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| Write the rebound height of a ball, h, as a function of the number of times, n, the ball has bounced. | Ball Height | 12 | 9 | 3 | 1.5 | 0.75 | 5 | The diameter of a vegetable can is the same as its height. Write the visible surface area of the can's label as a function of its diameter, d. | 10 | In Math Curse by Jon Scieszka and Lane Smith (1995), you are asked to estimate how many m&m's you need to measure the Missis sippi River. Write the number of m&m's needed to measure a river, m, as a function of its length in miles, L. (Note: An m&m is about 1 cm in diameter.) |
| | Number of Bounces | 0 | - | 2 | 3 | 4 | | | | |
| Write the number of cases of soda needed, c, as a function of the number of rows, n, in a stack. | Number of Cases | 2 | 2 | 6 | 14 | 20 | 4 | On Day 0, you email a video to five of your friends. On Day 1, each of those friends forwards the video to 5 friends. On Day 2, each person who received the video on Day 1 does the same. Write the number of persons who have received the video as a function of the video was posted. | 6 | In The Twelve Circus Rings by Seymour Chwast (1996), the first circus ring has 1 performer, the second ring has 2 + 1 performers, the third has 3 + 2 + 1 performers, and so on. Write the number of performers, p, as a function of the ring number n. |
| | Number of Rows | - | 2 | 3 | 4 | 2 | | | | |
| Write the number of cookies c as a function of the number of children, n, sharing them. | Number of Cookies | 12 | 9 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 3 | You have \$100 in your pocket. Gas costs \$2.49 per gallon. Write the amount you have left as a function of the number of gallons of gas you buy. | | In One Grain of Rice by Demi (1997) a peasant girl, Rani, is rewarded for her honesty. She asks for 1 grain of rice on day 1, 2 grains on day 2, 4 grains on day 3, 8 grains on day 4, and so on. Write the number of grains of rice, G, that Rani receives on day d as a function of the day number. |
| | Number of Children | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 9 | | | | |
| Write the number of calories c as a function of the number of chailattes, n, you consume. | Calories | 194 | 388 | 582 | 776 | 970 | 2 | Your grandmother lives 200 miles away. Write the amount of time, f, it will take you to get to her house as a function of the speed, s, you drive. | 7 | In <i>Bats on Parade</i> by Kathi Appelt (1999), the <i>n</i> th group of bats marches in a group of <i>n</i> × <i>n</i> bats plus a flag bearer. Write the number of animals <i>A</i> in a group as a function of the group |
| | Number of Beverages | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 2 | | | | |
| Write the number of calories c as a function of the diameter d of a pepperoni pizza. | Calories | 955 | 1493 | 2150 | 2926 | 3821 | 1 | A book club has a one-time membership fee of \$25. Members receive 20% off each purchase. Write the price, P, you will pay overall as a function of the amount, A, of your purchase before discount. | 45 | In One Hundred Hungry Ants by Elinor J. Pinczes (1993), 100 ants are trying to get to a picnic. To travel faster they arrange themselves in lines, with each line having the same number of ants. Write the number of ants. A, per line as a function of the number of lines, L. |
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