

- For each table below, show all work that helps you decide if it is linear function, linear correlation, or nonlinear.
- If it is linear, give the rate (explain it in context if there is one.)
- (be careful with your decimals and negatives!)

1.

Number of Balloons	Total Cost of Balloons (in Dollars)
2 +2	6 +6
4 +2	12 +6
6 +2	18 +6
8	24

$$\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{6}{2}$$

$m=3$   
Linear Function

The cost increases \$3 every balloon

2.

Number of Lawns	Total Earned (in Dollars)
3 +2	25.50 +17
5 +2	42.50 +17
7 +2	59.50 +17
9	76.50

$$\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{17}{2} = m$$

Linear Function

The person earns \$17 every 2 lawns

3.

Number of Raffle Tickets	Total Cost of Raffle Tickets (in Dollars)
2 +2	1 +1
4 +4	2 +2
8 +2	4 +1
10	5

$$\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{1}{2} \quad \frac{2}{4} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}$$

$m = \frac{1}{2}$   
Linear Function

The cost of tickets increases \$1 every 2 tickets

4.

x	y
-2 +2	8 -8
0 +2	0 -8
2 +2	-8 -8
4	-16

$$\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{-8}{2}$$

$m = -4$   
Linear function

5.

Number of Photos Printed	Total Cost of Photos (in Dollars)
10 +10	2 +2
20 +10	4 +2
30 +10	6 +2
40	8

$$\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{2}{10}$$

$m = \frac{1}{5}$   
Linear Function

The cost increases \$1 every 5 photos

6.

x	y
3 +2	27 +18
5 +2	45 +18
7 +2	63 +18
9	81

$$\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{18}{2}$$

$m = 9$   
Linear function

7.

x	y
2 +3	14 +21
5 +2	35 +14
7 +3	49 +21
10	70

$$\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} \quad \frac{21}{3} \quad \frac{14}{2} \quad \frac{21}{3}$$

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7       7       7

$m=7$   
Linear Function

8.

x	y
-10 +8	50 -40
-2 +6	10 -30
4 +10	-20 -50
14	-70

$$\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} \quad \frac{-40}{8} \quad \frac{-30}{6} \quad \frac{-50}{10}$$

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-5     -5     -5

$m=-5$  Linear Function

9.

x	y
-1 +3	-24 +72
2 +2	48 +42
4 +4	90 +102
8	192

$$\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} \quad \frac{72}{3} \quad \frac{42}{2} \quad \frac{102}{4}$$

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24     21     25.5

all close so

~~may be off from the others~~

oops!

Linear correlation

10.

x	y
-6 +3	12 -6
-3 +6	6 -12
3 +3	-6 -4
6	-10

$$\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} \quad \frac{-6}{3} \quad \frac{-12}{6} \quad \frac{-4}{3}$$

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close to -2

Linear correlation

$$\begin{array}{r} 24 \\ + 48 \\ \hline 72 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} \sqrt{102} \\ 3 \sqrt{72} \\ \hline 6 \\ 12 \end{array}$$