



# **Teacher Guide**

Module:	Temperature						
Teaching Hours:	60 minutes						
Grade Level:	Grade 7 & 8						
Brief Description:	In this module, the arrow diagram representation is introduced and students renew their knowledge about representational changes between table and graph. Students examine the uniqueness of a functional mapping in the arrow diagram and coordinate system representations and switch between the representations. By using different representations of functional relationships, students become aware of their properties and learn to switch between them. In doing so, students distinguish between non-unique and unique mappings. To improve understanding and implementation, temperature data is represented in simplified form						
Design Principles:	Inquiry						
	Situatedness						
	Digital tools						
	Embodiment						
Functional Thinking:	Input - Output						
	Covariation						
	Correspondence						
	Object						
Learning Goals:	<ul> <li>Introduction of the function as a unique mapping.</li> <li>Recognize functions in different forms of representation.</li> <li>Check whether a situation/ representation shows a functional relationship or not.</li> </ul>						

### Information for use:

- Link: https://www.geogebra.org/m/uka5kz4c
- Students can access the corresponding GeoGebra applet by scanning/photographing the QR code in the PowerPoint presentation and in the researcher's booklet (student handout).

#### References:

- Source temperature data: https://www.wetter2.com/europe/germany/badenwurttemberg/stuttgart?page=past-weather#day=2&month=2 (25.03.2022)
- GeoGebra Researcher Assignment 1-5: adapted from https://www.geogebra.org/m/xgykmjxv (03/25/2022)

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# Lesson outline for the "Temperature" module

Section	Teacher	Students	Didactic-methodical comment	Required Material
Introduction (10 min)	<ul> <li>Teacher shows a graph of a real temperature trend and asks questions about the change in temperature throughout the day.</li> <li>Other questions: <ul> <li>During what time of year might the temperatures have been measured? (Feb 2017)</li> <li>What is the first value, what is the second value?</li> </ul> </li> <li>Next slide (3): <ul> <li>What is different here?</li> <li>Focus on reversing dependency</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	S answer the questions and describe the graph.	Motivation through real- world example Introduction temperature- time graph (correspondence aspect/ input-output aspect) Whole class	Slides (2-5)
Introduction Exploration/ Research assignment (5 min)	T explains the research assignment: "Today you will examine temperature data in different representations. You will use a GeoGebra applet for some tasks." Explanation GeoGebra applet if necessary.	S ask questions if applicable.	Whole class	Slides (6,7), research booklets (student handout), tablets, GeoGebra
Exploration/ research phase (20 min)	T observes and provides assistance if necessary.	S complete research assignments (handout) using GeoGebra applets. S check their results independently.	Partner work Introduction arrow diagram Working with the coordinate system, table	Research booklets, tablets, GeoGebra

			and arrow diagram as forms of representation Changing between representations Introduction unique mappings.	
Structuring & organizing	T assures students' knowledge of with the help of a memo box. The teacher	S read the memo box and fill in missing information.	Whole class	Slides (8-10), handout memo box
knowledge	uses the temperature context and visualizes the findings/ rule (memo box).		Function as unique mapping	
(5 min)			Value pair	
			Function values	
Checking	T shows graphs, arrow diagrams, and	S apply their acquired	Whole class	Slides (11-15)
	descriptions of assignments.	skills, check	Assessment	
(5-10 min)		representations for		
		uniqueness/ identify		
		functional relationships.		

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## Blackboard / Slides for introduction:

# Memo Box:

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#### in a description using words

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# **Solution Memo Box:**

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