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> read `Users/julianherman/Documents/Rutgers/Fall 2021/Dynamical Models In  
Biology/HW/DMB.txt`

*First Written: Nov. 2021*

*This is DMB.txt, A Maple package to explore Dynamical models in Biology (both discrete and  
continuous)*

*accompanying the class Dynamical Models in Biology, Rutgers University. Taught by Dr. Z. (Doron  
Zeilberger)*

*The most current version is available on WWW at:  
<http://sites.math.rutgers.edu/~zeilberg/tokhniot/DMB.txt> .  
Please report all bugs to: DoronZeil at gmail dot com .*

*For general help, and a list of the MAIN functions,  
type "Help()";. For specific help type "Help(procedure\_name);"*

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*For a list of the supporting functions type: Help1();  
For help with any of them type: Help(ProcedureName);*

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*For a list of the functions that give examples of Discrete-time dynamical systems (some famous),  
type: HelpDDM());*

*For help with any of them type: Help(ProcedureName);*

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*For a list of the functions continuous-time dynamical systems (some famous) type: HelpCDM());*

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(1)

> Help(TimeSeries)

*TimeSeries(F,x,pt,h,A,i): Inputs a transformation F in the list of variables x*

*The time-series of x[i] vs. time of the Dynamical system approximating the the autonomous  
continuous dynamical process*

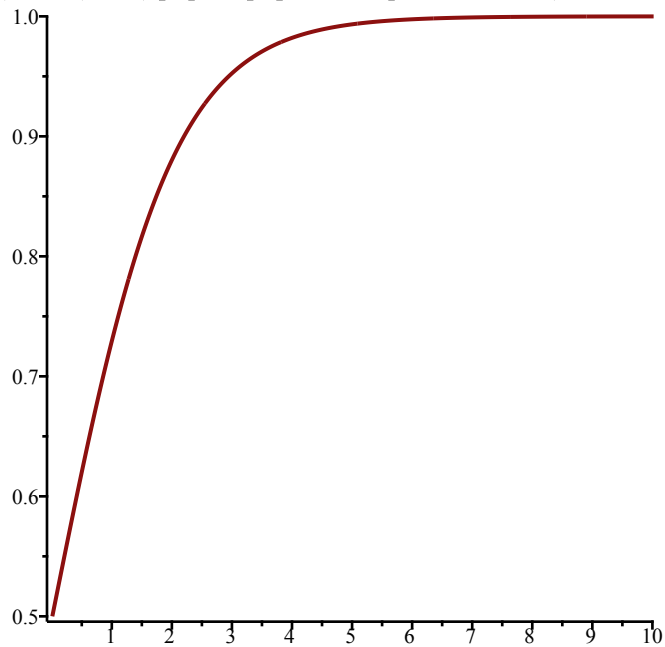
*dx/dt=F[1](x(t)) by a discrete time dynamical system with step-size h from t=0 to t=A*

*Try:*

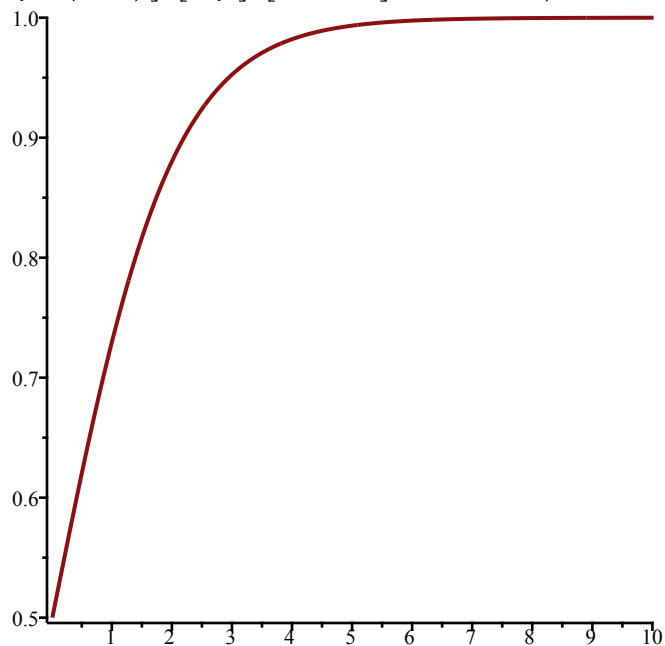
*TimeSeries([x\*(1-y),y\*(1-x)],[x,y],[0.5,0.5], 0.01, 10,1);*

(2)

> `TimeSeries([x*(1-y), y*(1-x)], [x, y], [0.5, 0.5], 0.01, 10, 1)`



> `TimeSeries([x*(1-y), y*(1-x)], [x, y], [0.5, 0.5], 0.01, 10, 2)`



> `Help(PhaseDiag)`

*PhaseDiag(F,x,pt,h,A): Inputs a transformation F in the list of variables x (of length 2), i.e. a mapping from  $R^2$  to  $R^2$  gives the*

*The phase diagram of the solution with initial condition  $x(0)=pt$*

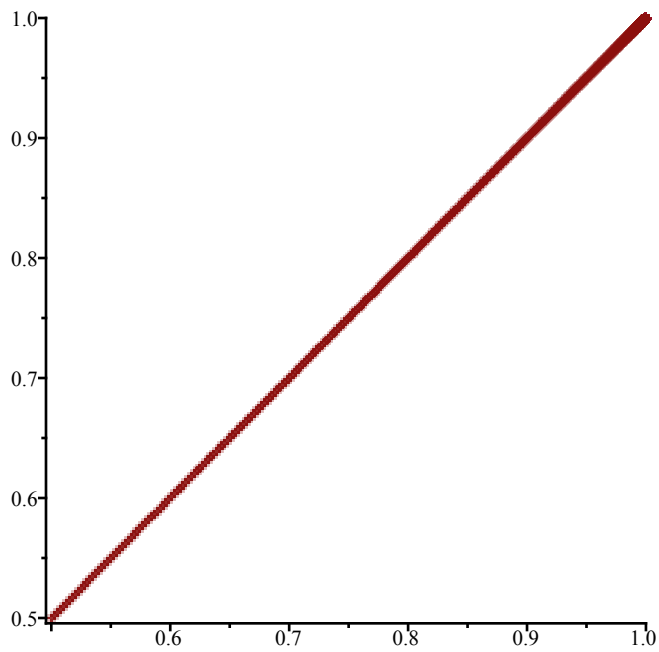
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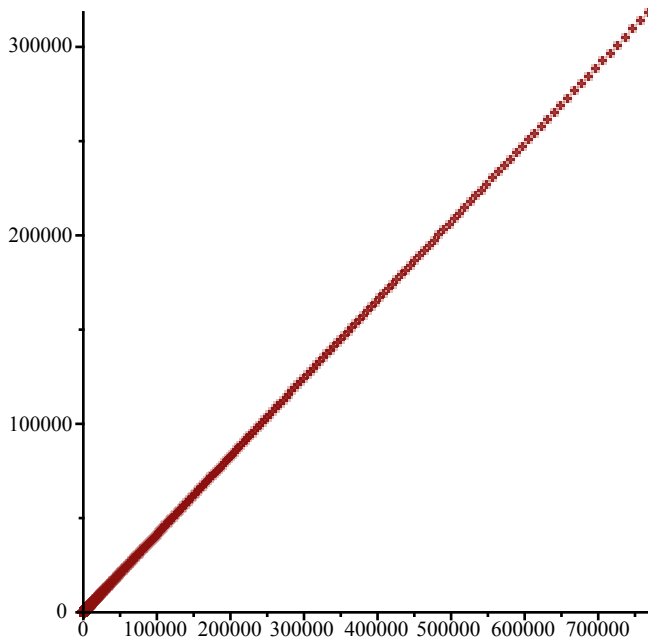
*`PhaseDiag([x*(1-y), y*(1-x)], [x, y], [0.5, 0.5], 0.01, 10);`*

**(3)**

> `PhaseDiag([x*(1-y), y*(1-x)], [x, y], [0.5, 0.5], 0.01, 10)`



> PhaseDiag([x + y, x - y], [x, y], [0.5, 0.5], 0.01, 10)



> #1)

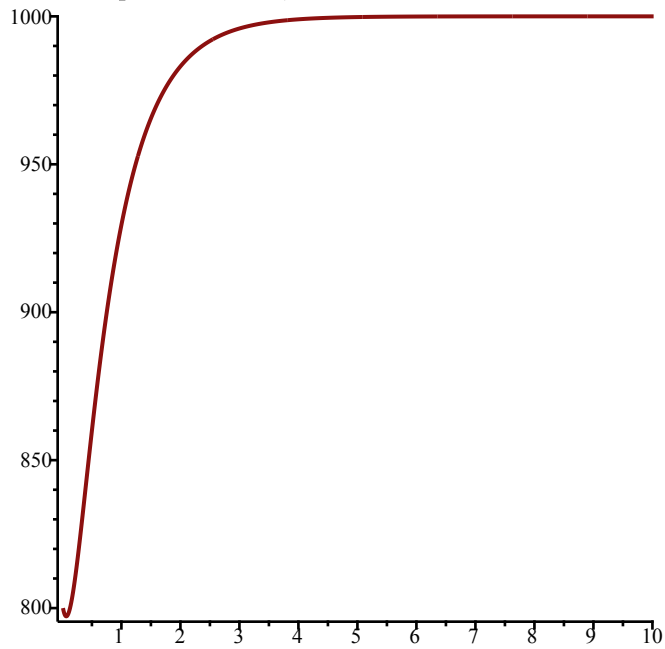
> #i)  $v = 2, \gamma = 5, \beta = 0.3 \cdot \frac{v}{1000} = 0.3 \cdot \left(\frac{2}{1000}\right) = 0.00060000000000$

>  $F := \text{subs}(\{v = 2, \gamma = 5, \beta = 0.00060000000000\}, \text{SIRS}(s, i, \text{beta}, \text{gamma}, \text{nu}, 1000))$   
 $F := [-0.00060000000000 s i + 5000 - 5 s - 5 i, 0.00060000000000 s i - 2 i]$  (4)

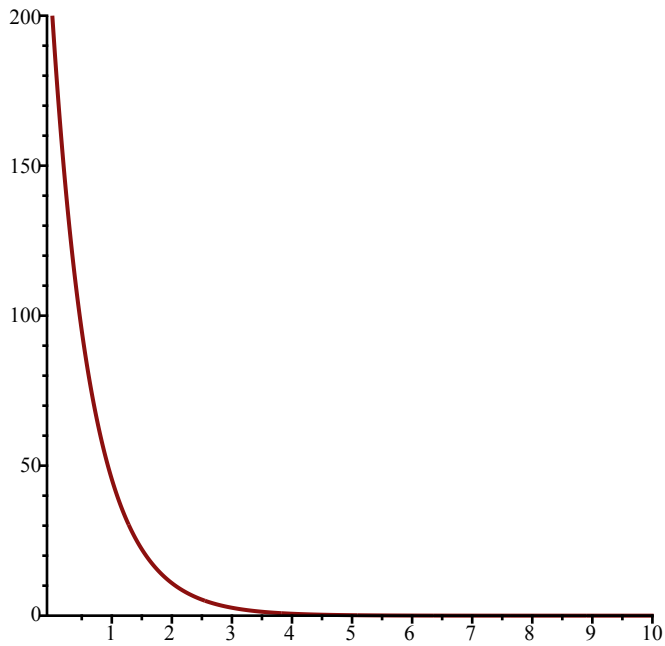
> EquP(F, [s, i])  
 $\{[1000., 0.], [3333.333333, -1666.666667]\}$  (5)

> SEquP(F, [s, i])  
 $\{[1000., 0.]\}$  (6)

> *TimeSeries*(*F*, [*s*, *i*], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 1)

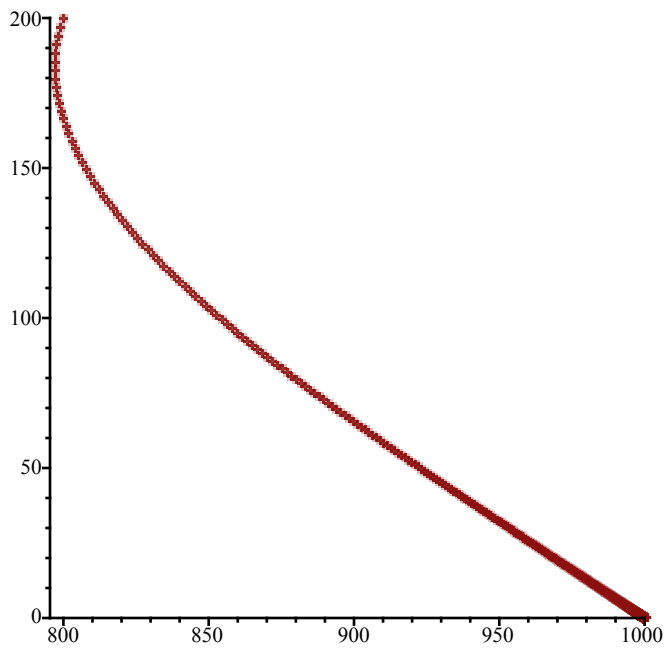


> *TimeSeries*(*F*, [*s*, *i*], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 2)



> #The horizontal asymptote of the susceptible occurs at  $S=1000$  and the horizontal asymptote of the infected occurs at  $I=0$ , which corresponds to the STABLE EQ point [1000,0].

> *PhaseDiag*(*F*, [*s*, *i*], [800, 200], 0.01, 10)



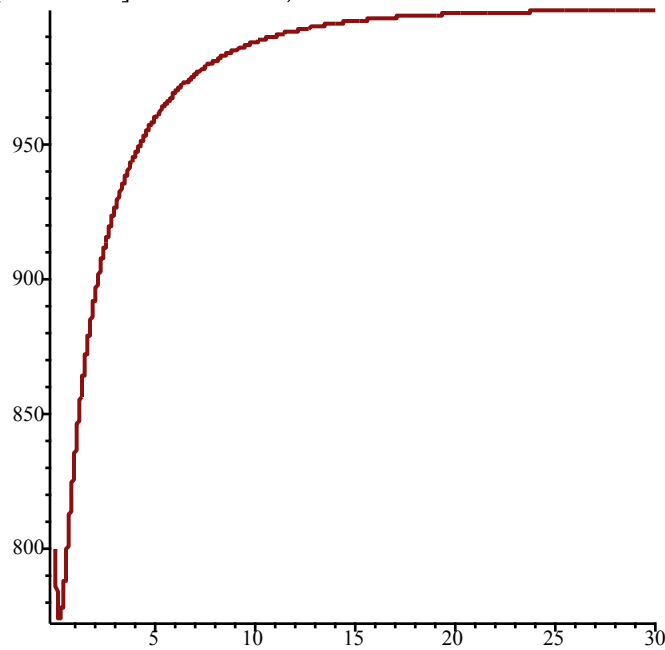
>  $\#v = 2, \gamma = 5, \beta = 0.9 \cdot \frac{v}{1000} = \frac{0.9}{500} = 0.001800000000$

>  $F := \text{subs}(\{v = 2, \gamma = 5, \beta = 0.001800000000\}, \text{SIRS}(s, i, \text{beta}, \text{gamma}, \text{nu}, 1000))$   
 $F := [-0.001800000000 s i + 5000 - 5 s - 5 i, 0.001800000000 s i - 2 i]$  (7)

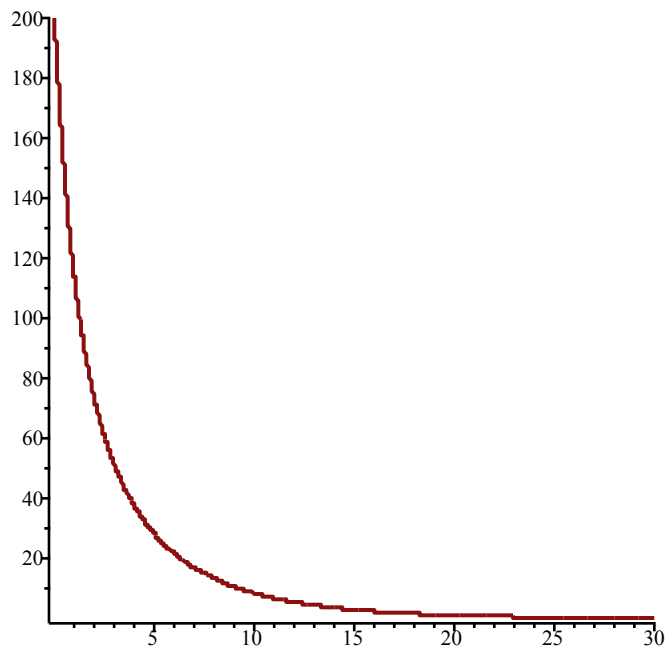
>  $\text{EquP}(F, [s, i])$   
 $\{[1000., 0.], [1111.111111, -79.36507937]\}$  (8)

>  $\text{SEquP}(F, [s, i])$   
 $\{[1000., 0.]\}$  (9)

>  $\text{TimeSeries}(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 30, 1)$

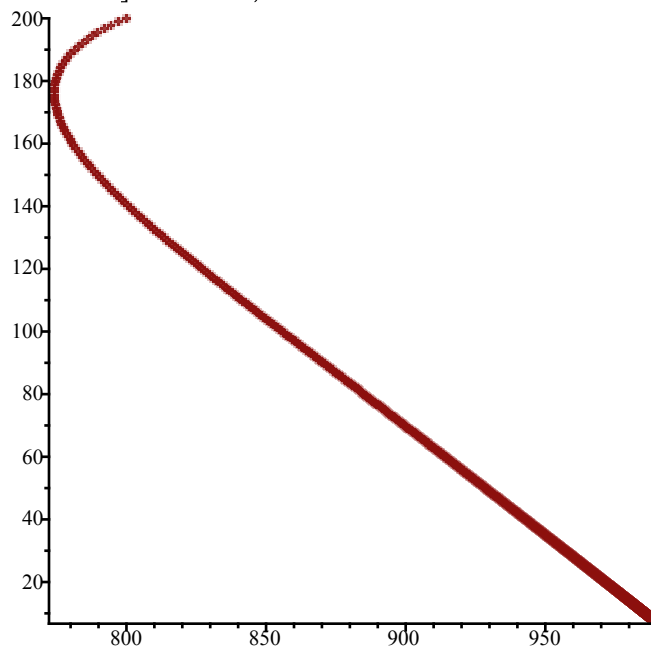


>  $\text{TimeSeries}(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 30, 2)$



> #The horizontal asymptote of the susceptible occurs at  $S=1000$  and the horizontal asymptote of the infected occurs at  $I=0$ , which corresponds to the STABLE EQ point  $[1000,0]$ .

> PhaseDiag(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10)



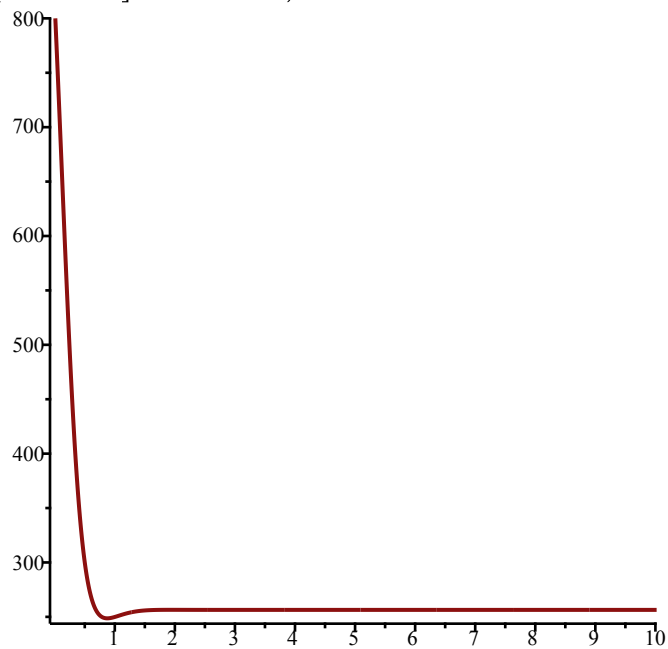
> # $\nu = 2, \gamma = 5, \beta = 3.9 \cdot \frac{\nu}{1000} = \frac{3.9}{500} = 0.007800000000$

>  $F := \text{subs}(\{ \nu = 2, \gamma = 5, \beta = 0.007800000000 \}, \text{SIRS}(s, i, \text{beta}, \text{gamma}, \text{nu}, 1000))$   
 $F := [-0.007800000000 s i + 5000 - 5 s - 5 i, 0.007800000000 s i - 2 i]$  (10)

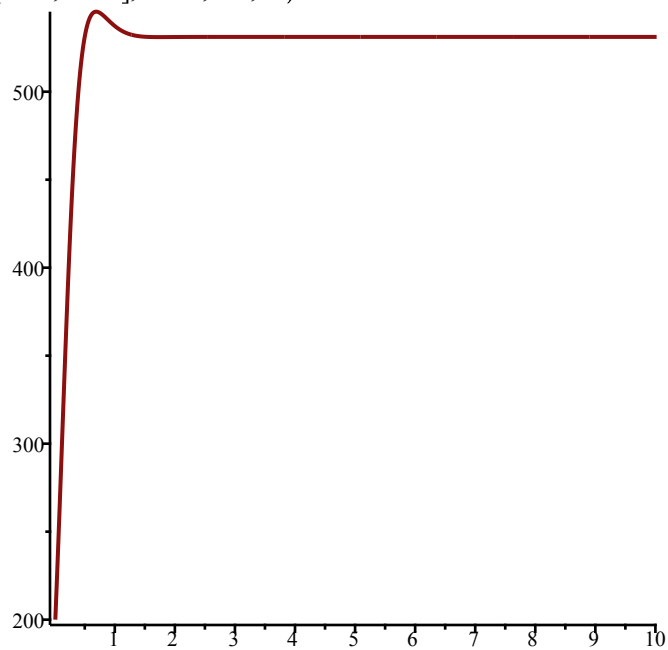
> EquP(F, [s, i])  
 $\{[256.4102564, 531.1355311], [1000., 0.]\}$  (11)

> SEquP(F, [s, i])  
 $\{[256.4102564, 531.1355311]\}$  (12)

> *TimeSeries(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 1)*

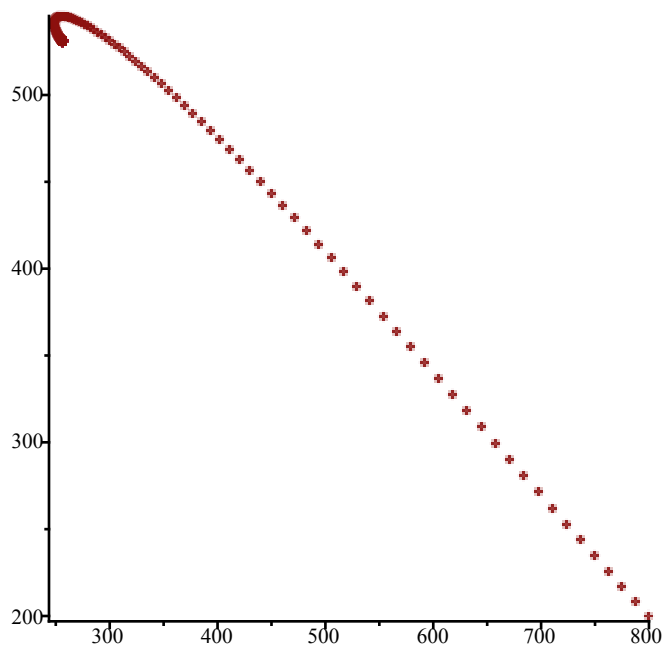


> *TimeSeries(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 2)*



> *#The horizontal asymptote of the susceptible occurs at about  $S=256$  and the horizontal asymptote of the infected occurs at about  $I=531$ , which corresponds to the STABLE EQ point [256.4102564, 531.1355311]*

> *PhaseDiag(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10)*



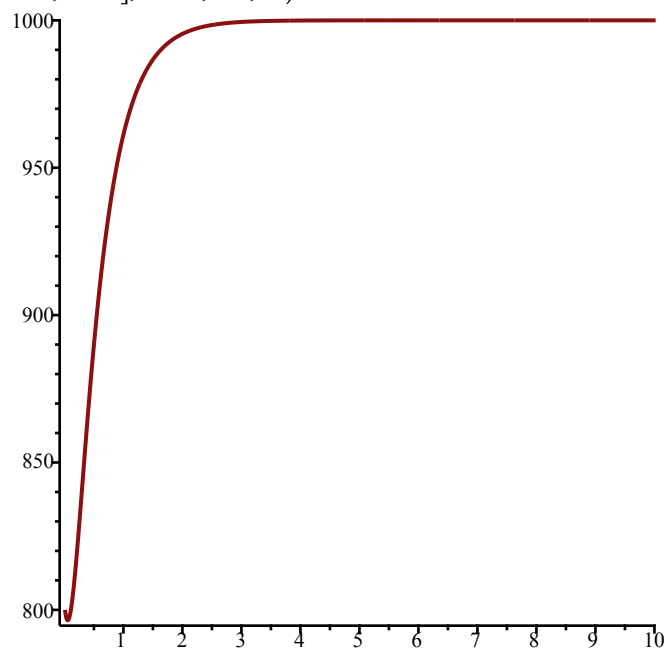
> #ii)  $v = 3, \gamma = 6, \beta = 0.3 \cdot \frac{v}{1000} = 0.0009$

>  $F := \text{subs}(\{v = 3, \gamma = 6, \beta = 0.0009\}, \text{SIRS}(s, i, \text{beta}, \text{gamma}, \text{nu}, 1000))$   
 $F := [-0.0009 s i + 6000 - 6 s - 6 i, 0.0009 s i - 3 i]$  (13)

>  $\text{EquP}(F, [s, i])$   
 $\{[1000., 0.], [3333.333333, -1555.555556]\}$  (14)

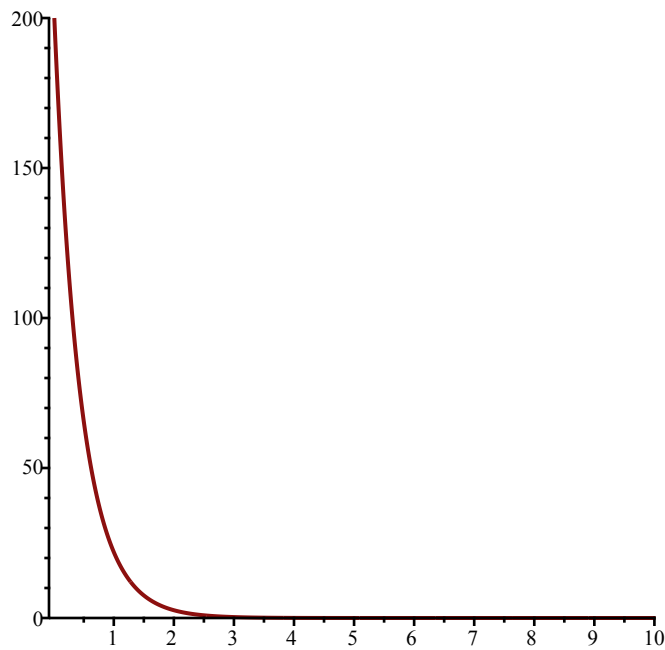
>  $\text{SEquP}(F, [s, i])$   
 $\{[1000., 0.]\}$  (15)

>  $\text{TimeSeries}(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 1)$



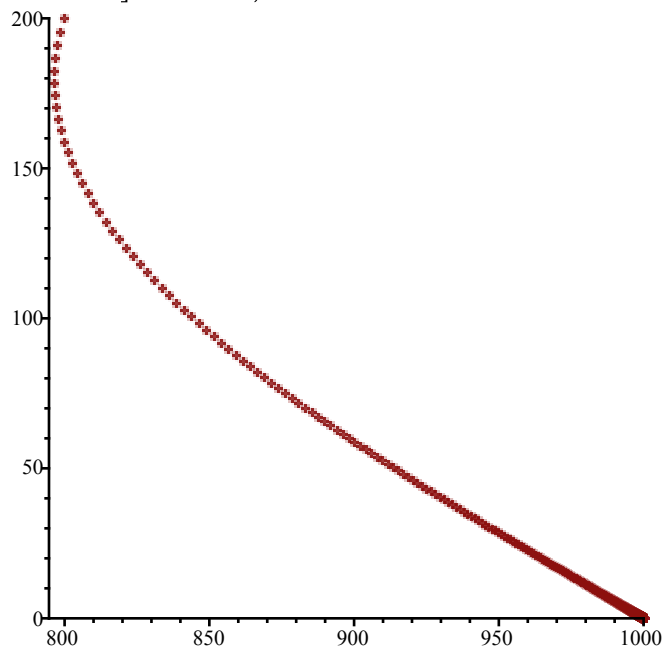
>  $\text{TimeSeries}(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 2)$





> #The horizontal asymptote of the susceptible occurs at about  $S=1000$  and the horizontal asymptote of the infected occurs at about  $I=0$ , which corresponds to the STABLE EQ point  $[1000, 0]$

> PhaseDiag(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10)



> # $\nu = 3, \gamma = 6, \beta = 0.9 \cdot \frac{\nu}{1000} = 0.0027$

>  $F := \text{subs}(\{ \nu = 3, \gamma = 6, \beta = 0.0027 \}, \text{SIRS}(s, i, \text{beta}, \text{gamma}, \text{nu}, 1000))$   
 $F := [-0.0027 s i + 6000 - 6 s - 6 i, 0.0027 s i - 3 i]$

(16)

> EquP(F, [s, i])

{[1000., 0.], [1111.111111, -74.07407407]}

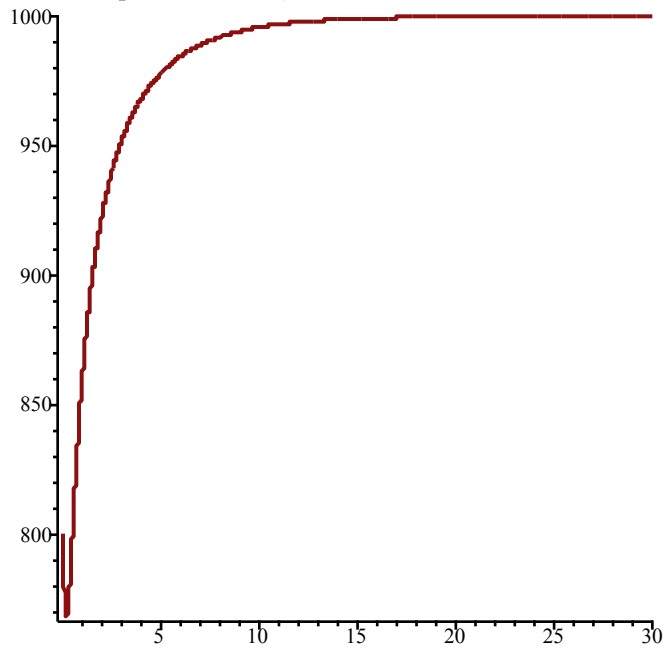
(17)

> SEquP(F, [s, i])

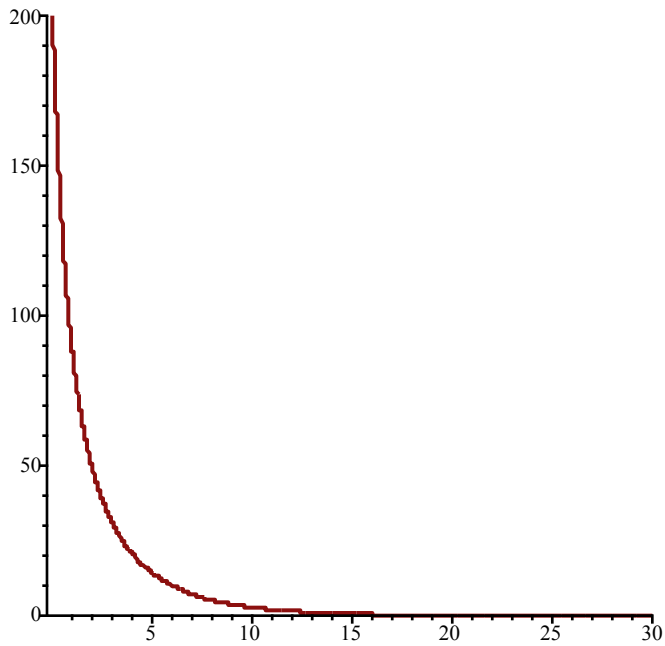
{[1000., 0.]}

(18)

> *TimeSeries*(*F*, [*s*, *i*], [800, 200], 0.01, 30, 1)

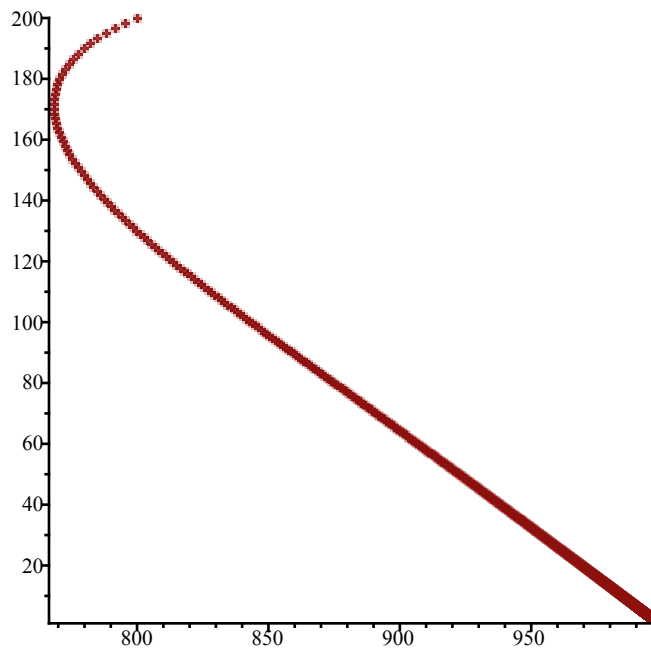


> *TimeSeries*(*F*, [*s*, *i*], [800, 200], 0.01, 30, 2)



> #The horizontal asymptote of the susceptible occurs at about  $S=1000$  and the horizontal asymptote of the infected occurs at about  $I=0$ , which corresponds to the STABLE EQ point [1000, 0]

> *PhaseDiag*(*F*, [*s*, *i*], [800, 200], 0.01, 10)



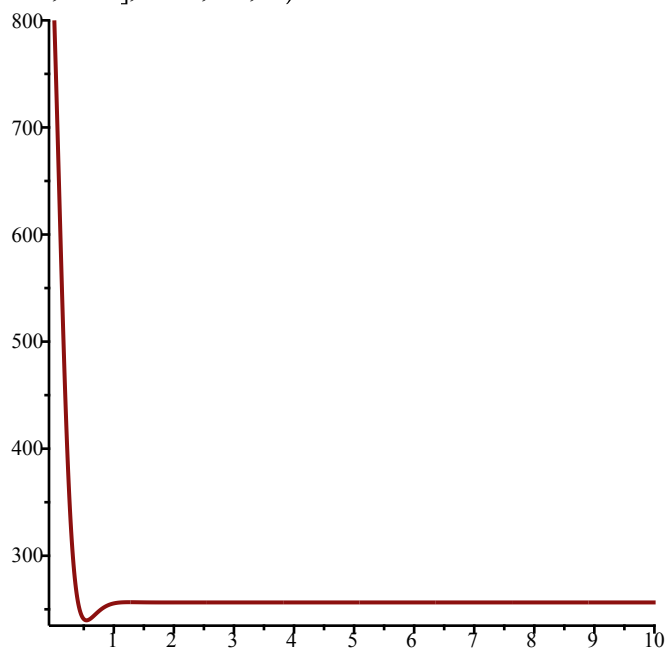
>  $\#v = 3, \gamma = 6, \beta = 3.9 \cdot \frac{v}{1000} = 0.0117$

>  $F := \text{subs}(\{v = 3, \gamma = 6, \beta = 0.0117\}, \text{SIRS}(s, i, \text{beta}, \text{gamma}, \text{nu}, 1000))$   
 $F := [-0.0117 s i + 6000 - 6 s - 6 i, 0.0117 s i - 3 i]$  (19)

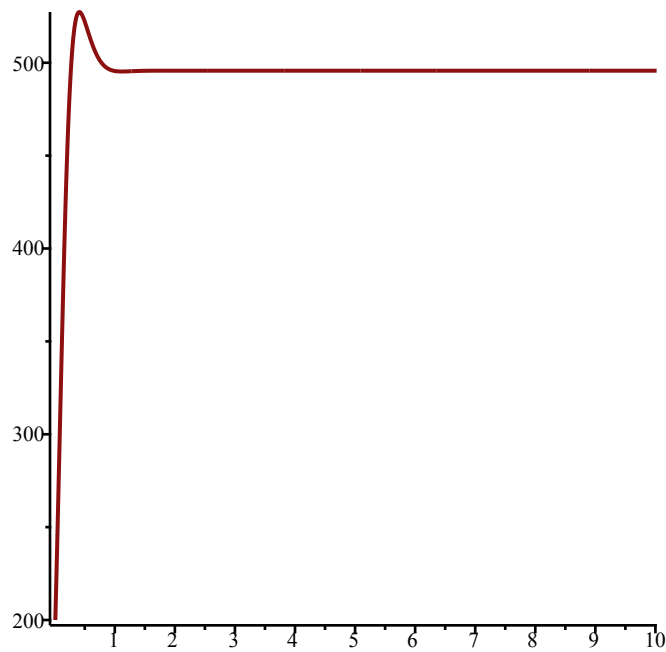
>  $\text{EquP}(F, [s, i])$   
 $\{[256.4102564, 495.7264957], [1000., 0.]\}$  (20)

>  $\text{SEquP}(F, [s, i])$   
 $\{[256.4102564, 495.7264957]\}$  (21)

>  $\text{TimeSeries}(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 1)$

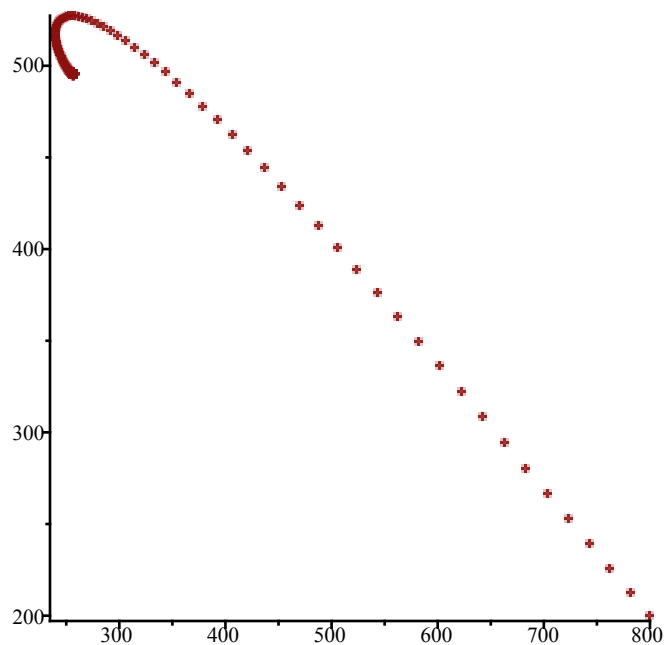


>  $\text{TimeSeries}(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 2)$



> #The horizontal asymptote of the susceptible occurs at about  $S=256$  and the horizontal asymptote of the infected occurs at about  $I=496$ , which corresponds to the STABLE EQ point [256.4102564, 495.7264957]

> PhaseDiag(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10)



> #iii)  $v = 4, \gamma = 1, \beta = 0.3 \cdot \frac{v}{1000} = 0.0012$

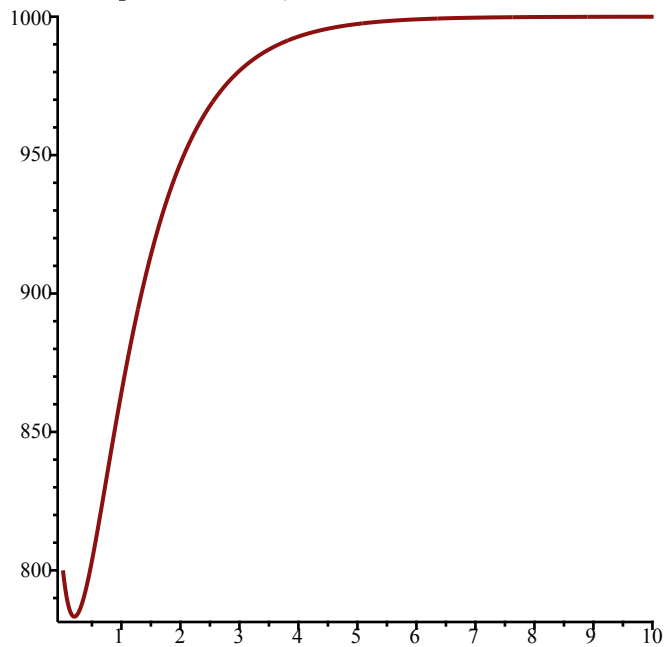
>  $F := \text{subs}(\{v = 4, \gamma = 1, \beta = 0.0012\}, \text{SIRS}(s, i, \text{beta}, \text{gamma}, \text{nu}, 1000))$   
 $F := [-0.0012 s i + 1000 - s - i, 0.0012 s i - 4 i]$  (22)

> EquP(F, [s, i])  
 $\{[1000., 0.], [3333.333333, -466.6666667]\}$  (23)

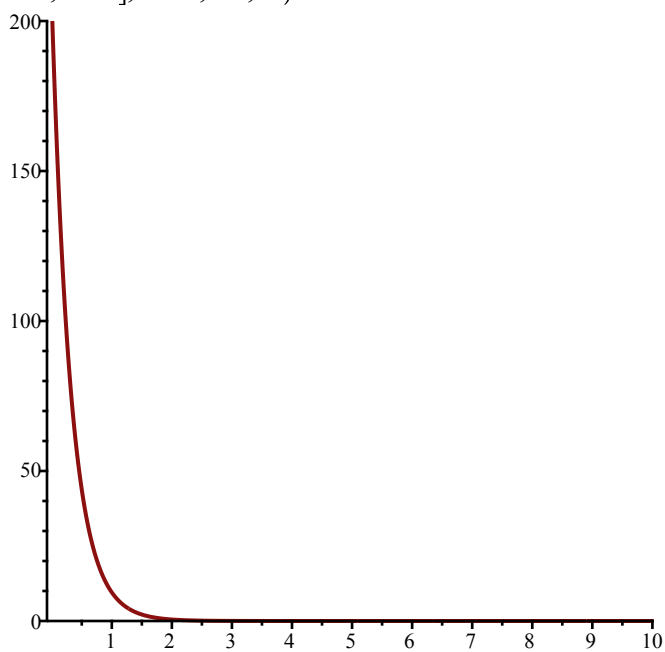
> SEquP(F, [s, i])

{[1000., 0.]}

> TimeSeries(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 1)

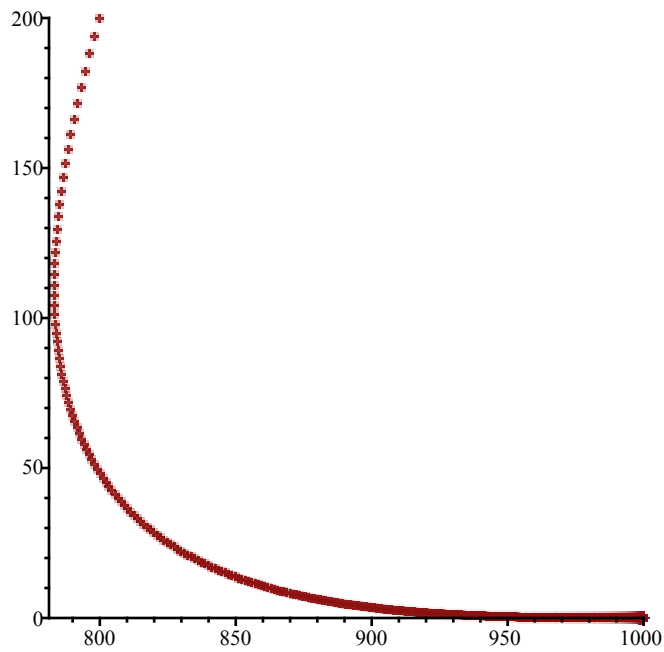


> TimeSeries(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 2)



> #The horizontal asymptote of the susceptible occurs at about  $S=1000$  and the horizontal asymptote of the infected occurs at about  $I=0$ , which corresponds to the STABLE EQ point [1000, 0]

> PhaseDiag(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10)



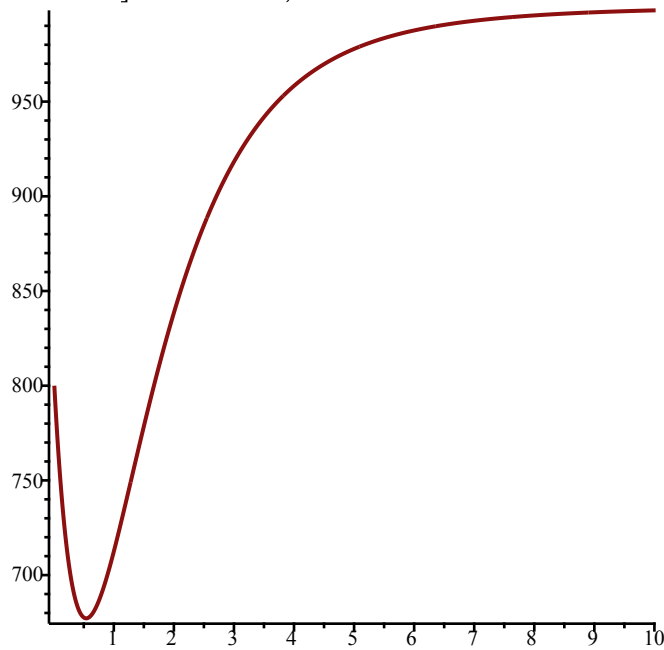
> # $\nu = 4, \gamma = 1, \beta = 0.9 \cdot \frac{\nu}{1000} = 0.0036$

>  $F := \text{subs}(\{ \nu = 4, \gamma = 1, \beta = 0.0036 \}, \text{SIRS}(s, i, \text{beta}, \text{gamma}, \text{nu}, 1000))$   
 $F := [-0.0036 s i + 1000 - s - i, 0.0036 s i - 4 i]$  (25)

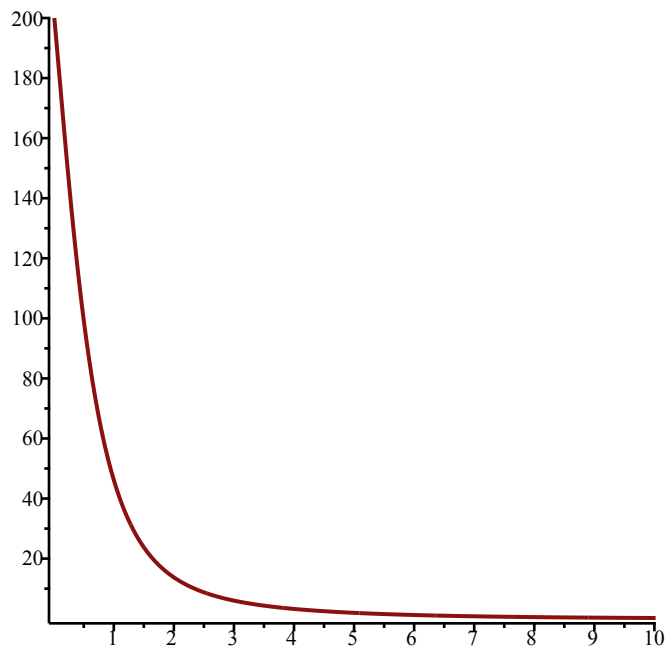
>  $\text{EquP}(F, [s, i])$   
 $\{ [1000., 0.], [1111.111111, -22.22222222] \}$  (26)

>  $\text{SEquP}(F, [s, i])$   
 $\{ [1000., 0.] \}$  (27)

>  $\text{TimeSeries}(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 1)$

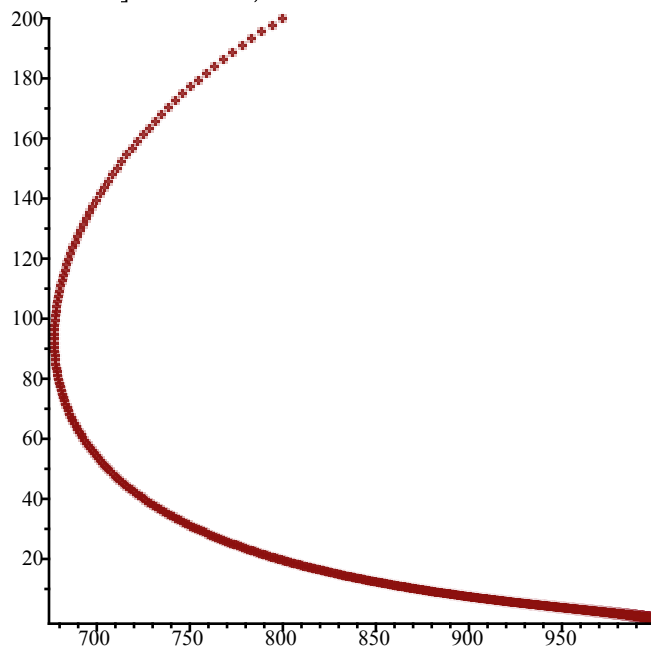


>  $\text{TimeSeries}(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 2)$



> #The horizontal asymptote of the susceptible occurs at about  $S=1000$  and the horizontal asymptote of the infected occurs at about  $I=0$ , which corresponds to the STABLE EQ point  $[1000, 0]$

> PhaseDiag(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10)



> # $\nu = 4, \gamma = 1, \beta = 3.9 \cdot \frac{\nu}{1000} = 0.0156$

>  $F := \text{subs}(\{ \nu = 4, \gamma = 1, \beta = 0.0156 \}, \text{SIRS}(s, i, \text{beta}, \text{gamma}, \nu, 1000))$   
 $F := [-0.0156 s i + 1000 - s - i, 0.0156 s i - 4 i]$

(28)

> EquP(F, [s, i])

$\{[256.4102564, 148.7179487], [1000., 0.]\}$

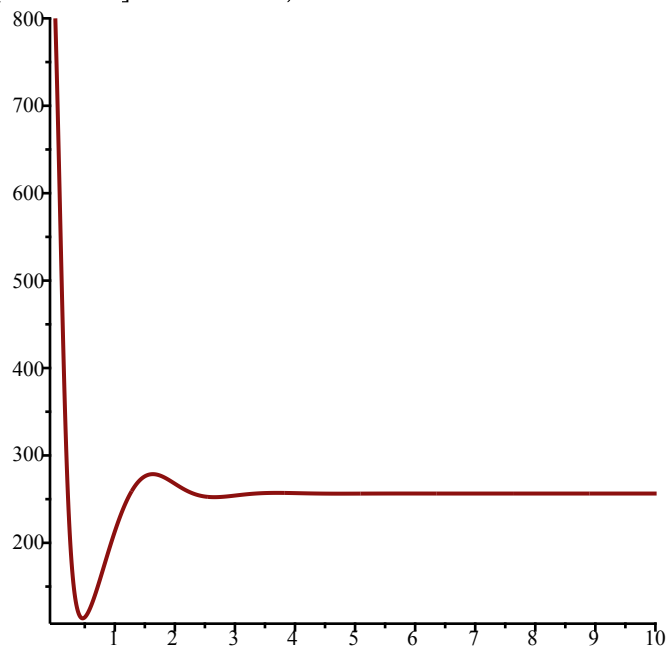
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> SEquP(F, [s, i])

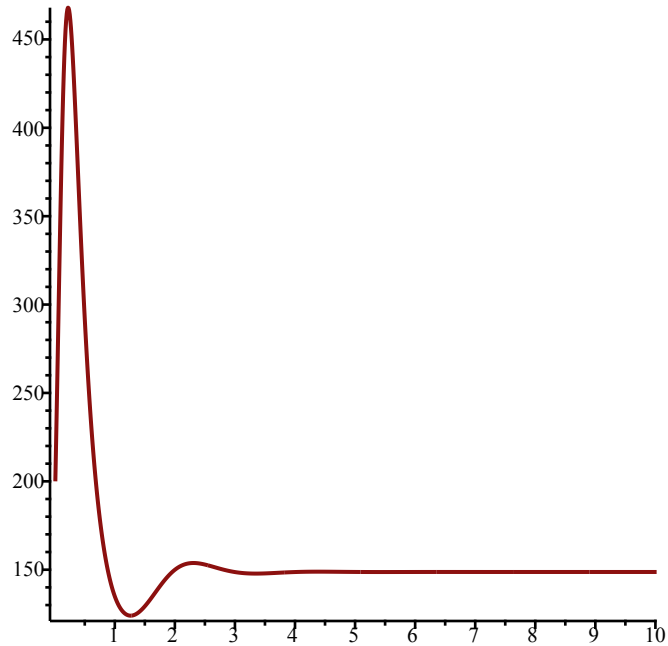
$\{[256.4102564, 148.7179487]\}$

(30)

> *TimeSeries(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 1)*



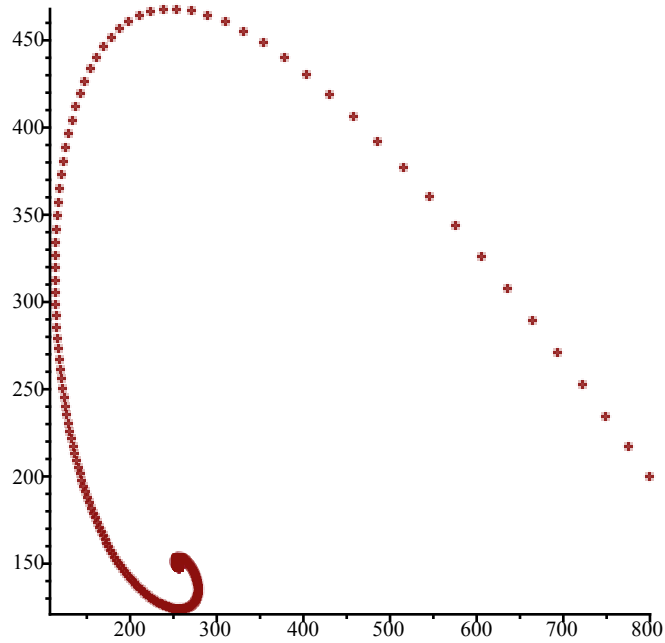
> *TimeSeries(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 2)*



> *#The horizontal asymptote of the susceptible occurs at about  $S=256$  and the horizontal asymptote of the infected occurs at about  $I=150$ , which corresponds to the STABLE EQ point [256.4102564, 148.7179487]*

> *PhaseDiag(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10)*





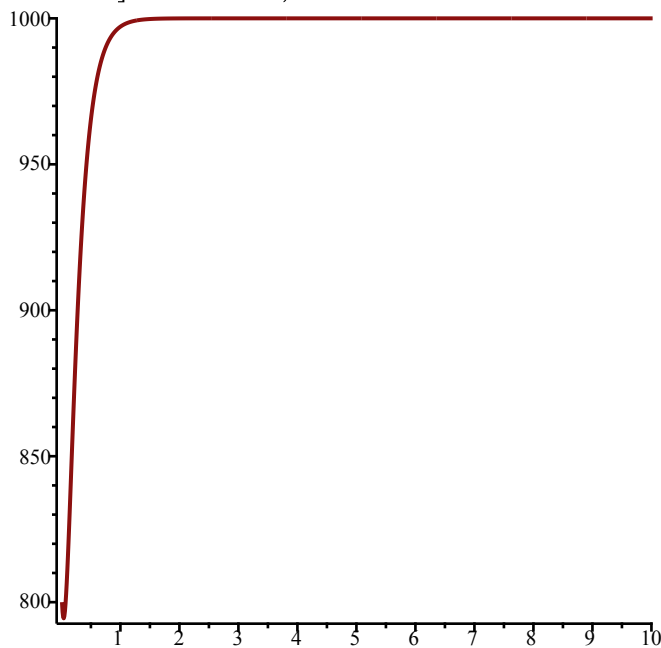
> #iv)  $v = 7, \gamma = 10, \beta = 0.3 \cdot \frac{v}{1000} = 0.0021$

>  $F := \text{subs}(\{v = 7, \gamma = 10, \beta = 0.0021\}, \text{SIRS}(s, i, \text{beta}, \text{gamma}, \text{nu}, 1000))$   
 $F := [-0.0021 s i + 10000 - 10 s - 10 i, 0.0021 s i - 7 i]$  (31)

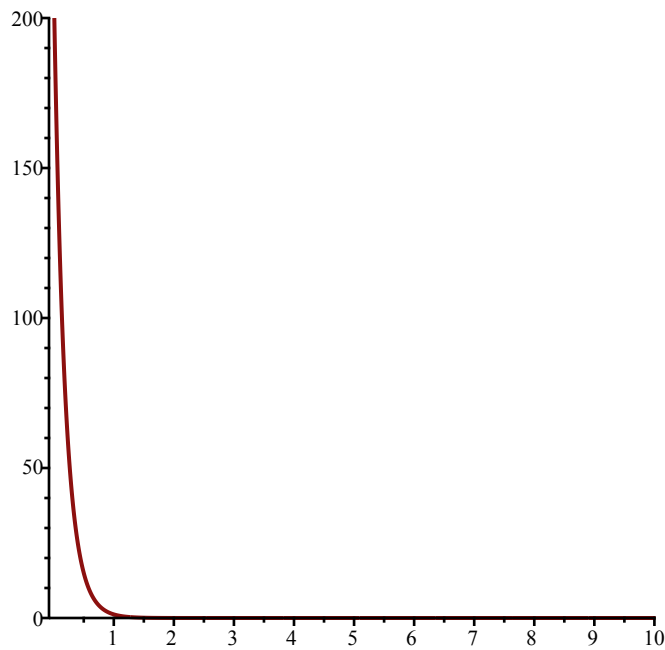
>  $\text{EquP}(F, [s, i])$   
 $\{[1000., 0.], [3333.333333, -1372.549020]\}$  (32)

>  $\text{SEquP}(F, [s, i])$   
 $\{[1000., 0.]\}$  (33)

>  $\text{TimeSeries}(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 1)$

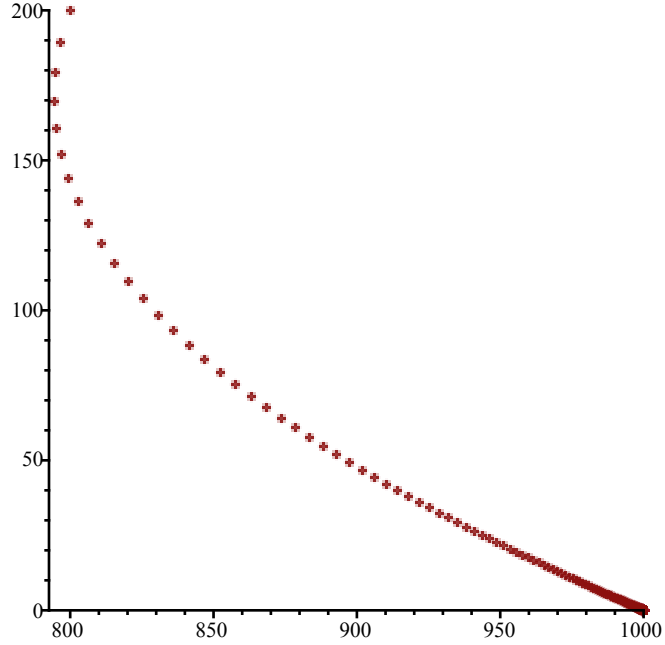


>  $\text{TimeSeries}(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 2)$



> #The horizontal asymptote of the susceptible occurs at about  $S=1000$  and the horizontal asymptote of the infected occurs at about  $I=0$ , which corresponds to the STABLE EQ point  $[1000, 0]$

> PhaseDiag(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10)



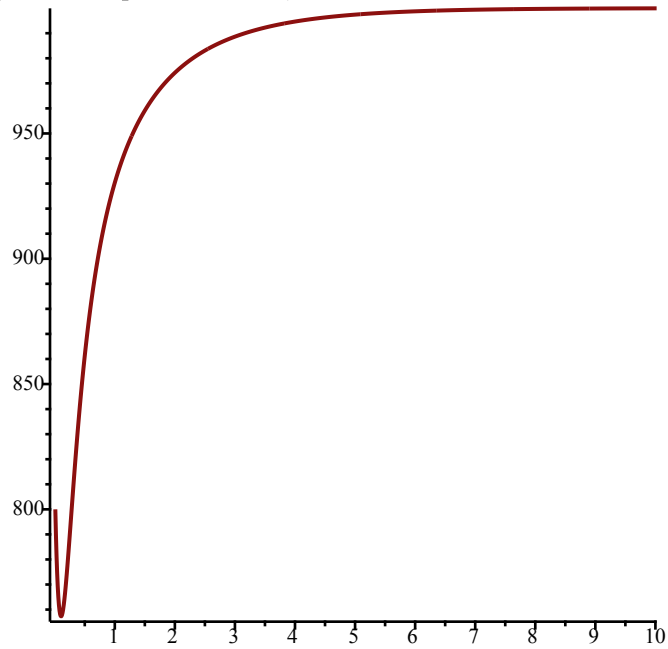
> # $\nu = 7, \gamma = 10, \beta = 0.9 \cdot \frac{\nu}{1000} = 0.0063$

>  $F := \text{subs}(\{ \nu = 7, \gamma = 10, \beta = 0.0063 \}, \text{SIRS}(s, i, \text{beta}, \text{gamma}, \text{nu}, 1000))$   
 $F := [-0.0063 s i + 10000 - 10 s - 10 i, 0.0063 s i - 7 i]$  (34)

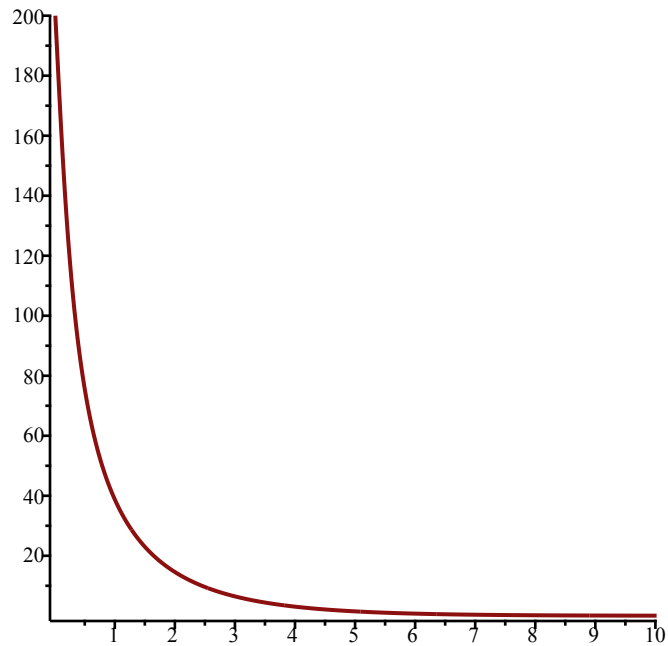
> EquP(F, [s, i])  
 $\{[1000., 0.], [1111.111111, -65.35947712]\}$  (35)

> SEquP(F, [s, i])  
 $\{[1000., 0.]\}$  (36)

> *TimeSeries*(*F*, [*s*, *i*], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 1)

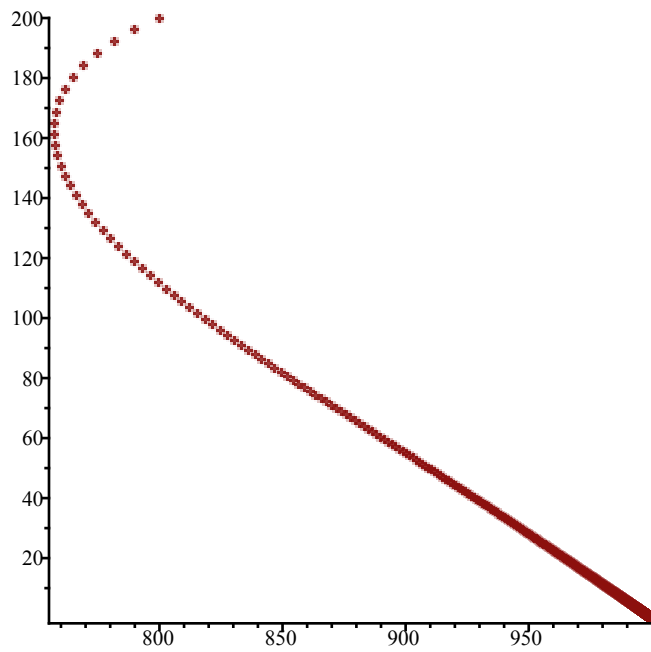


> *TimeSeries*(*F*, [*s*, *i*], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 2)



> #The horizontal asymptote of the susceptible occurs at about  $S=1000$  and the horizontal asymptote of the infected occurs at about  $I=0$ , which corresponds to the STABLE EQ point [1000, 0]

> *PhaseDiag*(*F*, [*s*, *i*], [800, 200], 0.01, 10)



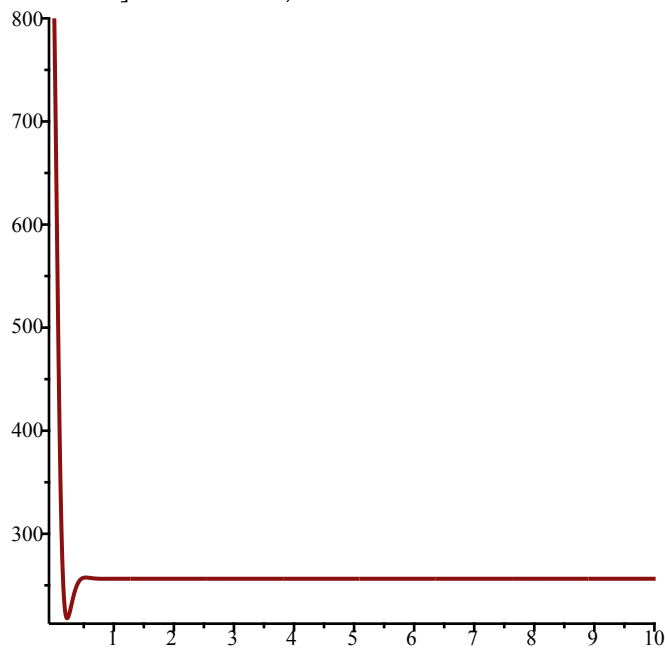
>  $\#v = 7, \gamma = 10, \beta = 3.9 \cdot \frac{v}{1000} = 0.0273$

>  $F := \text{subs}(\{v = 7, \gamma = 10, \beta = 0.0273\}, \text{SIRS}(s, i, \text{beta}, \text{gamma}, \text{nu}, 1000))$   
 $F := [-0.0273 s i + 10000 - 10 s - 10 i, 0.0273 s i - 7 i]$  (37)

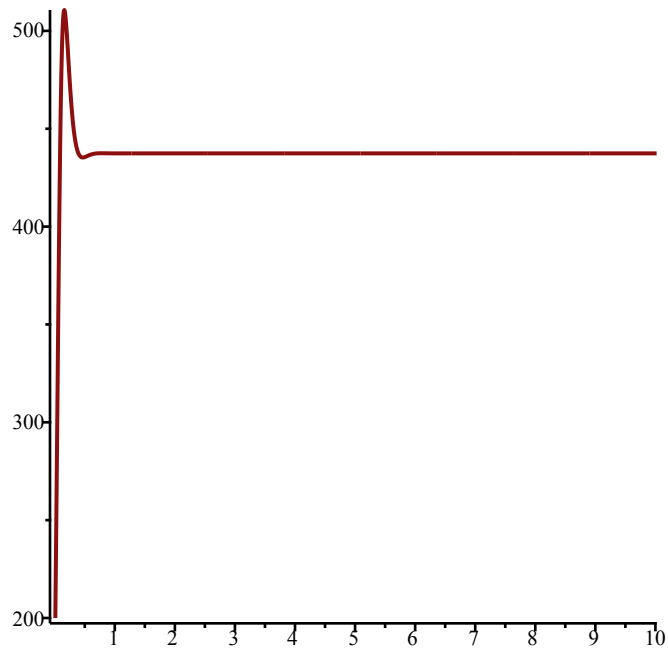
>  $\text{EquP}(F, [s, i])$   
 $\{[256.4102564, 437.4057315], [1000., 0.]\}$  (38)

>  $\text{SEquP}(F, [s, i])$   
 $\{[256.4102564, 437.4057315]\}$  (39)

>  $\text{TimeSeries}(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 1)$

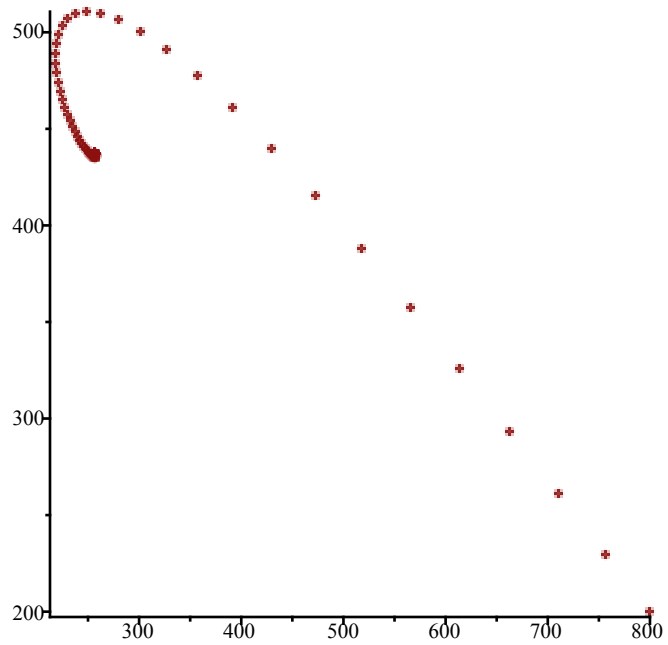


>  $\text{TimeSeries}(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10, 2)$



> #The horizontal asymptote of the susceptible occurs at about  $S=256$  and the horizontal asymptote of the infected occurs at about  $I=440$ , which corresponds to the STABLE EQ point  $[256.4102564, 437.4057315]$

> `PhaseDiag(F, [s, i], [800, 200], 0.01, 10)`



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> #2)

> `F := RandNice([x, y], 3)`

$$F := [(2 - 2x - 3y)(2 - x - 3y), (1 - x - 2y)(3 - 2x - 2y)]$$

(40)

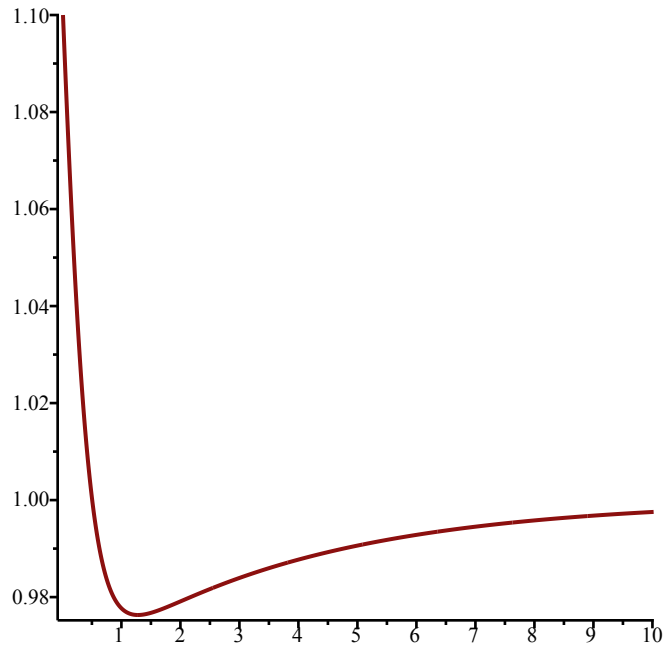
> `EquP(F, [x, y])`

$$\left\{ [-1, 1], [1, 0], \left[ \frac{5}{2}, -1 \right], \left[ \frac{5}{4}, \frac{1}{4} \right] \right\} \quad (41)$$

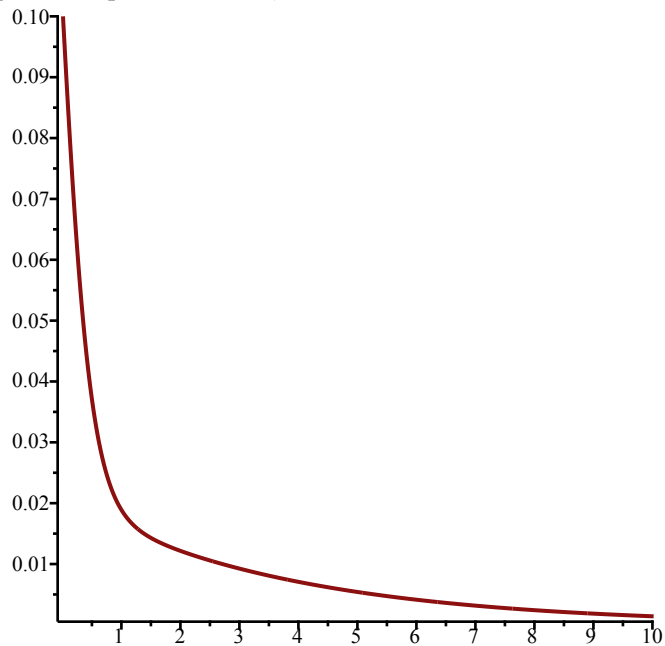
> *SEquP*(*F*, [*x*, *y*])

$$\{ [1., 0.] \} \quad (42)$$

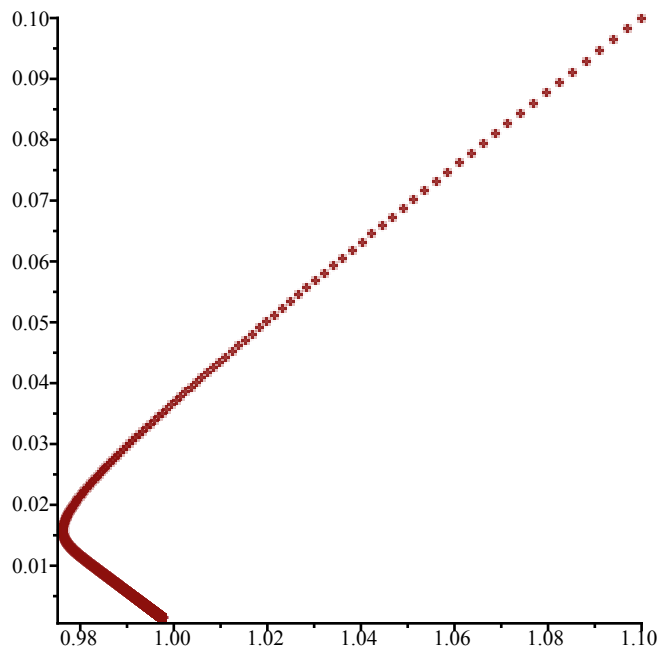
> *TimeSeries*(*F*, [*x*, *y*], [1.1, 0.1], 0.01, 10, 1)



> *TimeSeries*(*F*, [*x*, *y*], [1.1, 0.1], 0.01, 10, 2)



> *PhaseDiag*(*F*, [*x*, *y*], [1.1, 0.1], 0.01, 10)



> #For the second F:

>  $F := \text{RandNice}([x, y], 3)$

$$F := [(3 - x - 2y)(1 - 2x - 3y), (3 - 3x - 2y)(1 - 3x - 3y)] \quad (43)$$

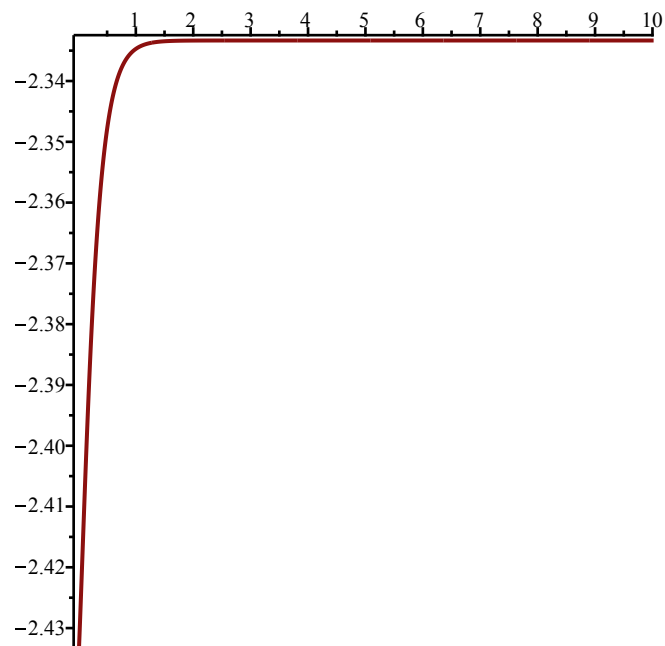
>  $\text{EquP}(F, [x, y])$

$$\left\{ \left[ 0, \frac{1}{3} \right], \left[ 0, \frac{3}{2} \right], \left[ -\frac{7}{3}, \frac{8}{3} \right], \left[ \frac{7}{5}, -\frac{3}{5} \right] \right\} \quad (44)$$

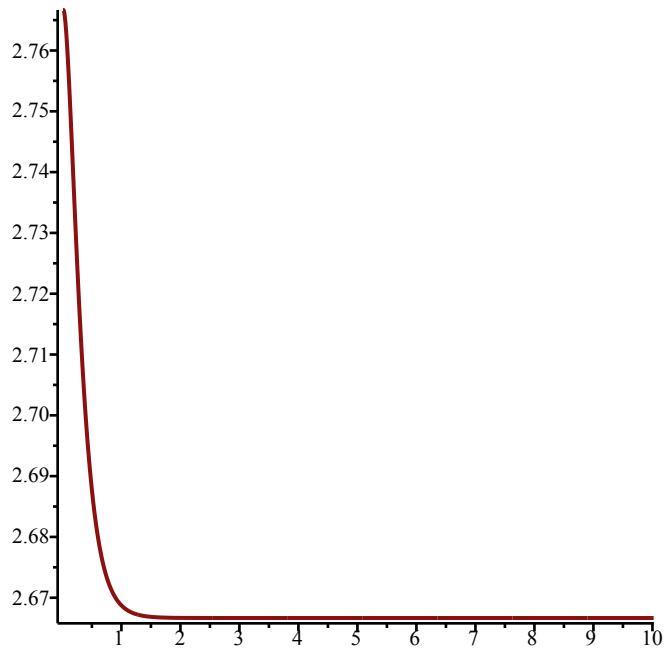
>  $\text{SEquP}(F, [x, y])$

$$\{[-2.333333333, 2.666666667], [1.400000000, -0.600000000]\} \quad (45)$$

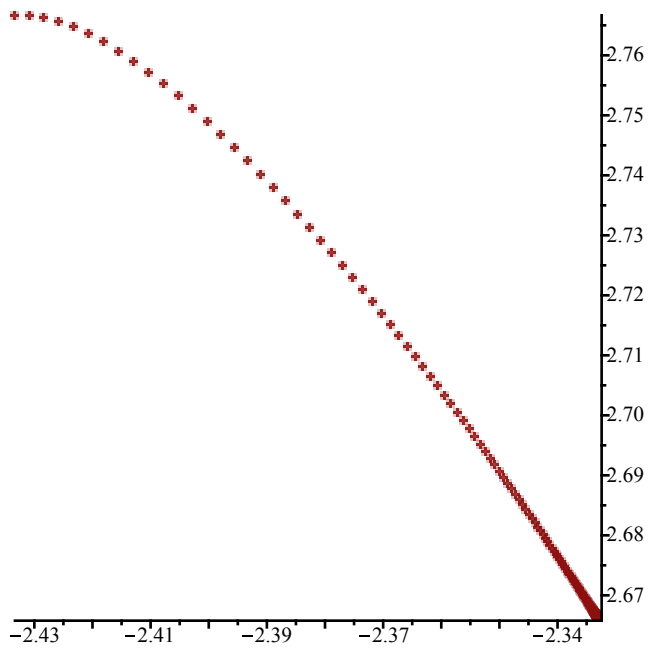
>  $\text{TimeSeries}(F, [x, y], [-2.43333, 2.76666], 0.01, 10, 1)$



>  $\text{TimeSeries}(F, [x, y], [-2.43333, 2.76666], 0.01, 10, 2)$

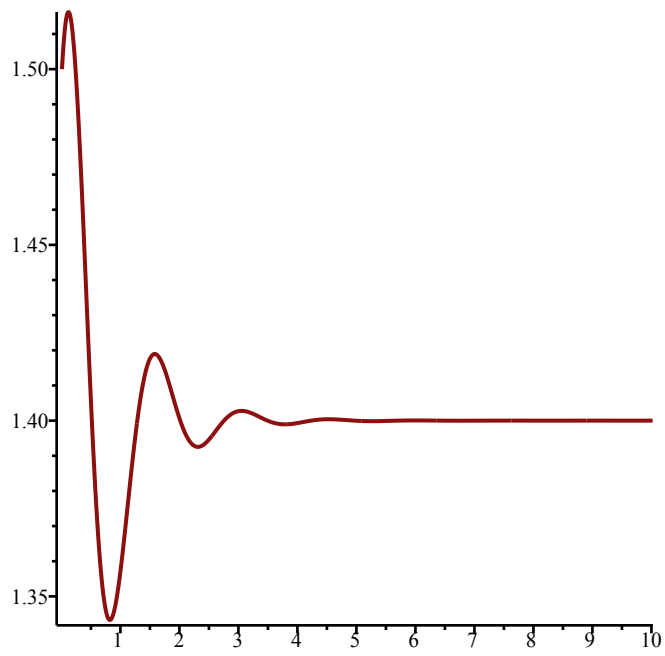


> *PhaseDiag*(*F*, [*x*, *y*], [-2.43333, 2.76666], 0.01, 10)

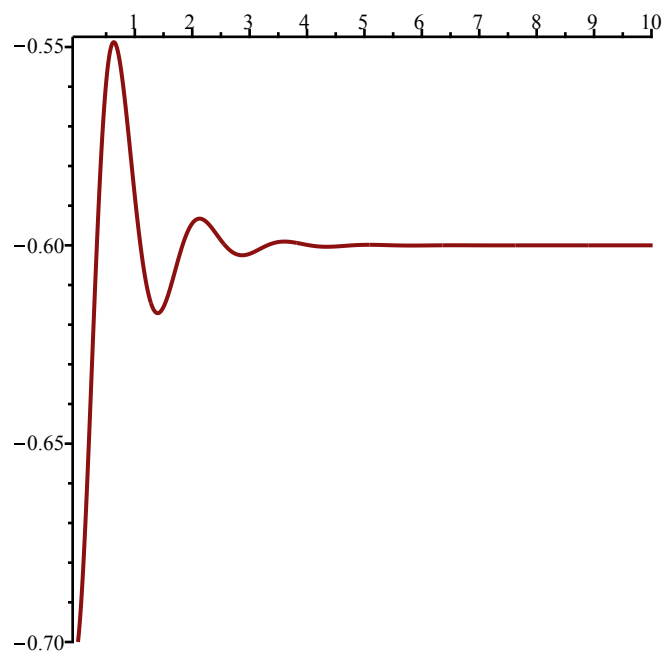


> *TimeSeries*(*F*, [*x*, *y*], [1.5, -0.7], 0.01, 10, 1)

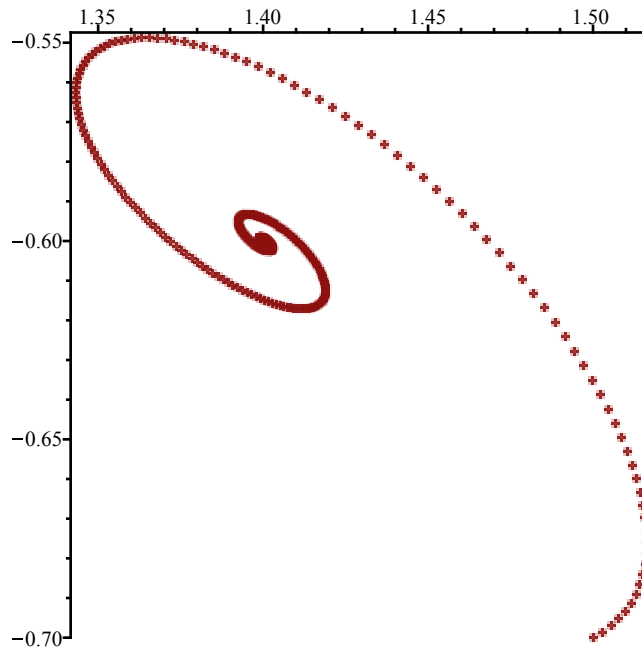




> *TimeSeries*( $F$ , [ $x$ ,  $y$ ], [1.5, -0.7], 0.01, 10, 2)



> *PhaseDiag*( $F$ , [ $x$ ,  $y$ ], [1.5, -0.7], 0.01, 10)



> #For the third F:

>  $F := \text{RandNice}([x, y], 3)$

$$F := [(3 - x - 3y)(3 - 2x - 3y), (1 - x - 3y)(1 - x - 2y)] \quad (46)$$

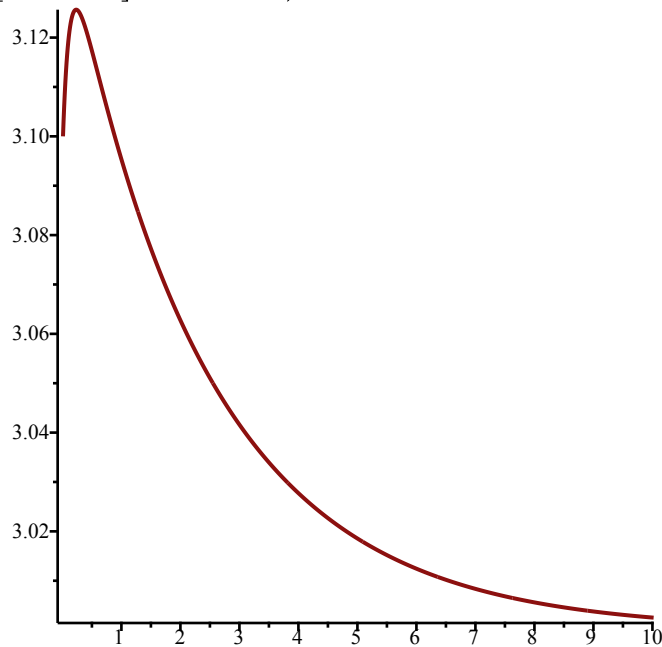
>  $\text{EquP}(F, [x, y])$

$$\left\{ [-3, 2], \left[ 2, -\frac{1}{3} \right], [3, -1] \right\} \quad (47)$$

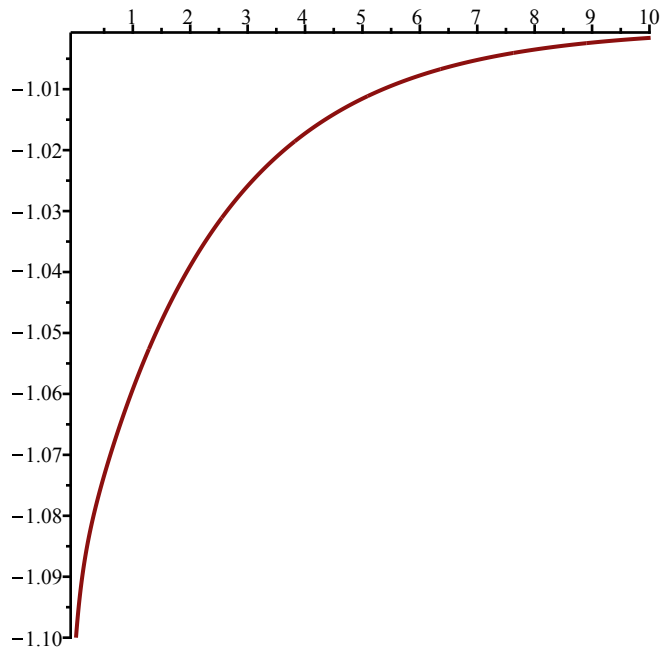
>  $\text{SEquP}(F, [x, y])$

$$\{ [3., -1.] \} \quad (48)$$

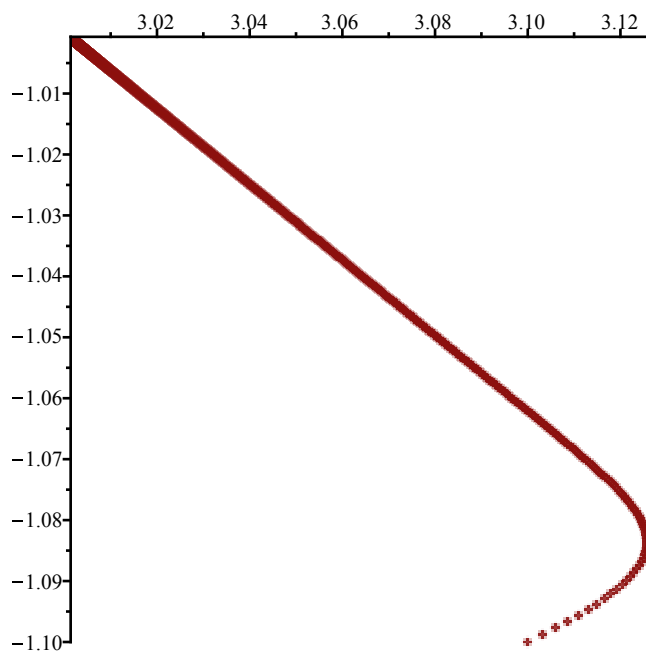
>  $\text{TimeSeries}(F, [x, y], [3.1, -1.1], 0.01, 10, 1)$



>  $\text{TimeSeries}(F, [x, y], [3.1, -1.1], 0.01, 10, 2)$



> `PhaseDiag(F, [x, y], [3.1, -1.1], 0.01, 10)`



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> `Help(Orbk)`

*Orbk(k,z,f,INI,K1,K2): Given a positive integer k, a letter (symbol), z, an expression f of z[1], ..., z[k] (representing a multi-variable function of the variables z[1],...,z[k] a vector INI representing the initial values [x[1],..., x[k]], and (in applications) positive integres K1 and K2, outputs the values of the sequence starting at n=K1 and ending at n=K2. of the sequence satisfying the difference equation*

$$x[n]=f(x[n-1],x[n-2],\dots, x[n-k+1]):$$

This is a generalization to higher-order difference equation of procedure *Orbk*(*f,x,x0,K1,K2*). For example, try:

*Orbk*(1,*z*,5/2\**z*[1]\*(1-*z*[1]),[0.5],1000,1010);

To get the Fibonacci sequence, type:

*Orbk*(2,*z*,*z*[1] +*z*[2],[1,1],1000,1010);

To get the part of the orbit between *n*=1000 and *n*=1010, of the 3rd order recurrence given in Eq. (4) of the Ladas-Amleh paper

<https://sites.math.rutgers.edu/~zeilberg/Bio21/AmlehLadas.pdf>

with initial conditions *x*(0)=1, *x*(1)=3, *x*(2)=5, Type:

*Orbk*(3,*z*,*z*[2]/(*z*[2] +*z*[3]),[1.,3.,5.],1000,1010);

To get the part of the orbit between *n*=1000 and *n*=1010, of the 3rd order recurrence given in Eq. (5) of the Ladas-Amleh paper

with initial conditions *x*(0)=1, *x*(1)=3, *x*(2)=5, Type:

*Orbk*(3,*z*,(*z*[1] +*z*[3])/*z*[2],[1.,3.,5.],1000,1010);

To get the part of the orbit between *n*=1000 and *n*=1010, of the 3rd order recurrence given in Eq. (6) of the Ladas-Amleh paper

with initial conditions *x*(0)=1, *x*(1)=3, *x*(2)=5, Type:

*Orbk*(3,*z*,(1 +*z*[3])/*z*[1],[1.,3.,5.],1000,1010);

To get the part of the orbit between *n*=1000 and *n*=1010, of the 3rd order recurrence given in Eq. (7) of the Ladas-Amleh paper

with initial conditions *x*(0)=1, *x*(1)=3, *x*(2)=5, Type:

*Orbk*(3,*z*,(1 +*z*[1])/(*z*[2] +*z*[3]),[1.,3.,5.],1000,1010);

(49)

> *print*(*Orbk*)

**proc**(*k*, *z*, *f*, *INI*, *K1*, *K2*)

(50)

**local** *L*, *i*, *newguy*;

*L* := *INI*;

**if not** (*type*(*k*, integer) **and** *type*(*z*, symbol) **and** *type*(*INI*, list) **and** *nops*(*INI*) = *k* **and** *type*(*K1*, integer) **and** *type*(*K2*, integer) **and** 0 < *K1* **and** *K1* < *K2*) **then**

*print*(bad input); RETURN (FAIL)

**end if**;

**while** *nops*(*L*) < *K2* **do**

*newguy* := *subs*( {*seq*(*z*[*i*] = *L*[ - *i*], *i* = 1 ..*k*) }, *f*); *L* := [*op*(*L*), *newguy*]

**end do**;

[op(K1..K2, L)]

end proc

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> #3)

$$x(n+1) := \frac{3 + x(n-1) + x(n-2) + x(n-3)}{1 + x(n) + x(n-2)}$$

$$x(n+1) := \frac{3 + x(n-1) + x(n-2) + x(n-3)}{1 + x(n) + x(n-2)} \quad (51)$$

$$x(n) := \text{subs}(n = n - 1, x(n + 1))$$

$$x(n) := \frac{3 + x(n-2) + x(n-3) + x(n-4)}{1 + x(n-1) + x(n-3)} \quad (52)$$

$$F := \frac{3 + z[2] + z[3] + z[4]}{1 + z[1] + z[3]}$$

$$F := \frac{3 + z_2 + z_3 + z_4}{1 + z_1 + z_3} \quad (53)$$

$$\text{Orbk}(4, z, F, [9.1, 0.2, 1.2, 0.9], 10000, 10010)$$

$$[0.8518413801, 5.473832241, 0.8518413801, 5.473832241, 0.8518413801, 5.473832241, 0.8518413801, 5.473832241, 0.8518413801] \quad (54)$$

$$\text{Orbk}(4, z, F, [11.1, 0.2, 1.2, 0.9], 10000, 10010)$$

$$[0.8082760883, 6.176729621, 0.8082760883, 6.176729621, 0.8082760883, 6.176729621, 0.8082760883, 6.176729621, 0.8082760883] \quad (55)$$

$$\text{Orbk}(4, z, F, [0.1, 0.2, 0.2, 0.1], 10000, 10010)$$

$$[1.106519003, 3.385317674, 1.106519003, 3.385317674, 1.106519003, 3.385317674, 1.106519003, 3.385317674, 1.106519003] \quad (56)$$

$$\text{Orbk}(4, z, F, [0.1, 0.2, 0.9, 0.1], 10000, 10010)$$

$$[0.9864991099, 4.097128884, 0.9864991099, 4.097128884, 0.9864991099, 4.097128884, 0.9864991099, 4.097128884, 0.9864991099] \quad (57)$$

$$\text{Orbk}(4, z, F, [0.01, 0.02, 0.01, 0.01], 10000, 10010)$$

$$[1.023849787, 3.840652307, 1.023849787, 3.840652307, 1.023849787, 3.840652307, 1.023849787, 3.840652307, 1.023849787] \quad (58)$$

$$\text{Orbk}(4, z, F, [0.1, 0.3, 0.2, 0.4], 10000, 10010)$$

$$[1.363810701, 2.525906831, 1.363810701, 2.525906831, 1.363810701, 2.525906831, 1.363810701, 2.525906831, 1.363810701] \quad (59)$$

$$\text{Orbk}(4, z, F, [1.0, 1.0, 1.0, 1.0], 10000, 10010)$$

$$[1.567364551, 2.139552296, 1.567364551, 2.139552296, 1.567364551, 2.139552296, 1.567364551, 2.139552296, 1.567364551] \quad (60)$$

$$\text{Orbk}(4, z, F, [2.0, 2.0, 2.0, 2.0], 10000, 10010)$$

$$[1.866943730, 1.780228265, 1.866943730, 1.780228265, 1.866943730, 1.780228265, 1.866943730, 1.780228265, 1.866943730] \quad (61)$$

1.866943730, 1.780228265, 1.866943730, 1.780228265, 1.866943730 ]

> *Orbk*(4, z, F, [2.1, 2.1, 2.1, 2.1], 10000, 10010)  
[1.890626777, 1.758425358, 1.890626777, 1.758425358, 1.890626777, 1.758425358, 1.890626777, 1.758425358, 1.890626777, 1.758425358, 1.890626777 ] (62)

> *Orbk*(4, z, F, [1.9, 1.9, 1.9, 1.9], 10000, 10010)  
[1.842416563, 1.803619196, 1.842416563, 1.803619196, 1.842416563, 1.803619196, 1.842416563, 1.803619196, 1.842416563, 1.803619196, 1.842416563 ] (63)

> *Orbk*(4, z, F, [1.85, 1.85, 1.85, 1.85], 10000, 10010)  
[1.829812874, 1.815974626, 1.829812874, 1.815974626, 1.829812874, 1.815974626, 1.829812874, 1.815974626, 1.829812874, 1.815974626, 1.829812874 ] (64)

> *Orbk*(4, z, F, [1.8, 1.8, 1.8, 1.8], 10000, 10010)  
[1.816968812, 1.828808992, 1.816968812, 1.828808992, 1.816968812, 1.828808992, 1.816968812, 1.828808992, 1.816968812, 1.828808992, 1.816968812 ] (65)

> *Orbk*(4, z, F, [1.81, 1.81, 1.81, 1.81], 10000, 10010)  
[1.819557373, 1.826202283, 1.819557373, 1.826202283, 1.819557373, 1.826202283, 1.819557373, 1.826202283, 1.819557373, 1.826202283, 1.819557373 ] (66)

> *Orbk*(4, z, F, [1.81, 1.81, 1.81, 1.81], 10000, 10010)

> **for** *i* **by** 0.001 **from** 1.8 **to** 1.85 **do** *print*(*Orbk*(4, z, F, [*i*, *i*, *i*, *i*], 1000, 1010)) **od**:

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> #It appears that there is an equilibrium point somewhere near 1.822...

> Help(ToSys)

ToSys(k,z,f): converts the kth order difference equation  $x(n)=f(x[n-1],x[n-2],\dots,x[n-k])$  to a first-order system

$x1(n)=F(x1(n-1),x2(n-1), \dots,xk(n-1))$ , it gives the underlying transformation, followed by the set of variables

Try:

ToSys(2,z,z[1] + z[2]);

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> ToSys(4, z, F)

$$\left[ \frac{3 + z_2 + z_3 + z_4}{1 + z_1 + z_3}, z_1, z_2, z_3 \right], [z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4]$$

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> Help(SFP)

SFP(F,x): Given a transformation F in the list of variables finds all the STABLE fixed point of the transformation  $x \rightarrow F(x)$ , i.e. the set of solutions of

the system  $\{x[1]=F[1], \dots, x[k]=F[k]\}$  that are stable. Try:

SFP([5/2\*x\*(1-x),[x]]);

SFP([(1+x+y)/(2+3\*x+y), (3+x+2\*y)/(5+x+3\*y)], [x,y]);

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> SFP( $\left[ \frac{3 + z_2 + z_3 + z_4}{1 + z_1 + z_3}, z_1, z_2, z_3 \right], [z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4]$ )

(71)

> Orbk(4, z, F, [1.822875656, 1.822875656, 1.822875656, 1.822875656], 1000, 1010)

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> #EQ point : 1.822875656

> #IS IT STABLE THOUGH?

> Orbk(4, z, F, [1.822875656 + 0.1, 1.822875656 + 0.1, 1.822875656 + 0.1, 1.822875656 + 0.1], 1000, 1010)

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> {op(%)}

{1.798117869, 1.848105624}

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> #I would argue that it is UNSTABLE because a relatively small change (+0.1) caused it to oscillate between two values (period of 2): {1.798117869, 1.848105624}