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- 1 The height of a golf ball hit into the air is modeled by the equation  $h = -16t^2 + 48t$ , where *h* represents the height, in feet, and *t* represents the number of seconds that have passed since the ball was hit. What is the height of the ball after 2 seconds?
  - 1) 16 ft
  - 2) 32 ft
  - 3) 64 ft
  - 4) 80 ft
- 2 The equation  $P = 0.0089t^2 + 1.1149t + 78.4491$ models the United States population, *P*, in millions since 1900. If *t* represents the number of years after 1900, then what is the estimated population in 2025 to the *nearest tenth of a million*?
  - 1) 217.8
  - 2) 219.0
  - 3) 343.9
  - 4) 356.9
- 3 For a recently released movie, the function

 $y = 119.67(0.61)^x$  models the revenue earned, y, in millions of dollars each week, x, for several weeks after its release. Based on the equation, how much more money, in millions of dollars, was earned in revenue for week 3 than for week 5?

- 1) 37.27
- 2) 27.16
- 3) 17.06
- 4) 10.11

4 The value, y, of a \$15,000 investment over x years  $\frac{x}{x}$ 

is represented by the equation  $y = 15000(1.2)^3$ . What is the profit (interest) on a 6-year investment?

- 1) \$6,600
- 2) \$10,799
- 3) \$21,600
- 4) \$25,799
- 5 Kathy deposits \$25 into an investment account with an annual rate of 5%, compounded annually. The amount in her account can be determined by the formula  $A = P(1+R)^t$ , where *P* is the amount deposited, *R* is the annual interest rate, and *t* is the number of years the money is invested. If she makes no other deposits or withdrawals, how much money will be in her account at the end of 15 years?
  - 1) \$25.75
  - 2) \$43.75
  - 3) \$51.97
  - 4) \$393.97
- 6 If \$5000 is invested at a rate of 3% interest compounded quarterly, what is the value of the investment in 5 years? (Use the formula

$$A = P\left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nt}$$
, where A is the amount accrued, P

is the principal, r is the interest rate, n is the number of times per year the money is compounded, and tis the length of time, in years.)

- 1) \$5190.33
- 2) \$5796.37
- 3) \$5805.92
- 4) \$5808.08

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7 Yusef deposits \$50 into a savings account that pays 3.25% interest compounded quarterly. The amount, *A*, in his account can be determined by the formula

$$A = P\left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nt}$$
, where *P* is the initial amount

invested, r is the interest rate, n is the number of times per year the money is compounded, and t is the number of years for which the money is invested. What will his investment be worth in 12 years if he makes no other deposits or withdrawals?

- 1) \$55.10
- 2) \$73.73
- 3) \$232.11
- 4) \$619.74
- 8 The Franklins inherited \$3,500, which they want to invest for their child's future college expenses. If they invest it at 8.25% with interest compounded monthly, determine the value of the account, in dollars, after 5 years. Use the formula

 $A = P\left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nt}$ , where A = value of the investment

after t years, P = principal invested, r = annual interest rate, and n = number of times compounded per year.

## F.IF.A.2: Evaluating Functions Answer Section

1 ANS: 2  $h = -16(2)^{2} + 48(2) = -64 + 96 = 32$ REF: 080508a 2 ANS: 4  $P = 0.0089(125)^2 + 1.1149(125) + 78.4491 \approx 356.9$ REF: 061422ia 3 ANS: 3  $119.67(0.61)^5 - 119.67(0.61)^3 \approx 17.06$ REF: 011603ai 4 ANS: 1  $15000(1.2)^{\overline{3}} = 21,600.\ 21,600 - 15,000 = 6,600$ REF: 061030ia 5 ANS: 3  $A = P(1+R)^{t} = 25(1+.05)^{15} \approx 51.97$ REF: 060803b 6 ANS: 3  $5000 \left(1 + \frac{.03}{4}\right)^{4.5} = 5000 (1.0075)^{20} \approx 5805.92$ REF: 011410a2 7 ANS: 2  $A = 50 \left( 1 + \frac{.0325}{4} \right)^{4 \cdot 12} = 50(1.008125)^{48} \approx 73.73$ REF: 081511a2 8 ANS: \$5,279.61.  $A = P(1 + \frac{r}{n})^{nt} = 3500(1 + \frac{.0825}{12})^{12\times5} \approx 5279.61$ 

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