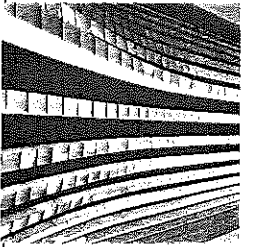


Linear, Exponential or Neither?

A Solidify Understanding Task

For each representation of a function, decide if the function is linear, exponential, or neither. Give at least 2 reasons for your answer.



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Ready, Set, Go!

Ready

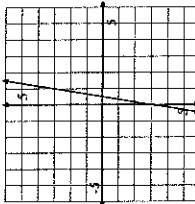
Topic: Comparing rates of change in both linear and exponential situations.

Identify whether situation "a" or situation "b" has the greater rate of change.

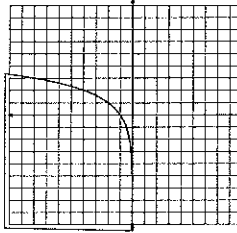
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x	y
-10	-48
-9	-43
-8	-38
-7	-33

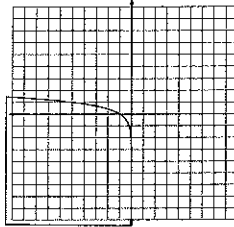
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2. a.



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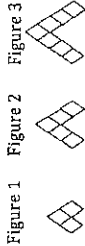
3. a. Lee has \$25 withheld each week from his salary to pay for his subway pass.

b. Jose owes his brother \$50. He has promised to pay half of what he owes each week until the debt is paid.

4. a.

x	6	10	14	18
y	13	15	17	19

b. The number of rhombi in each shape.



5. a. $y = 2(5)^x$

b. In the children's book, *The Magic Pot*, every time you put one object into the pot, two of the same object come out. Imagine that you have 5 magic pots.

Set

Topic: Recognizing linear and exponential functions.

For each representation of a function, decide if the function is linear, exponential, or neither.

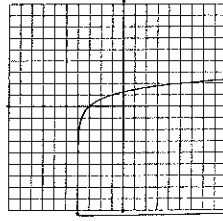
6. The population of a town is decreasing at a rate of 1.5% per year.

7. Joan earns a salary of \$30,000 per year plus a 4.25% commission on sales.

8. $3x + 4y = -3$

9. The number of gifts received each day of "The 12 Days of Christmas" as a function of the day. ("On the 4th day of Christmas my true love gave to me, 4 calling birds, 3 French hens, 2 turtledoves, and a partridge in a pear tree.")

10.



11.

Side of a square	Area of a square
1 inch	1 in ²
2 inches	4 in ²
3 inches	9 in ²
4 inches	16 in ²