

## Logistic Function

A Logistic function is modeled by the following derivative:

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = kP\left(1 - \frac{P}{m}\right)$$

$k$  represents the maximum rate of growth as a percentage. Therefore,  $kP$  will represent the absolute growth rate.

$m$  represents the maximum population size. Therefore,  $\frac{P}{m}$  will approach 1 and the derivative will approach 0 as we approach carrying capacity.