

Solutions

$$1. \quad 2^{5x-7} = 8$$

$$\begin{aligned} \log 2^{5x-7} &= \log 8 \\ (5x - 7) \cdot \log 2 &= \log 8 \quad | \div \log 2 \\ 5x - 7 &= \frac{\log 8}{\log 2} = 3 \\ 5x &= 10 \\ x &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

or more simple:

$$\begin{aligned} 2^{5x-7} &= 8 = 2^3 \\ 5x - 7 &= 3 \\ x &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$2. \quad 4^{6x-16} = 16$$

$$\begin{aligned} \log 4^{6x-16} &= \log 16 \\ (6x - 16) \cdot \log 4 &= \log 16 \quad | \div \log 4 \\ 6x - 16 &= 2 \\ x &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

or more simple:

$$\begin{aligned} 4^{6x-16} &= 16 = 4^2 \\ 6x - 16 &= 2 \\ x &= 3 \end{aligned}$$