

609 - Week 1 Homework

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- 10) Your grandparents have an annuity. The value of the annuity increases each month by an automatic deposit of 1% interest on the previous month's balance. Your grandparents withdraw \$1000 at the beginning of each month for living expenses. Currently, they have \$50,000 in the annuity. Model the annuity with a dynamical system. Will the annuity run out of money? When? Hint: What value will an have when the annuity is depleted?

$$a_{n+1} = a_n + 0.01a_n - 1000 \quad a_0 = 50000$$

```
a <- 50000
rate <- 0.01
withdrawl <- 1000

model <- function(an, i, w)
{
  a_plus <- an + (an * i) - w
  return (a_plus)
}

years <- data.frame(month=c(0), value=c(a))
for(n in 1:100)
{
  a <- model(a, rate, withdrawl)

  years <- rbind(years, c(n, a))

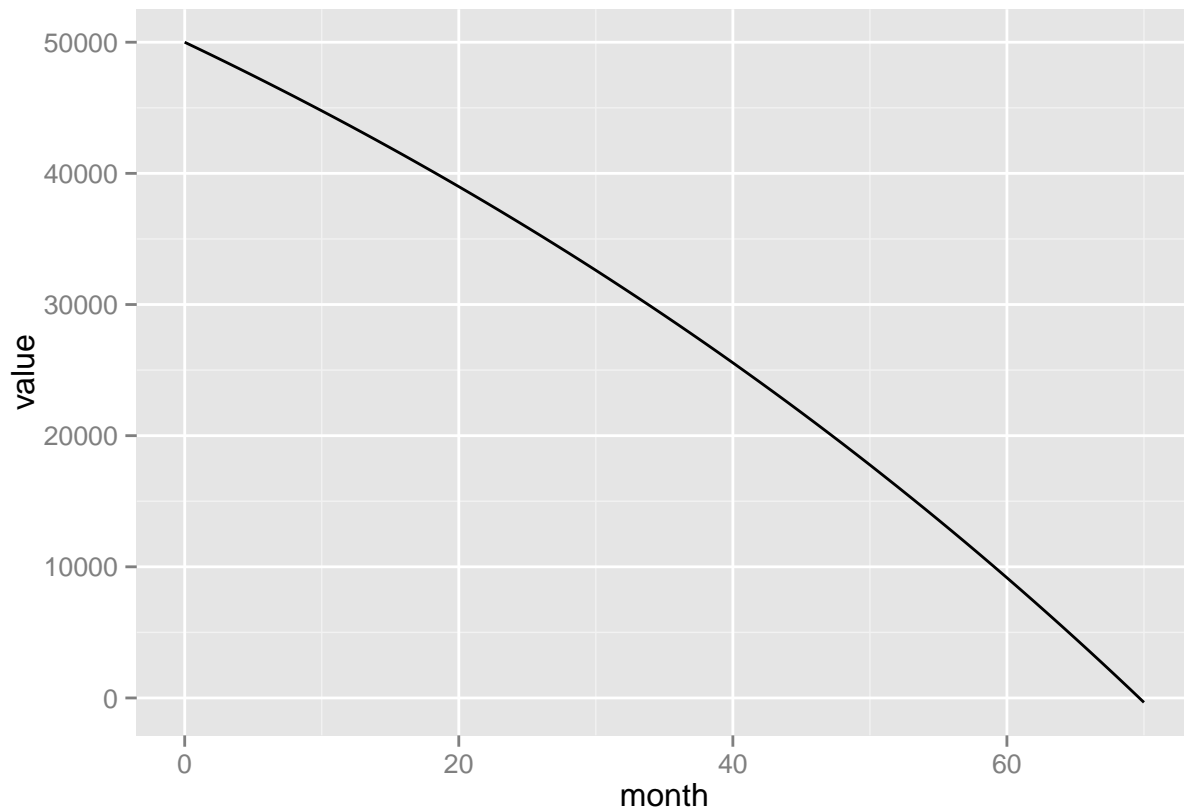
  if(a < 0)
  {
    break
  }
}

colnames(years) <- c("month", "value")

tail(years)
```

```
##      month      value
## 66      65 4531.6756
## 67      66 3576.9923
## 68      67 2612.7623
## 69      68 1638.8899
## 70      69  655.2788
## 71      70 -338.1684
```

```
p <- ggplot(years, aes(x=month, y=value)) + geom_line()
p
```



Annuity will run out at at Month 70.

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9)

The data in the accompanying table show the speed n (in increments of 5 mph) of an automobile and the associated distance a_n in feet required to stop it once the brakes are applied. For instance, $n = 6$ (representing $6 * 5 = 30$ mph) requires a stopping distance of $a_6 = 47$ ft.

Create figure in book.

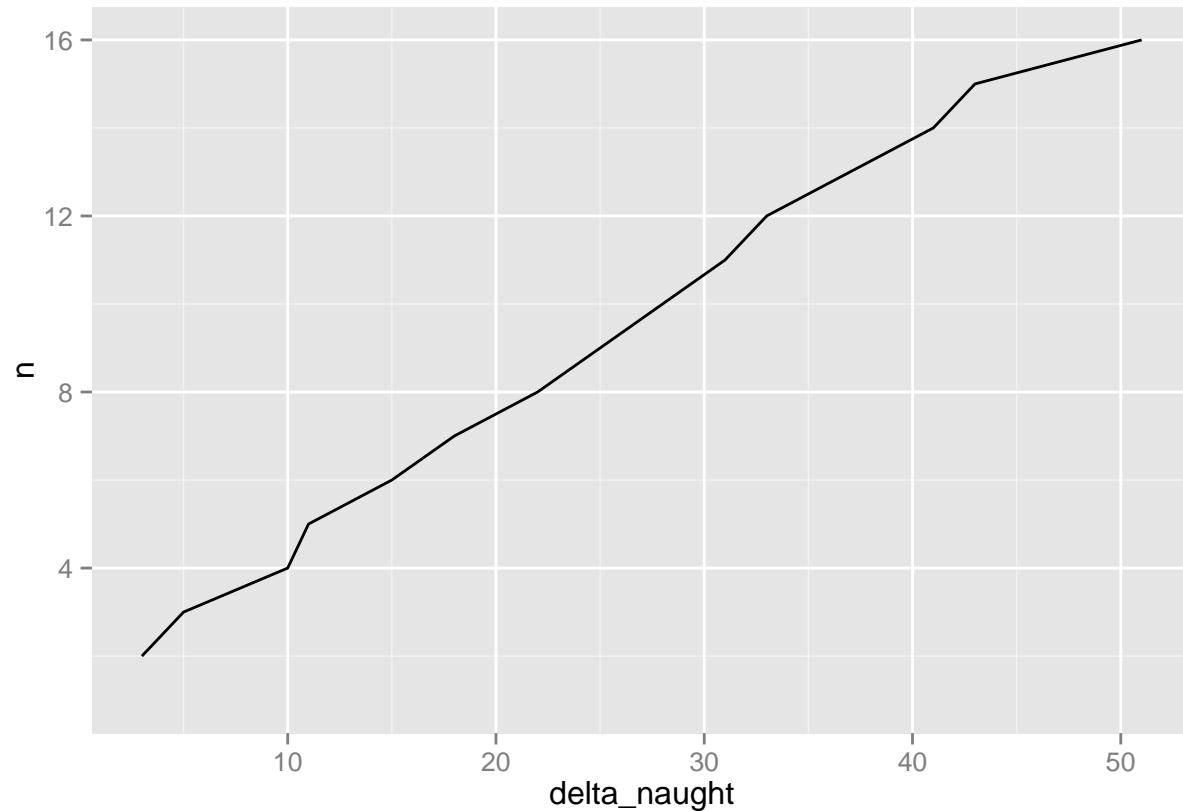
```
n <- 1:16
a_naught <- c(3,6,11,21,32,47,65,87,112,140,171,204,241,282,325,376)
mph <- (n * 5)
```

- Calculate and plot the change Δa_n versus n . Does the graph reasonably approximate a linear relationship?

```
delta_naught <- c()
d_naught <- NA
for(i in 1:length(a_naught))
{
  delta_naught[i] <- a_naught[i] - a_naught[i - 1]
}
data <- data.frame(n, mph, a_naught, delta_naught)
```

```
p1 <- ggplot(data, aes(x=delta_naught, y=n)) + geom_line()
p1
```

```
## Warning: Removed 1 rows containing missing values (geom_path).
```



Yes there is a reasonable approximate liner relationship.

- b. Based on your conclusions in part a, find a difference equation model for the stopping distance data. Test your model by plotting the errors in the predicted values against n . Discuss the appropriateness of the model.

find slope

```
change_delta <- max(data$delta_naught, na.rm=TRUE)
change_delta_n <- max(data$n)
slope <- change_delta/change_delta_n
```

Difference equation model

```
a_naught <- c(3,6,11,21,32,47,65,87,112,140,171,204,241,282,325,376)
model <- function(n, a, slope)
{
  an <- slope * n + a
  return(an)
}
```

```

m <- c()
m[1] <- 0
for(i in 2:length(a_naught))
{
  m[i] <- model(i, m[i-1], slope)
}

data1 <- cbind(data, m)
data1

```

```

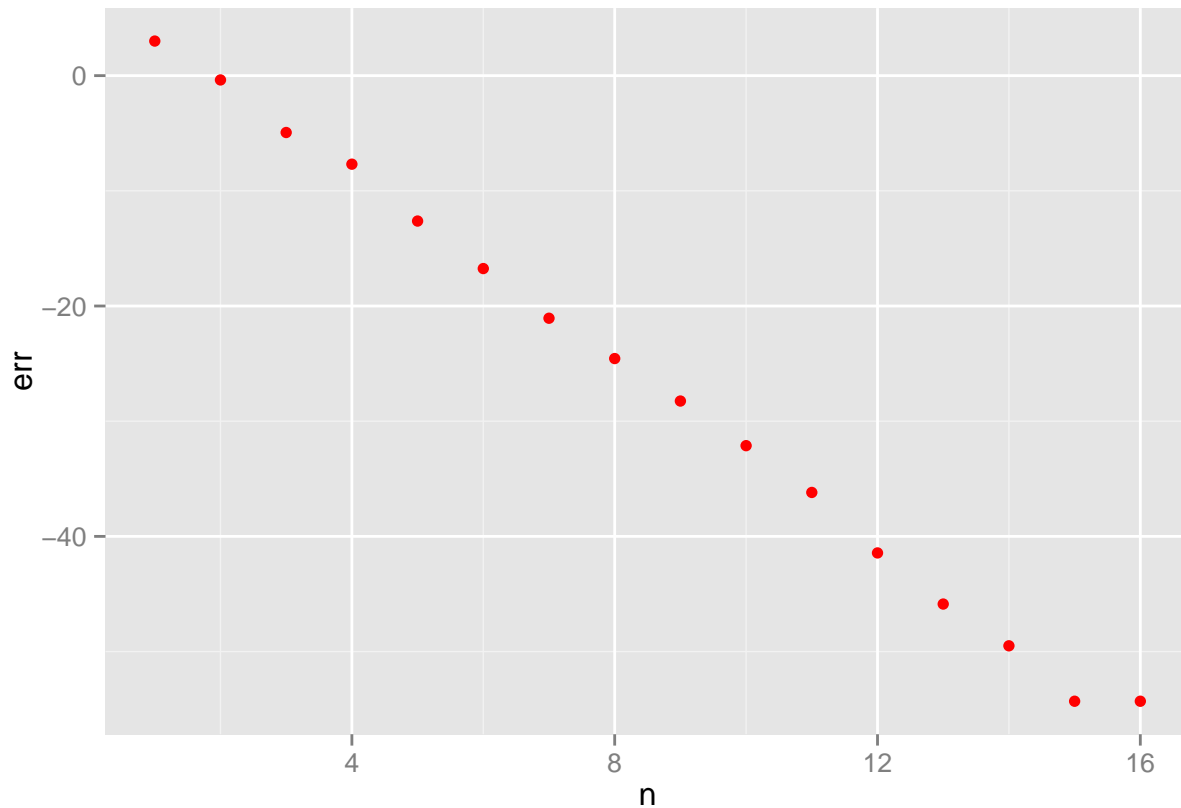
##      n mph a_naught delta_naught      m
## 1   1   5      3           NA  0.0000
## 2   2  10      6           3  6.3750
## 3   3  15     11           5 15.9375
## 4   4  20     21          10 28.6875
## 5   5  25     32          11 44.6250
## 6   6  30     47          15 63.7500
## 7   7  35     65          18 86.0625
## 8   8  40     87          22 111.5625
## 9   9  45    112          25 140.2500
## 10  10 50    140          28 172.1250
## 11  11 55    171          31 207.1875
## 12  12 60    204          33 245.4375
## 13  13 65    241          37 286.8750
## 14  14 70    282          41 331.5000
## 15  15 75    325          43 379.3125
## 16  16 80    376          51 430.3125

```

```

data1$err <- data1$a_n - data1$m
data1err <- ggplot(data=data1, aes(x=n)) + geom_point(color="red", aes(y=err))
data1err

```



As values are increase, the error increases.

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- 13) Consider the spreading of a rumor through a company of 1000 employees, all working in the same building. We assume that the spreading of a rumor is similar to the spreading of a contagious disease (see Example 3, Section 1.2) in that the number of people hearing the rumor each day is proportional to the product of the number who have heard the rumor previously and the number who have not heard the rumor. This is given by:

$$rn + 1 = rn + krn(1000 - n)$$

where k is a parameter that depends on how fast the rumor spreads and n is the number of days. Assume $k = 0.001$ and further assume that four people initially have heard the rumor. How soon will all 1000 employees have heard the rumor?

```
model <- function(k, rn, n)
{
  rn1 <- rn + (k * rn * (1000 - n))
  return (rn1)
}

rnx <- c()
rnx[1] <- 4
k <- 0.001
for(n in 1:100)
{
  rnx[n + 1] <- model(k, rnx[n], n)
  if(rnx[n+1] > 1000)
```

```

{
  break
}
}

rnx

```

```

## [1] 4.00000 7.99600 15.97601 31.90409 63.68056 127.04272
## [7] 253.32318 504.87309 1005.70720

```

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6) An economist is interested in the variation of the price of a single product. It is observed that a high price for the product in the market attracts more suppliers. However, increasing the quantity of the product supplied tends to drive the price down. Overtime, there is an interaction between price and supply. The economist has proposed the following model, where P_n represents the price of the product at year n , and Q_n represents the quantity. Find the equilibrium values for this system.

a. Does the model make sense intuitively? What is the significance of the constants 100 and 500. Explain the significance of the signs of the constant -0.1 and 0.2.

Yes these make sense because they zero out the second term in each equation and produce $X_{n+1}=X_n$. Increasing quantity of the product supplied tends to drive the price down and a high price for the product in the market attracts more suppliers. The constants 100 and 500 are values where the price and quantity respectively change their effect on the others outcome. The signs of the constants -0.1 and 0.2 represent the economic behaviour of more suppliers decreasing prices, and higher prices increases suppliers.

b. Test the initial conditions in the following table and predict the long-term behavior.

```

model <- function(p, q){
  px <- p - (0.1 * (q - 500))
  return (px)
}

model1 <- function(p, q){
  qx <- q + (0.2 * (p - 100))
  return (qx)
}

execModelLoop <- function(pnaught, qnaught, maxN, caseId)
{
  pnc <- c()
  pnc[1] <- pnaught

  qnc <- c()
  qnc[1] <- qnaught
  for(n in 1:maxN)
  {
    pnc[n + 1] <- model(pnc[n], qnc[n])
    qnc[n + 1] <- model1(pnc[n], qnc[n])
  }
}

```

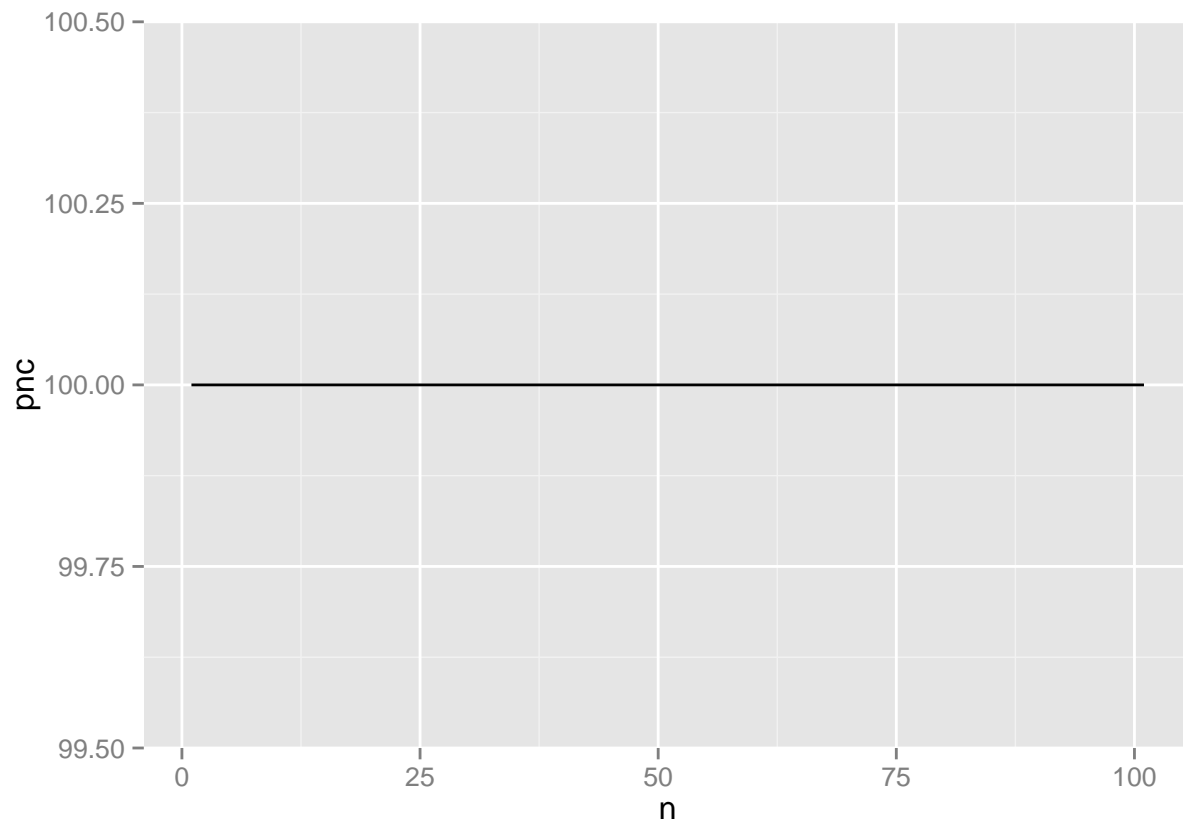
```
df <- data.frame(case=rep_len(caseId, maxN+1), n=1:(maxN+1), pnc, qnc)
  return (df)
}
```

```
maxIterations <- 100
```

```
CaseA <- execModelLoop(100, 500, maxIterations, "result")
head(CaseA)
```

```
##      case n pnc qnc
## 1 result 1 100 500
## 2 result 2 100 500
## 3 result 3 100 500
## 4 result 4 100 500
## 5 result 5 100 500
## 6 result 6 100 500
```

```
f <- ggplot(CaseA, aes(x=n, y=pnc))+geom_line()
f
```



The conditions show that the equilibrium conditions are in a stable values and do not shift from the initial price.