

5.3 Classwork: Exponential function bases

I can calculate simple interest

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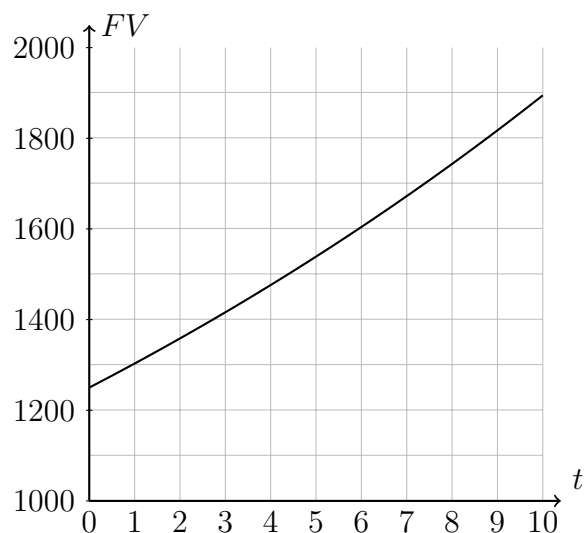
1. Do Now: Carlos puts \$12,500 into an investment account with an annual interest rate of 3.15%. What is the balance after 5 years?

2. The graph shows the exponential function $FV = 1,250 \times \left(1 + \frac{4.25}{100}\right)^t$ representing the balance of an investment account earning a fixed rate of interest over t in years.

(a) Write down the initial deposit in the account.

(b) How much will the account hold at the end of ten years, to the nearest \$000?

(c) When will the balance be \$1,600?



5.3 Exit Note: Simple interest rates

3. Simplify each expression to the base raised to a power.

(a) $7^3 \times 7^6$

(c) $x^2 \times x^9$

(b) $\frac{5^8}{5^4}$

(d) $\left(\frac{z^7}{z^2}\right)^2$

4. A bank account earns interest at an annual interest rate of 5.125%. The initial deposit is \$225. Which equation models the value of the balance?

(a) $FV = 225 \cdot \left(\frac{5.125}{100}\right)^t$

(c) $FV = 225 \cdot 5.125^t$

(b) $FV = 225(1 + 5.125)^t$

(d) $FV = 225 \cdot \left(1 + \frac{5.125}{100}\right)^t$

5. Carlos puts \$9,800 into an investment account with an annual interest rate of 2.75%. What is the balance after 3 years, rounded to the nearest cent?

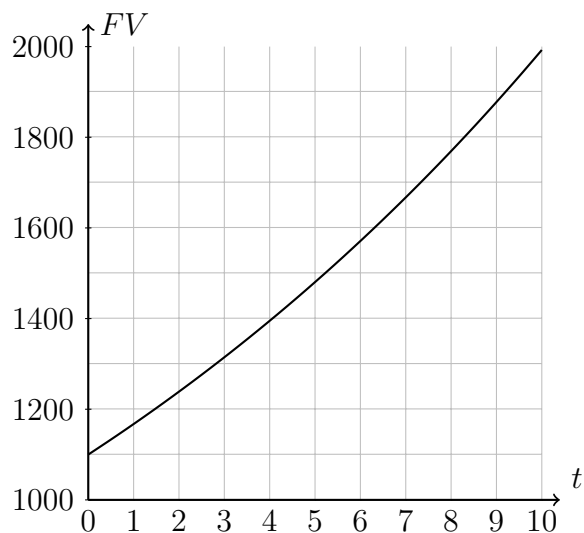
6. The graph shows the exponential function $FV = 1,100 \times \left(1 + \frac{6.125}{100}\right)^t$ representing the balance of an investment account earning a fixed rate of interest over t in years.

- (a) Write down the initial deposit in the account.

- (b) What is the annual interest rate?

- (c) Approximately how much will the account hold at the end of ten years?

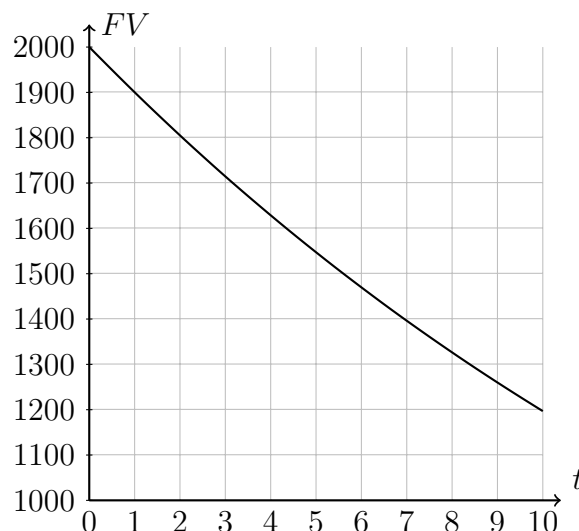
- (d) When will the balance be \$1,400?



7. An asset depreciates at a constant percentage rate, losing 5% of its value each year.

The asset's value is modeled by the exponential function $FV = 2,000 \times \left(1 - \frac{5}{100}\right)^t$, shown below, where t is the time in years.

- (a) Write down the initial value of the asset.
- (b) How much will the asset be valued at the end of ten years, to the nearest \$000?
- (c) When will the asset have lost one-quarter of its value?



8. Maria purchases an investment property for \$100,000. Under a special benefit in the tax code, she is allowed to depreciate the asset at 10% annually.

- (a) How much can she deduct from her income for tax purposes the first year?
- (b) Write an algebraic expression to model the depreciated value of Maria's property.
- (c) If she holds it for three years, at what value will it be held on her books?
- (d) Make a sketch to represent the graph of the asset's depreciated value over ten years.
- (e) She plans to sell the property when it is depreciated to one-half of the purchase value. Find the number of years she expects to hold the property and mark that point on your sketch.