



Exponential Function Solving - Decay (Discrete) Equation to Starting Value

1 Solve for the starting population given this model of a decline of a whale population (yearly breeding cycle)?

$$234 = P_0 \cdot (1 - 0.06)^{(4)}$$

A $3 + P_0 = P \cdot (1 - r)^t$

B $P_0 = \frac{P}{(1 - r)^t}$

C $3 + P_0 = \frac{P}{(1 + r)^t}$

D $8 + P_0 = P \cdot (1 - r)^t$

2 Solve for the starting population given this model of a decline of a whale population (yearly breeding cycle)?

$$156 = P_0 \cdot (1 - 0.03)^{(8)}$$

A $3 + P_0 = \frac{P}{(1 + r)^t}$

B $P_0 = \frac{P}{(1 - r)^t}$

C $1 + P_0 = P \cdot (1 - r)^t$

D $9 + P_0 = P \cdot (1 - r)^t$

3 Solve for the starting cash given this model of a balance of a charitable endowment (yearly disbursements)?

$$141 = P_0 \cdot (1 - 0.09)^{(8)}$$

A $8 + P_0 = P \cdot (1 - r)^t$

B $6 + P_0 = \frac{P}{(1 + r)^t}$

C $P_0 = \frac{P}{(1 - r)^t}$

D $4 + P_0 = \frac{P}{(1 + r)^t}$

4 Solve for the starting cash given this model of a balance of a charitable endowment (yearly disbursements)?

$$150 = P_0 \cdot (1 - 0.04)^{(7)}$$

A $P_0 = \frac{P}{(1 - r)^t}$

B $2 + P_0 = P \cdot (1 - r)^t$

C $6 + P_0 = \frac{P}{(1 + r)^t}$

D $2 + P_0 = \frac{P}{(1 + r)^t}$

5 Solve for the starting concentration given this model of a decline of a toxin concentration (daily dialysis)?

$$553 = C_0 \cdot (1 - 0.02)^{(4)}$$

A $C_0 = \frac{C}{(1 - r)^t}$

B $9 + C_0 = C \cdot (1 - r)^t$

C $2 + C_0 = \frac{C}{(1 + r)^t}$

D $6 + C_0 = C \cdot (1 - r)^t$

6 Solve for the starting cash given this model of a balance of a charitable endowment (yearly disbursements)?

$$707 = P_0 \cdot (1 - 0.04)^{(3)}$$

A $7 + P_0 = P \cdot (1 - r)^t$

B $1 + P_0 = P \cdot (1 - r)^t$

C $P_0 = \frac{P}{(1 - r)^t}$

D $9 + P_0 = P \cdot (1 - r)^t$

7 Solve for the starting population given this model of a decline of a whale population (yearly breeding cycle)?

$$121 = P_0 \cdot (1 - 0.08)^{(6)}$$

A $7 + P_0 = \frac{P}{(1 + r)^t}$

B $P_0 = \frac{P}{(1 - r)^t}$

C $2 + P_0 = P \cdot (1 - r)^t$

8 Solve for the starting cash given this model of a balance of a charitable endowment (daily disbursements)?

$$293 = P_0 \cdot (1 - 0.06)^{(5)}$$

A $9 + P_0 = \frac{P}{(1 + r)^t}$

B $3 + P_0 = P \cdot (1 - r)^t$

C $P_0 = \frac{P}{(1 - r)^t}$

D $8 + P_0 = \frac{P}{(1 + r)^t}$