

## HW41: Exponential Decay

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**Use the scenario to answer the questions.****You purchase a new car for \$35,000. The car depreciates by 20% per year.**

- 1) Write a function,  $V$ , that represents the value of the car after  $t$  years.
- 2) What is the value of the car after 10 years? Round to the nearest dollar.
- 3) After how many years is the car worth \$5000?
- 4) One of the points generated by this function is  $(11, 3006)$ . What does this point represent in the context of the scenario?

**Once we drink caffeine, the amount in our system decreases by 11% per hour.**

- 5) Write a function that models the levels of caffeine in your system if you drink a beverage that has 120mg of caffeine.
- 6) Approximately how much caffeine remains in your system after 3 hours? (Use the function created above)
- 7) After how many hours is there approximately 75mg of caffeine in your system? (Use the function created above)
- 8) What does the point  $(1, 106.8)$  represent in this scenario?

**A hive of bees originally had 30,000 bees. The population began to decrease by 8% per month.**

- 9) Write a function that describes the bee population after  $m$  months.
- 10) How many bees remain after 10 months?
- 11) A healthy bee hive will have at least 10,000 bees. How many months does it take for the hive to reach this level?
- 12) What does the point  $(8, 15397)$  represent in this scenario?

**Determine whether the function represents exponential growth or exponential decay**

13)  $f(x) = 5 \cdot 0.4^x$

14)  $f(x) = 1000 \cdot 5^x$

15)  $f(x) = -7 \cdot 1.07^x$

16)  $f(x) = \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^x$

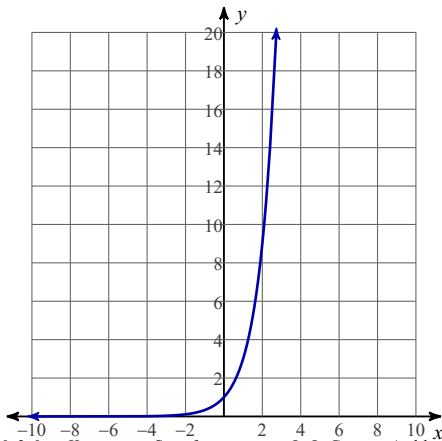
17)  $f(x) = \left(\frac{5}{8}\right)^x$

18)  $f(x) = 0.035^x$

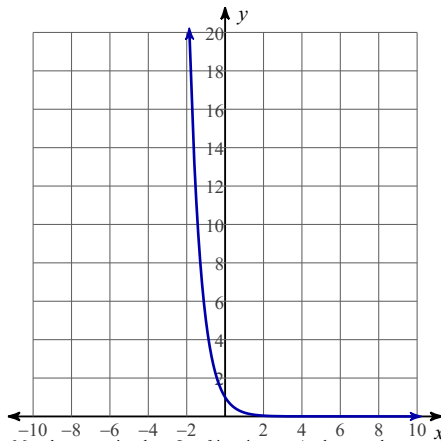
19)  $f(x) = \left(\frac{16}{3}\right)^x$

20)  $f(x) = 150005 \cdot 1.03^x$

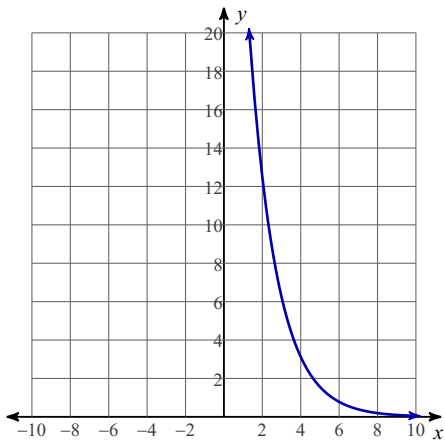
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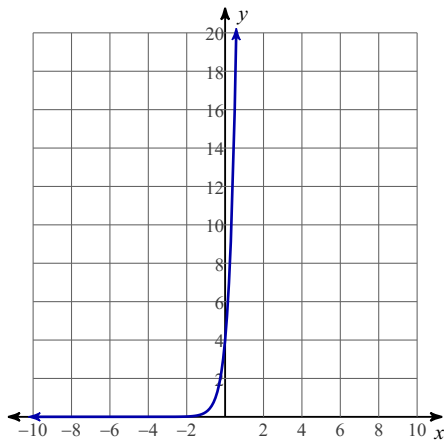
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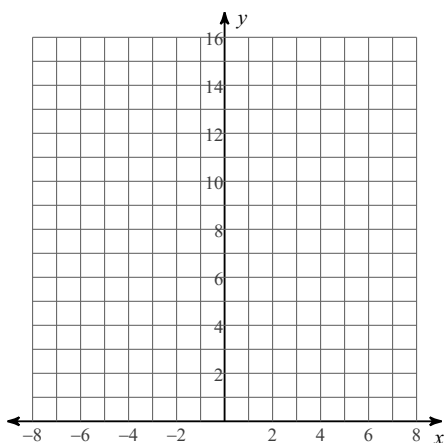


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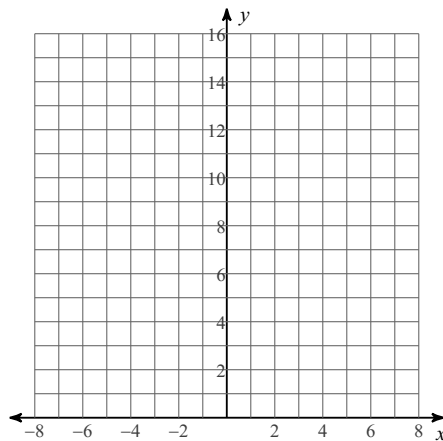


**Identify the domain, the range, and the horizontal asymptote of the exponential decay function. Then create a table and graph the function. Table should be on a separate piece of paper.**

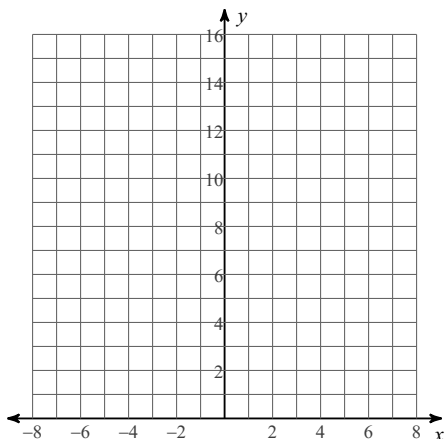
25)  $f(x) = 2 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x$



26)  $f(x) = 0.3^x$



27)  $f(x) = 5 \cdot 0.8^x$



28)  $f(x) = 4 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^x + 3$

