

> #Ok to post Homework
> #Jeton Hida, Assignment 24, November 29, 2021

> #Question 1

> #For the attendance quiz I made silly mistakes, the first one I mistakenly tried to treat it all as if velocity was $x(t)$ instead of $x'(t)$, I knew acceleration is the derivative of velocity, so I treated that as $x'(t)$ instead. Basically, it sums up to me being one derivative off for the whole problem, and that in turn caused me to get it wrong. For number 2 on the attendance quiz, I was unsure where to go with the info given, specifically the part where we equate $ma = -mg \rightarrow m(x''(t)) = -mg$ and we cancel m 's. This was the only issue, I see it now, every other step here was easy to do, if I only got that first step I would've solved this easily, but unfortunately I didn't.

> #Question 2

> #rate of change of the rate of change of acceleration, acceleration is $x''(t)$ rate of change of that is $x'''(t)$ rate of change of that which is $x''''(t)$. We are given the rate of change of this one, (5th derivative), so $x''''''(t) = 120\text{m/s}^3$ (homework says sec^3 , but I believe it should be to the 5th power so, sec^5) We are going to perform a series of integrations, with solving for C at each step from given initial conditions. At the end once we find $x(t)$ we will plug in $t=2$ to the equation.

> # $x''''''(t) = 120, x(0) = 0; x'(0) = 0; x''(0) = 0; x'''(0) = 0;$
$x''''''(0) = 0$
$x''''''(t) = 120t + C \rightarrow 0 = 120(0) + C, C=0, x''''''(t) = 120t$
$x''''(t) = 60t^2 + C \rightarrow 0 = 60(0^2) + C, C=0, x''''(t) = 60t^2$
$x''(t) = 20t^3 + C \rightarrow 0 = 20(0^3) + C, C=0, x''(t) = 20t^3$
$x'(t) = 5t^4 + C \rightarrow 0 = 5(0^4) + C, C=0, x'(t) = 5t^4$
$x(t) = t^5 + C \rightarrow 0 = (0^5) + C, C=0, x(t) = t^5$

$x(2) = 2^5 = 32$, Hence the particle is at a distance 32 meters from the starting point after 2 seconds!

> #Question 3 i.

> # $ma = -mg, m(x''(t)) = -mg, m$ cancels out $x''(t) = -g, g=10. x'(0)=0, x(0)=100\text{m}$ Now do a series of integration and solving for C based on initial conditions!

$x''(t) = -10$
$x'(t) = -10t + C \rightarrow 0 = -10(0) + C, C=0, x'(t) = -10t$
$x(t) = -5t^2 + C \rightarrow 100 = -5(0^2) + C, C=100, x(t) = -5t^2 + 100$
#Ball is on the ground when $x(t) = 0$, so let's solve for t to find how many seconds it will take to reach ground
$-5t^2 + 100 = 0, -5t^2 = -100, t^2 = 20, t = \pm \sqrt{20}$, a negative value for time makes no sense so the ball reaches the ground when the time is $t = \sqrt{20}$

> `evalf(sqrt(20))`

4.472135954

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> #The ball hits the ground at $t=4.472135954$ seconds

> #ii.

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> #Ball is dropped from height of 100 meters,  $x(0) = 100$ , air-  
resistance is equal to  $2mv$  where  $v$  is velocity, velocity is also  
equal to  $x'(t)$  here. Acceleration is  $x''(t) = -10$  where  $10 = g$  in  
units of  $m/s^2$ . Setting up an equation we have this.
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> # $x''(t) = -10m - 2m(x'(t))$ , the value  $2m(x'(t))$  is negative here  
as the air resistance value is related to the velocity. Velocity of  
this ball will also be negative for the same reason the  
acceleration is negative, because of the direction the ball is  
moving. All the  $m$ 's will cancel out. With that said we are left  
with the following equation,
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> # $x''(t) = -10 - 2x'(t)$ 
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> dsolve({D(D(x))(t)=-10-2*D(x)(t),x(0) = 100,D(x)(0)=0},x(t))
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$$x(t) = -\frac{5e^{-2t}}{2} - 5t + \frac{205}{2} \quad (2)$$

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> evalf(solve((-5/2)*exp(-2*t)-5*t+(205/2)=0,t))  
20.50000000, -1.90112928
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> #The ball will reach the ground at 20.5 seconds
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> #Question 4
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> #(a)
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> # $x(n) = x(n-1)$ , this is the format for a discrete time system  
specifically a first-order discrete system. The general format is  
# $x(n) = f(x(n-1),x(n-2),\dots,x(n-k))$  for a  $k$ -th order discrete  
dynamical system. Where we say the value of our quantity ( $x$ ) at a  
time step  $n$  is equal to a function containing the value of our  
quantity ( $x$ ) at previous time step(s).
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> #(b)
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#The orbit of a discrete time dynamical system with one quantity  
starting at  $x(n) = x_0$  up to  $n = K$ .  
#What we mean by this is that with our discrete time dynamical  
system which we have said the value  $x(n)$  is equal to a function of  
previous time steps  $f(x(n-1),x(n-2),\dots,x(n-k))$ . We start an  
initial value we call  $x_0$ . To find out where we are at the next  
timestep we plug this point  $x_0$  into our function of our quantity.  
This next point we land at we call  $x_1$ . An orbit pertains to the  
idea that after several iterations, up to  $n = K$ , where does our  
quantity end up at? An orbit means we are actually "orbiting"  
around several points. In this case, after  $K$  timesteps we notice  
that our quantity only seems to take on several values and nothing  
else. At timestep  $K-3$  we take on a value of  $A$ , we'll call it. Then  
at  $K-2$  we take on a value of  $B$ , and then at  $K-1$  we go back to  $A$ ,  
etc. We continue to repeat this "orbit" around these two values  $A$   
and  $B$ .
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> #(c)
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> #An equilibrium solution for a discrete time dynamical system  
refers to a point that we start at, and never leave. If our  
quantity  $x(n)$  has an equilibrium solution we'll call  $x^*$ , then if we  
start at  $x^*$  we will never leave  $x^*$ . The point in the next timestep,  
will be  $x^*$  and the point in  $K$  timesteps will always be  $x^*$ . A good  
way to think about this is for discrete time systems that model  
population growth between generations. An easy equilibrium point to  
understand is  $0$ . If we start with our population equalling to  $0$ , we
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will never grow from 0, how can we have more members of a population being born when we have none to begin with, we have no members able to give birth to new life. The system will remain at the equilibrium point 0.

> #(d)

> #A stable equilibrium solution is an equilibrium solution to a discrete time dynamical system with one other quality to it. It is true like before that if we start at this value, we remain at this value even going forward K timesteps. The difference here is that a stable equilibrium solution does not require you to start at it to eventually reach it. If you start at a point near the stable equilibrium, your value of $x(n)$ will eventually reach a value close to the stable equilibrium and then stay at it indefinitely. Say we have a stable equilibrium value of .5, and we begin at .25, after K timesteps (maybe less depending on the function) we will end up near this stable equilibrium value of .5 and stay at it.

> #Question 5

> #(a)

> #To find the stable equilibria (stable fixed point) using orbits, of a discrete time dynamical system we can use the Maple procedure by Dr. Z Orb. Which really takes a function $f(x(n-1), \dots, x(n-k))$ and using our initial conditions say $x(0)=x_0$. Iterates it K timesteps ahead. The idea is that after many iterations we will notice a pattern of what the value of $x(n)$ is. If we start at x_0 and stay at x_0 after several timesteps then we know that x_0 is a fixed point. If we start near x_0 , but not exactly at it and we still end up at x_0 after K timesteps, we know x_0 is a stable fixed point. If we do not end up at x_0 after starting near it, then we can say x_0 is an unstable fixed point.

> #(b)

> #To algebraically find a set of fixed points for a function of a discrete time dynamical system we have a few steps. We take a $x(n)=f(x(n-1))$ and rewrite the underlying function of $f(x(n-1))$ to $f(x)$. To find fixed points we now equate x to $f(x)$ so $x=f(x)$ and find all values of x that satisfy this. These values of x are in our set of fixed points for the specific discrete time dynamical system.

> #(c)

> #To find out if these fixed points we found are indeed stable, we now use calculus. We take our function $f(x)$ and derive it once. We are now left with $f'(x)$. We now substitute our fixed point values one at a time for x and from there we see the value of our f' at this equilibrium point. The absolute value of f' at this equilibrium point tells us whether or not this point is stable. If the absolute value of f' at the point is < 1 then we can say our equilibrium point is stable, if infact our equilibrium point at f' is > 1 then it is infact unstable. If in the case it is $= 1$ then we cannot conclude whether it is stable or unstable just from this calculus method alone, may need to infact use our Orb procedure and figure it out numerically.

> #(d)

> read "/Users/jeton/Desktop/Math 336/DMB.txt"

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);"*

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

*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);

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

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

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> Help(Orb)

*Orb(F,x,x0,K1,K2): Inputs a transformation F in the list of variables x with initial point pt,
outputs the trajectory of*

of the discrete dynamical system (i.e. solutions of the difference equation): $x(n)=F(x(n-1))$ with $x(0)=x0$ from $n=K1$ to $n=K2$.

For the full trajectory (from $n=0$ to $n=K2$), use $K1=0$. Try:

*Orb(5/2*x*(1-x),[x], [0.5], 1000,1010);*

*Orb([(1+x+y)/(2+x+y),(6+x+y)/(2+4*x+5*y),[x,y], [2.,3.], 1000,1010);*

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> Orb([(x+1)/(x+2)], [x], [1.0], 1000, 1010)

[[0.6180339888], [0.6180339888], [0.6180339888], [0.6180339888], [0.6180339888],

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[0.6180339888], [0.6180339888], [0.6180339888], [0.6180339888], [0.6180339888],

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[0.6180339888], [0.6180339888]]
> A:=evalf(solve(x=(x+1)/(x+2),x))[1]
A := 0.6180339880 (7)
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> B:=evalf(solve(x=(x+1)/(x+2),x))[2]
B := -1.618033988 (8)
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> C:=diff((x+1)/(x+2),x)
C :=  $\frac{1}{x+2} - \frac{x+1}{(x+2)^2}$  (9)
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> subs(x=A,C)
0.1458980339 (10)
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> #This value is < 1 so .6180339880 is a stable equilibrium point,
which agrees with our Orb procedure.
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> subs(x=B,C)
6.854101940 (11)
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> #This value is > 1 so -1.618033988 is an unstable equilibrium
point.
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> #ii.
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> Orb([5/2*x*(1-x)], [x], [.5], 1000, 1010)
[[0.6000000000], [0.6000000000], [0.6000000000], [0.6000000000], [0.6000000000],
[0.6000000000], [0.6000000000], [0.6000000000], [0.6000000000], [0.6000000000],
[0.6000000000], [0.6000000000]] (12)
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> evalf(solve(x=5/2*x*(1-x),x))
0., 0.6000000000 (13)
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> diff(5/2*x*(1-x),x)
 $\frac{5}{2} - 5x$  (14)
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> subs(x=0,%)
 $\frac{5}{2}$  (15)
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> #This value is > 1 so 0 is an unstable equilibrium point.
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> subs(x=.6,5/2-5*x)
-0.5000000000 (16)
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> #The absolute value of this is < 1 so .6 is a stable equilibrium
point, and agrees with Orb
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> #iii.
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> Orb([7/2*x*(1-x)], [x], [.5], 1000, 1010)
[[0.5008842111], [0.8749972637], [0.3828196827], [0.8269407062], [0.5008842111],
[0.8749972637], [0.3828196827], [0.8269407062], [0.5008842111], [0.8749972637],
[0.3828196827], [0.8269407062]] (17)
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> evalf(solve(x=7/2*x*(1-x),x))
0., 0.7142857143 (18)
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> diff(7/2*x*(1-x),x)
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$$\frac{7}{2} - 7x \quad (19)$$

> subs(x=0,7/2-7*x)

$$\frac{7}{2} \quad (20)$$

> #This value is > 1 so 0 is an unstable equilibrium point.

> subs(x=.7142857143,7/2-7*x)

$$-1.500000000 \quad (21)$$

> #This absolute value is also > 1 so .7142857143 is also an unstable equilibrium point. These both agree with Orb as there is an orbit of period 3 for this function f(x).