

Let b , R , and S are positive real numbers with $b \neq 1$, and c any real number

- $\log_b(RS) = \log_b R + \log_b S$

- $\log_b\left(\frac{R}{S}\right) = \log_b R - \log_b S$

- $\log_b R^c = c \log_b R$

Assuming x , y and z are positive, use properties of logarithms to write the expression as a **single** logarithm

A) $\log x + \log 6$

$$\log 6x$$

B) $\ln x - \ln 6$

$$\ln \frac{x}{6}$$

C) $\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) \log x$
 $\log x^{1/4}$

D) $6 \log x - \frac{1}{2} \log y$

$$\log x^6 - \log y^{1/2}$$

$$\log \frac{x^6}{y^{1/2}} = \log \frac{x^6}{\sqrt{y}}$$

E) $5 \log(x^2 y) + 3 \log(y^2 z)$

$$\log(x^2 y)^5 + \log(y^2 z)^3$$

$$\log x^{10} y^5 + \log y^6 z^3$$

$$\log x^{10} y^5 y^6 z^3 \Rightarrow \log x^{10} y^{11} z^3$$

F) $\ln x^5 - 2 \ln(xy) = \ln x^5 - \ln(xy)^2$

$$\ln x^5 - \ln x^2 y^2$$

$$\ln \frac{x^5}{x^2 y^2}$$

$$\ln \frac{x^3}{y^2}$$