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1. The number of frogs in a pond doubles every seven months. The pond started with 5 frogs. What will the population of frogs be in four years?

2 (a) $y = 5\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\frac{x}{7 \text{ months}}}$

2 (b) $y = 5\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\frac{48}{7}}$

1 y = 579.7 frogs

2. Paola has \$372 in her Thundermans piggy bank. She saves \$18 per week and puts it into the piggy bank. How many weeks until she has saved \$606?

2 (a) $y = 18x + 372$

2 (b)
$$\begin{array}{r} 606 = 18x + 372 \\ - 372 \quad - 372 \\ \hline 234 \end{array}$$

1
$$\begin{array}{r} 234 = 18x \\ \overline{18} \quad \overline{18} \end{array}$$

1 13 = x
13 weeks

80

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3. The mice population in Hall County is currently 450,000 and is decreasing by 18% per year. What will the population be in 18.74 years?

(a) $y = 450000 (1 - .18)^{\frac{x}{1}}$

(b) $y = 450000 (.82)^{18.74}$

10,916.5 mice

4. Ryan owes \$500 and pays it back \$35 per month. How much does he owe after 14 months?

(a) $y = -35x + 500$

(b) $y = -35(14) + 500$
 $y = -490 + 500$
 $y = 10$
\$10

BONUS: Mrs. Martin deposited \$950 into an account paying 8.75% compounded quarterly. How much is in her account after 7 years?

$950 \left(1 + \frac{.0875}{4}\right)^{\frac{84}{3 \text{ months}}}$

\$1741.25

$\frac{12}{7} = 84$

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1. The number of frogs in a pond triples every seven months. The pond started with 4 frogs. What will the population of frogs be in four years?

a) $y = 4(3)^{\frac{x}{7 \text{ months}}}$

b) $y = 4(3)^{\frac{48}{7}}$

= 7477 frogs after 4 years

12
4
48

2. Paola has \$382 in her Thundermans piggy bank. She saves \$19 per week and puts it into the piggy bank. How many weeks until she has saved \$610?

a) $y = 19x + 382$

b)
$$\begin{array}{r} 610 = 19x + 382 \\ - 382 \quad - 382 \\ \hline 228 = 19x \end{array}$$

$$\frac{228}{19} = \frac{19x}{19}$$

12 = x twelve weeks

Useful formulas: $y = mx + b$; $y = a(b)^{\frac{x}{t}}$; $y = a(1 \pm r)^{\frac{x}{t}}$; $y = a\left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{\frac{x}{t}}$

3. The mice population in Hall County is currently 250,000 and is decreasing by 8% per year. What will the population be in 12.74 years?

$$(a) \quad y = 250\,000(1 - .08)^{\frac{x}{t}}$$

$$(b) \quad y = 250\,000(.92)^{12.74}$$

52399 mice

4. Ryan owes \$500 and pays it back \$18 per month. How much does he owe after 14 months?

$$(a) \quad y = -18x + 500$$

$$(b) \quad y = -18(14) + 500$$

$$y = -252 + 500$$

$y = 248$ owes 248

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12
7
84