

2.3 Linear, Exponential or Neither?

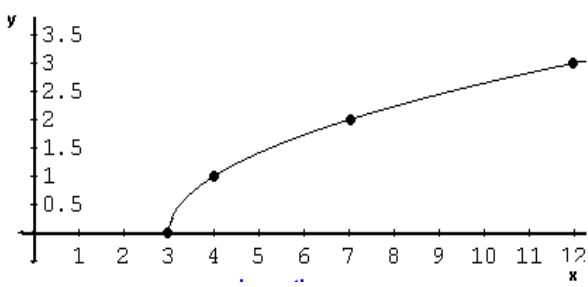
A Practice Understanding Task



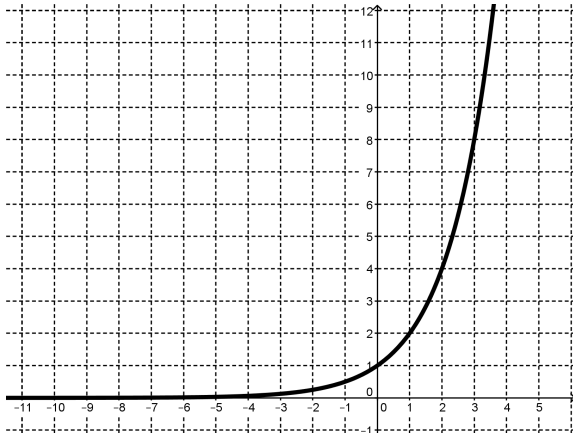
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For each representation of a function, decide if the function is linear, exponential, or neither.
Give at least 2 reasons for your answer.

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<p>2.</p> <p>Tennis Tournament</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="136 1302 740 1501"> <thead> <tr> <th>Rounds</th> <th>1</th> <th>2</th> <th>3</th> <th>4</th> <th>5</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Number of Players left</td> <td>64</td> <td>32</td> <td>16</td> <td>8</td> <td>4</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>There are 4 players remaining after 5 rounds</p>	Rounds	1	2	3	4	5	Number of Players left	64	32	16	8	4	<p>Linear Exponential Neither</p> <p>Why?</p>
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<p>3.</p> $y = 4x$	<p>Linear Exponential Neither</p> <p>Why?</p>
<p>4.</p> <p>This function is decreasing at a constant rate</p>	<p>Linear Exponential Neither</p> <p>Why?</p>
<p>5.</p> 	<p>Linear Exponential Neither</p> <p>Why?</p>

<p>6. A person's height as a function of a person's age (from age 0 to 100)</p>	<p>Linear Exponential Neither</p> <p>Why?</p>												
<p>7.</p> $-3x = 4y + 7$	<p>Linear Exponential Neither</p> <p>Why?</p>												
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<p>10. The number of cell phone users in Centerville as a function of years, if the number of users is increasing by 75% each year.</p>	<p>Linear Exponential Neither</p> <p>Why?</p>														
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12. The time it takes you to get to work as a function the speed at which you drive	Linear Exponential Neither Why?
13. $y = 7x^2$	Linear Exponential Neither Why?
14. Each point on the graph is exactly $\frac{1}{3}$ of the previous point.	Linear Exponential Neither Why?

<p>15. $f(1) = 7, f(2) = 7, f(n) = f(n - 1) + f(n - 2)$</p>	<p>Linear</p> <p>Why?</p>	<p>Exponential</p>	<p>Neither</p>
<p>16. $f(1) = 1, f(n) = \frac{2}{3}f(n - 1)$</p>	<p>Linear</p> <p>Why?</p>	<p>Exponential</p>	<p>Neither</p>