

WORKSHEET #8

Math 6A20, Fall 2020

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Instructions. You are encouraged to work with (not copy) your group, but each of you will turn in your own worksheet by the end of the day (11:59 pm) via Gradescope. You may ask the TA a few questions, which the TA will answer with leading questions (not answers) to help guide you.

Log in to www.Gradescope.com with your UCRNetID@ucr.edu email to submit your worksheet.

Instructions for clear submissions. If you can, write on the worksheet. If you cannot, then write your solutions to page 1 of the worksheet on one paper and your solutions to page 2 of the worksheet on a second paper. Clearly label each question. Scan your work with a scanning tool to pdf and upload it to Gradescope. Your submission should be clear, easy to read, no shadows with each of your pages submitted to the correct page on Gradescope. If it is not, then resubmit. Worksheet is 15 points (-2 for unclear submissions).

Question 1 (2 points) Let $f(t) = 50(0.95)^t$. Each part is worth 1 point.

- (a). From $t = 0$ to $t = 1$, what is the (i) portion, (ii) percent, and (iii) percent change for $f(t)$?

Portion: $f(t) = 50(0.95)^t$

Percent: $0.95 \cdot 100 = 95\%$

Percent change: $100 - 95\% = 5\%$

- (b). From t to $t + 1$, what is the (i) portion, (ii) percent, and (iii) percent change for $f(t)$?

Portion: $\frac{f(t+1)}{f(t)} \rightarrow \frac{f(50(0.95)^{t+1})}{f(50(0.95)^t)} \rightarrow$ Percent: $100 \cdot .95 = 95\%$

1. change: $100 - 95 = 5 \rightarrow 5\%$

Question 2 (4 points) Let $g(t)$ be the amount George has in his bank account t years after his initial deposit of \$80 on January 1, 2020. Assume George's account always earns 3% each year and no money besides interest is added to his account. Each part is worth 1 point.

- (a). From $t = 0$ to $t = 1$, what is the (i) portion, (ii) percent, and (iii) percent change for $g(t)$?

$t = 0$

$t = 1$

$g(0) = 80$

$g(1) = 80.03$

Portion: $\frac{80.03}{80}$

Percent: 3%

Percent change: $100 - 97 = 3\%$

- (b). Write an equation for $g(t)$.

$$g(t) = 80(0.03)^t$$

- (c). From t to $t + 1$, what is the (i) portion, (ii) percent, and (iii) percent change for $g(t)$?

Portion: $\frac{80.03 + 1}{80 + 1}$

Percent change: $100 - 97 = 3\%$

Percent: 3%

- (d). Why use the language of portion, percent, and percent change for exponential functions?

To understand how the equation changes

Question 3 (1 point) Jean bought a pair of jeans during the Black Friday sale for \$24, which was 40% off of the retail price. What is the normal retail price of Jean's jeans?

Hint: Write down all work to help avoid introducing calculation mistakes. You do not need to evaluate.

$\$24$
 40%
 $50\% \rightarrow 48$
 $x = 48$
 $\frac{40}{100} \rightarrow 0.4$
 $\$40$

Question 4 (8 point) The tables below give a few values of a function, f .

(a). (2 points) Complete the table assuming f is:

a linear function

an exponential function

x	-1	0	1	2	3
f(x)	$\frac{2}{3}$	2	6	18	54

x	-1	0	1	2	3
f(x)	-8	-6	6	18	40

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(b). (1 point) What is the percent change from $x = 1$ to $x = 2$?

$x = 1$ $\frac{6}{1} = 6$ $x = 2$ $\frac{18}{2} = 9$ $9 - 6 = 3$ $\frac{3}{6} = 0.5$ $0.5 \times 100 = 50\%$
 $(1, 6)$ $(2, 18)$ 50%

(c). (1 point) If f is a linear function, what is the equation for f ?

$(0, 6)$
 $f(x) = 12x - 6$

(d). (2 points) If f is an exponential function, what is the equation for f ?

$(0, 2)$
 $f(x) = 2(3^x)$

(e). (2 points) Assume f is exponential. Graph f by hand without using a graphing tool. Label carefully, marking the coordinates of at least 3 points from your table on the graph.

