

# Algebra 1 Bellwork Thursday, April 7, 2016

1. Use each percent change to find the base of an exponential equation.

a) 19.8% increase.  $b =$

b) 7.043% decrease.  $b =$

2. State the percent change each exponential equation represents and whether it's an increase or a decrease.

a)  $y = 418(0.6075)^x$

b)  $y = 9000(1.4302)^x$

% change =

% change =

inc or dec?

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3. Does each exponential equation represent Growth or Decay?

a)  $y = 10,000(0.9937)^x$

b)  $y = 23\left(\frac{42}{39}\right)^{-x}$

c)  $y = 757(1.3000042)^x$

4. The value of a business has been decreasing 2.9% each year. The value in 2009 was \$2,500,000.

a) Find the value of the business in 2016.

b) Find the value of the business in 2000.

5. When a couple's first child is born they invest \$10,000 in an account that pays 8% interest annually. How much will be in the account when the child turns 18 years old?

1. Use each percent change to find the base of an exponential equation.

a) 19.8% increase.  $b = 1.198$

$$100 + 19.8 = 119.8\% \rightarrow 1.198$$

b) 30.43% increase.  $b = 0.9295$

7.043% decrease

$$100 - 7.043 = 92.957\%$$

2. State the percent change each exponential equation represents and whether it's an increase or a decrease.

a)  $y = 418(0.6075)^x$

% change =

39.25%

inc or dec?

DEC

$$\begin{array}{r} .6075 \\ \times 100 \\ \hline 60.75 \\ - 100 \\ \hline -39.25 \end{array}$$

b)  $y = 9000(1.4302)^x$

% change = 43.02%

inc or dec? INC

$$\begin{array}{r} 1.4302 \\ \times 100 \\ \hline 143.02 \\ - 100 \\ \hline 43.02 \end{array}$$

3. Does each exponential equation represent Growth or Decay?

a)  $y = 10,000(0.9937)^x$

$0 < b < 1$

DECAY

b)  $y = 23\left(\frac{42}{39}\right)^x$

DECAY

$\left(\frac{39}{42}\right)^x$

$0 < b < 1$

c)  $y = 757(1.3000042)^x$

$b > 1$

Growth

4. The value of a business has been decreasing 2.9% each year. The value in 2009 was \$2,500,000.

a) Find the value of the business in 2016.

base:  $b = 100 - 2.9 = 97.1\%$   
 $b = .971$

$$y = 2,500,000(.971)^x$$

$$x = 2016 - 2009 = 7$$

$$y = 2,500,000(.971)^7$$

\$2,034,579.28

b) Find the value of the business in 2000.

$$x = 2000 - 2009 = -9$$

$$y = 2,500,000(.971)^{-9}$$

\$3,258,118.98

5. When a couple's first child is born they invest \$10,000 in an account that pays 8% interest annually. How much will be in the account when the child turns 18 years old?

base:  $100 + 8 = 108\%$   
 $b = 1.08$

$$y = 10,000(1.08)^x$$

$$x = 18$$

$$y = 10,000(1.08)^{18}$$

\$39,960.19