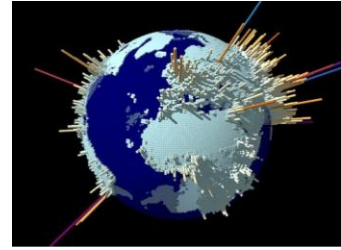


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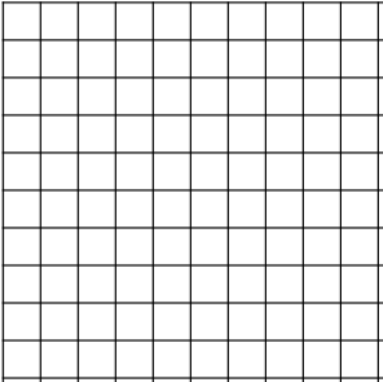
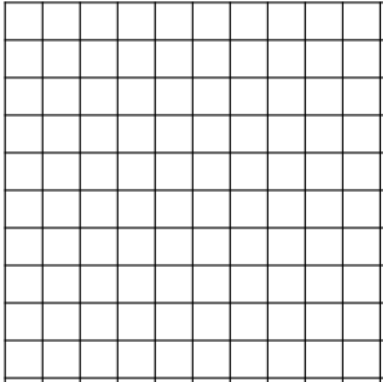
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Topic: Comparing Linear and Exponential Models

Describe the defining characteristics of each type of function by filling in the cells of each table as completely as possible.

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1. Describe in words the rule for each type of growth.	linear growth	exponential growth																												
2. Identify which kind of sequence corresponds to each model. Explain any differences.																														
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<p>4.</p> <p>Graph each equation. Compare the graphs.</p> <p>What is the same?</p>  <p>What is different?</p>		
<p>5. Find the y-intercept for each function.</p>		
<p>6. Find the y-intercepts for the functions on the right.</p>	$y = 3x$	$y = 3^x$
<p>7. Discuss everything you notice about the y-intercept for the models in #1 and the models in #6.</p>		

## Set

Make a table and graph that represent the model. Predict stage 10. Then write the explicit equation.

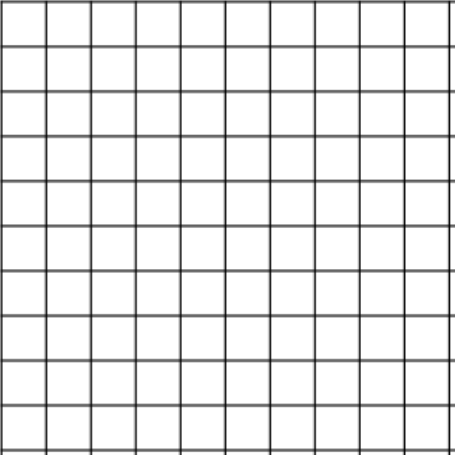
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Count the triangles.

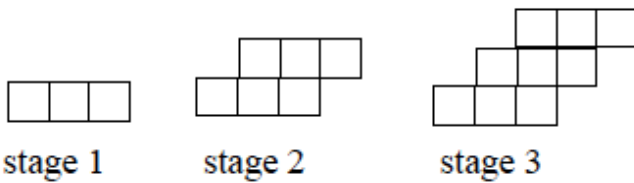


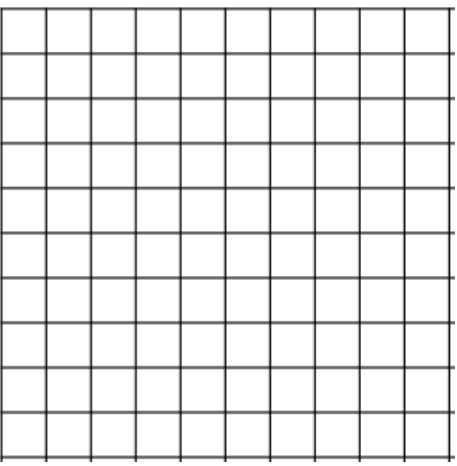
<p>Predict the number at stage 10.</p>   	<p>Write the explicit equation.</p>   
<p>Graph.</p>	<p>Table</p>



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8. Count the squares in the stair steps.



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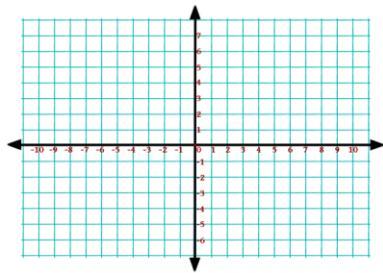


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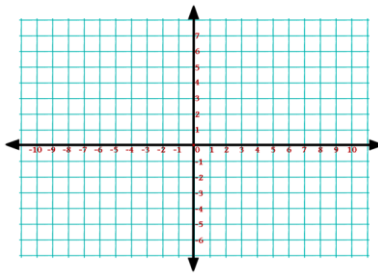
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Find the solution of the systems of equations by graphing.

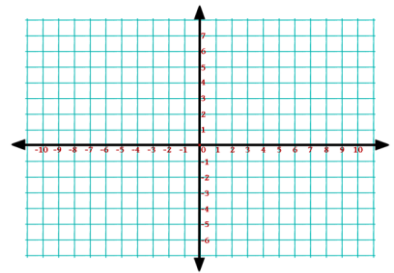
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$$\begin{cases} y = -x \\ y = 3x - 4 \end{cases}$$



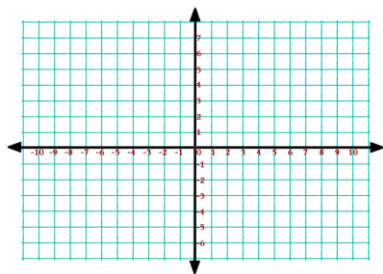
10. 
$$\begin{cases} 2x + y = -6 \\ y = x \end{cases}$$



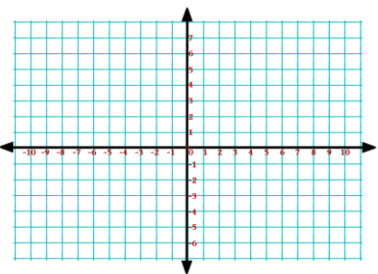
11. 
$$\begin{cases} y = 2x - 2 \\ x + 3y = 15 \end{cases}$$



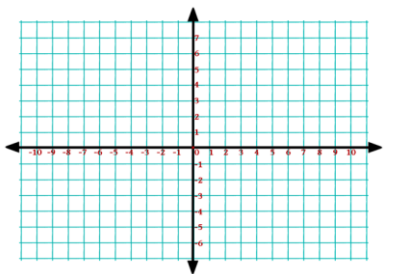
12. 
$$\begin{cases} y + 3 = 6x - 2 \\ y - 2x + 1 = 4(x - 1) \end{cases}$$



13. 
$$\begin{cases} y = -(x - 4) \\ y - 2x - 1 = 0 \end{cases}$$



14. 
$$\begin{cases} y = 3(x - 2) \\ y + x - 2 = 4(x - 1) \end{cases}$$



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Comparing Linear and exponential functions:

<http://www.khanacademy.org/math/algebra/algebra-functions/v/recognizing-linear-functions>

<http://www.khanacademy.org/math/algebra/ck12-algebra-1/v/identifying-exponential-models>

