

$$7 \cdot 2^{x+1} - 5 \cdot 2^{x-3} = 428$$

$$7 \cdot 2 \cdot 2^x - 5 \cdot \frac{1}{2^3} 2^x = 428$$

$$14 \cdot 2^x - \frac{5}{8} 2^x = 428$$

$$2^x \left(14 - \frac{5}{8}\right) = 428$$

$$2^x \cdot 13 \frac{3}{8} = 428$$

$$2^x \cdot \frac{107}{8} = 428$$

$$2^x = 428 \cdot \frac{8}{107}$$

$$2^x = 4 \cdot 8$$

$$2^x = 2^5 \quad x=5$$