

MAT 1332, Winter 2013 Assignment 3

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QUESTION 1. Suppose that a turtle grows at a rate of

$$\frac{dL}{dt} = 5e^{-0.1t},$$

where $L(t)$ is its length (in cm) after t years. At birth, the turtle measures 3 cm.

(a) Is this a pure-time differential equation or an autonomous differential equation?

This is a pure-time differential equation.

(b) Find the general solution of this differential equation.

$$\begin{aligned} L(t) &= \int 5e^{-0.1t} dt + C \\ &= 5 \int e^{-0.1t} dt + C \\ &= 5 \cdot \frac{1}{-0.1} e^{-0.1t} + C \\ &= -50 e^{-0.1t} + C \end{aligned}$$

(c) Find the solution that satisfies the given initial condition.

At time $t=0$, $L(0)=3$

$$L(0) = -50 e^{-\underbrace{(0.1)(0)}_1} + C = -50 + C$$

$$\text{Hence } -50 + C = 3 \Rightarrow \boxed{C = 53}$$

The solution is: $L(t) = -50 e^{-0.1t} + 53$

(d) Determine turtle's length after 10 years ($L(10)$) and after 20 years ($L(20)$). How much did the turtle grow between ages $t = 10$ and $t = 20$?

$$L(10) = -50 e^{-(0.1)(10)} + 53 = -50 e^{-1} + 53 \approx 34.61 \text{ cm}$$

$$L(20) = -50 e^{-(0.1)(20)} + 53 = -50 e^{-2} + 53 \approx 46.23 \text{ cm}$$

Between the ages of $t=10$ and $t=20$, the turtle grew

$$\begin{aligned} L(20) - L(10) &= (-50 e^{-2} + 53) - (-50 e^{-1} + 53) \\ &= -50(e^{-2} - e^{-1}) \approx 11.62 \text{ cm} \end{aligned}$$

(e) Using the fundamental theorem of calculus determine the turtle's growth between ages $t = 10$ and $t = 20$.

$$\begin{aligned} L(20) - L(10) &= \underset{\text{F.T.C.}}{\int_{10}^{20} L'(t) dt} = \int_{10}^{20} 5e^{-0.1t} dt \\ &= 5 \int_{10}^{20} e^{-0.1t} dt \\ &= 5 \cdot \frac{1}{-0.1} e^{-0.1t} \Big|_{10}^{20} = -50(e^{-(0.1)(20)} - e^{-(0.1)(10)}) \\ &= -50(e^{-2} - e^{-1}) \approx 11.62 \text{ cm} \end{aligned}$$

QUESTION 2. Consider the following differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = y^2 + 4$$

(a) Is this differential equation pure or autonomous?

This is an autonomous differential equation

(b) Find the solution that satisfies the initial condition $y(0) = 2$.

We separate the variables:

$$\frac{dy}{y^2+4} = dt. \text{ We integrate both sides:}$$

$$(1) \int \frac{dy}{y^2+4} = \int dt. \text{ We evaluate } \int \frac{1}{y^2+4} dy:$$

$$\int \frac{1}{y^2+4} dy = \int \frac{dy}{4\left(\frac{y^2}{4} + 1\right)} = \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{dy}{\left(\frac{y}{2}\right)^2 + 1} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{use substitution} \\ u = \frac{y}{2} \\ du = \frac{1}{2} dy \end{array}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{2du}{u^2+1} = \frac{1}{2} \arctan(u)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \arctan\left(\frac{y}{2}\right). \text{ (1) becomes:}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \arctan\left(\frac{y}{2}\right) = t + C ; \arctan\left(\frac{y}{2}\right) = 2(t+C)$$

$$\frac{y}{2} = \tan(2(t+C)) \Rightarrow \boxed{y(t) = 2 \tan(2(t+C))}$$

To find C , we use the initial condition $y(0) = 2$.

$$y(0) = 2 \tan(2(0+C)) = 2 \tan(2C)$$

$$2 = 2 \tan(2C) \Rightarrow \tan(2C) = 1 \Rightarrow 2C = \frac{\pi}{4} \Rightarrow \boxed{C = \frac{\pi}{8}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{The solution is: } y(t) = 2 \tan\left(2\left(t + \frac{\pi}{8}\right)\right)$$

QUESTION 3. A steak is cooked in the oven at a temperature of 200°C , which is kept constant all along the cooking process. The steak's temperature, $T(t)$, obeys Newton's law of cooling, namely, it satisfies the differential equation

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = \alpha(200 - T).$$

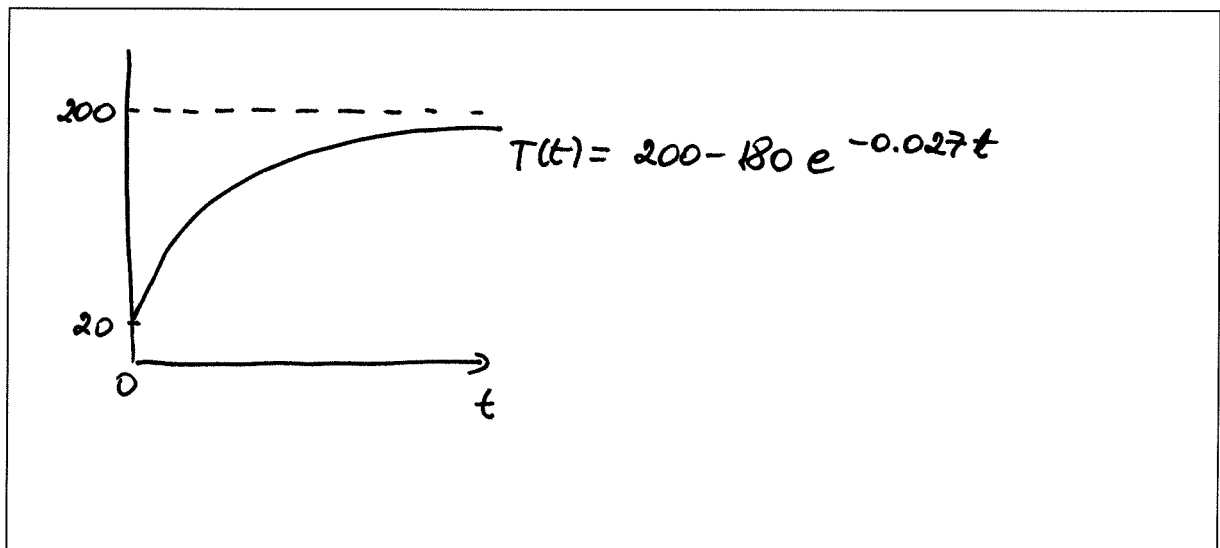
(a) If the steak's temperature is 20°C when placed in the oven, solve the differential equation.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dT}{200-T} &= \alpha dt ; \int \frac{dT}{200-T} = \int \alpha dt ; -\ln|200-T| = \alpha t + C \\ |200-T| &= e^{-\alpha t - C} \\ T_0 = 20 < 200 &\Rightarrow T < 200 \Rightarrow |200-T| = 200-T \\ 200-T &= e^{-\alpha t} e^{-C} = e^{-\alpha t} K, \text{ where } K = e^{-C} \\ \Rightarrow T(t) &= 200 - K e^{-\alpha t}. \text{ To determine } K \text{ we use } T(0) = 20. \\ T(0) = 200 - K e^{-\alpha \cdot 0} &= 200 - K ; 20 = 200 - K \Rightarrow K = 180 \\ \text{The solution is: } &T(t) = 200 - 180 e^{-\alpha t} \end{aligned}$$

(b) find α using the fact that after 30 minutes the temperature of the steak is 120°C .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{We know that } T(30) &= 120. \text{ In our case,} \\ T(30) &= 200 - 180 e^{-\alpha \cdot 30}. \text{ Hence} \\ 200 - 180 e^{-\alpha \cdot 30} &= 120. \text{ We solve for } \alpha. \\ 80 &= 180 e^{-\alpha \cdot 30} \\ e^{-\alpha \cdot 30} &= \frac{80}{180} \left(= \frac{8}{18} = \frac{4}{9} \right). \text{ Take logarithm} \\ -\alpha \cdot 30 &= \ln\left(\frac{4}{9}\right) \\ -\alpha &= \frac{1}{30} \ln\left(\frac{4}{9}\right) \Rightarrow \alpha = -\frac{1}{30} \ln\left(\frac{4}{9}\right) \approx 0.027 \end{aligned}$$

(c) Using the values found in (a) and (b), plot the graph of the solution $T(t)$.



QUESTION 4. (a) Find the general solution the separable differential equation

$$y' = e^{-2t}(1 + y^2).$$

We separate the variables: $\left(\frac{dy}{dt} = e^{-2t}(1+y^2)\right)$

$\frac{dy}{1+y^2} = e^{-2t} dt$. We integrate both sides.

$$\int \frac{dy}{1+y^2} = \int e^{-2t} dt$$

$$\arctan(y) = -\frac{1}{2}e^{-2t} + C$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = \tan\left(-\frac{1}{2}e^{-2t} + C\right)$$

$y(t) = \tan\left(-\frac{1}{2}e^{-2t} + C\right)$, with C an arbitrary constant.

(b) Find the particular solution with initial condition $y(0) = 0$.

$$y(0) = \tan\left(-\frac{1}{2}e^{-2 \cdot 0} + C\right) = \tan\left(-\frac{1}{2} + C\right)$$

$$y(0) = 0 \Rightarrow \tan\left(-\frac{1}{2} + C\right) = 0 \Rightarrow -\frac{1}{2} + C = 0, \text{ i.e.}$$

$$\boxed{C = \frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{The solution is: } y(t) &= \tan\left(-\frac{1}{2}e^{-2t} + \frac{1}{2}\right) \\ &= \tan\left(\frac{1}{2}(1 - e^{-2t})\right) \end{aligned}$$

QUESTION 5. (a) Find the general solution of the differential equation

$$y' = y \sin(\pi t).$$

We write the equation as $\frac{dy}{dt} = y \sin(\pi t)$.

We separate the variables: $\frac{dy}{y} = \sin(\pi t) dt$.

We integrate both sides:

$$\int \frac{dy}{y} = \int \sin(\pi t) dt$$

$$\ln|y| = -\frac{1}{\pi} \cos(\pi t) + C$$

$$|y(t)| = e^{-\frac{1}{\pi} \cos(\pi t) + C} = e^C \cdot e^{-\frac{1}{\pi} \cos(\pi t)}$$

$\Rightarrow y(t) = \pm e^C \cdot e^{-\frac{1}{\pi} \cos(\pi t)}$. We denote $\pm e^C = k$.

The solution is: $y(t) = k e^{-\frac{1}{\pi} \cos(\pi t)}$

$y(t) = k e^{-\frac{1}{\pi} \cos(\pi t)}$, with C an arbitrary constant.

(b) Find the particular solution with initial condition $y(1) = 1$.

$$y(1) = k e^{-\frac{1}{\pi} \cos(\pi)}$$

$$= k e^{-\frac{1}{\pi} \cdot (-1)} = k e^{1/\pi}$$

$$y(1) = 1 \Rightarrow k e^{1/\pi} = 1 \Rightarrow k = e^{-\frac{1}{\pi}} \approx 0.73$$

The solution is: $y(t) = e^{-\frac{1}{\pi}} \cdot e^{-\frac{1}{\pi} \cos(\pi t)}$
 $= e^{-\frac{1}{\pi} (1 + \cos(\pi t))}$