



## Exponential Function Solution Equation - Growth (Continuous, Mis-matched Time Units) - Scenario to Time

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A credit card starts with \$500 of debt. It grows continuously at 9% interest per year. After a certain number of months the debt has grown to \$598.

Rearrange the exponential equation to solve for for the time given this scenario?

A	$t = 12 \cdot \frac{\ln \frac{598}{500}}{0.09}$	B	$t = -\frac{1}{12} \cdot \frac{\ln 598 \cdot 500}{0.09}$
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C	$t = 12 \cdot \frac{0.09}{\ln \frac{598}{500}}$		
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Rearrange the exponential equation to solve for for the time given this scenario?

A credit card starts with \$900 of debt. It grows continuously at 8% interest per month. After a certain number of quarters the debt has grown to \$1,575.

A	$t = -3 \cdot \frac{\ln 1575 \cdot 900}{0.08}$	B	$t = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{\ln \frac{1575}{900}}{0.08}$
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An insect population starts at 400. It grows continuously at 7% growth per month. After a certain number of years it has increased to a population of 751.

Rearrange the exponential equation to solve for for the time given this scenario?

A	$t = \frac{1}{12} \cdot \frac{\ln \frac{751}{400}}{0.07}$	B	$t = 12 \cdot \frac{\ln \frac{751}{400}}{0.07}$
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C	$t = -12 \cdot \frac{\ln 751 \cdot 400}{0.07}$		
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A bacteria population starts at 600. It grows continuously at 7% growth per day. After a certain number of years it has increased to a population of 1,126.

Rearrange the exponential equation to solve for for the time given this scenario?

A	$t = \frac{1}{365} \cdot \frac{0.07}{\ln \frac{1126}{600}}$	B	$t = \frac{1}{365} \cdot \frac{\ln \frac{1126}{600}}{0.07}$
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C	$t = 365 \cdot \frac{\ln \frac{1126}{600}}{0.07}$		
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An insect population starts at 200. It grows continuously at 8% growth per week. After a certain number of days it has increased to a population of 323.

Rearrange the exponential equation to solve for for the time given this scenario?

A	$t = 7 \cdot \frac{\ln \frac{323}{200}}{0.08}$	B	$t = \frac{1}{7} \cdot \frac{\ln \frac{323}{200}}{0.08}$
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C	$t = 7 \cdot \frac{0.08}{\ln \frac{323}{200}}$		
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A rabbit population starts at 600. It grows continuously at 4% growth per quarter. After a certain number of years it has increased to a population of 649 rabbits.

Rearrange the exponential equation to solve for for the time given this scenario?

A	$t = -4 \cdot \frac{\ln 649 \cdot 600}{0.04}$	B	$t = 4 \cdot \frac{\ln \frac{649}{600}}{0.04}$
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C	$t = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{\ln \frac{649}{600}}{0.04}$		
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A credit card starts with \$600 of debt. It grows continuously at 7% interest per month. After a certain number of quarters the debt has grown to \$851.

Rearrange the exponential equation to solve for for the time given this scenario?

A	$t = 3 \cdot \frac{\ln \frac{851}{600}}{0.07}$	B	$t = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{\ln \frac{851}{600}}{0.07}$
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C	$t = -3 \cdot \frac{\ln 851 \cdot 600}{0.07}$		
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A credit card starts with \$300 of debt. It grows continuously at 2% interest per year. After a certain number of quarters the debt has grown to \$345.

Rearrange the exponential equation to solve for for the time given this scenario?

A	$t = 4 \cdot \frac{\ln \frac{345}{300}}{0.02}$	B	$t = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{\ln \frac{345}{300}}{0.02}$
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C	$t = 4 \cdot \frac{0.02}{\ln \frac{345}{300}}$	D	$t = -\frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{\ln 345 \cdot 300}{0.02}$
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