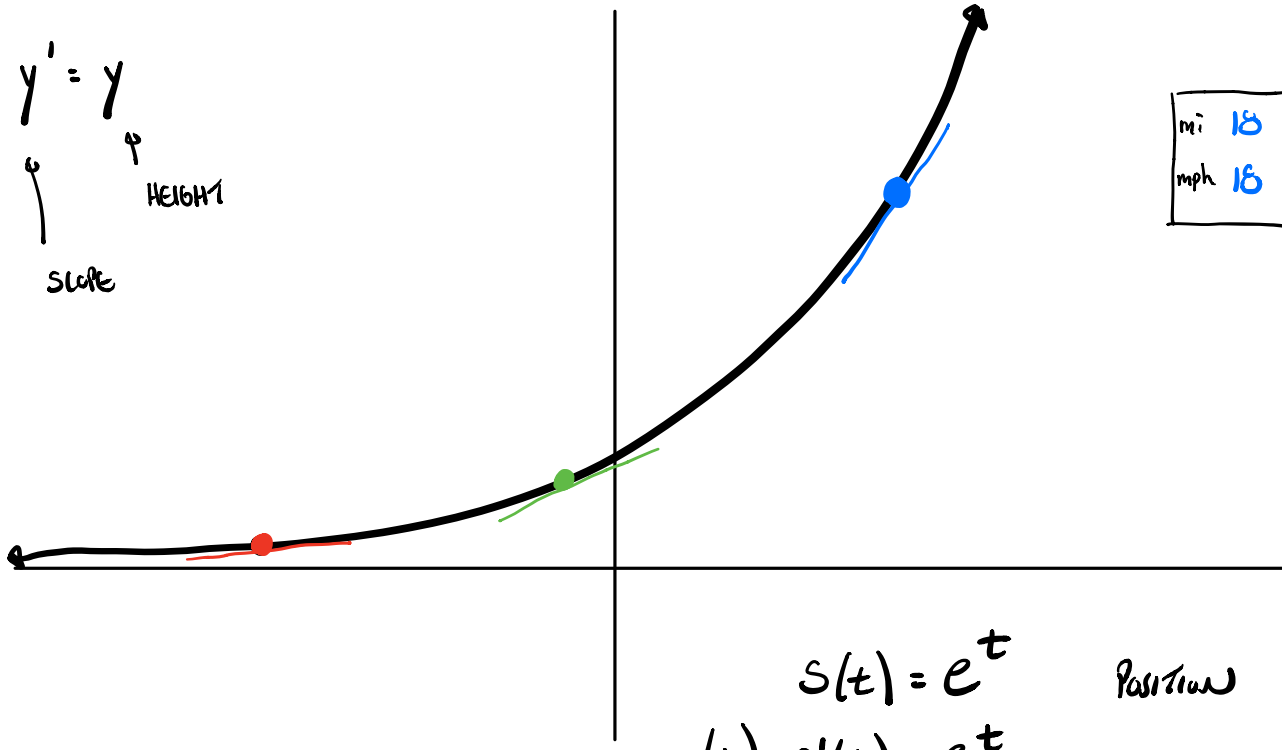
$$\frac{1}{y} y' = 1 \Rightarrow y' = y$$

$$y' = e^x \quad \square$$



$y' = y$
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 slope HEIGHT

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$s(t) = e^t$ POSITION ODOMETER
 $v(t) = s'(t) = e^t$ VELOCITY SPEEDOMETER

ex. DIFFERENTIATE $f(x) = x^2 e^{-1/x}$

$$f'(x) = 2x e^{-1/x} + x^2 \frac{d}{dx} [e^{-1/x}]$$

$$\text{let } u = -1/x = -x^{-1}$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = x^{-2}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [e^u] = \frac{d}{du} [e^u] \frac{du}{dx} = e^u x^{-2}$$

$$f'(x) = 2x e^{-1/x} + \cancel{x^2} e^{-1/x} \cancel{x^{-2}}$$

59. For what values of r does the function $y = e^{rx}$ satisfy the differential equation $y'' + 6y' + 8y = 0$?

DIFF. EQ.

$$y = e^{rx}$$

$$r^2 e^{rx} + 6r e^{rx} + 8e^{rx} = 0$$

SOLVE FOR
 r

$$y' = e^{rx} \frac{d}{dx} [rx] = r e^{rx}$$

$$e^{rx} (r^2 + 6r + 8) = 0$$

$$y'' = r^2 e^{rx}$$

$$e^{rx} (r+4)(r+2) = 0$$

$$e^{rx} \neq 0$$

$r = -4$	or	$r = -2$
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56. Find an equation of the tangent line to the curve $xe^y + ye^x = 1$ at the point $(0, 1)$.

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

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$$m = \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(0,1)}$$

IMPLICIT DIFF.

$$\frac{d}{dx} [xe^y + ye^x] = \frac{d}{dx} [1]$$

$$1e^y + xe^y \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{dy}{dx} e^x + ye^x = 0$$

$$xe^y \frac{dy}{dx} + e^x \frac{dy}{dx} = -ye^x - e^y$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} (xe^y + e^x) = -ye^x - e^y$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-ye^x - e^y}{xe^y + e^x} \rightarrow \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(0,1)} = \frac{-e^0 - e^1}{e^0}$$
$$= -1 - e$$

$y - 1 = (-1 - e)x$