## 7-3 Skills Practice

## Logarithms and Logarithmic Functions

Write each equation in exponential form.

$$1.\log_3 243 = 5$$

**2.** 
$$\log_4 64 = 3$$

3. 
$$\log_9 3 = \frac{1}{2}$$

4. 
$$\log_5 \frac{1}{25} = -2$$

Write each equation in logarithmic form.

**5.** 
$$2^3 = 8$$

**6.** 
$$3^2 = 9$$

7. 
$$8^{-2} = \frac{1}{64}$$

$$8. \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{9}$$

Evaluate each expression.

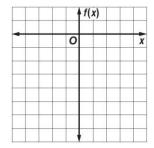
13. 
$$\log_4 \frac{1}{64}$$

14. 
$$\log_5 \frac{1}{625}$$

16. 
$$\log_{27} \frac{1}{3}$$

Graph each function.

**17.** 
$$f(x) = \log_3 (x + 1) - 4$$



**18.** 
$$f(x) = -\log_5 x + 2.5$$

