

3.2

3.2.1 8 a)

Suppose $a = b = 1$ for the Gompertz differential equation: $\frac{\delta P}{\delta t} = P(a - b \ln P)$, the following are the phase portraits for cases $P_0 > e$ and $0 < P_0 < e$:

8 b)

For $a = 1, b = -1$, cases $P_0 > e^{-1}$ and $0 < P_0 < e^{-1}$:

az Explicit solution for $P(O) = P_0$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{dP}{dt} &= P(a - b \ln P) \\
 \int \frac{dP}{P(a - b \ln P)} &= \int dt \\
 \int \frac{d(\ln P)}{(a - b \ln P)} &= \int dt \\
 -\frac{1}{b} \ln |a - b \ln P| + c &= t
 \end{aligned}$$

When we plug in $P(O) = P_0$ we get $c = \frac{1}{b}|a - b \ln P_0|$ so we get:

$$\begin{aligned}
 t &= -\frac{1}{b} \ln |a - b \ln P| + \frac{1}{b} \ln \frac{a - b \ln P_0}{a - b \ln P} \\
 \ln P(t) &= \frac{a}{b}(1 - e^{-bt}) + e^{-bt} \ln P_0 \\
 P(t) &= \boxed{e^{\frac{a}{b}(1 - e^{-bt})} P_0^{e^{-bt}}}
 \end{aligned}$$

3.2.2

Suppose we have the same 16 pound cannonball shot vertically upward with an initial velocity $v_0 = 300 \text{ ft/s}$, the differential equation for the cannonball would be:

$$m \frac{dv}{dt} = -mg - kv^2$$

Now we solve using separations of variables:

$$-dt = \frac{mdv}{mg + kv^2} \quad (1)$$

$$-dt = \frac{1}{g} \frac{dv}{1 + (\sqrt{\frac{k}{mg}}v)^2} \quad (2)$$

$$-\int dt = \int \frac{1}{g} \sqrt{\frac{mg}{k}} \frac{\sqrt{\frac{k}{mg}}}{1 + (\sqrt{\frac{k}{mg}}v)^2} dv \quad (3)$$

$$-t + c = \sqrt{\frac{m}{gk}} \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{\frac{k}{mg}}v) \quad (4)$$

$$-\sqrt{\frac{kg}{m}}t + c = \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{\frac{k}{mg}}v) \quad (5)$$

$$\tan(-\sqrt{\frac{kg}{m}}t + c) = (\sqrt{\frac{k}{mg}}v) \quad (6)$$

Final

$$v(t) = \sqrt{\frac{mg}{k}} \tan(-\sqrt{\frac{kg}{m}}t + c)$$

Plugging in $v(0) = 300$ we find c:

$$v(0) = \sqrt{\frac{mg}{k}} \tan(-\sqrt{\frac{kg}{m}}(0) + c) \quad (1)$$

$$300 = \sqrt{\frac{mg}{k}} \tan(c) \quad (2)$$

$$c = \tan^{-1}(300) \sqrt{\frac{k}{mg}} \quad (3)$$

Plugging this in and the mass of 16 our final solution is:

$$v(t) = \sqrt{\frac{16g}{k}} \tan\left(-\sqrt{\frac{kg}{16}}t + \tan^{-1}(300)\sqrt{\frac{k}{16g}}\right)$$

4.1

4.1.1

We are given the equation $x^2y'' - xy' + y = 0$ and its solution $y = c_1x + c_2x \ln(x)$, $(0, \infty)$ we are tasked with finding the member that satisfies $y(1) = 3$ and $y'(1) = -1$, first we derive and plug:

$$\begin{aligned} y &= c_1x + c_2x \ln(x) & 3 &= c_1 \\ y' &= c_1 + c_2(\ln(x) + 1) & -1 &= c_1 + c_2 \\ y'' &= c_2 \frac{1}{x} \end{aligned}$$

We get $c_1 = 3$ and $c_2 = -4$, our solution is:

$$3x - 4x \ln(x)$$

4.1.2

We determine if $f_1 = 1 + x$, $f_2 = 3x$, $f_3 = -x^2$ are linearly independent using wronskian:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1+x & 3x & -x^2 \\ 1 & 3 & -2x \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} = \boxed{-6} \quad (4)$$

Thus the functions are linearly independent since $-6 \neq 0$

4.1.3

We verify that $y_1 = e^{\frac{x}{3}}$ and $y_2 = xe^{\frac{x}{3}}$ form a fundamental set of solutions for $9y'' + 6y' + y = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} y_1 &= e^{\frac{x}{3}} & y_1'' &= \frac{e^{\frac{x}{3}}}{3} & y_1'' &= \frac{e^{\frac{x}{3}}}{9} \\ y_2 &= xe^{\frac{x}{3}} & y_2' &= \frac{1}{3}e^{\frac{x}{3}}(x+3) & y_2'' &= \frac{1}{9}e^{\frac{x}{3}}(x+6) \end{aligned}$$

plugging both equations into $9y'' + 6y' + y = 0$ we get:

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