

Extra problem on exponential growth Covid in Lethbridge in August 2021

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The following table gives the number of confirmed Covid cases in Lethbridge in the first half of August 2021:

Date (August)	3	4	5	6	9	10	11	12	13
Number	38	36	41	43	66	80	84	86	89

1. Was the number of cases growing exponentially at that time?
2. Give your best estimate of the doubling time based on these data.