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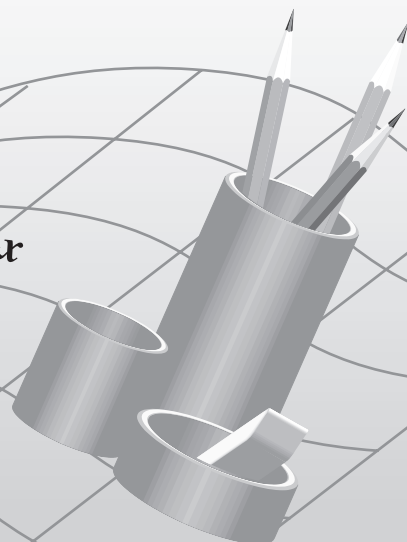
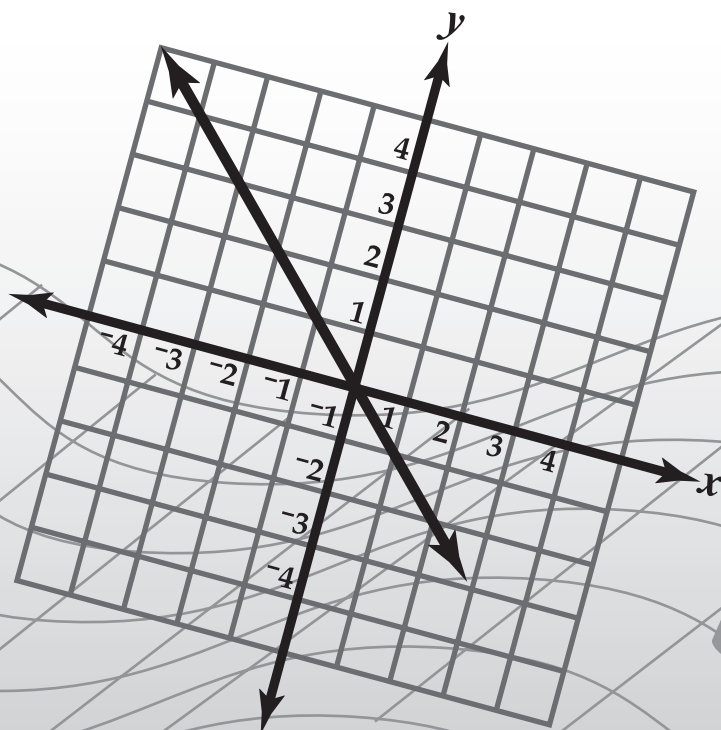
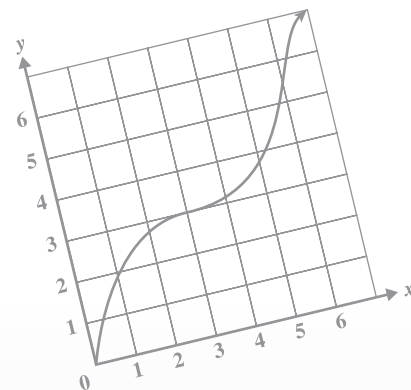
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$$2x - 4 = 3(x-1) - 10$$



# ALGEBRA/ DATA ANALYSIS

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## Response Grid Items

Several items in this test require you to enter your answer on a special grid like the one shown below.

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### Directions for Completing the Response Grids

- Find the answer to the problem.
- Write your answer in the boxes at the top of the grid.
  - You may start your answer at either end of the answer box. Print your answer with the first digit (or symbol) in the left answer box, or with the last digit in the right answer box.
  - Print no more than one digit or symbol in each answer box. Do **not** leave a blank answer box in the middle of an answer.
  - Be sure to write a decimal point or fraction bar in the answer box if it is part of the answer.
- Fill in the appropriate bubble under each box in which you wrote your answer.
  - Fill in only one bubble for each answer box used in your answer. Do **not** fill in a bubble under an unused answer box.
  - You must fill in the bubbles accurately to receive credit for your answer.





**D**irections

Use the Response Grid in the Answer Book to complete Sample A.

**Sample A**

Diana earned the scores below on her science tests.

79, 98, 85, 91

What is the mean of these scores?

**Sample B**

Look at the pattern below.

0, 2, 4, 6, 8, ...

If the pattern continues, what will be the next term?

- A 2
- B 8
- C 10
- D 14

**Sample C**

The sum of the angles of a triangle is 180 degrees. The measures of two angles of a triangle are  $x$  and  $3x$ . Which of these expressions represents the measure of the third angle?

F  $180 + x + 3x$

G  $180 - x + 3x$

H  $180 - x - 3x$

J  $180 + x - 3x$



- 1** The matrices below show the number of students that participate in sports at Valley High School.

| SPORTS PARTICIPATION |    |    |    |    |            |   |    |    |    |
|----------------------|----|----|----|----|------------|---|----|----|----|
| Males                |    |    |    |    | Females    |   |    |    |    |
| Grade                |    |    |    |    | Grade      |   |    |    |    |
|                      | 9  | 10 | 11 | 12 |            | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| Soccer               | 6  | 5  | 10 | 3  | Soccer     | 4 | 7  | 12 | 2  |
| Swimming             | 11 | 9  | 3  | 7  | Swimming   | 2 | 0  | 1  | 1  |
| Basketball           | 7  | 12 | 11 | 9  | Basketball | 5 | 8  | 13 | 11 |
| Volleyball           | 6  | 15 | 9  | 1  | Volleyball | 6 | 10 | 4  | 8  |

What sport has the greatest number of 11th-grade students who participate in that sport?

- A soccer
- B swimming
- C basketball
- D volleyball

- 2** Look at the pattern below.

$$a + 5, 2a + 8, 3a + 11, 4a + 14, \dots$$

If this pattern continues, what will be the next term?

- F  $4a + 16$
- G  $4a + 17$
- H  $5a + 14$
- J  $5a + 17$



- 3** The table below shows the percent of golfers who participate in other activities.

OTHER ACTIVITIES OF GOLFERS

| Activity              | Golfers Who Participate |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| Fishing               | 32%                     |
| Boating/Sailing       | 16%                     |
| Snow Skiing           | 15%                     |
| Watching Sports on TV | 58%                     |
| Frequent Flying       | 33%                     |

Based on the table, out of 50 golfers, how many would be expected to watch sports on TV?

- A 16 golfers
- B 29 golfers
- C 33 golfers
- D 58 golfers

- 4** An item is on sale for 25% off the original price. Which of these expressions represents the sale price of an item that originally sold for  $y$  dollars?

- F  $0.25y - y$
- G  $y - 0.25y$
- H  $y - 0.25$
- J  $25y - y$



- 5** Edwin records the number of geese that live in a wildlife park from February through October. His results are shown in the table below. The mean of the data is 174. The median of the data is 180.

**GEESE AT WILDLIFE PARK**

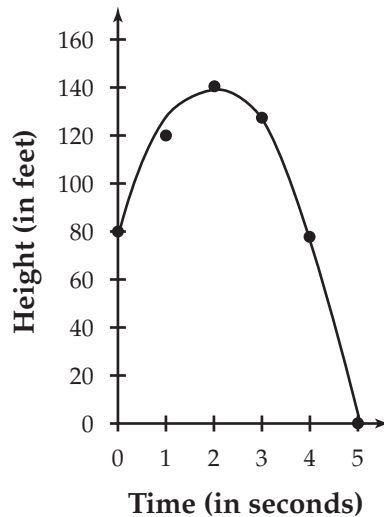
| Month           | Feb. | Mar. | Apr. | May | June | July | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. |
|-----------------|------|------|------|-----|------|------|------|-------|------|
| Number of Geese | 60   | 161  | 178  | 188 | 203  | 228  | 196  | 180   | 172  |

Which of these best explains why the mean is less than the median?

- A** The data set only includes 9 months.
- B** The range of the data set is very large.
- C** The minimum value of 60 is well below the other numbers in the data set.
- D** The maximum value of 228 is well above the other numbers in the data set.

**6****BCR**

The graph below shows the height of a ball in one-second intervals. The curve of best fit has been drawn.



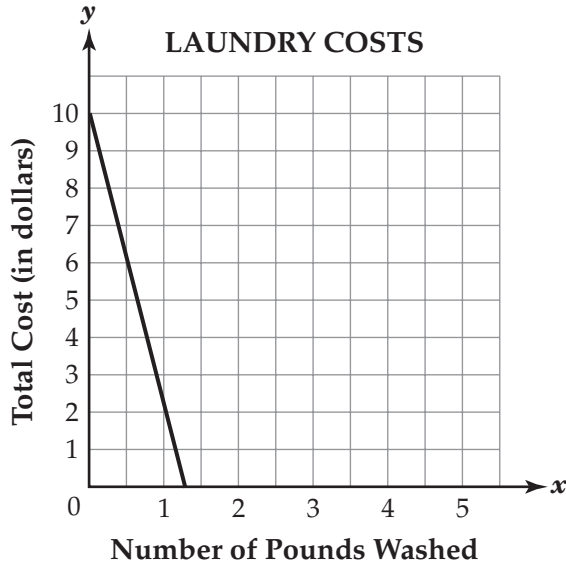
Complete the following in the Answer Book:

- According to the curve of best fit, what is the height of the ball at 4.5 seconds? Use mathematics to explain how you determined your answer. Use words, symbols, or both in your explanation.
- According to the curve of best fit, when will the ball be at a height of 100 feet? Use mathematics to explain how you determined your answer. Use words, symbols, or both in your explanation.

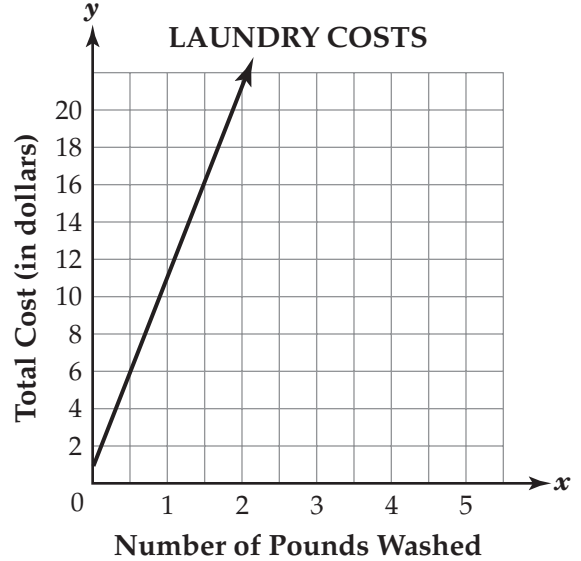


- 7 A laundry service charges \$10.00 plus an additional \$1.25 per pound of laundry to be washed. Which of these graphs represents the relationship between the number of pounds of laundry washed ( $x$ ) and the total cost ( $y$ )?

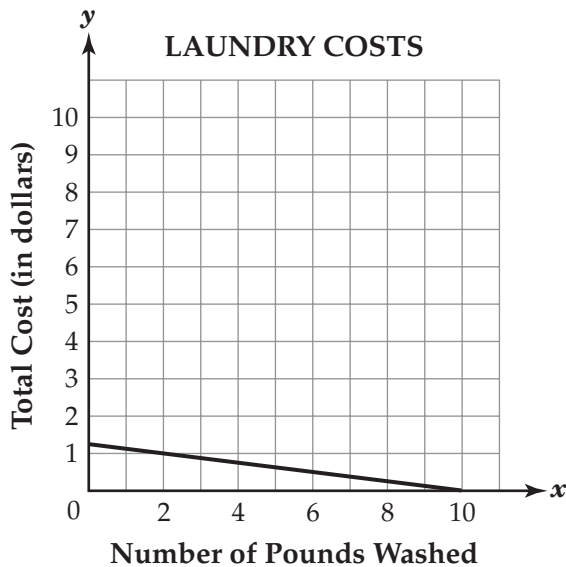
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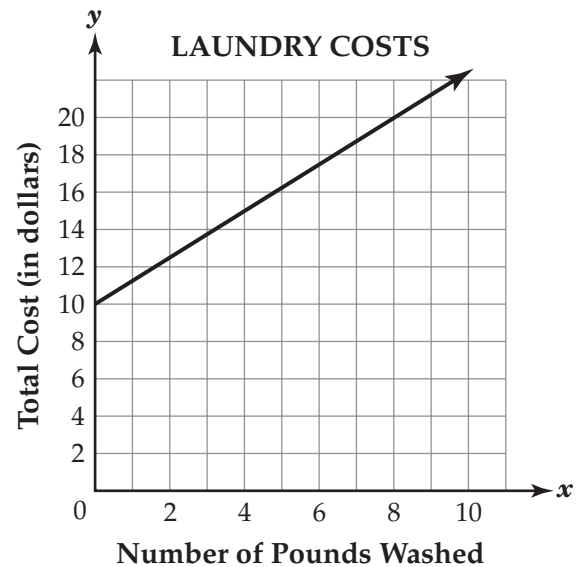
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B



D





- 8 Look at the inequality below.

$$-2x \leq 6$$

Which of these best describes the solution of this inequality?

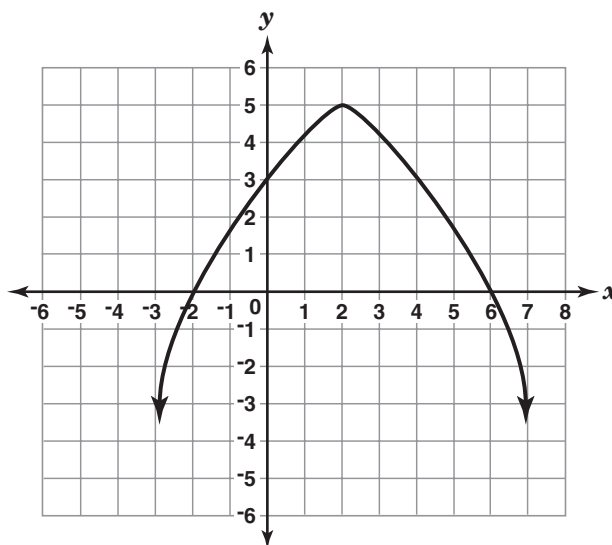
F  $x \geq -3$

G  $x \leq -3$

H  $x \geq 3$

J  $x \leq 3$

- 9 Look at the function that is graphed below.



What is the maximum value of this function?

- A 2  
B 3  
C 5  
D 6



- 10** The table below shows a relationship between  $x$  and  $y$ .

| $x$ | $y$ |
|-----|-----|
| -5  | 14  |
| -1  | 6   |
| 2   | 0   |
| 4   | -4  |

Which of these equations describes this relationship?

F  $y = \frac{1}{2}x - 6$

G  $y = -\frac{1}{2}x - 2$

H  $y = 2x - 4$

J  $y = -2x + 4$

- 11** Mary is considering two job offers. Job A pays \$8.00 an hour and offers a one-time \$100 bonus. Job B pays \$8.50 an hour and offers a one-time \$80 bonus. How many hours would Mary have to work to earn the same amount of money at Job B as at Job A?

A 40

B 41

C 420

D 428



**12****ECR**

The table below shows the age and the value of a computer.

VALUE OF A COMPUTER

| Age<br>(in Years) | Value |
|-------------------|-------|
| 0                 | \$800 |
| 1                 | \$620 |
| 2                 | \$410 |
| 3                 | \$200 |

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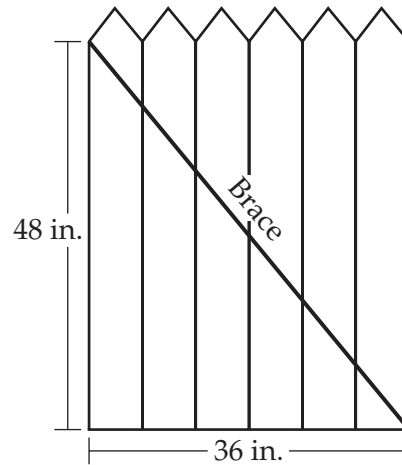
- Write an equation for a line of best fit. (If you choose to draw a graph to help you write the equation, use the grid provided in the Answer Book.)
- What is the slope of your equation? What does the slope represent in the context of this problem?
- What is the age of the computer when its value is \$300? Use mathematics to explain how you determined your answer. Use words, symbols, or both in your explanation.
- Will your equation remain a good model to predict the value of a computer when it is 6 years old? Use mathematics to justify your answer.



# Directions

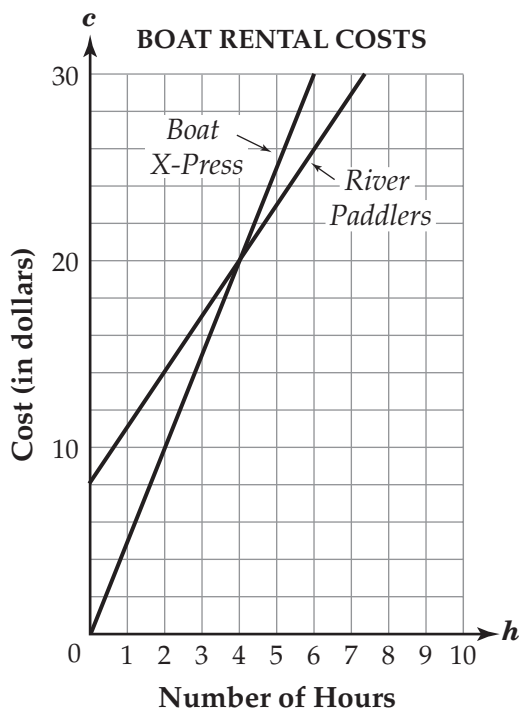
Use the Response Grids in the Answer Book to complete Numbers 13 through 15.

- 13** Max needs a wooden brace to strengthen his gate shown below. The formula  $c = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$  can be used to find the length of the brace, where  $a$  and  $b$  represent the dimensions of the gate and  $c$  represents the length of the brace.



What is the length of wood, in inches, that Max needs for the brace?

- 14** The graph below shows the cost ( $c$ ), in dollars, to rent a boat for  $h$  hours at two different boat companies.



At what number of hours will the cost to rent a boat be the same at both companies?

- 15** The stem-and-leaf plot below shows the test scores of the 32 students in Ms. Jones' history class.

| TEST SCORES |                   |
|-------------|-------------------|
| Stem        | Leaf              |
| 9           | 0 0 1 2 3 3 4 5 6 |
| 8           | 2 2 3 5 4 7 8 9 9 |
| 7           | 1 1 2 3 4 6 6     |
| 6           | 7 8 8 8 8 9       |
| 5           | 2                 |

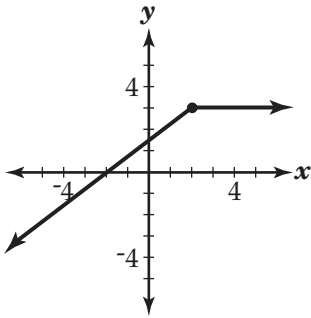
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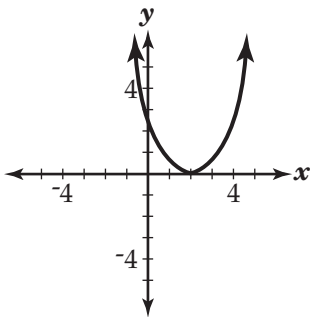
What is the probability that a randomly selected student in Ms. Jones' history class scored higher than 75 on this test?

**16** Which of these graphs shows a function that is not continuous at  $x = 2$ ?

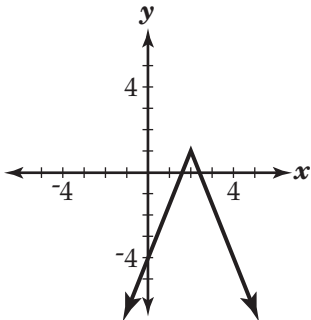
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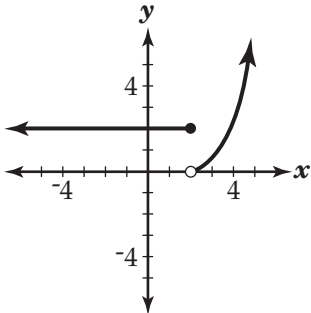
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**17**  
**BCR**

An engineer is asked to determine if a soda machine is set correctly to dispense 12 fluid ounces of soda. The engineer uses the machine to fill 30 cups and then measures each of their volumes. The results are shown in the table below.

SODA VOLUME

| Volume<br>(in fluid ounces) | Frequency |
|-----------------------------|-----------|
| 11.7                        | 4         |
| 11.8                        | 3         |
| 11.9                        | 5         |
| 12.0                        | 7         |
| 12.1                        | 4         |
| 12.2                        | 4         |
| 12.3                        | 1         |
| 12.4                        | 2         |

Complete the following in the Answer Book:

- Use the data from the table to create a box-and-whisker plot on the grid provided in the Answer Book.

According to the engineer, the machine would be set correctly if it dispensed between 11.9 ounces and 12.1 ounces at least 50% of the time.

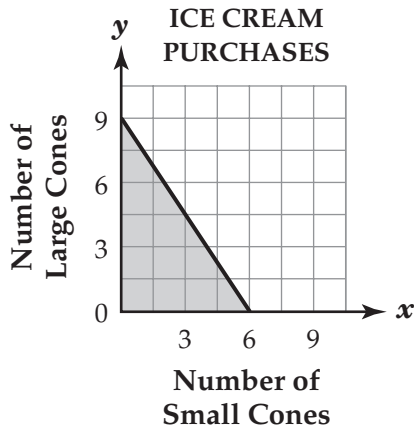
- Is this machine set correctly? Use mathematics to justify your answer.



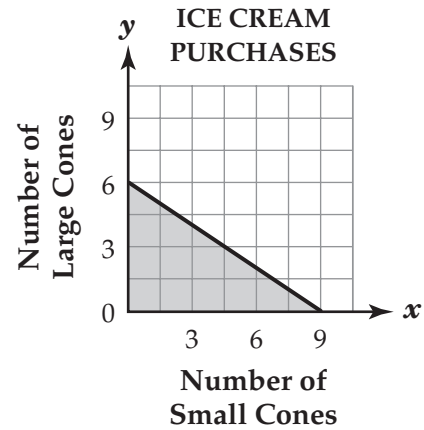
- 18** A group of friends has \$18 to spend on ice cream. A small cone costs \$2 and a large cone costs \$3.

Which of these graphs represents all the different combinations the group could buy?

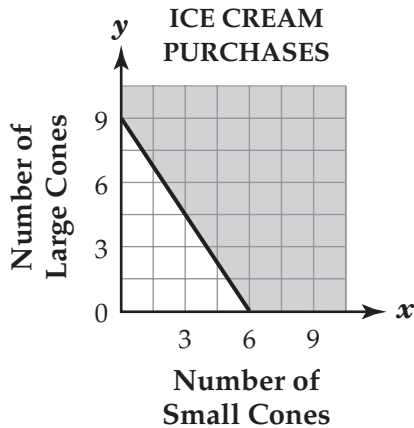
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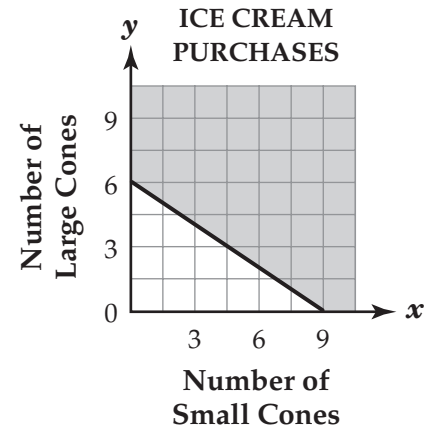
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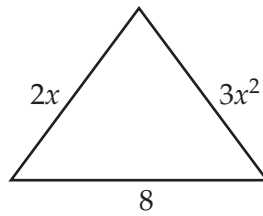


J





- 19** Look at the triangle below.



Which expression represents the perimeter of this triangle?

- A  $3x^2 + 2x + 8$
- B  $3x^2 - 2x - 8$
- C  $(3x^2)(2x)(8)$
- D  $\frac{(3x^2)(2x)(8)}{2}$



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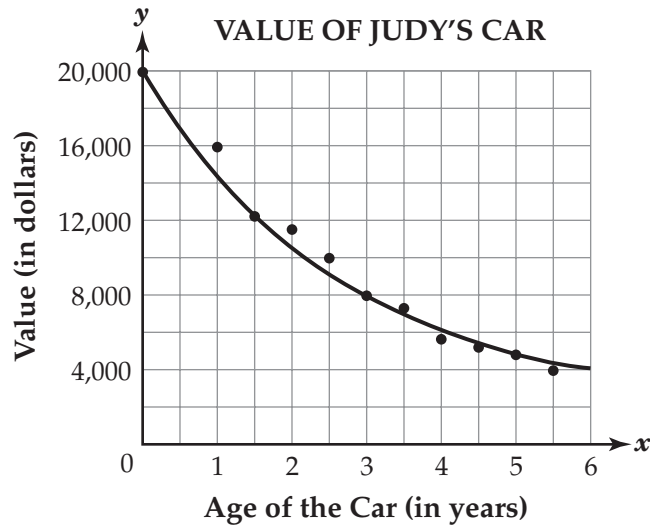
**20** Fred wants to determine the mean hourly wage of the working students at his school. He asks thirty of his friends their hourly wage and calculates the sample mean to be \$6. Which of these statements must be true?

- F The sample was selected randomly.
- G Bias was present in the selection process.
- H The sample was representative of the population.
- J The mean hourly wage of the working students at Fred's school was \$6.

**21** Two lines are parallel. The equation of the first line is  $y = 2x + 3$ . Which of these could be the equation of the other line?

- A  $y = -2x$
- B  $y = -\frac{1}{2}x$
- C  $y = \frac{1}{2}x$
- D  $y = 2x$

- 22** The scatter plot below shows the relationship between the age and value of Judy's car. A curve of best fit has been drawn.



According to the curve of best fit, how much would Judy's car have decreased in value when the car is 6 years old?

- F \$4,000
- G \$6,000
- H \$16,000
- J \$20,000

**23**  
**ECR**

At the beginning of the summer, Sarah has \$250. She takes a summer job and saves \$150 per week. Felicia has \$1,650 at the beginning of the summer. She travels during the summer and spends \$200 per week.

Complete the following in the Answer Book:

- Write an equation that represents the amount of money Sarah has at the end of each week.
- Write an equation that represents the amount of money Felicia has at the end of each week.
- Graph the two equations on the grid provided in the Answer Book. (Suggested graphing window:  $0 \leq \text{weeks} \leq 10$ ;  $0 \leq \text{amount} \leq 2000$ .)
- At the end of which week do Sarah and Felicia have the same amount of money? How much money do they have? Use mathematics to justify your answer.

- 24** The table below shows the points scored by a basketball team during its first 5 games.

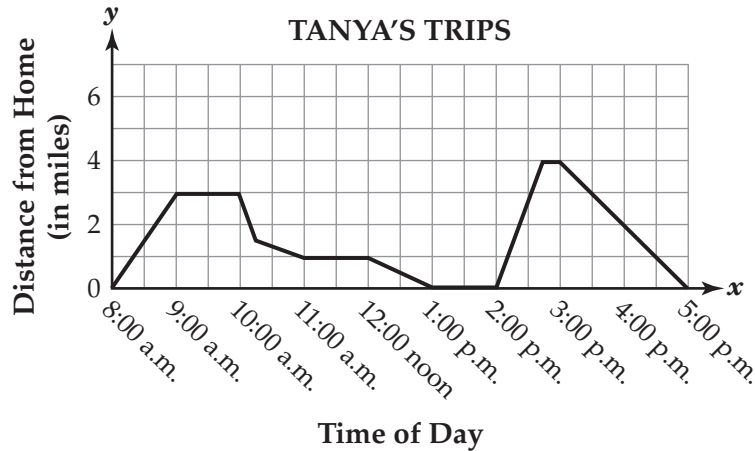
**POINTS SCORED BY  
BASKETBALL TEAM**

| Game | Points Scored |
|------|---------------|
| 1    | 51            |
| 2    | 61            |
| 3    | 67            |
| 4    | 70            |
| 5    | 66            |
| 6    | ?             |

After the first 6 games, the team had a mean score of 64 points per game. How many points did the basketball team score in game 6?

- F 63
- G 64
- H 66
- J 69

- 25** The graph below shows Tanya's distance from home during the day.



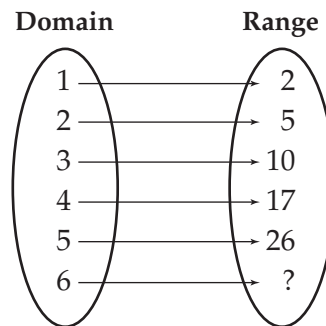
After leaving home at 8:00 a.m. when is Tanya at home again?

- A between 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.
- B between 11:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon
- C between 1:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m.
- D between 3:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m.

- 26** A group of students began a camping trip with 252 pounds of food. They plan to eat 12 pounds of food a day. At the end of what day will they have 84 pounds of food left?

- F 7th day
- G 14th day
- H 21st day
- J 28th day

**27** Study the functional mapping below.



If the pattern continues, what is the range value for a domain value of 6?

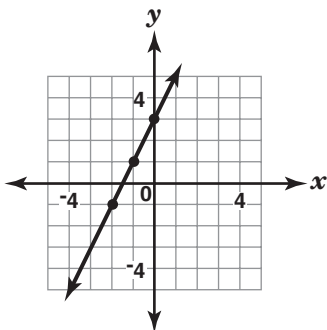
- A 26
- B 32
- C 37
- D 41

- 28** A pattern of numbers is determined by the rule shown below.

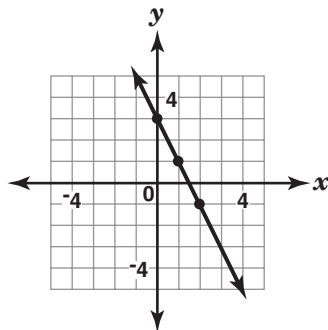
To find  $y$  multiply  $x$  by  $-2$ . Then add 3.

Which of these graphs represents this pattern?

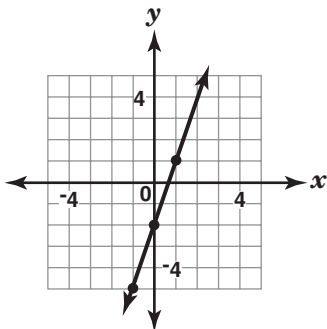
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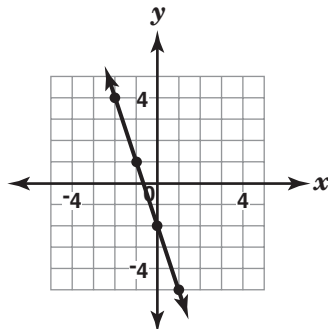
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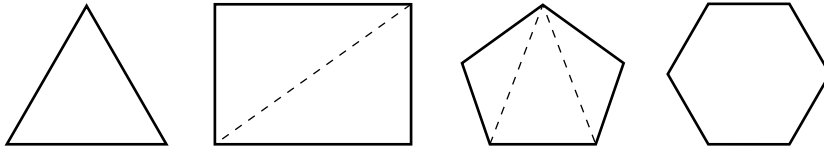


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29  
ECR

A triangle, a quadrilateral, a pentagon, and a hexagon are shown below. By drawing a diagonal from 1 vertex, the quadrilateral is divided into 2 non-overlapping triangles. Since the sum of the angle measures of a triangle is  $180^\circ$ , the sum of the measures of the quadrilateral is  $360^\circ$ . By drawing the diagonals from 1 vertex, the pentagon is divided into 3 non-overlapping triangles.



Complete the following in the Answer Book:

- In the Answer Book, draw the diagonals from 1 vertex of the hexagon so that the hexagon is divided into non-overlapping triangles.
- Use the polygons above to complete the table in the Answer Book.

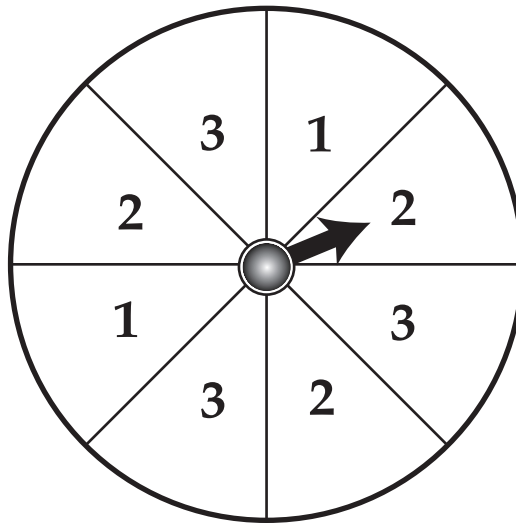
| Polygon       | Number of Sides | Number of Non-Overlapping Triangles | Sum of Angle Measures |
|---------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Triangle      | 3               | 1                                   | $180^\circ$           |
| Quadrilateral | 4               | 2                                   | $360^\circ$           |
| Pentagon      | 5               | 3                                   | ?                     |
| Hexagon       | ?               | ?                                   | ?                     |

- Describe how the number of sides of each polygon is related to the number of non-overlapping triangles. Use mathematics to justify your answer.
- Describe how the number of non-overlapping triangles in a polygon is related to the sum of its angle measures. Use mathematics to justify your answer.

# Directions

Use the Response Grids in the Answer Book to complete Numbers 30 through 32.

- 30** A spinner is divided into 8 regions of equal size that are numbered as shown below.



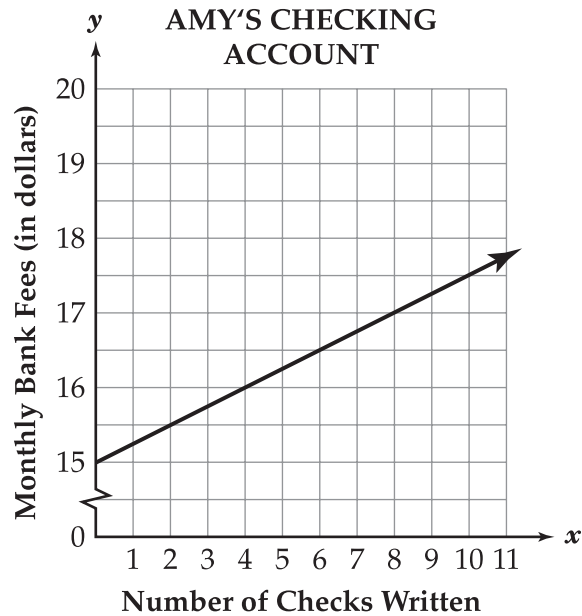
The spinner is spun and lands on a number. What is the probability that the arrow will land on the number 2?

- 31** Look at the pattern below.

5, 10, 20, 40, ...

If this pattern continues, what will be the 6th term?

- 32** Amy has a checking account at a bank. The graph below shows the relationship between the number of checks she writes and her monthly bank fees.



If she writes 16 checks, what will be her monthly bank fee, in dollars?

**33**  
**BCR**

The principal will survey 100 students to determine which elective courses to offer next year. The principal will use one of the methods below.

**Method A:** Survey the first 100 students who enter the cafeteria on a randomly selected day.

**Method B:** Have 25 teachers each randomly select 4 eleventh-grade students to be surveyed.

**Method C:** Assign each student a number. Use a random number generator to generate 100 numbers. Survey those students whose numbers are generated.

Complete the following in the Answer Book:

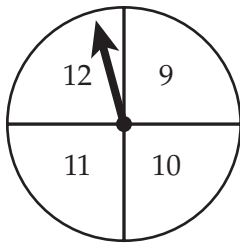
- Which method will provide the principal with a simple random sample of the student population? Use principles of simple random sampling to justify your answer.
- Use principles of simple random sampling to justify why each of the other two methods does not provide a simple random sample.

- 34** The table below shows the number of students in a high school by grade level.

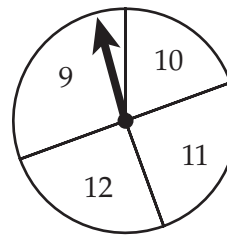
| Grade Level | Number of Students |
|-------------|--------------------|
| 9           | 400                |
| 10          | 300                |
| 11          | 150                |
| 12          | 150                |

A student is selected at random. Which spinner below would best simulate the grade level of the student?

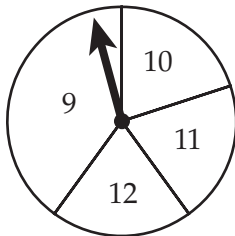
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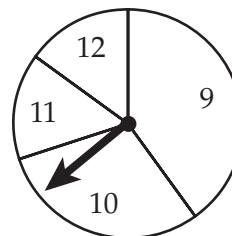
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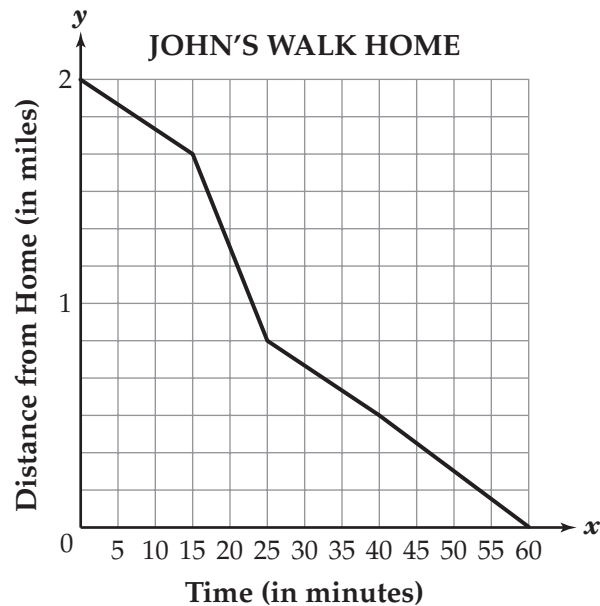
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J



- 35** John is at the beach, 2 miles away from his house. The graph below shows the time it takes John to walk home from the beach.



According to the graph, during what time interval is John walking the fastest?

- A 0 to 10 minutes
- B 15 to 25 minutes
- C 30 to 40 minutes
- D 45 to 55 minutes

**36** The matrices below show information about students in two classes.

| MRS. HALL'S CLASS |              |               |               |               | MR. BINET'S CLASS |              |               |               |               |
|-------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
|                   | 9th<br>grade | 10th<br>grade | 11th<br>grade | 12th<br>grade |                   | 9th<br>grade | 10th<br>grade | 11th<br>grade | 12th<br>grade |
| Boys              | 6            | 4             | 0             | 2             | Boys              | 2            | 0             | 4             | 6             |
| Girls             | 2            | 4             | 2             | 2             | Girls             | 0            | 8             | 2             | 4             |

Which matrix represents the mean of the two classes?

F

|       | 9th<br>grade | 10th<br>grade | 11th<br>grade | 12th<br>grade |
|-------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Boys  | 8            | 4             | 4             | 8             |
| Girls | 2            | 12            | 4             | 6             |

G

|       | 9th<br>grade | 10th<br>grade | 11th<br>grade | 12th<br>grade |
|-------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Boys  | 4            | 4             | 4             | 4             |
| Girls | 2            | 4             | 0             | 2             |

H

|       | 9th<br>grade | 10th<br>grade | 11th<br>grade | 12th<br>grade |
|-------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Boys  | 3            | 2             | 0             | 2             |
| Girls | 1            | 2             | 2             | 4             |

J

|       | 9th<br>grade | 10th<br>grade | 11th<br>grade | 12th<br>grade |
|-------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Boys  | 4            | 2             | 2             | 4             |
| Girls | 1            | 6             | 2             | 3             |

- 37** A sea turtle buried 200 eggs in the sand. Of the 176 baby turtles that hatched, 125 were eaten by birds, and 39 were eaten by other animals. The rest of the baby turtles made it to the ocean. What is the probability that a turtle from a buried egg makes it to the ocean?

A  $\frac{12}{176}$

B  $\frac{36}{176}$

C  $\frac{12}{200}$

D  $\frac{36}{200}$

- 38** In a small town, 250 randomly sampled registered voters were asked to state whether they would vote “Yes” or “No” on Measure A in the next local election. The table below shows the results of the survey.

VOTER SURVEY RESULTS

| Yes | No | Undecided |
|-----|----|-----------|
| 120 | 96 | 34        |

There are 5,500 people expected to vote in the next election. Based on the data, how many people will vote “No” on Measure A in the next election?

F 96

G 130

H 2,112

J 5,280







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