

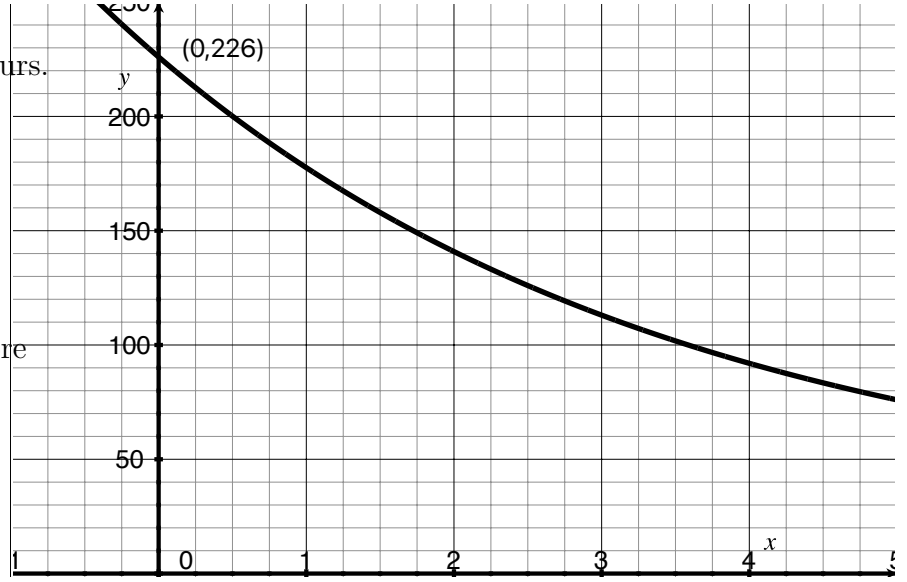
Quiz 3

Show *all* your work. Reasonable supporting work must be shown for any partial credit.

1. Suppose a metal block is cooling so that its temperature (in Celsius) is graphed below, where x is in hours.

(a) [1] Approximate the temperature after 2 hours.

(b) [1] Approximate how many hours go by before the temperature of the metal is 100° ?



(c) [2] Newton's law of cooling lets us know that the temperature of the metal block is of the form De^{-kx} but then vertically shifted. For this particular metal block we know the exponential graph is $200 \cdot 4^{-0.2x}$, but then vertically shifted. Find the algebraic rule for the function graphed here.

2. [3] We know that $\log(x) = -2.1$, $\log(z^2) = 5$. Find $\log(xz^2)$.

3. [3] Find x given $(x + 1)^{-1} + \frac{1}{2} = 5$.