Answer on Question #75328 – Math – Algebra Question

A new car is purchased for 17900 dollars. The value of the car depreciates at 13% per year. What will the value of the car be, to the nearest cent, after 7 years?

Solution

1) 17900 * 0.13 = 2327; 2) 17900 - 2327 = 15573; After 1 year 3) 15573 * 0.13 = 2024.49; 4) 15573 - 2024.49 = 13548.51; After 2 years 5) 13548.51 * 0.13 = 1761.31; 6) 13548.51 - 1761.31 = 11787.2 After 3 years 7) 11787.2 * 0.13 = 1532.34; 8) 11787.2 - 1532.34 = 10254.86; After 4 years 9) 10254.86 * 0.13 = 1333.13; 10) 10254.86 - 1333.13 = 8921.73; After 5 years 11) 8921.73 * 0.13 = 1159.83; 12) 8921.73 - 1159.83 = 7761.9; After 6 years 13) 7761.9 * 0.13 = 1009.05; 14) 7761.9 - 1009.05 = 6752.85; After 7 years

Answer: 6752.85 dollars.