

Warm-Up:

Write each expression as a single natural logarithm.

1. $4 \ln 3$

$\ln 3^4$

3. $\ln 3 + \ln 4$

$\ln 12$

2. $\ln 18 - \ln 10$

$\ln \frac{18}{10} = \ln \frac{9}{5}$

4. $-2 \ln 2$

$\ln 2^{-2}$

Solve each equation.

5. $\ln 5x = 4$
 $e^{\ln 5x} = e^4$
 $5x = 54.6$
 $x = 10.9$

7. $2 \ln x = 4$
 $\ln x = 2$
 $x = 7.4$

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6. $\ln(x - 7) = 2$
 $e^{\ln(x-7)} = e^2$
 $x - 7 = 7.4$
 $x = 14.4$

8. $\ln(2 - x) = 1$
 $e^{\ln(2-x)} = e^1$
 $2 - x = 2.7$
 $-x = .7$
 $x = -.7$

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Objective: Model exponential situations

Agenda:

- Warm-Up
- Modeling Exponential Situations Notes
- Exponential Growth And Decay Notes
- M&M Lab
- Closure

Today's HW:

Sleep

Graphing Exponential Functions

**Make a table of values

**Draw these points on the graph

**Connect point to make a smooth curve

**Determine the domain and range based on the x-values and y-values you see on the graph

Exponential Growth: base of an exponential growth function is greater than 1

$$x > 1$$

Exponential Decay: base of an exponential decay function is $0 < x < 1$

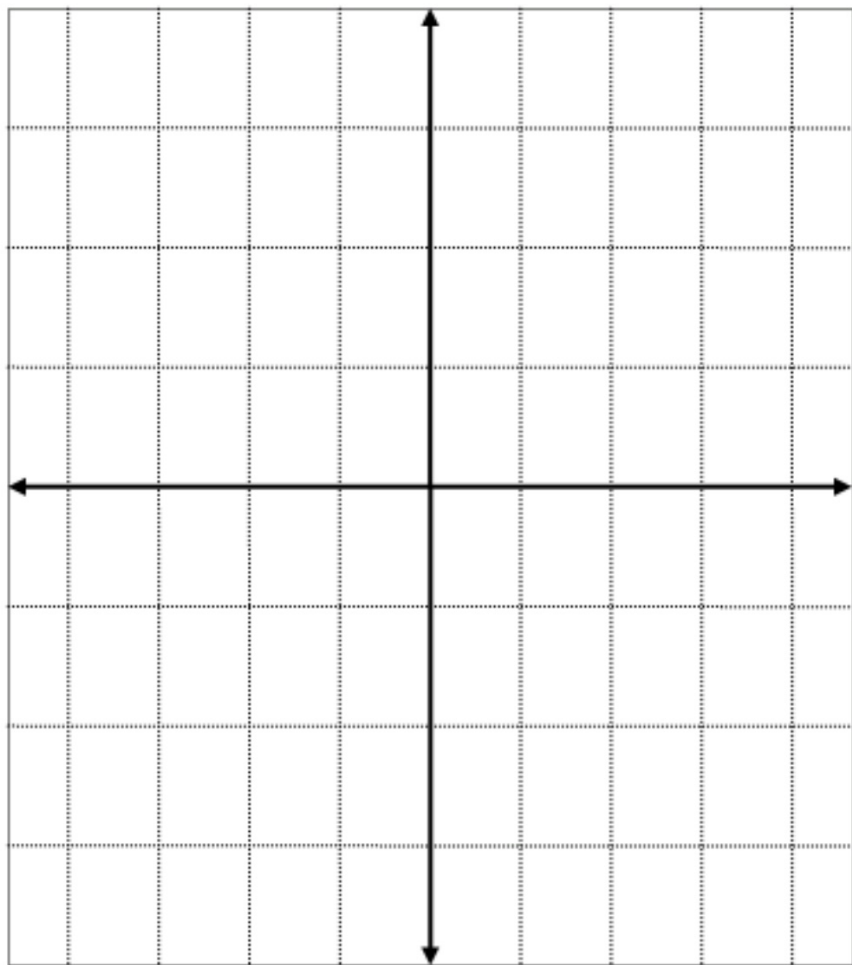
in between 0 and 1

x	$y = 4^x$

Domain: always

Range: either

or



Are these functions examples of exponential growth or decay?

Example 1: $y = (0.7)^x$

decay

Example 2: $y = \frac{1}{2}(3)^x$

growth

Example 3: $y = 10\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)^x$

growth

Find the corresponding growth or decay factor for each annual rate of change.

Growth: $1 + r$ (in decimal form)

Decay: $1 - r$ (in decimal form)

Example 4: -55% **Example 5:** -0.1%

Example 6: +500% **Example 7:** +100%

eliminated

Exponential Decay: $y = a(1 - r)^t$

depreciated

y = final amount

decreases

a = initial amount

r = rate (change from a percent to decimal)

t = time

$$\underline{10\%} = .1$$

$$\underline{2.5\%} = .025$$

Example 8: A cup of coffee contains 130 milligrams of caffeine. If caffeine is eliminated from the body at a rate of 11% per hour, how long will it take for half of this caffeine to be eliminated from a person's body?

$$y = a(1-r)^t$$

$$a = 130$$

$$y = \frac{130}{2} = 65$$

$$r = 11\% = .11$$

$$t = ?$$

$$65 = 130(1-.11)^t$$

$$\frac{65}{130} = \frac{130(.89)^t}{130}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = .89^t$$

$$.5 = .89^t$$

$$\log .5 = t \log .89 \text{ (t)}$$

$$\frac{\log .5}{\log .89} = \frac{t \log .89}{\log .89}$$

$$5.9 \text{ hours} = t$$

Example 9: A computer system depreciates at an average rate of 4% per month. If the value of the computer system was originally \$12,000, in how many months is it worth \$7,350?

$$y = a(1-r)^t$$

$$a = 12,000$$

$$y = 7,350$$

$$r = 4\% = .04$$

$$t =$$

$$7350 = 12000(1-.04)^t$$

$$\frac{7350}{12000} = \frac{12000(.96)^t}{12000}$$

$$.6125 = .96^t$$

$$\log .6125 = \log .96^t$$

$$\frac{\log .6125}{\log .96} = \frac{t \log .96}{\log .96}$$

$$t = 12 \text{ months}$$

*increases
grows*

Exponential Growth: $y = a(1 + r)^t$

y = final amount

a = initial amount

r = rate (change from a percent to decimal)

t = time

Example 10: The population of a city of one million is increasing at a rate of 3% per year. If the population continues to grow at this rate, in how many years will the population have doubled?

$$y = a(1+r)^t$$

$$y = 2,000,000$$

$$\frac{2,000,000}{1,000,000} = \frac{1,000,000(1.03)^t}{1,000,000}$$

$$a = 1,000,000$$

$$r = .03$$

$$t = ?$$

$$2 = 1.03^t$$
$$\log 2 = \log 1.03^t$$

$$\frac{\log 2}{\log 1.03} = \frac{t \cdot \log 1.03}{\log 1.03}$$

$$t = 23.4 \text{ years}$$

Example 11: In 1910, the population of a city was 120,000. Since then, the population has increased by exactly 1.5% per year. If the population continues to grow at this rate, what will the population be in 2010?

$$y = a(1+r)^t \quad \text{pemas}$$

$$a = 120,000$$

$$r = .015$$

$$y = ?$$

$$t = 100$$

$$y = 120,000 (1.015)^{100} = 120,000 \cdot 4.4$$

$$y = 531,845.48$$

Exponential Regression Models

Use all of the same steps for Quadratic Regression and Linear Regression, but choose 0: ExpReg instead!

Example 12: The table shows the number of squirrels in a particular forest t years after a forest fire.

Number of Squirrels

Years	Squirrels
0	30
1	60
2	120
3	240
4	480
5	960

$$y = 30(2)^x$$

Find the exponential model of best fit for this data.

Predict the number of squirrels after 8 years.

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Example 13: The table shows the number of bacteria cells present after x hours.

Time in Hours, x	0	1	2	3	4	5
Number of Cells, N	50	71	100	141	200	283

Find the exponential model of best fit for this data.

Predict the number of cells after 7 hours.

M&M Growth And Decay Lab

Closure