DIRECTIONS: Solve the following equations for the variable x.

**1.** 
$$\log_a x = \frac{3}{2} \log_a 9 + \log_a 2$$

**2.** 
$$\log_b(x^2 + 7) = \frac{2}{3}\log_b 64$$

**3.** 
$$\log_a(3x+5) - \log_a(x-5) = \log_a 8$$

**4.** 
$$\log_3(x+2) + \log_3 6 = 3$$

<u>DIRECTIONS</u>: Solve each equation. If needed, round to three decimal places.

**5.** 
$$5^t = 10$$

**6.** 
$$5.6^x = 56$$

7. 
$$12^{2x} = 1000$$

**8.** 
$$3.5^{2t} = 60$$

<u>DIRECTIONS</u>: Solve each equation *without* using a calculator or logarithms.

**9.** 
$$3^x = \sqrt[5]{9}$$

**10.** 
$$125^x = 25\sqrt{5}$$

<u>DIRECTIONS</u>: Solve each equation. If needed, round to three decimal places.

**11.** 
$$x^{2/3} = 50$$

**12.** 
$$\sqrt[3]{x^4} = 60$$

**13.** 
$$\frac{\sqrt[5]{x}}{9} = 7$$

**14.** 
$$(3y-1)^6 = 80$$