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### Learning Goal 12 – Exponential Functions Review

I understand specific terminology such as Exponential Growth/Exponential Decay, Multiplier, Growth Factor, Exponent, Exponential Equation

1. Determine if the following patterns are exponential, linear, or other and show the pattern

a.

X	Y
0	1.5
1	4.5
2	13.5
3	40.5

$\frac{4.5}{1.5} = 3$   
 $\frac{13.5}{4.5} = 3$

Type: exponential growth  
 Pattern:  $\times 3$

b.

X	Y
0	24
1	18
2	12
3	6

Type: linear  
 Pattern:  $-6$

c.

X	Y
-1	10
0	8
1	6.4
2	5.12
3	4.096

Type: exponential decay  
 Pattern:  $\times 0.8$

d.

X	Y
0	1
1	2
2	4
3	9
4	16

not  $\times 2$

Type: Other  
 Pattern: \_\_\_\_\_

e.

X	Y
-1	1.25
0	1.5
1	1.75
2	2
3	2.25

Type: linear  
 Pattern:  $+0.25$

I can identify the initial value and calculate the multiplier from an equation, table, or graph.

I know what kind of multiplier causes growth or decay.

2. Determine the initial value, the factor, and if the equation is growth or decay from the equation

a.  $y = 3\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^x$   
 Growth or Decay: decay

(starting) Initial value = 3  
 (multiplier) Factor =  $\frac{2}{5}$

b.  $y = 2.5(6)^x$   
 Growth or Decay: growth

Initial value = 2.5  
 Factor = 6

c.  $y = 256(0.82)^x$   
 Growth or Decay: decay

Initial value = 256  
 Factor = 0.82

3. Determine the initial value, the factor, and if the equation is growth or decay from the table

a.

X	Y
0	6
1	18
2	54
3	162
4	486

Growth or Decay: growth  
 Initial value = 6  
 Factor = 3

b.

X	Y
0	4
1	6
2	9
3	13.5
4	20.25

Growth or Decay: growth  
 Initial value = 4  
 Factor =  $\frac{3}{2}$

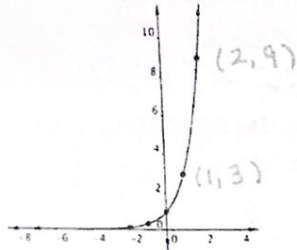
c.

X	Y
-1	50
0	10
1	2
2	0.4
3	0.08

Growth or Decay: decay  
 Initial value = 10  
 Factor =  $\frac{1}{5}$

Determine the initial value, the factor, and if the equation is growth or decay from the graph

a.

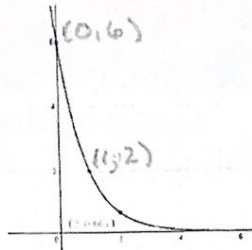


Growth or Decay: growth

Initial value = 1

Factor = 3

b.

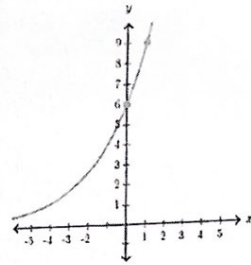


Growth or Decay: decay

Initial value = 6

Factor = 1/3

c.



Growth or Decay: growth

Initial value = 6

Factor = 3/2      $\frac{9}{6} = \frac{3}{2}$

I can create an exponential equation given a graph, a table, or a situation and use it to solve a real world problem.

4. Write an exponential equation for the graphs above

a.

$$f(x) = 1 \cdot 3^x$$

$$f(x) = 3^x$$

b.

$$f(x) = 6\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^x$$

c.

$$f(x) = 6\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^x$$

5. Write an exponential equation for the table and complete the missing values

a.

X	Y
0	36
1	6
2	1
3	$\frac{1}{6}$
4	$\frac{1}{36}$

$$\frac{6}{36} = \frac{1}{6}$$

Initial value = 36

Factor = 1/6

Equation:  $f(x) = 36\left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^x$

b.

X	Y
0	1.5
1	3
2	6
3	12
4	24

Initial value = 1.5

Factor = 2

Equation:  $f(x) = 1.5(2)^x$

c.

X	Y
-1	12
0	14.4
1	17.28
2	20.736
3	24.8832

Initial value = 14.4

Factor = 1.2

Equation:  $f(x) = 14.4(1.2)^x$

d.

X	Y
0	7/3
1	7
2	21
3	63
4	189

Initial value = 7/3

Factor = 3

Equation:  $f(x) = \frac{7}{3}(3)^x$

6. Write an exponential equation for the situations and answer the questions

a. A new car initially costs \$22,000. The value of the car goes down 4.5% each year.

i. Write an equation for the value of the car

$$a = 22,000$$

$$r = 0.045 \quad b = 1 - 0.045 = 0.955$$

$$f(x) = 22000(0.955)^x$$

ii. How much will the car be worth in 5 years?

$$f(5) = 22000(0.955)^5$$

$$f(5) = \$17,475.90$$

b. Jen gets a loan from the bank for \$12,000. The loan grows at a rate of 5.2% per month from interest.

i. Write an equation for the money owed on the loan

$$a = 12000 \quad r = 0.052 \quad b = 1 + 0.052 = 1.052$$

$$f(x) = 12000(1.052)^x \leftarrow \text{months}$$

ii. How much will Jen owe on the loan in 2 years?

$$f(2) = 12000(1.052)^{24} \leftarrow \begin{matrix} 12 \text{ months per yr} \\ 24 \text{ months} \end{matrix}$$

$$= \$40,509.70$$

c. A doctor finds a tumor in a patient. The table below shows the size of the tumor each week

i. Write an equation for the tumor growth

$$b = \frac{25.11}{55.80} = 0.45$$

$$a = \frac{55.8}{0.45} = 124$$

$$f(x) = 124(0.45)^x$$

X (weeks)	Y (tumor size in micrometers)
0	124
1	55.8
2	25.11
3	11.299
4	5.085

ii. How big will the tumor be in 6 weeks?

$$f(6) = 124(0.45)^6$$

$$\approx 1.03 \text{ micrometers}$$

7. Determine if each sequence is arithmetic, geometric, or neither + why.

a. 2, 6, 16, 18, 30, ...

$$\begin{matrix} \uparrow & \uparrow \\ +4 & +10 \end{matrix}$$

\* not a common difference

$$\frac{6}{2} = 3 \quad \frac{16}{6} = \frac{8}{3} \text{ not a common ratio}$$

b. -4, -7, -10, -13, ...

arithmetic

The common difference is -3

c. -2, 0, 2, 6, 14, ...

$$\begin{matrix} \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow \\ +2 & +2 & +4 \end{matrix}$$

not common difference

no common ratio

$$\frac{0}{-2} = 3 \quad \frac{2}{0} = \frac{7}{3}$$

8. Determine the common ratio and the next three terms for each geometric sequence

a. .375, 3, 24, 192, 1536, 12288, ...

$$\begin{matrix} \uparrow & \uparrow \\ \times 8 & \times 8 \end{matrix}$$

common ratio: 8

$$a_n = 0.375(8)^{n-1}$$

$$\frac{3}{0.375} = 8$$

$$\frac{24}{3} = 8$$

b. 7, -14, 28, -56, 112, -224, 448, ...

$$\begin{matrix} \uparrow & \uparrow \\ \times -2 & \times -2 \end{matrix}$$

common ratio: -2

$$a_n = 7(-2)^{n-1}$$

c. 1024, 128, 16, 2, ...

$$\frac{128}{1024} = \frac{1}{8}$$

$$\frac{2}{16} = \frac{1}{8}$$

$$a_n = 1024\left(\frac{1}{8}\right)^{n-1}$$

Write the equation