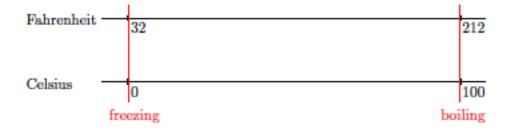
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## **Lesson 30: Conversion Between Celsius and Fahrenheit**

## Classwork

- (1) If t is a number, what is the degree in Fahrenheit that corresponds to  $t^{\circ}C$ ?
- (2) If t is a number, what is the degree in Fahrenheit that corresponds to  $(-t)^{\circ}C$ ?



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## **Exercises**

Determine the corresponding Fahrenheit temperate for the given Celsius temperatures in Exercises 1–5.

1. How many degrees Fahrenheit is  $25^{\circ}C$ ?

2. How many degrees Fahrenheit is  $42^{\circ}C$ ?

3. How many degrees Fahrenheit is  $94^{\circ}C$ ?

4. How many degrees Fahrenheit is  $63^{\circ}C$ ?

5. How many degrees Fahrenheit is  $t^{\circ}C$ ?

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## **Problem Set**

1. Does the equation,  $t^{\circ}C = (32 + 1.8t)^{\circ}F$ , work for any rational number t? Check that is does with  $t = 8\frac{2}{3}$  and  $t = -8\frac{2}{3}$ .

- 2. Knowing that  $t^{\circ}C = \left(32 + \frac{9}{5}t\right)^{\circ}F$  for any rational t, show that for any rational number d,  $d^{\circ}F = \left(\frac{5}{9}(d-32)\right)^{\circ}C$ .
- 3. Drake was trying to write an equation to help him predict the cost of his monthly phone bill. He is charged \$35 just for having a phone, and his only additional expense comes from the number of texts that he sends. He is charged \$0.05 for each text. Help Drake out by completing parts (a)–(f).
  - a. How much was his phone bill in July when he sent 750 texts?
  - b. How much was his phone bill in August when he sent 823 texts?
  - c. How much was his phone bill in September when he sent 579 texts?
  - d. Let *y* represent the total cost of Drake's phone bill. Write an equation that represents the total cost of his phone bill in October if he sends *t* texts.
  - e. Another phone plan charges \$20 for having a phone and \$0.10 per text. Let y represent the total cost of the phone bill for sending t texts. Write an equation to represent his total bill.
  - f. Write your equations in parts (d) and (e) as a system of linear equations and solve. Interpret the meaning of the solution in terms of the phone bill.