

Answer application problems with complete sentences using proper units.

4. The relationship between the tuition, T , and the number of credits, c , at a particular college is given by

$$T(c) = \begin{cases} 100 + 220c & 0 \leq c \leq 6 \\ 800 + 220(c-6) & 6 < c \leq 18 \end{cases}$$

- A. What is the tuition for 7 credits?

$$T(7) = 800 + 220(7-6) = 920$$

The tuition for seven credits is \$920.

- B. If the tuition was \$3000, how many credits were taken?

$$\begin{aligned} 1880 &= 800 + 220(c-6) & 9 &= c-6 \\ 1080 &= 120(c-6) & c &= 15 \end{aligned}$$

The tuition is \$1880 when 15 credits are taken

- C. What is the domain of this function?

$$\{c \mid 0 \leq c \leq 18, c \text{ is an integer}\}$$

- D. Give a practical interpretation of the vertical intercept.

The vertical intercept is $(0, 100)$.

This means that tuition is \$100 with 0 credits.
This would be a registration fee or orientation fee.

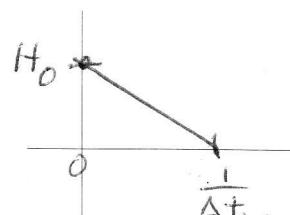
- E. Give a practical interpretation of the slope.

The slope is 220. This is the cost per credit.

5. Sketch $H(\alpha) = H_0(1 - \alpha \cdot \Delta t)$. Label the axes and the intercepts clearly. The constants are positive.

This is a linear function $H(\alpha) = H_0 - H_0 \cdot \Delta t \alpha$

$$H(0) = H_0$$



for horizontal intercept

$$H_0(1 - \alpha \cdot \Delta t) = 0$$

$$1 - \alpha \cdot \Delta t = 0$$

$$\alpha \cdot \Delta t = 1$$

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{\Delta t}$$

6. Solve $g(y) = 5$ for $g(y) = \sqrt{y^2 - 16^2}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{y^2 - 16^2} &= 5 \\ y^2 - 256 &= 25 \\ y^2 &= 281 \end{aligned}$$

$$y = \pm \sqrt{281}$$

7. Find the domain and range of $f(x) = \frac{|9-x^2|}{x+3}$.

For domain: $x+3$ cannot equal 0

$$D: \{x \mid x \neq -3\}$$

For range: There will be no negative values because of the absolute value

$$R: [0, \infty) \quad \text{or} \quad \{y \mid y \geq 0\}$$