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**Mini-math Div 3/4: Wednesday, January 11, 2023 (20 minutes)**

1. (2 points) Solve the following differential equation:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = xy \sin(x^2) \cdot \ln y$$

2. (2 points) During a chemical reaction, the rate of change of the amount of the chemical remaining is proportional to the amount remaining. At time  $t = 0$ , the amount of the chemical is 60 g. At time  $t = 8$ , the amount of the chemical is 12 g. At what time  $t$  is the amount of the chemical 4 g?

A.  $\frac{4\sqrt{42}}{3}$

B.  $\frac{28}{3}$

C.  $\frac{8 \ln 15}{\ln 5}$

D.  $\frac{8 \ln 4}{\ln 12}$

3. (2 points) Solve the following initial value problem:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = y^2, \quad y(3) = -2$$

- A.  $y = \frac{1}{5/2 - x}$  for  $x \neq 5/2$   
B.  $y = \frac{2}{5 - 2x}$  for  $x > 5/2$   
C.  $y = -\frac{1}{x} - \frac{5}{3}$  for  $x \neq 0$   
D.  $y = -\frac{5x + 3}{3x}$  for  $x > 0$

4. The number of squirrels in a park at time  $t$  is modelled by the function  $y = F(t)$  that satisfies the logistic differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{1}{2000}y(1500 - y)$ , where  $t \geq 0$  is measured in weeks. The number of squirrels in the park at time  $t = 0$  is  $F(0) = b$ , where  $b$  is a positive constant.

- (a) i. (1 point) If  $b = 300$ , what is the largest rate of increase in the number of squirrels in the park?

- ii. (1 point) If  $b = 1000$ , what is the largest rate of increase in the number of squirrels in the park?

- (b) (2 points) If  $b = 150$ , find  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} F(t)$  and interpret the meaning of this limit in the context of the problem. For reference, the differential equation is  $\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{1}{2000}y(1500 - y)$ .

- (c) (4 points) (\*) Find the function  $F(t)$  if  $b = 500$ .