## General Algebra 2 Worksheet \#9 Unit 11 <br> Selected Solutions

2. A certain radioactive substance with a mass of $\mathbf{1 5 0 0}$ grams has a half-life of $\mathbf{1 0}$ years. Express its mass, $Q$, as a function of time, $t$, in years. Graph this function for values of $t$ from 0 to 30 years.
function: $\quad Q=1500(2)^{\frac{-t}{10}}$

| $t$ | $A$ |
| ---: | :---: |
| 0 | 1500 |
| 5 | 1061 |
| 10 | 750 |
| 15 | 530 |
| 20 | 375 |
| 25 | 265 |
| 30 | 188 |



