

SAMPLE #1

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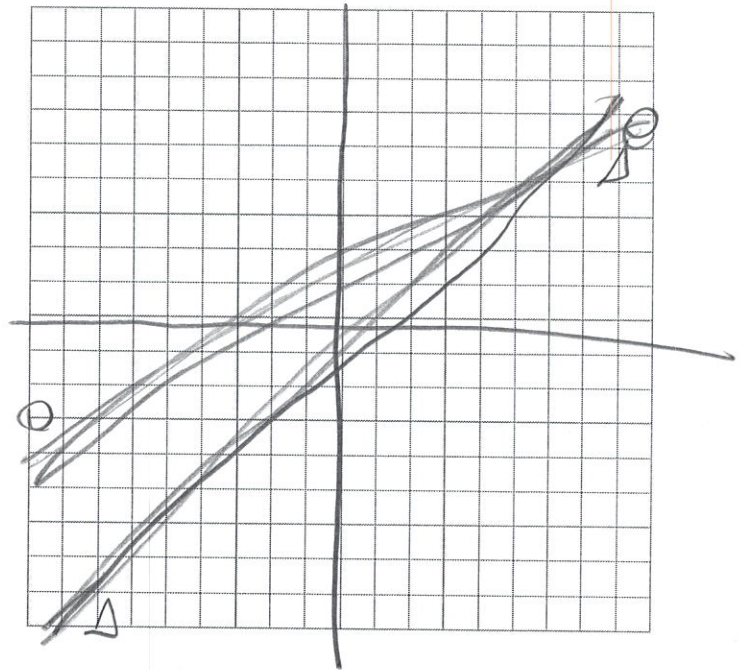
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a) Construct a table of data for the diameter of the moldy region for the first 6 days (starting at $x = 0$ days). Make a plot of your data on the grid provided. Let x represent time (in days) and y represent the diameter of the moldy region. Be sure to label each axis.

x	y
0	1.5
1	2
2	2.5
3	3
4	3.5
5	4
6	4.5

b) Write an equation that describes the mold diameter at any time.

$$y = 1.5 + 0.5x$$



c) Identify the slope for your equation in part (b). Explain that the slope means in this context (situation).

$$(1, 0.5)$$

d) Another moldy region begins with a diameter of 0.5 cm and appears to double in diameter each day. Construct a table of data for the diameter of this moldy region for the first 4 days (starting at $x = 0$ days). Plot the data on the same graph, using a different symbol (like a triangle) or color for the points.

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0	0.5
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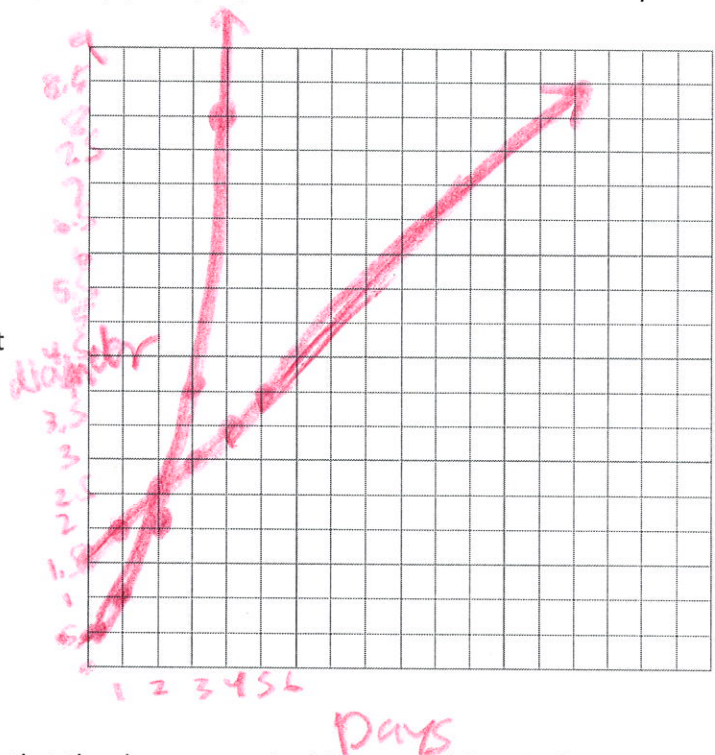
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~~$y = x + 1.5$~~

$y = x \text{ times } 0.875$

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$2.25 - 1.5 = 0.75$

$1 - 0 = 1$

$\frac{0.75}{1} = 0.75$

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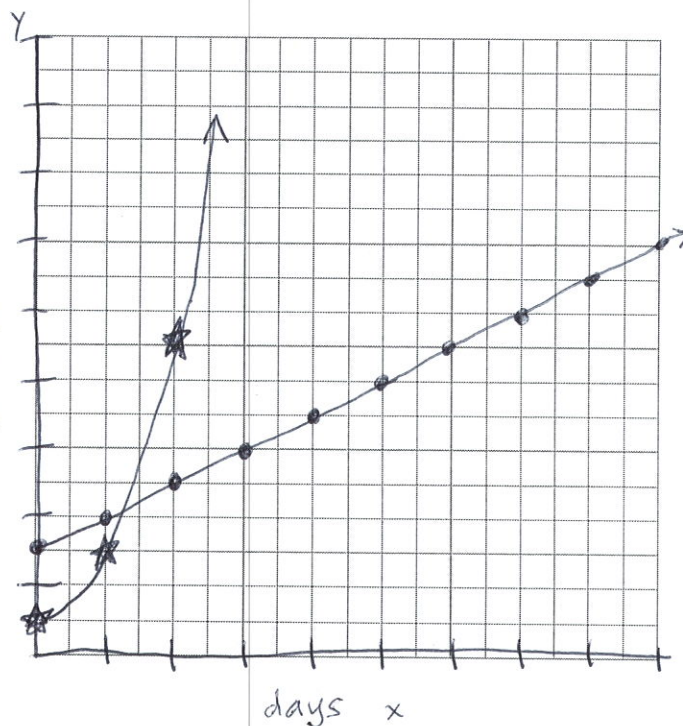
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its a linear line. it means that the mold is growing at a constant steady rate

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x	y
0	0.5
1	1.5
2	4.5
3	9.5
4	16.5
5	25.5