

# WS 4.8 : Exponential Growth & Decay ; Newton's Law ;

## Logistic Growth & Decay

\* Exponential Law or Law of uninhibited growth ( $K > 0$ ) or decay ( $K < 0$ )

•  $A = A_0 e^{kt}$ ,  $A_0 =$  original amt ( $t=0$ ) AND  $K \neq 0$  is a constant

↳ IF  $K > 0$ , then  $A$  is increasing over time

↳ IF  $K < 0$ , then  $A$  is decreasing over time

2.) a.)  $N(0) = 100 e^{0.045(0)} = \underline{100 \text{ grams}}$

b.) In  $A = A_0 e^{kt}$ ,  $k =$  rate as a decimal (convert to a percent)  
 $k = 0.045 \rightarrow \underline{4.5\%}$

c.) graph using a calc  $\rightarrow$



d.)  $N(5) = 100 e^{0.045(5)} = \underline{125.2 \text{ grams}}$

e.)  $\frac{140}{100} = \frac{100 e^{0.045(t)}}{100} \rightarrow 1.4 = e^{0.045t}$

$\ln 1.4 = \ln e^{0.045t} \rightarrow \frac{\ln 1.4}{0.045} = \frac{0.045t}{0.045} \approx \boxed{7.5 \text{ days}}$

f.) Doubling Time general equation  $\rightarrow 2P = Pe^{kt}$   
If  $P = 100$ , then  $2P = 200$

$$\frac{200}{100} = \frac{100 e^{0.045t}}{100}$$

$$2 = e^{0.045t}$$

$$\ln 2 = \ln e^{0.045t}$$

$$\frac{\ln 2}{0.045} = \frac{0.045t}{0.045}$$

$$\boxed{t \approx 15.4 \text{ days}}$$

$$\bullet N(t) = N_0 e^{kt}, K > 0$$

where  $N_0$  is the initial number of cells AND  $K$  is a positive constant that represents the growth rate of the cells.

3.) A.) use  $N(t) = N_0 e^{kt} \rightarrow N(3) = 2N_0$

$$\frac{N_0 e^{k(3)}}{N_0} = \frac{2N_0}{N_0} \rightarrow e^{3k} = 2 \rightarrow \ln e^{3k} = \ln 2$$

$$N(t) = N_0 \cdot e^{\left(\frac{\ln 2}{3}\right)t}$$

$$\frac{3k}{3} = \frac{\ln 2}{3}$$

$$k = \frac{\ln 2}{3}$$

B.)  $\frac{3N_0}{N_0} = \frac{N_0 e^{\left(\frac{\ln 2}{3}\right)t}}{N_0} \rightarrow 3 = e^{\left(\frac{\ln 2}{3}\right)t}$

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$$\frac{\ln 3}{\frac{\ln 2}{3}} = \frac{\left(\frac{\ln 2}{3}\right)t}{\frac{\ln 2}{3}}$$

$$t \approx 4.755 \text{ hrs}$$

$$\text{or } 4 \text{ hrs, } 45 \text{ mins}$$

C.) If a population doubles in 3 hours, then it will double a second time in 3 more hours, for a total of 6 hrs.

4.) Radioactive Decay  $\rightarrow A(t) = A_0 e^{kt}$ ,  $k < 0$  ( $k = \text{rate of decay}$ )

① Find  $k \rightarrow \frac{\frac{1}{2} A_0}{A_0} = \frac{A_0 e^{k(5600)}}{A_0} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} = e^{5600k}$

$$\ln \frac{1}{2} = \ln e^{5600k}$$

$$\frac{\ln \frac{1}{2}}{5600} = \frac{5600k}{5600}$$

② new formula (using 1.67%)

$$\frac{0.0167 A_0}{A_0} = \frac{A_0 e^{\frac{\ln \frac{1}{2}}{5600} t}}{A_0}$$

$$0.0167 = e^{\frac{\ln \frac{1}{2}}{5600} t}$$

$$\ln 0.0167 = \ln e^{\frac{\ln \frac{1}{2}}{5600} t}$$

$$\frac{\ln 0.0167}{\frac{\ln \frac{1}{2}}{5600}} = \frac{\frac{\ln \frac{1}{2}}{5600} t}{\frac{\ln \frac{1}{2}}{5600}}$$

$$\frac{\ln 0.0167}{\frac{\ln \frac{1}{2}}{5600}}$$

$$\frac{\frac{\ln \frac{1}{2}}{5600} t}{\frac{\ln \frac{1}{2}}{5600}}$$

$$\frac{\ln \frac{1}{2}}{5600} = k$$

$$t \approx 33,062 \text{ yrs}$$

## 4.8 Notes Continued - Logistic Model; Newton's Law of Cooling

Logistic Model: Describes situations where the growth or decay of the dependent variable is limited. Ex - Population growth

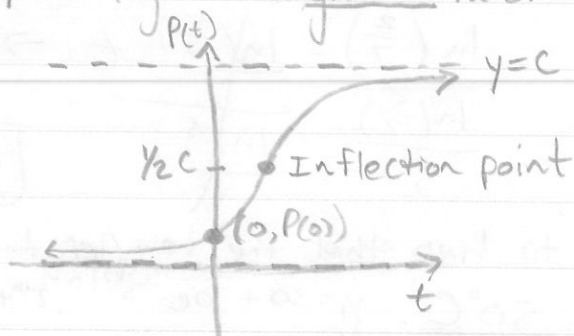
In a logistic growth model, the population  $P$  after time  $t$  obeys the equation: 
$$P(t) = \frac{c}{1 + ae^{-bt}}$$

where  $a, b, +c$  are constants w/  $c > 0$ .

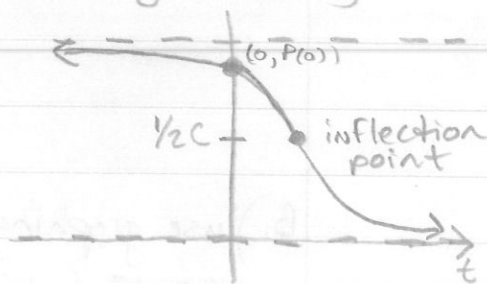
- Growth model: If  $b > 0$
- Decay model: If  $b < 0$

The number  $c$  is called the carrying capacity (for growth models) b/c  $P(t)$  approaches  $c$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ .  
That is:  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} P(t) = c$ . The number  $|b|$  is the growth rate for  $b > 0$ , and the decay rate for  $b < 0$ .

Typical logistical growth function



Typical logistical decay function



## Newton's Law of Cooling

5.) The temperature  $u$  of a heated object at a given time  $t$  can be modeled by:

$$u(t) = T + (u_0 - T)e^{kt}, \quad k < 0$$

where  $T$  is the constant temperature of the surrounding medium,  $u_0$  is the initial temperature of the heated object, and  $k$  is a negative constant.

5.) A.)  $u(t) = 30 + (100 - 30)e^{kt} = 30 + 70e^{kt}$

to find  $k$ , sub in  $u=80$  when  $t=5$

$$80 = 30 + 70e^{k(5)}$$

$$\frac{50}{70} = \frac{70e^{5k}}{70} \rightarrow \frac{5}{7} = e^{5k} \rightarrow \ln\left(\frac{5}{7}\right) = \ln e^{5k}$$

$$\frac{\ln\left(\frac{5}{7}\right)}{5} = \frac{5k}{5} \rightarrow \boxed{k \approx -0.0673}$$

$$u(t) = 30 + 70e^{\frac{\ln\left(\frac{5}{7}\right)}{5}t} \rightarrow \text{find } t \text{ when } u = 50^\circ\text{C}$$

$$50 = 30 + 70e^{\frac{\ln\left(\frac{5}{7}\right)}{5}t}$$

$$\frac{20}{70} = \frac{70e^{\frac{\ln\left(\frac{5}{7}\right)}{5}t}}{70} \rightarrow \frac{2}{7} = e^{\frac{\ln\left(\frac{5}{7}\right)}{5}t} \rightarrow \ln\left(\frac{2}{7}\right) = \ln e^{\frac{\ln\left(\frac{5}{7}\right)}{5}t}$$

$$\frac{\ln\left(\frac{2}{7}\right)}{\frac{\ln\left(\frac{5}{7}\right)}{5}} = \frac{\ln\left(\frac{5}{7}\right)}{5}t \rightarrow \boxed{t \approx 18.6 \text{ mins}}$$

$$\text{or } \boxed{t = 18 \text{ mins}, 37 \text{ sec}}$$

B.) use graphing calc to find that the temperature at  $x = 18.6$  mins is  $50^\circ\text{C}$ .  $y_1 = 30 + 70e^{\frac{\ln\left(\frac{5}{7}\right)}{5}x}$ , 2<sup>nd</sup> trace  $\rightarrow$  value  $\rightarrow 18.6$

C.)  $y_1 = 35$ ,  $y_2 = 30 + 70e^{\frac{\ln\left(\frac{5}{7}\right)}{5}x}$ , use intersect

function to find that it takes  $x = 39.22$  mins for the temp to cool to  $35^\circ\text{C}$ .

D.) As  $x$  increases,  $e^{\frac{\ln\left(\frac{5}{7}\right)}{5}x}$  approaches zero, so  $y$  (the temp of obj) approaches  $30^\circ\text{C}$ .

$$P(t) = \frac{230}{1 + 56.5e^{-.37t}}$$

6.) A.) As  $t \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $e^{-.37t} \rightarrow 0$  AND  $P(t) \rightarrow 230$ .

• The carrying capacity is  $\boxed{230}$  Fruit Flies.

• The growth rate is  $|b| = |0.37| = \boxed{37\%}$

B.)  $P(0) = \frac{230}{1 + 56.5e^{-.37(0)}} = \frac{230}{1 + 56.5} = \boxed{4}$  fruit flies  
↓  
initial population

C.)  $P(5) = \frac{230}{1 + 56.5e^{-.37(5)}} \approx \boxed{23}$  Fruit Flies

D.)  $180 = \frac{230}{1 + 56.5e^{-.37t}}$  \* use graphing calc + find intersection  
 $y_1 = 180, y_2 = \frac{230}{1 + 56.5e^{-.37t}}$

$$(1 + 56.5e^{-.37t}) \cdot 180 = \frac{230}{1 + 56.5e^{-.37t}} \cdot (1 + 56.5e^{-.37t})$$

$$\frac{(1 + 56.5e^{-.37t})}{180} \cdot 180 = \frac{230}{180}$$

$$1 + 56.5e^{-.37t} = 1.2778$$

$$56.5e^{-.37t} = 1.2778 - 1$$

$$\frac{56.5e^{-.37t}}{56.5} = \frac{0.2778}{56.5}$$

$$e^{-.37t} = 0.0049$$

$$\ln e^{-.37t} = \ln 0.0049$$

$$\frac{-.37t}{-.37} = \frac{\ln 0.0049}{-.37}$$

$$\boxed{t \approx 14.4 \text{ Days}}$$

E.) \*use graphing calc + find the x-coordinate of the intersection point

$$y_1 = 115 \text{ (half of 230)}$$

$$y_2 = \frac{230}{1 + 56.5e^{-.37t}}$$

$$t \approx 10.9 \text{ Days}$$

or

$$t \approx 10 \text{ Days, } 22 \text{ hrs}$$

$$7.) P(t) = \frac{100.3952}{1 + 0.0316e^{0.0581t}}$$

$$A.) \text{ Decay rate is } |b| = |-0.0581| = \boxed{5.81\%}$$

$$B.) P(10) = \frac{100.3952}{1 + 0.0316e^{0.0581(10)}} \approx \boxed{95.0}$$

so 95% of wood products remain after 10 yrs

C.) \* use graphing calc AND find x-coordinate of the intersection point

$$y_1 = 50$$

$$y_2 = \frac{100.3952}{1 + 0.0316e^{0.0581t}}$$

$$\boxed{t \approx 59.6 \text{ yrs}}$$

- It will take approximately 59.6 yrs for the percentage of wood products to reach 50%.