

**exponential/linear review**

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1. The table below shows the average yearly balance in a savings account where interest is compounded annually. No money is deposited or withdrawn after the initial amount is deposited.

Year	Balance, in Dollars
0	380.00
10	380.00
20	562.49
30	1232.49
40	1824.39
50	2700.54

Which type of function best models the given data?

- A. linear function with a negative rate of change
- B. linear function with a positive rate of change
- C. exponential decay function
- D. exponential growth function

2. The value in dollars,  $v(x)$ , of a certain car after  $x$  years is represented by the equation  $v(x) = 25,000(0.86)^x$ . To the *nearest dollar*, how much more is the car worth after 2 years than after 3 years?

- A. 2589
- B. 6510
- C. 15,901
- D. 18,490

3. Which situation could be modeled by using a linear function?
- A. a bank account balance that grows at a rate of 5% per year, compounded annually
  - B. a population of bacteria that doubles every 4.5 hours
  - C. the cost of cell phone service that charges a base amount plus 20 cents per minute
  - D. the concentration of medicine in a person's body that decays by a factor of one-third every hour

4. Krystal was given \$3000 when she turned 2 years old. Her parents invested it at a 2% interest rate compounded annually. No deposits or withdrawals were made. Which expression can be used to determine how much money Krystal had in the account when she turned 18?

- A.  $3000(1 + 0.02)^{16}$
- B.  $3000(1 - 0.02)^{16}$
- C.  $3000(1 + 0.02)^{18}$
- D.  $3000(1 - 0.02)^{18}$

5. Some banks charge a fee on savings accounts that are left inactive for an extended period of time. The equation  $y = 5000(0.98)^x$  represents the value,  $y$ , of one account that was left inactive for a period of  $x$  years.

What is the  $y$ -intercept of this equation and what does it represent?

- A. 0.98, the percent of money in the account initially
- B. 0.98, the percent of money in the account after  $x$  years
- C. 5000, the amount of money in the account initially
- D. 5000, the amount of money in the account after  $x$  years

6. The tables below show the values of four different functions for given values of  $x$ .

$x$	$f(x)$
1	12
2	19
3	26
4	33

$x$	$g(x)$
1	-1
2	1
3	5
4	13

$x$	$h(x)$
1	9
2	12
3	17
4	24

$x$	$k(x)$
1	-2
2	4
3	14
4	28

Which table represents a linear function?

- A.  $f(x)$
- B.  $g(x)$
- C.  $h(x)$
- D.  $k(x)$

7. The table below represents the function  $F$ .

$x$	3	4	6	7	8
$F(x)$	9	17	65	129	257

The equation that represents this function is

- A.  $F(x) = 3^x$
- B.  $F(x) = 3x$
- C.  $F(x) = 2^x + 1$
- D.  $F(x) = 2x + 3$

8. The function  $V(t) = 1350(1.017)^t$  represents the value  $V(t)$ , in dollars, of a comic book  $t$  years after its purchase. The yearly rate of appreciation of the comic book is

- A. 17%
- B. 1.7%
- C. 1.017%
- D. 0.017%

9. A laboratory technician studied the population growth of a colony of bacteria. He recorded the number of bacteria every other day, as shown in the partial table below.

$t$ (time, in days)	0	2	4
$f(t)$ (bacteria)	25	15,625	9,765,625

Which function would accurately model the technician's data?

- A.  $f(t) = 25^t$                       B.  $f(t) = 25^{t+1}$   
 C.  $f(t) = 25t$                       D.  $f(t) = 25(t + 1)$

10. Which scenario represents exponential growth?

- A. A water tank is filled at a rate of 2 gallons/minute.  
 B. A vine grows 6 inches every week.  
 C. A species of fly doubles its population every month during the summer.  
 D. A car increases its distance from a garage as it travels at a constant speed of 25 miles per hour.

11. The equation  $A = 1300(1.02)^7$  is being used to calculate the amount of money in a savings account. What does 1.02 represent in this equation?

- A. 0.02% decay                      B. 0.02% growth  
 C. 2% decay                              D. 2% growth

12. A student invests \$500 for 3 years in a savings account that earns 4% interest per year. No further deposits or withdrawals are made during this time. Which statement does *not* yield the correct balance in the account at the end of 3 years?

- A.  $500(1.04)^3$   
 B.  $500(1 - .04)^3$   
 C.  $500(1 + .04)(1 + .04)(1 + .04)$   
 D.  $500 + 500(.04) + 520(.04) + 540.8(.04)$

13. The country of Benin in West Africa has a population of 9.05 million people. The population is growing at a rate of 3.1% each year. Which function can be used to find the population 7 years from now?

- A.  $f(t) = (9.05 \times 10^6)(1 - 0.31)^7$
- B.  $f(t) = (9.05 \times 10^6)(1 + 0.31)^7$
- C.  $f(t) = (9.05 \times 10^6)(1 + 0.031)^7$
- D.  $f(t) = (9.05 \times 10^6)(1 - 0.031)^7$

14. Milton has his money invested in a stock portfolio. The value,  $v(x)$ , of his portfolio can be modeled with the function  $v(x) = 30,000(0.78)^x$ , where  $x$  is the number of years since he made his investment. Which statement describes the rate of change of the value of his portfolio?

- A. It decreases 78% per year.
- B. It decreases 22% per year.
- C. It increases 78% per year.
- D. It increases 22% per year.

15. For a recently released movie, the function  $y = 119.67(0.61)^x$  models the revenue earned,  $y$ , in millions of dollars each week,  $x$ , for several weeks after its release.

Based on the equation, how much more money, in millions of dollars, was earned in revenue for week 3 than for week 5?

- A. 37.27
- B. 27.16
- C. 17.06
- D. 10.11

16. The range of the function defined as  $y = 5^x$  is

- A.  $y < 0$
- B.  $y > 0$
- C.  $y \leq 0$
- D.  $y \geq 0$

17. The growth of a certain organism can be modeled by  $C(t) = 10(1.029)^{24t}$ , where  $C(t)$  is the total number of cells after  $t$  hours. Which function is approximately equivalent to  $C(t)$ ?

- A.  $C(t) = 240(.083)^{24t}$
- B.  $C(t) = 10(.083)^t$
- C.  $C(t) = 10(1.986)^t$
- D.  $C(t) = 240(1.986)^{\frac{t}{24}}$

18. Dylan invested \$600 in a savings account at a 1.6% annual interest rate. He made no deposits or withdrawals on the account for 2 years. The interest was compounded annually. Find, to the nearest cent, the balance in the account after 2 years.

19. Rhonda deposited \$3000 in an account in the Merrick National Bank, earning 4.2% interest, compounded annually. She made no deposits or withdrawals. Write an equation that can be used to find  $B$ , her account balance after  $t$  years.

20. The function,  $t(x)$ , is shown in the table below.

$x$	$t(x)$
-3	10
-1	7.5
1	5
3	2.5
5	0

Determine whether  $t(x)$  is linear or exponential. Explain your answer.

21. The breakdown of a sample of a chemical compound is represented by the function  $p(t) = 300(0.5)^t$ , where  $p(t)$  represents the number of milligrams of the substance and  $t$  represents the time, in years. In the function  $p(t)$ , explain what 0.5 and 300 represent.

22. Tanya is making homemade greeting cards. The data table below represents the amount she spends in dollars,  $f(x)$ , in terms of the number of cards she makes,  $x$ .

$x$	$f(x)$
4	7.50
6	9
9	11.25
10	12

Write a linear function,  $f(x)$ , that represents the data.

Explain what the slope and  $y$ -intercept of  $f(x)$  mean in the given context.

23. The number of carbon atoms in a fossil is given by the function  $y = 5100(0.95)^x$ , where  $x$  represents the number of years since being discovered.

What is the percent of change each year? Explain how you arrived at your answer.