

**Algebra II Warm Up**

2-2-15

**Allowance**

Would you like to get a \$25 allowance each week or get paid 2 cent the first day of the month, 4 cents the second day, 8 cents the third day, doubling each day of the month? **Which would your parents agree to?**

Sun	M	T	W	TH	F	Sat
1 .02	2 .04	3 .08	4 .16	5 .32	6 .64	7 1.28
8 2.56	9 5.12	10 10.24	11 20.48	12 40.96	13 81.92	14 163.84
15 327.68	16 655.36	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28 .02

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What is happening with the pattern?

$$y = 2^x$$

x	y
-1	0.5
0	1
1	2
2	4

What would the graph look like?

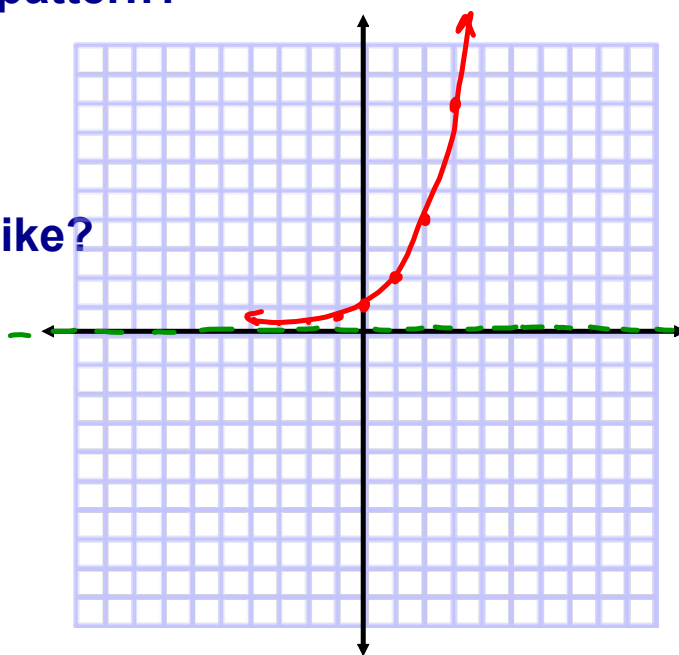
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y-int: (0, 1)

Domain:  $(-\infty, \infty)$

Range:  $(0, \infty)$

Asymptote:  $y = 0$



Now let's graph

$$y = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x$$

Decay

x	y
-2	4
-1	2
0	1
1	1/2
2	1/4

What is happening?

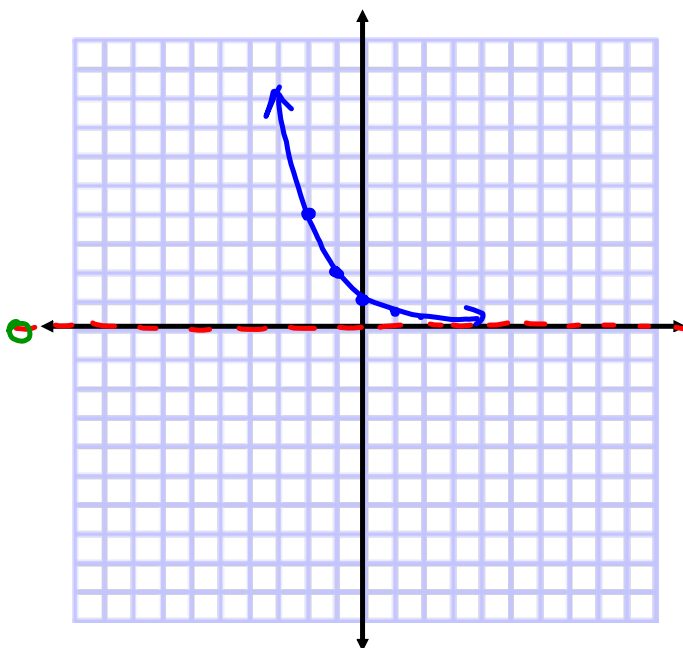
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$$y = 2^x \text{ It is a Growth } b > 1$$

$$y = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x \text{ It is a Decay}$$

What causes growth or decay?

$$0 < b < 1$$

An exponential equation is written as

$$y = a\underline{b}^x$$

$$y = ab^x$$

The **a** value is the initial value. It does not cause growth or decay.

The **b** value is the growth or decay value.

If  $b > 1$ , then it is a growth.

If  $0 < b < 1$ , then it is a decay.

Tell whether each is an example of exponential growth or exponential decay.

1.  $y = 10(\underline{4})^x$

Growth

2.  $y = (\underline{0.8})^x$

Decay

3.  $y = \frac{1}{3}\left(\underline{\frac{3}{2}}\right)^x$

Growth

4.  $y = 0.5\left(\underline{\frac{5}{8}}\right)^x$

Decay

5.  $y = 100\left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^{-x}$

 $\frac{5}{4}$ 

Growth

6.  $y = (7)^{-x}$

 $\frac{1}{7}$ 

Decay

Graph the following.

$$y = 3^x$$

x	y
-2	$\frac{1}{9}$
-1	$\frac{1}{3}$
0	3
1	9
2	27

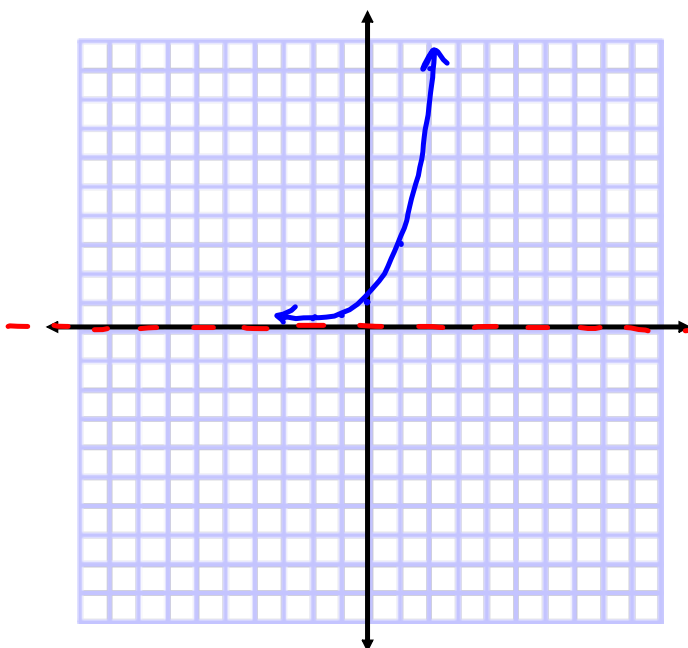
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Range:  $(0, \infty)$

Asymptote:  $y = 0$



**Graph the following.**

$$y = 2\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^x$$

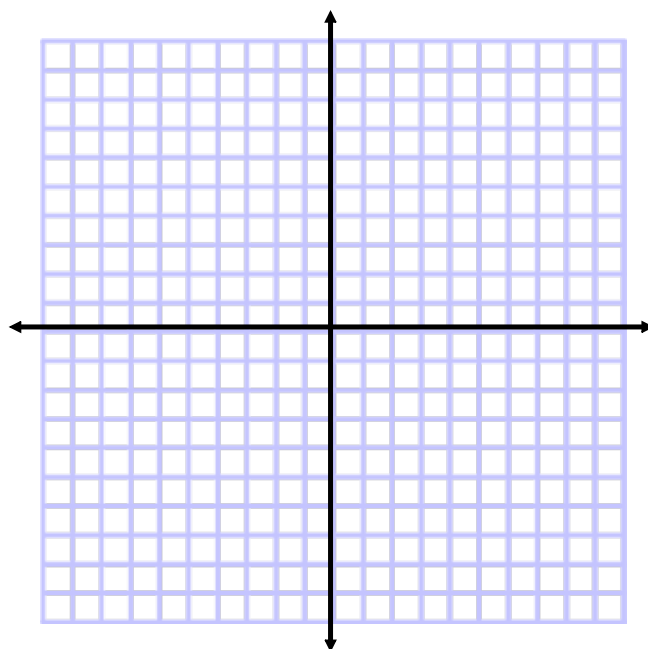
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**y-int :** \_\_\_\_\_

**Domain:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Range:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Asymptote:** \_\_\_\_\_





Graph  $y = 2(3)^x - 4$

x	y
-2	-3.7
-1	-3.3
0	-2
1	2
2	14

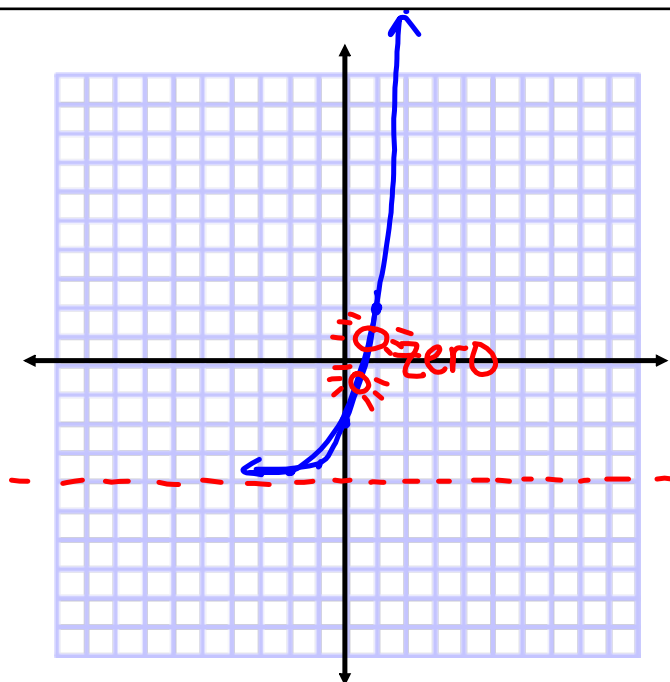
x-int:  $(0.6, 0)$

y-int:  $(0, -2)$

Domain:  $(-\infty, \infty)$

Range:  $(-4, \infty)$

Asymptote:  $y = -4$



## Conclusion

1. What value tells you if the equation is a growth or decay?  $y = ab^x$   $b$

2. How do you know it is an exponential growth?  $b > 1$

3. What do we need to do to graph an exponential equation?  $\begin{array}{c} x/y \\ -2 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{array}$

4. Questions????????????????

# **Exponential Growth and Decay Worksheet**