

## Warm-up 12/6

### Practice

1. A population of 500 elk is released in a wildlife preserve. Each year, the population grows by 6.4%. Let  $x$  stand for the number of years since the release, and let  $y$  stand for the elk population.
  - a. Write an exponential equation that relates  $x$  and  $y$ , using the given information.
  - b. After 5 years, how many elk are there?
  - c. How many years will it take for the elk population to exceed 800 elk?
2. A store receives a shipment of 1000 greeting cards. Each day, the store sells 2.5% of its stock of cards. Let  $x = \#$  of days passed;  $f(x) = \#$  of cards remaining in the store.
  - a. Write an exponential equation that relates  $x$  and  $f(x)$ , using the given information.
  - b. After 15 days, how many cards will remain in the store?
  - c. The store manager wants to order a new shipment when the inventory reaches 200 cards. After how many days will this happen?

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$$6.4\% = 0.064$$

$$y = 500(1.064)^x$$

a. Write an exponential equation that relates  $x$  and  $y$ , using the given information.

b. After 5 years, how many elk are there?  $y = 500(1 + 0.064)^x$   
 $x = 5$  681 elk

c. How many years will it take for the elk population to exceed 800 elk?

7-771

8-821

8 years

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$$2.5\% = 0.025$$

a. Write an exponential equation that relates  $x$  and  $f(x)$ , using the given information.

b. After 15 days, how many cards will remain in the store?  $f(x) = 1000(1 - 0.025)^x$

c. The store manager wants to order a new shipment when the inventory reaches 200 cards. After how many days will this happen?

$$f(x) = 1000(0.975)^x$$

$$f(15) = 1000(0.975)^{15}$$

$$f(15) = 684 \text{ cards}$$

64-197

63-202

64 days

$$y = 30(2)^x$$

21,000,000

$$26 - 2,013,265,920 \quad \begin{array}{l} 20 - 31,457,280 \\ 19 - 15,728,640 \end{array}$$

$$30 - 3.221225472 \text{E}10$$

$$3.221225472 = 472 = 10^{10}$$

$$32,212,254,720$$

$$15 - 983,040$$

$$17 - 3,932,160$$