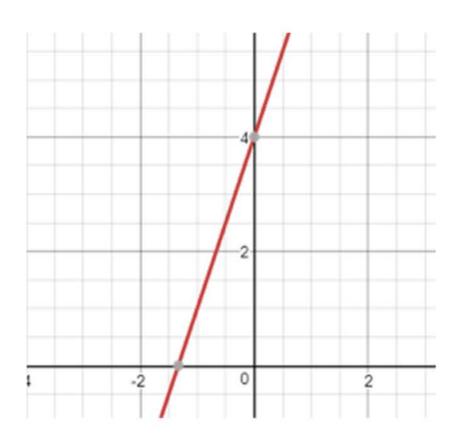
Highlighting Mathematical Practices

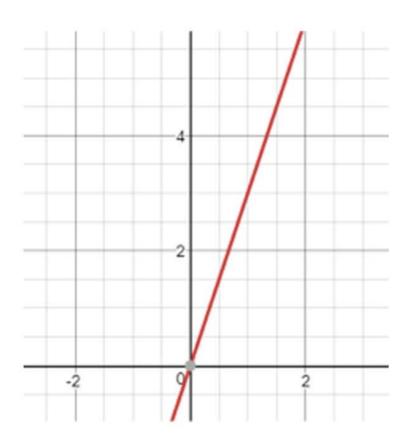
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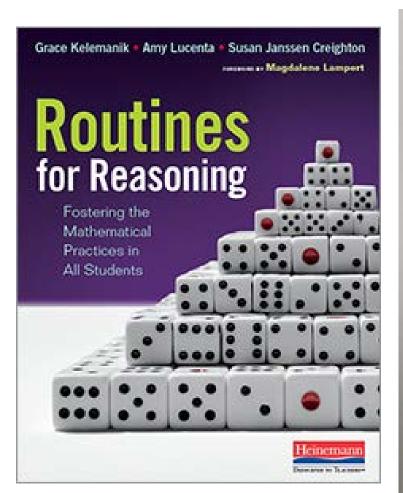
What is the same? What is different?





Standards for Mathematical Practice

- 1. Make sense of problems and persevere in solving them.
- 2. Reason abstractly and quantitatively.
- 3. Construct viable arguments and critique the reasoning of others.
- 4. Model with mathematics.
- 5. Use appropriate tools strategically.
- 6. Attend to precision.
- 7. Look for and make use of structure.
- 8. Look for regularity in repeated reasoning.



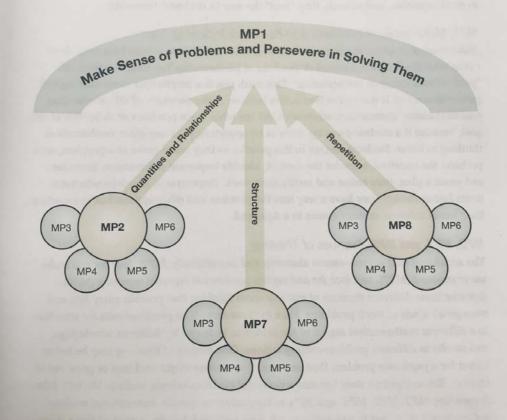


Figure 1.1 Diagram that shows the relationship of the practices to each other

Teach content through the practices:

- What content standards need to be addressed?
- What do students already know?
- Introduce a situation...
- Have students develop a problem to solve based on the situation.
- Be intentional about which standards for math practice you want students to use.

A 3-Act Task

25 Billion Apps

3-Acts Math Task

Act One: What questions do you have about the video?

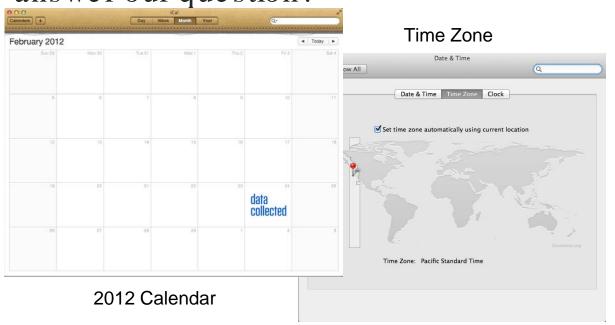
Define boundaries

How long is too long to wait?

How short is too short?

Act Two: What information do we need to know in order to

answer our question?





Work with a partner or group to solve the problem.

Act Three: The ANSWER



Re: 25 Billion Apps

1 message

Tue, Mar 6, 2012 at 10:00 AM

Thanks for reaching out. That sounds like a fun idea for the class!

We officially reached the milestone around 10:50pm PST Friday night 3/2/12. (About 7 days later...)

Best, Ted

Ted Miller Apple PR

Sent from my iPad

Debrief

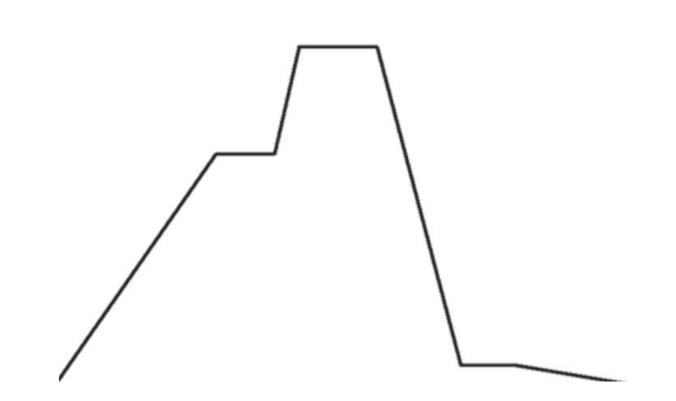
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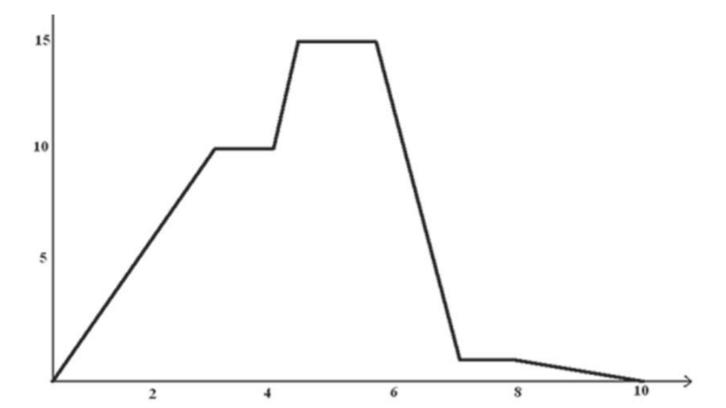
• Construct a function to model a linear relationship between two quantities. Determine the rate of change and initial value of the function from a description of a relationship or from two (x, y) values, including reading these from a table or from a graph. Interpret the rate of change and initial value of a linear function in terms of the situation it models, and in terms of its graph or a table of values.

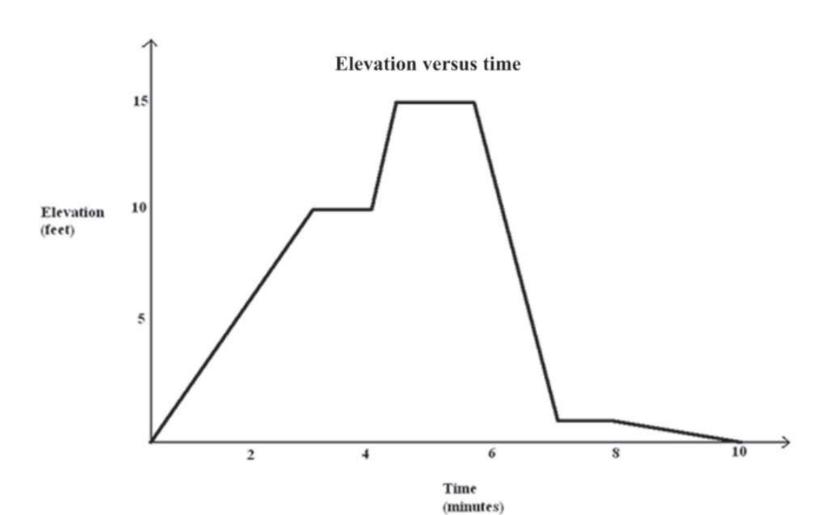
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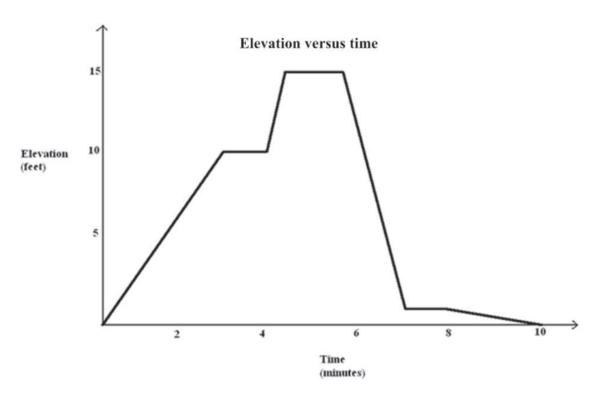
Numberless Problems







What are some questions you can ask about this graph?



Debrief

How does this connect to standards N-Q.A.1 and A-CED.A.2?

- N-Q.A.1 Use units as a way to understand problems and to guide the solution of multistep problems; choose and interpret units consistently in formulas; and choose and interpret the scale and the origin in graphs and data displays.★
- A-CED.A.2 Create equations in two or more variables to represent relationships between quantities; graph equations on coordinate axes with labels and scales.★

What math practices did we incorporate?

How could students extend this problem?

Highlighting the practices in problems...

- Use problems you already have!
- Replace tasks with other more meaningful tasks!
 - o Same But Different Math.com
 - WhenMathHappens.com
 - O Dan Meyer's 3-Acts Math Tasks
 - o 101 Questions
- Intentionally incorporate standards for mathematical practice!

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