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Answers

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Junk Yard A

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Junk Yard B

$$y = 2.09x$$

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Find the total price you'd get from recycling 1,331 pounds of metal at the cheapest junk yard.

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Company A

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19	323.00
18	306.00

Company B

$$y = 10.00x$$

Find the total cost in dollars of buying 13 pounds of jerky from the more expensive company.

- 3) Two companies are selling sugar by the pound. The cost of sugar for Company A is represented in the table below, while the cost for Company B is represented by an equation, with y representing the total cost in dollars for x pounds of sugar.

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Company B

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Answers1. **2,781.79**2. **221**3. **0.04**