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## Lesson 7 Homework Practice

## Linear and Nonlinear Functions

Determine whether each table represents a linear or a nonlinear function. Explain.
1.

| $x$ | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $y$ | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |

2. 

| $\boldsymbol{x}$ | 0 | 2 | 4 | 6 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $y$ | 2 | 6 | 18 | 38 |

3. 

| $\boldsymbol{x}$ | 4 | 6.5 | 9 | 11.5 | 14 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\boldsymbol{y}$ | 3 | 8 | 13 | 18 | 23 |

4. 

| $\boldsymbol{x}$ | 1.5 | 3 | 4.5 | 6 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\boldsymbol{y}$ | 2 | 4 | 8 | 16 |

5. The table shows the cost of long distance calls as a function of the number of minutes used. Is the cost a linear or nonlinear function of the number of minutes used? Explain.

| Number of Minutes | 40 | 80 | 120 | 160 | 200 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cost (\$) | 4.00 | 8.00 | 12.00 | 16.00 | 20.00 |

6. MINIMUM WAGE The graph shows a
state's minimum wage from 2005 to 2012.
Would you describe the yearly increase as linear or nonlinear? Explain your reasoning.

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## Lesson 7 Problem-Solving Practice

## Linear and Nonlinear Functions

GEOMETRY For Exercises 1 and 2, use the following information.
Recall that the perimeter of a square is equal to 4 times the length of one of its sides, and the area of a square is equal to the square of one of its sides.


1. Write a function for the perimeter of the square. Is the perimeter of a square a linear or nonlinear function of the length of one of its sides? Explain.
2. BUSINESS The Devon Tool Company uses the equation $p=150 t$ to calculate the gross profit $p$ the company makes, in dollars, when it sells $t$ tools. Is the gross profit a linear or nonlinear function of the number of tools sold? Explain.
3. Write a function for the area of the square. Is the area of a square a linear or nonlinear function of the length of one of its sides? Explain.
4. GRAVITY A camera is accidentally dropped from a balloon at a height of 300 feet. The height of the camera after falling for $t$ seconds is given by $h=300-16 t^{2}$. Is the height of the camera a linear or nonlinear function of the time it takes to fall? Explain.
5. LONG DISTANCE The table shows the charge for a long-distance call as a function of the number of minutes the call lasts. Is the charge a linear or nonlinear function of the number of minutes? Explain.

| Minutes | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cost $(\boldsymbol{q})$ | 5 | 10 | 15 | 20 |

6. DRIVING The table shows the cost of a speeding ticket as a function of the speed of the car. Is the cost a linear or nonlinear function of the car's speed? Explain.

| Speed (mph) | 70 | 80 | 90 | 100 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cost (\$) | 25 | 50 | 150 | 300 |

