## Math 105 - Homework 10

Express the following numbers as powers of 10.

- 1. 10,000,000
- 2.  $\frac{1}{1000}$

- 3. 0.00001
- 4. 100 billion

Compute the following logarithms without a calculator.

- 5.  $\log_2(64)$
- 6.  $\log_5(5\cdot 5\cdot 5\cdot 5)$
- 7.  $\log_3\left(\frac{1}{81}\right)$  8.  $\ln\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{e}}\right)$

Solve the following without a calculator.

9. 
$$2^7 \cdot 2^n = \frac{1}{2^4}$$

10. 
$$(10^3)^m = 1,000,000$$

11. 
$$6^x = \frac{1}{36}$$

12. 
$$\frac{2^{10}}{2^x} = 4$$

13. 
$$4^{50} = 2^n$$

14. 
$$2^{-3} = 10^{-2}x$$

15. 
$$\log_4(x) = 2.5$$

16. 
$$\log_{10}(x) = -2$$

17. 
$$\log_x(36) = 2$$

Use the natural log function and its properties to find the solution. Do not use a calculator (it's okay if your answer is a formula as long as you have solved for x).

18. 
$$e^x = 4$$

19. 
$$(1.05)^x = 2$$

20. 
$$500(1.01)^x = 600$$

21. An investment with a 5% annual interest rate will grow by a factor of  $F = (1.05)^y$  where y is the time in years. Find the inverse of this function, i.e., find a function for the number of years y it will take for the investment to grow by a factor of F.