

Today's Learning Goal(s):

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

By the end of the class, I will be able to:

- a) describe the characteristics of the graphs and equations of exponential functions.

Last day's work:

pp. 235-237 #(1-2)ace, 3, (4-9)ace [14]

Review p. 239

8a c

5e

9c

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- 5. Simplify. Express answers with positive exponents.

$$\begin{aligned}
 e) \frac{p^{-5}(r^3)^2}{(p^2r)^2(p^{-1})^2} &= \frac{p^{-5}r^6}{p^4r^2p^{-2}} \\
 &= p^{-5-4-(-2)}r^{6-2} \\
 &= p^{-7}r^4 = \frac{r^4}{p^7}
 \end{aligned}$$

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- 8. Evaluate. Express answers in rational form with positive exponents.

|  |  |
|--|--|
| a) $(\sqrt{10\,000x})^{\frac{3}{2}}$ for $x = 16$  | c) $(-2a^2b)^{-3}\sqrt{25a^4b^6}$ for $a = 1, b = 2$ |
| $= ((10\,000x)^{\frac{1}{2}})^{\frac{3}{2}}$       | $= (-2)^{-3}a^{-6}b^{-3}(5)a^2b^3$                   |
| $= (10\,000x)^{\frac{3}{4}}$                       | $= -\frac{1}{8}a^{-6+2}b^{-3+3}(5)$                  |
| $= (10\,000)^{\frac{3}{4}}(x)^{\frac{3}{4}}$       | $= -\frac{5}{8}a^{-4}b^0$                            |
| $= (4\sqrt{10\,000})^{\frac{3}{4}}x^{\frac{3}{4}}$ | $= -\frac{5}{8a^4}(1)$                               |
| $= 10^3x^{\frac{3}{4}}$                            | $= -\frac{5}{8(1)^4}$                                |
| $= 1000x^{\frac{3}{4}}$                            | $= -\frac{5}{8}$                                     |
| $= 1000(16^{\frac{3}{4}})$                         |  |
| $= 1000(4\sqrt{16})^3$                             |  |
| $= 1000(2)^3$                                      |  |
| $= 1000(8)$  |  |
| $= 8000$   |  |

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- 9. Simplify. Express answers in rational form with positive exponents.

$$\begin{aligned}
 c) \frac{(\sqrt{64a^{12}})^{\frac{2}{3}}}{(a^{1.5}-6)^{\frac{2}{3}}} &= \frac{(8(a^{12})^{\frac{1}{2}})^{\frac{2}{3}}}{a^{1.5 \times (-6)}} \\
 &= \frac{(8a^6)^{\frac{2}{3}}}{a^{-9}} \\
 &= (8a^6)^{\frac{2}{3}}a^9 \\
 &= (8a^{15})^{\frac{2}{3}} \\
 &= (3\sqrt{8})^2(a^{15})^{\frac{2}{3}} \\
 &= (2)^2a^{5 \times 2} \\
 &= 4a^{10}
 \end{aligned}$$

# 4.5 Exploring Properties of Exponential Functions

Date: Apr. 9/18

p. 240 Investigate – students complete A – E individually (or in pairs).

A.  $g(x) = x$

| x  | y  |
|----|----|
| -3 | -3 |
| -2 | -2 |
| -1 | -1 |
| 0  | 0  |
| 1  | 1  |
| 2  | 2  |
| 3  | 3  |
| 4  | 4  |
| 5  | 5  |

*F.D*

*Handwritten notes for g(x):*  
 $-2 - (-3) = 1$   
 $-1 - (-2) = 1$   
 $0 - (-1) = 1$   
 $1 - 0 = 1$   
 $2 - 1 = 1$   
 $3 - 2 = 1$   
 $4 - 3 = 1$   
 $5 - 4 = 1$

$h(x) = x^2$

| x  | y  |
|----|----|
| -3 | 9  |
| -2 | 4  |
| -1 | 1  |
| 0  | 0  |
| 1  | 1  |
| 2  | 4  |
| 3  | 9  |
| 4  | 16 |
| 5  | 25 |

*F.D SD*

*Handwritten notes for h(x):*  
 $4 - 9 = -5$   
 $1 - 4 = -3$   
 $0 - 1 = -1$   
 $1 - 0 = 1$   
 $4 - 1 = 3$   
 $9 - 4 = 5$   
 $16 - 9 = 7$   
 $25 - 16 = 9$   
 $-3 - (-5) = 2$   
 $-1 - (-3) = 2$   
 $1 - (-1) = 2$   
 $3 - 1 = 2$   
 $5 - 3 = 2$   
 $7 - 5 = 2$   
 $9 - 7 = 2$

$k(x) = 2^x$

| x  | y   |
|----|-----|
| -3 | 1/8 |
| -2 | 1/4 |
| -1 | 1/2 |
| 0  | 1   |
| 1  | 2   |
| 2  | 4   |
| 3  | 8   |
| 4  | 16  |
| 5  | 32  |

*Handwritten notes for k(x):*  
 $1/4 \div 1/8 = 2$   
 $1/4 \times 8 = 2$   
 $1/2 \div 1/4 = 2$   
 $1/2 \times 4 = 2$   
 $2 \div 1 = 2$   
 $2 \div 2 = 2$   
 $8 \div 4 = 2$   
 $16 \div 8 = 2$   
 $32 \div 16 = 2$

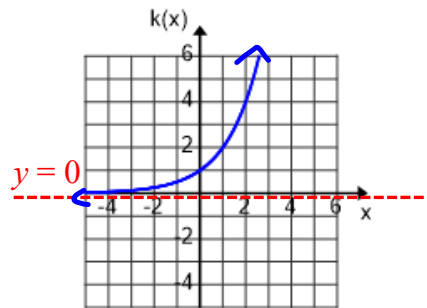
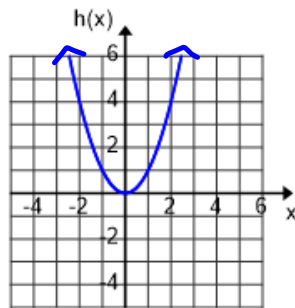
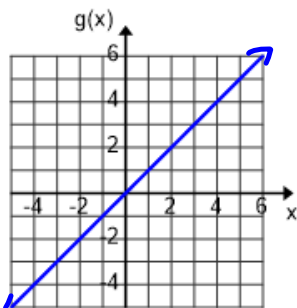
B.  $g(x) \rightarrow$  first differences are equal: *linear*

$h(x) \rightarrow$  second differences are equal: *quadratic*

$k(x) \rightarrow$  ratio of successive y-values are equal: *exponential*

*use first differences to eliminate translation?*

C.



D.

$D = \{x \in \mathbb{R}\}$

$R = \{y \in \mathbb{R}\}$

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$R = \{y \in \mathbb{R} \mid y \geq 0\}$

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$R = \{y \in \mathbb{R} \mid y > 0\}$

E.  $g(x) \rightarrow$  as independent variable (x) increases,

the dependent variable (y) also increases at a consistent rate

$h(x) \rightarrow$  as independent variable (x) increases,

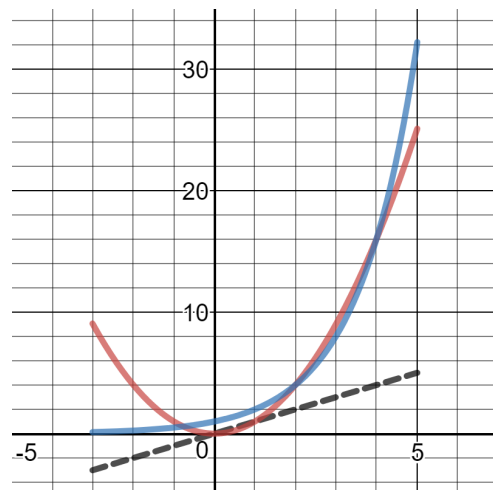
the dependent variable (y) decreases until  $x = 0$  and then increases

$k(x) \rightarrow$  as independent variable (x) increases,

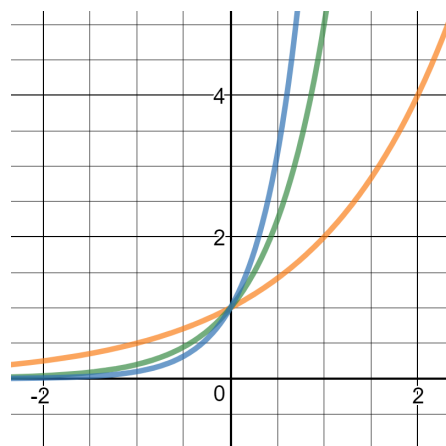
the dependent variable (y) also increases, slowly at first and then quickly.

## Show with DESMOS?

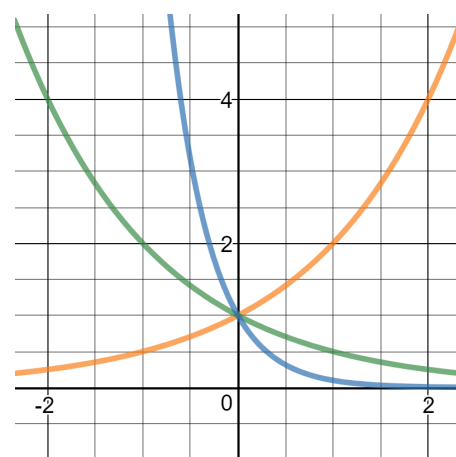
**C** <https://www.desmos.com/calculator/dcbvlufgmb>



**F** <https://www.desmos.com/calculator/snogpkesaw>



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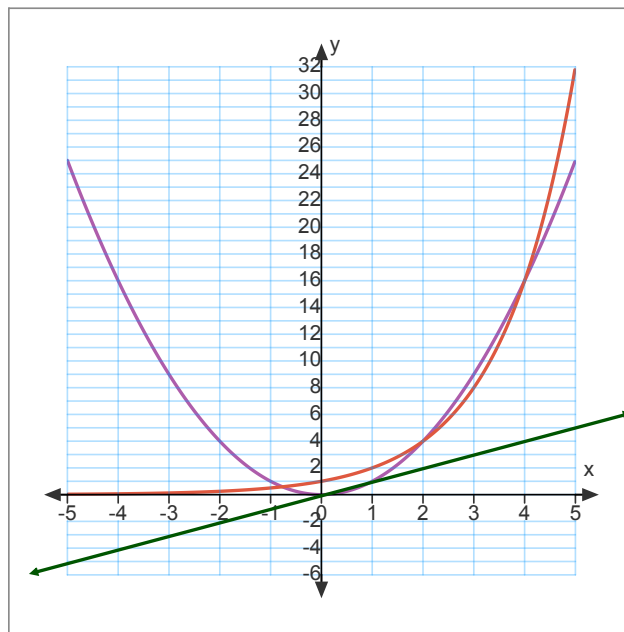
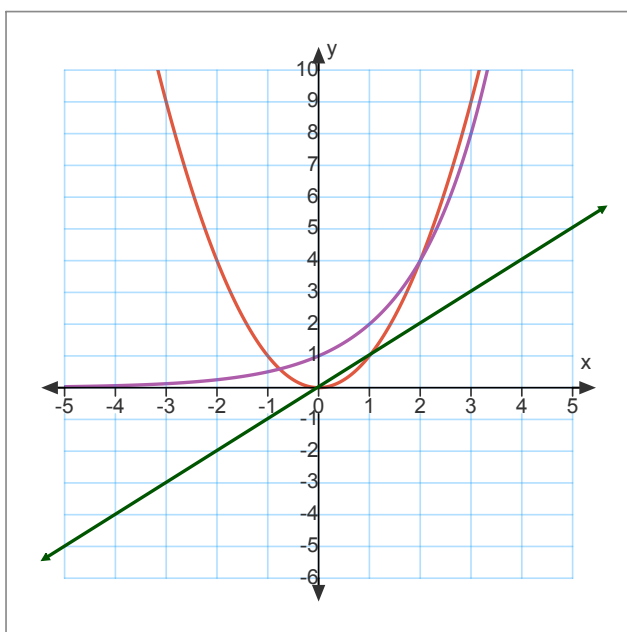
$$y = x$$

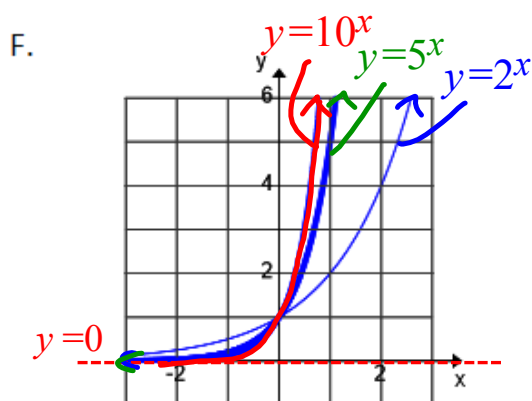
$$y = x^2$$

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$$y = 2^x$$

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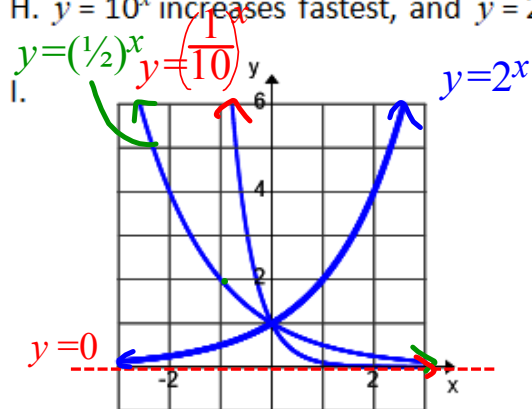


**Reminder:**  
Asymptotes **MUST** always be drawn and labelled.

G. For all 3 functions,  $D = \{x \in \mathbb{R}\}$  and  $R = \{y \in \mathbb{R} \mid y > 0\}$ .

The y-intercept = 1, there are no x-intercepts,  
and there is a Horizontal Asymptote [H.A.] at  $y = 0$  (x-axis).

H.  $y = 10^x$  increases fastest, and  $y = 2^x$  has the slowest rate of increase.



J. All properties remain the same as G.

K. As the values of  $x$  increase the graphs with fractional bases decrease (decay).

Summary: Properties of  $y = b^x$

- $b > 0$
- $y$ -int = 1
- H.A.:  $y = 0$  ( $x$ -axis) [Horizontal Asymptote]
- $D = \{x \in \mathbb{R}\}$
- $R = \{y \in \mathbb{R} \mid y > 0\}$
- Increasing when  $b > 1$  (growth)
- The greater the value of  $b$ , the faster the growth
- Decreasing when  $0 < b < 1$  (decay)
- Equal ratios of successive  $y$ -values

For tomorrow, think about the general form of  $y = a(b^x) + c$  and how the values of  $a$  and  $c$  relate to the graphs we drew today.

Today's Homework Practice includes:

pp. 240-241 A - P

**READ** p. 242

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