



## Expressing Equations

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1. **t = b55.97**

2. **t = m1.18**

3. **t = b5.67**

4. **t = p12.24**

5. **t = e350**

6. **t = m1.32**

7. **t = c1.93**

8. **t = b5**

9. **t = b2.83**

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