



## Exponential Function Solution Equation - Decay (Continuous, Mis-matched Time Units) Equation to Starting Value

1 Rearrange this equation to solve for the starting concentration given this model of a continuous decay of a radioactive material?

$$245 = R_0 \cdot e^{(-0.04 \cdot \frac{5}{7})}$$

A  $R_0 = \frac{e^{(-0.04 \cdot \frac{5}{7})}}{245}$

B  $R_0 = \frac{245}{e^{(-\frac{0.04}{5} \cdot \frac{5}{7})}}$

C  $R_0 = \frac{245}{e^{(-0.04 \cdot \frac{5}{7})}}$

2 Rearrange this equation to solve for the starting concentration given this model of a continuous decay of a radioactive material?

$$266 = R_0 \cdot e^{(-0.06 \cdot \frac{2}{7})}$$

A  $R_0 = \frac{266}{e^{(-0.06 \cdot \frac{2}{7})}}$

B  $R_0 = \frac{266}{e^{(-\frac{0.06}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{7})}}$

C  $R_0 = \frac{e^{(-0.06 \cdot \frac{2}{7})}}{266}$

3 Rearrange this equation to solve for the starting population given this model of a continuously declining bacteria population?

$$688 = P_0 \cdot e^{(-0.05 \cdot \frac{3}{365})}$$

A  $P_0 = \frac{e^{(-0.05 \cdot \frac{3}{365})}}{688}$

B  $P_0 = \frac{688}{e^{(-0.05 \cdot \frac{3}{365})}}$

C  $P_0 = \frac{688}{e^{(-\frac{0.05}{3} \cdot \frac{3}{365})}}$

4 Rearrange this equation to solve for the starting population given this model of a continuous decline of a whale population?

$$610 = P_0 \cdot e^{(-0.09 \cdot 3 \cdot 4)}$$

A  $P_0 = \frac{e^{(-0.09 \cdot 3 \cdot 4)}}{610}$

B  $P_0 = \frac{610}{e^{(-\frac{0.09}{4} \cdot 3 \cdot 4)}}$

C  $P_0 = \frac{610}{e^{(-0.09 \cdot 3 \cdot 4)}}$

5 Rearrange this equation to solve for the starting concentration given this model of a continuous decay of a radioactive material?

$$510 = R_0 \cdot e^{(-0.09 \cdot 5 \cdot 7)}$$

A  $R_0 = \frac{510}{e^{(-0.09 \cdot 5 \cdot 7)}}$

B  $R_0 = \frac{510}{e^{(-\frac{0.09}{5} \cdot 7)}}$

6 Rearrange this equation to solve for the starting population given this model of a continuously declining bacteria population?

$$550 = P_0 \cdot e^{(-0.06 \cdot \frac{4}{7})}$$

A  $P_0 = \frac{e^{(-0.06 \cdot \frac{4}{7})}}{550}$

B  $P_0 = \frac{550}{e^{(-\frac{0.06}{4} \cdot \frac{4}{7})}}$

C  $P_0 = \frac{550}{e^{(-0.06 \cdot \frac{4}{7})}}$

7 Rearrange this equation to solve for the starting population given this model of a continuous decline of a bird population?

$$134 = P_0 \cdot e^{(-0.05 \cdot \frac{8}{4})}$$

A  $P_0 = \frac{e^{(-0.05 \cdot \frac{8}{4})}}{134}$

B  $P_0 = \frac{134}{e^{(-0.05 \cdot \frac{8}{4})}}$

C  $P_0 = \frac{134}{e^{(-\frac{0.05}{8} \cdot \frac{8}{4})}}$

8 Rearrange this equation to solve for the starting population given this model of a continuously declining bacteria population?

$$666 = P_0 \cdot e^{(-0.05 \cdot 6 \cdot 12)}$$

A  $P_0 = \frac{666}{e^{(-0.05 \cdot 6 \cdot 12)}}$

B  $P_0 = \frac{666}{e^{(-\frac{0.05}{6} \cdot 12)}}$