

1. For the scenario below, find the variation constant k of the model (if possible).

In an alternative galaxy, the cube of the time, T (Earth years), required for a planet to orbit Sun χ increases as the cube of the distance, d (AUs), that the planet is from Sun χ increases. For example, when Ea's average distance from Sun χ is 10, it takes 83 Earth days to complete an orbit.

- A. $k = 571787000.000$
 - B. $k = 571.787$
 - C. $k = 4.028$
 - D. $k = 2.025$
 - E. Unable to compute the constant based on the information given.
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2. For the scenario below, find the variation constant k of the model (if possible).

In an alternative galaxy, the quartic of the time, T (Earth years), required for a planet to orbit Sun χ increases as the quartic of the distance, d (AUs), that the planet is from Sun χ increases. For example, when Ea's average distance from Sun χ is 4, it takes 87 Earth days to complete an orbit.

- A. $k = 4.028$
 - B. $k = 2.160$
 - C. $k = 223788.129$
 - D. $k = 14666178816.000$
 - E. Unable to compute the constant based on the information given.
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3. Choose the model type that would best describe the scenario below.

Big O notation is common in computer science to describe how fast a program can solve a particular problem. Big O notation categorizes

functions according to their growth rates, the same way we have categorized modeling real-world problems by certain types of functions. When analyzing a particular program, a student found the computer to need x^x time to complete, where x was the number of inputs into the program.

- A. Joint variation
- B. Indirect variation
- C. Direct variation
- D. None of the above

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4. A town has an initial population of 20000. The town's population for the next 10 years is provided below. Which type of function would be most appropriate to model the town's population?

Year	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Pop.	20046	20086	20126	20166	20206	20246	20286	20326	20366

- A. Logarithmic
- B. Linear
- C. Exponential
- D. Non-Linear Power
- E. None of the above

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5. A town has an initial population of 50000. The town's population for the next 10 years is provided below. Which type of function would be most appropriate to model the town's population?

Year	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Pop.	50000	49979	49967	49958	49951	49946	49941	49937	49934

- A. Linear
- B. Exponential
- C. Logarithmic

- D. Non-Linear Power
 - E. None of the above
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6. Choose the model type that would best describe the scenario below.

Social distancing is a common tactic to counter potential epidemics. This is due to the exponential increase in number of people infected as the density of people living in an area increases.

- A. Indirect variation
 - B. Direct variation
 - C. Joint variation
 - D. None of the above
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7. For the scenario below, model the rate of vibration (cm/s) of the string in terms of the length of the string. Then determine the variation constant k of the model (if possible). The constant should be in terms of cm and s.

The rate of vibration of a string under constant tension varies based on the type of string and the length of the string. The rate of vibration of string ω decreases as the quartic length of the string increases. For example, when string ω is 3 mm long, the rate of vibration is 32 cm/s.

- A. $k = 3950.62$
 - B. $k = 2592.00$
 - C. $k = 0.26$
 - D. $k = 0.40$
 - E. None of the above.
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8. For the scenario below, use the model for the volume of a cylinder as $V = \pi r^2 h$ to find the coefficient for the model of the new volume $V_{extnew} = kr^2 h$.

Pepsi wants to increase the volume of soda in their cans. They've decided to increase the radius by 17 percent and decrease the height by 12 percent. They want to model the new volume based on the radius and height of the original cans.

- A. $k = 0.00347$
- B. $k = 3.78446$
- C. $k = 0.01090$
- D. $k = 1.20463$
- E. None of the above.

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9. For the scenario below, use the model for the volume of a cylinder as $V = \pi r^2 h$ to find the coefficient for the model of the new volume $V_{extnew} = kr^2 h$.

Pepsi wants to increase the volume of soda in their cans. They've decided to decrease the radius by 19 percent and decrease the height by 17 percent. They want to model the new volume based on the radius and height of the original cans.

- A. $k = 1.71080$
- B. $k = 0.54456$
- C. $k = 0.01928$
- D. $k = 0.00614$
- E. None of the above.

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10. For the scenario below, model the rate of vibration (cm/s) of the string in terms of the length of the string. Then determine the variation constant k of the model (if possible). The constant should be in terms of cm and s.

The rate of vibration of a string under constant tension varies based on the type of string and the length of the string. The rate of vibration

of string ω increases as the cube length of the string decreases. For example, when string ω is 5 mm long, the rate of vibration is 24 cm/s.

- A. $k = 3.00$
 - B. $k = 192.00$
 - C. $k = 3000.00$
 - D. $k = 0.19$
 - E. None of the above.
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