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- 1 Kathy plans to purchase a car that depreciates (loses value) at a rate of 14% per year. The initial cost of the car is \$21,000. Which equation represents the value, *v*, of the car after 3 years?
  - 1)  $v = 21,000(0.14)^3$

2) 
$$v = 21,000(0.86)^3$$

- 3)  $v = 21,000(1.14)^3$
- 4) v = 21,000(0.86)(3)
- 2 The New York Volleyball Association invited 64 teams to compete in a tournament. After each round, half of the teams were eliminated. Which equation represents the number of teams, *t*, that remained in the tournament after *r* rounds?

1) 
$$t = 64(r)^{0.5}$$

2) 
$$t = 64(-0.5)^r$$

3) 
$$t = 64(1.5)^r$$

- 4)  $t = 64(0.5)^r$
- 3 Mr. Smith invested \$2,500 in a savings account that earns 3% interest compounded annually. He made no additional deposits or withdrawals. Which expression can be used to determine the number of dollars in this account at the end of 4 years?
  - 1)  $2500(1+0.03)^4$
  - 2)  $2500(1+0.3)^4$
  - 3)  $2500(1+0.04)^3$
  - 4)  $2500(1+0.4)^3$

- 4 A car depreciates (loses value) at a rate of 4.5%
- A car depreciates (loses value) at a rate of 4.5% annually. Greg purchased a car for \$12,500.
  Which equation can be used to determine the value of the car, V, after 5 years?
  - 1)  $V = 12,500(0.55)^5$
  - 2)  $V = 12,500(0.955)^5$
  - 3)  $V = 12,500(1.045)^5$
  - 4)  $V = 12,500(1.45)^5$
- 5 The current population of a town is 10,000. If the population, *P*, increases by 20% each year, which equation could be used to find the population after *t* years?
  - 1)  $P = 10,000(0.2)^t$
  - 2)  $P = 10,000(0.8)^t$
  - 3)  $P = 10,000(1.2)^t$
  - 4)  $P = 10,000(1.8)^t$
- 6 Robert invests \$800 in an account at 1.8% interest compounded annually. He will make no deposits or withdrawals on this account for 3 years. Which formula could be used to find the balance, *A*, in the account after the 3 years?
  - 1)  $A = 800(1 .18)^3$
  - 2)  $A = 800(1+.18)^3$
  - 3)  $A = 800(1 .018)^3$
  - 4)  $A = 800(1 + .018)^3$

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