

Quiz 26

Name: Key*You must show your work to get full credit.*

For the predator-victim system

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = .1V \left(1 - \frac{V}{500} \right) - .01VP$$

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = -.2P + .002VP$$

where V is the size of the victim population, and P is size of the predator population.1. What is per capita growth rate of then victim population. $r = \underline{.1}$

2. What is the carrying capacity of the victim population if there are no predators.

If $P=0$ $\frac{dV}{dt} = .1V \left(1 - \frac{V}{500} \right)$

$K = \underline{500}$

logistic with $K=500$

3. What is the per capita death rate of the predator population if there are no victim?

If $V=0$

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = -.2P$$

exponential decay
with rate $-.2$

Rate is $\underline{.2}$

4. Find the rest points of the system.

Rest points are: $\underline{(0,0), (500,0), (100,8)}$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = V \left(.1 \left(1 - \frac{V}{500} \right) - .01P \right) = 0$$

so $V=0$ or $.1 \left(1 - \frac{V}{500} \right) - .01P = 0$

$$(*) \quad .1 \left(1 - \frac{V}{500} \right) - .01P = 0$$

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = P(-.2 + .002V) = 0$$

$P=0$ or $V = \frac{.2}{.002} = 100$

If $P=0$ we get $V=0$ or

$$.1 \left(1 - \frac{V}{500} \right) = 0$$

$$V = 500$$

so $(0,0), (500,0)$ are rest pointsIf $V=100$, use this in (*)

$$.1 \left(1 - \frac{100}{500} \right) - .01P = 0$$

$$P = 8$$

