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Module 9 Using Functions

Lesson 5 Solving Problems Using Functions



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- **1a.** Write an equation for the function that can be used to find the volume of a shed with a square floor, and a height of 10 feet.
- **1b.** Use the function from exercise 1a to find the volume of a shed with a floor whose length is nine feet.
- **2a.** Write an equation for the function that can be used to find the number of light bulbs in *p* packages, if each package contains four light bulbs.
- **2b.** Use the function from exercise 2a to find the number of light bulbs included in seven packages.
- **3a.** Write an equation for the function that can be used to find the number of cans of paint needed to paint four walls and the ceiling of a cube-shaped room *x* feet long. Each can of paint covers 100 square feet.
- **3b.** Use the function from exercise 3a to find the number of cans of paint needed if the cubeshaped room is 10 feet long.
- **4a.** Newt opened a checking account with a \$500 deposit. Each month, he withdraws \$20. Write a function to show Newt's balance after *m* months.
- **4b.** Use the function from exercise 4a to find Newt's balance after 12 months.
- **5a.** A piano teacher started with two students. At the end of each year, he takes on three additional students. Write a function to show the number of students the piano teacher has after *r* years.
- **5b.** Use the function from exercise 5a to determine when the teacher will have 26 students.

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- **6a.** Write a function to show the number of cards remaining in a 52-card deck after *d* cards have been dealt.
- **6b.** Use the function from exercise 6a to determine the number of cards remaining after 27 cards have been dealt.
- **7a.** Write a function to show the number of eggs remaining in a crate of 144 eggs after x 3-egg omelets have been made.
- **7b.** Use the function from exercise 7a to determine how many 3-egg omelets can be made if 20 eggs must be reserved for other uses.
- **8a.** The cost of a long-distance phone call can be described by a linear equation. A 10-minute phone call costs \$0.70. A 15-minute phone call costs \$0.95. Write the equation for the function.
- **8b.** Use the function from exercise 8a to determine the cost of a 5-minute phone call.
- **9a.** The cost of purchasing and operating a refrigerator can be described by a linear function. It costs \$357 to purchase and operate the refrigerator for four months, and \$373 for 6 months. Write a linear function to show the cost of purchasing and operating the refrigerator for *m* months.
- **9b.** Use the function from exercise 9a to determine the cost of purchasing and operating the refrigerator for two years.

- **10a.** The cost of developing the pictures on a roll of film at FastPix can be described by a linear function. It costs \$4.60 to develop 13 pictures, and \$5.60 to develop 18 pictures. Write a linear function to show the cost of developing a roll of film containing *p* pictures.
- **10b.** Use the function from exercise 10a to determine the cost of developing a roll of film containing 21 pictures.

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