

1. A ball is tossed straight up into the air. It has a velocity at time  $t = 0$  seconds of 5 meters per second. It undergoes a constant acceleration due to gravity of  $-9.8$  meters per second per second,  $\text{m/s}^2$ . The height of the ball can be written in the form

$$h(t) = at + bt^2$$

where  $h$  is measured in meters, time is measured in seconds, and  $a$  and  $b$  are certain constants.

1. Determine the values for the constants.

$$\begin{aligned} h'(t) &= a + 2bt & h'(0) &= a & a &= 5 \text{ m/s} \\ h''(t) &= 2b & & & 2b &= -9.8 \text{ m/s}^2 \rightarrow b = -4.9 \text{ m/s}^2 \end{aligned}$$

2. What is the height of the ball at time  $t = 0$ ? At  $t = 1$ ?

$$\begin{aligned} h(0) &= a \cdot 0 + b \cdot 0^2 = 0 \\ h(1) &= 5 \cdot 1 - 4.9 \cdot 1^2 = 0.1 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

3. At what times is the ball at height 0?

$$\begin{aligned} h(t) &= 0 & at + bt^2 &= 0 & t &= 0 \text{ or} \\ t(a + bt) &= 0 & & & at + bt &= 0 \rightarrow t = \frac{-a}{b} = \frac{5}{4.9} = 1.02 \text{ s} \end{aligned}$$

4. What is the average velocity of the ball over the time interval  $[0.2, 0.21]$ ?

$$\frac{h(0.21) - h(0.2)}{0.01} = 2.991 \text{ m/s}$$

5. What is the average velocity of the ball over the time interval  $[0.2, 0.201]$ ?

$$\frac{h(0.201) - h(0.2)}{0.001} = 3.0351 \text{ m/s}$$

6. What is the instantaneous velocity of the ball at time  $t = 0.2$ ?

$$h'(t) = 5 - 9.8t ; \quad h'(0.2) = 3.04 \text{ m/s}$$

7. At what time  $t$  is the ball motionless?

$$h'(t) = 0 \text{ when } 5 - 9.8t = 0 \text{ so } t = 0.5102 \text{ s}$$

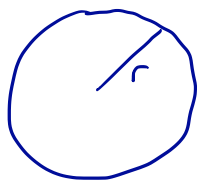
8. What is the velocity of the ball at time  $t = 0$ ? At  $t = 0.1$ ? At  $t = 1$ ?

$$h'(0) = 5 \text{ m/s}$$

$$h'(0.1) = 4.02 \text{ m/s}$$

$$h'(1) = -4.8 \text{ m/s}$$

2. A stone is thrown in a pond and a circular ripple travels outward at a speed of 60 cm/s. Determine the rate of change of area inside the ripple at time  $t = 1$  second and at time  $t = 2$  seconds.



$$r(t) = 60t$$

$$\text{Area: } \pi r^2$$

$$A(t) = \pi (60t)^2$$

$$A'(t) = \pi \cdot 2(60t) \cdot 60$$

$$A'(1) = 2\pi 60^2 = 22619 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s} = 2.26 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$$

$$A'(2) = 2\pi 60^2 \cdot 2 = 90477 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s} = 9.04 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$$

3. A current is passing through a wire. The amount of charge that has passed by a measuring point on the wire at time  $t$  is

$$Q(t) = te^{-t}$$

for  $t > 0$ . Here, the charge  $Q$  is measured in Coulombs (which is a count of the number of electrons) and time  $t$  is measured in seconds.

Determine the current in the wire at time  $t = 0$  and  $t = 2$  seconds. Current is measured in Coulombs per second, and one Coulomb per second is known as an Ampere (an amp).

$$Q'(t) = e^{-t} - te^{-t}$$

$$= (1-t)e^{-t}$$

$$Q'(0) = 1 \text{ Coulomb/second} = 1 \text{ amp}$$

$$Q'(2) = -e^{-2} = -0.135 \text{ amp}$$

↑  
current is running in  
opposite direction

4. A population of bacteria starts at 500 cells and doubles every 30 minutes. Find a function  $P(t)$  that describes this situation. Then compute the rate of change of the bacteria population at time  $t = 60$  minutes.

$$P(t) = 500 \cdot 2^{t/30}$$

$$P'(t) = 500 \cdot \frac{1}{30} \ln(2) 2^{t/30}$$

$$P'(60) = 500 \cdot \frac{1}{30} \ln(2) 2^2 = 46 \text{ bacteria/minute}$$

5. A one-meter rod has non uniform mass. The mass of the rod from one end to distance  $x$  along it is

$$m(x) = x + \frac{1}{3}\sqrt{x}$$

where mass is measured in grams and  $x$  is in centimeters.

1. What is the total mass of the rod?

$$m(100) = 103.3 \text{ g}$$

2. What is the mass of the first half of the rod? The second half?

$$\underbrace{m(50) = 52.35 \text{ g}}_{\text{first half}} \quad \underbrace{m(100) - m(50)}_{\text{second half}} = 50.97 \text{ g}$$

3. What is the average density (in grams/centimeter) of the first half of the rod?

$$\frac{52.35 \text{ g}}{50 \text{ cm}} = 1.047 \text{ g/cm}$$

4. What is the density of the rod at  $x = 30$  centimeters?

$$m'(x) = 1 + \frac{1}{6\sqrt{x}} \quad m'(30) = 1.0364 \text{ g/cm}$$

6. A population of caribou is growing, and its population is

$$P(t) = 4000 \frac{3e^{t/5}}{1 + 2e^{t/5}}.$$

$t$  in years

1. What is the population at time  $t = 0$ ?

$$P(0) = 4000 \frac{3}{1+2} = 4000$$

2. Determine the rate of change of the population at any time  $t$ .

$$\begin{aligned} P'(t) &= 4000 \left[ \frac{3}{5} e^{t/5} (1 + 2e^{t/5}) - 3e^{t/5} (2 \cdot \frac{1}{5} e^{t/5}) \right] (1 + 2e^{t/5})^{-2} \\ &= 800 e^{t/5} [3(1 + 2e^{t/5}) - 2e^{t/5}] (1 + 2e^{t/5})^{-2} \\ &= 2400 e^{t/5} (1 + 2e^{t/5})^{-2} \end{aligned}$$

3. Determine the rate of change of the population at time  $t = 0$  years.

$$P'(0) = \frac{2400}{3^2} = \frac{2400}{9} = 266 \text{ caribou/year}$$

4. Determine the long term population.

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} P(t) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} 4000 \frac{3e^{t/5}}{1 + 2e^{t/5}} = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} 4000 \frac{3}{e^{-t/5} + 2} = 6000 \text{ caribou}$$