

## Exam #2

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### Question 1:

$$\begin{aligned}S_{n+1} &= qS_n + cR_n \\I_{n+1} &= (1-q)S_n + bI_n \\R_{n+1} &= (1-c)R_n + (1-b)I_n\end{aligned}$$

#### Part A)

$$I^* = (1-q)S^* + bI^*$$

$$I^* - bI^* = (1-q)S^* \Rightarrow (1-b)I^* = (1-q)S^* \Rightarrow \frac{S^*}{I^*} = \frac{1-b}{1-q} = \frac{b-1}{q-1} \checkmark$$

$$\begin{aligned}f(S_k, I_k, R_k) &= qS_k + cR_k \implies \frac{\partial f}{\partial S_k} = q & \frac{\partial f}{\partial I_k} &= 0 & \frac{\partial f}{\partial R_k} &= c \\g(S_k, I_k, R_k) &= (1-q)S_k + bI_k \implies \frac{\partial g}{\partial S_k} = 1-q & \frac{\partial g}{\partial I_k} &= b & \frac{\partial g}{\partial R_k} &= 0 \\h(S_k, I_k, R_k) &= (1-c)R_k + (1-b)I_k \implies \frac{\partial h}{\partial S_k} = 0 & \frac{\partial h}{\partial I_k} &= 1-b & \frac{\partial h}{\partial R_k} &= 1-c\end{aligned}$$

$$J \begin{pmatrix} f(S_k, I_k, R_k) \\ g(S_k, I_k, R_k) \\ h(S_k, I_k, R_k) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} q & 0 & c \\ 1-q & b & 0 \\ 0 & 1-b & 1-c \end{pmatrix}$$

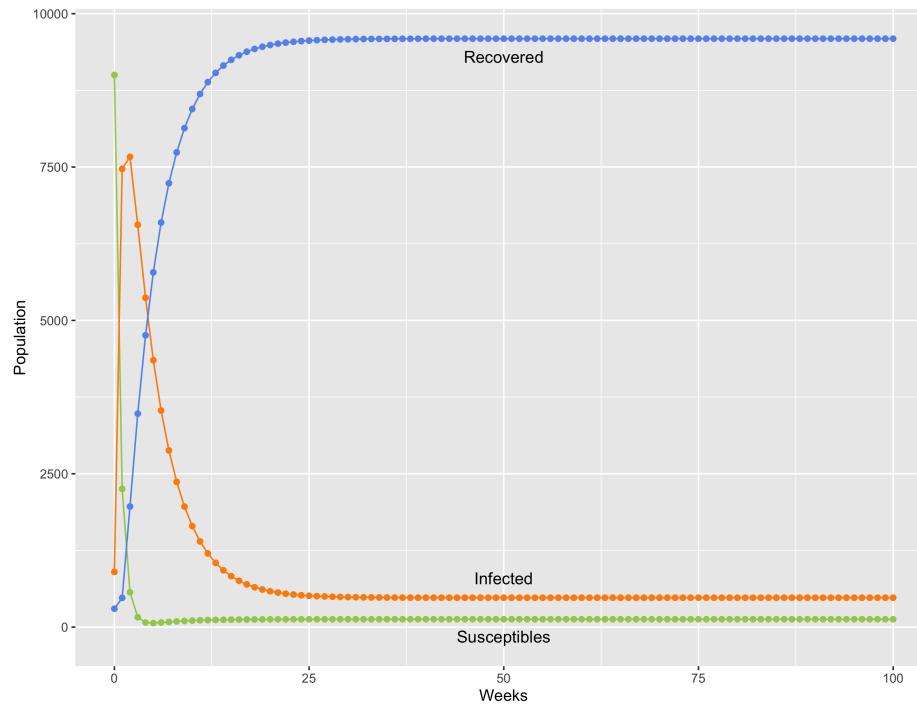
#### Part B)

$$S_0 = 9000, I_0 = 900, R_0 = 300$$

$$q = \frac{1}{4}, b = \frac{4}{5}, c = \frac{1}{100}$$

#### Part B3)

Here's the graph:



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data <- readr::read_csv("/Users/joshuachen/exam_2_modeling/SIR_data.csv")
round(data[80:90, "S/I"], digits = 7)
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## # A tibble: 11 x 1
##   `S/I`
##   <dbl>
## 1 0.267
## 2 0.267
## 3 0.267
## 4 0.267
## 5 0.267
## 6 0.267
## 7 0.267
## 8 0.267
## 9 0.267
## 10 0.267
## 11 0.267
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## Question 2:

### Part A)

Use substitution such that  $u_n = \frac{1}{x_n}$

Therefore,  $\frac{1}{u_{n+1}} = \frac{1}{u_n} \frac{r}{\frac{1}{u_n} + A} \Rightarrow u_{n+1} = u_n \frac{1 + Au_n}{ru_n} = \frac{1 + Au_n}{r} = \frac{A}{r}u_n + \frac{1}{r}$

This is a first order linear difference equation where  $A^* = \frac{A}{r}$  and  $B^* = \frac{1}{r}$

Therefore the solution to  $u_{n+1} = \left(\frac{A}{r}\right)^{n+1} u_0 + \frac{\frac{1}{r}}{1 - \frac{A}{r}} \left(1 - \left(\frac{A}{r}\right)^{n+1}\right) = \left(\frac{A}{r}\right)^{n+1} u_0 + \frac{1}{r - A} \left(1 - \left(\frac{A}{r}\right)^{n+1}\right)$

Substitute back in  $x_n$ :

$$\frac{1}{x_{n+1}} = \left(\frac{A}{r}\right)^{n+1} \frac{1}{x_0} + \frac{1}{r - A} \left(1 - \left(\frac{A}{r}\right)^{n+1}\right) = \left(\frac{A}{r}\right)^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{x_0}\right) - \left(\frac{A}{r}\right)^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{r - A}\right) + \frac{1}{r - A}$$

Denominators have  $r^{n+1}, x_0, (r - a)$  in common. Simplifies to:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{x_{n+1}} &= \frac{A^{n+1}(r - A) - A^{n+1}x_0 + r^{n+1}x_0}{r^{n+1}x_0(r - A)} \Rightarrow \\ x_{n+1} &= \frac{r^{n+1}x_0(r - A)}{A^{n+1}(r - A) - A^{n+1}x_0 + r^{n+1}x_0} = \frac{r^{n+1}x_0(r - A)}{A^{n+1}(r - A) + (r^{n+1} - A^{n+1})x_0} = \frac{r^{n+1}x_0}{A^{n+1} + (r^n - A^n)x_0} \end{aligned}$$

### Part B)

Let  $x^* = x_n = x_{n+1}$

$$x^* = \frac{rx^*}{x^* + A} \Rightarrow x^{*2} + Ax^* - rx^* = 0 \Rightarrow x^*(x^* + A - r) = 0$$

Fixed points are at  $x^* = 0$  and  $x^* = r - A$

If  $f(x) = \frac{rx^*}{x^* + A}$ , then  $f'(x) = \frac{(x^* + A)r - 1(rx^*)}{(x^* + A)^2} = \frac{Ar}{(x^* + A)^2}$

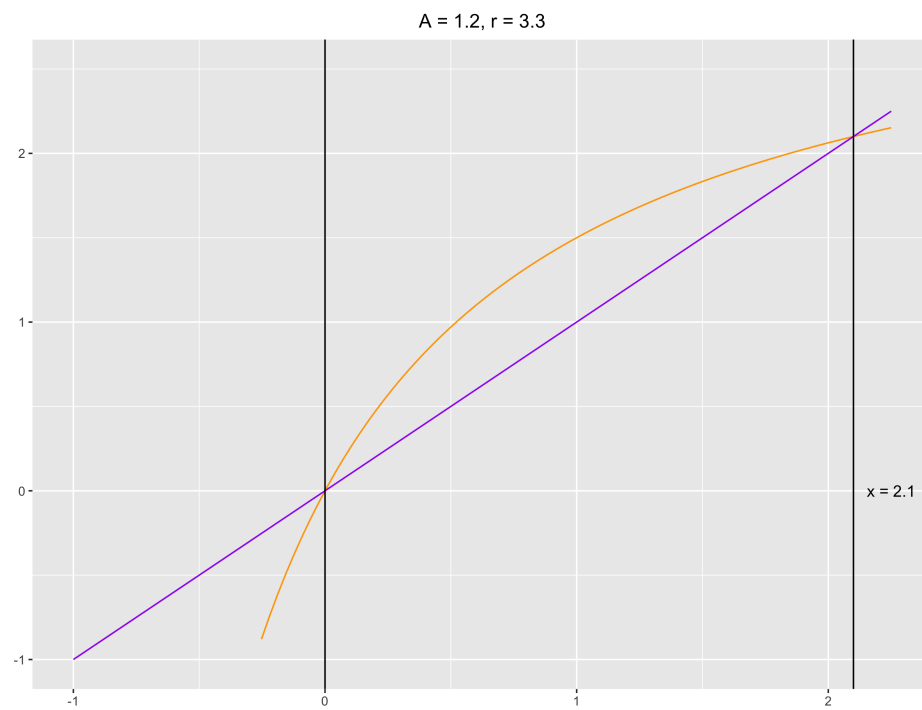
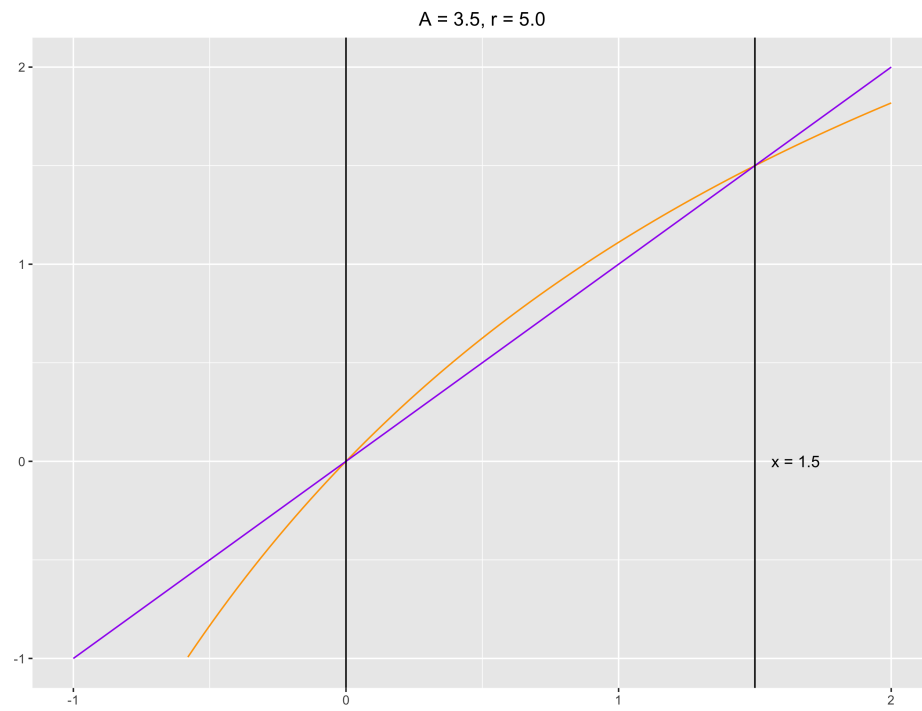
$$f'(0) = r/A \text{ and } f'(r - A) = \frac{Ar}{(r - A + A)^2} = \frac{A}{r}$$

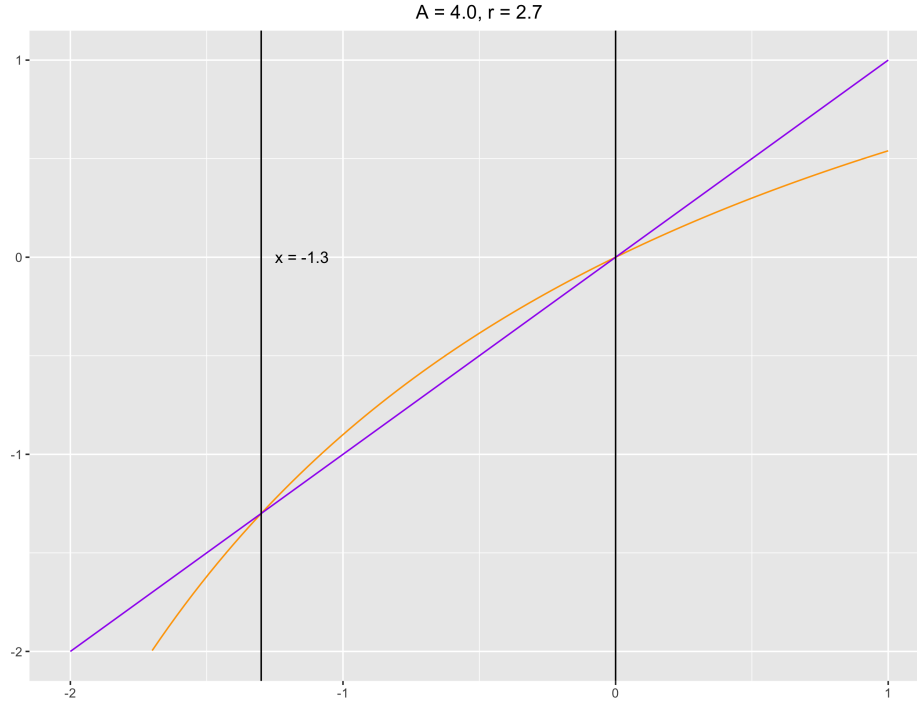
If  $|A| > |r|$ , point  $x^* = (r - A)$  is a stable fixed point and point  $x^* = 0$  is unstable.

If  $|A| < |r|$ , point  $x^* = 0$  is a stable fixed point and point  $x^* = (r - a)$  is unstable.

### Part C)

Here are three cobweb diagrams with different As and rs to verify the results.





### Question 3:

$$S_t = I_t$$

$$\frac{S_t}{Y_t} = \alpha$$

$$\frac{I_{t+1}}{\Delta Y_t} = \frac{I_{t+1}}{Y_{t+1} - Y_t} = \beta$$

#### Part A)

Assume  $\beta > \alpha > 0$

$$S_t = \alpha Y_t$$

Solving for  $Y_t$ :

$$Y_{t+1} - Y_t = \frac{I_{t+1}}{\beta} \implies Y_{t+1} = \frac{I_{t+1}}{\beta} + Y_t$$

$$Y_{t+1} = \frac{\alpha Y_{t+1}}{\beta} + Y_t \implies Y_{t+1} - \frac{\alpha Y_{t+1}}{\beta} = Y_t \implies Y_{t+1} \left(1 - \frac{\alpha}{\beta}\right) = Y_t \implies Y_{t+1} \frac{\beta - \alpha}{\beta} = Y_t \implies Y_{t+1} = Y_t \frac{\beta}{\beta - \alpha}$$

$$\text{Therefore, } Y_t = \left(\frac{\beta}{\beta - \alpha}\right)^t Y_0$$

Solving for  $I_t$ :

$$Y_{t+1} = \frac{\alpha Y_{t+1}}{\beta} + Y_t$$

$$\frac{I_{t+1}}{\alpha} = \frac{I_{t+1}}{\beta} + \frac{I_t}{\alpha} \implies \frac{I_{t+1}}{\alpha} - \frac{I_{t+1}}{\beta} = \frac{I_t}{\alpha} \implies I_{t+1} \left(\frac{1}{\alpha} - \frac{1}{\beta}\right) = \frac{I_t}{\alpha} \implies I_{t+1} \left(\frac{\beta - \alpha}{\alpha\beta}\right) = \frac{I_t}{\alpha}$$

$$\implies I_{t+1} = \left(\frac{\beta}{\beta - \alpha}\right) I_t$$

Therefore,  $I_t = \left( \frac{\beta}{\beta - \alpha} \right)^t I_0$

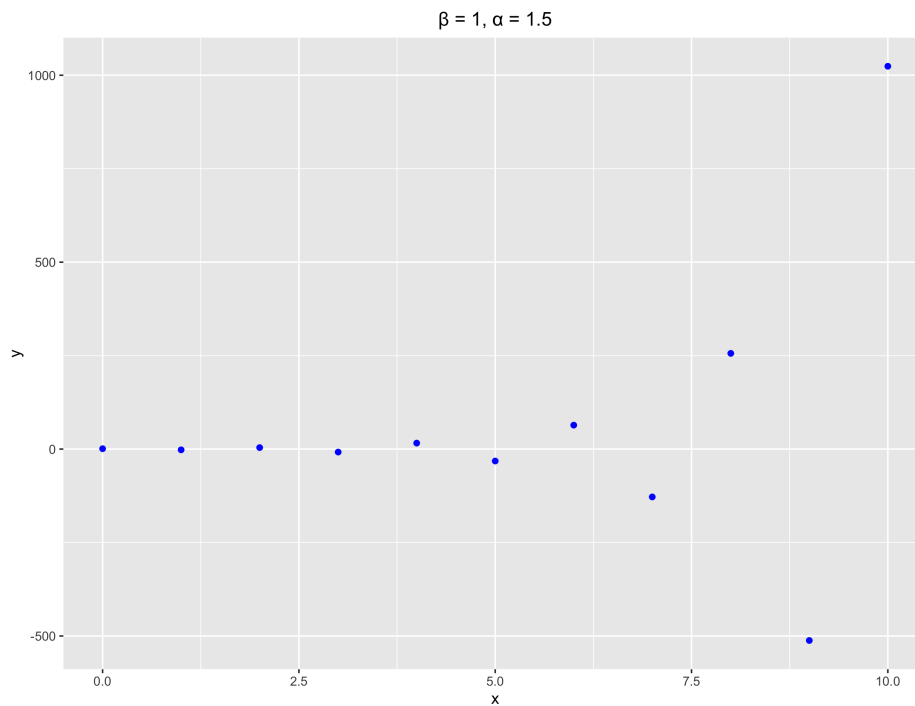
This checks out with our previous result for  $Y_t$ .

### Part B)

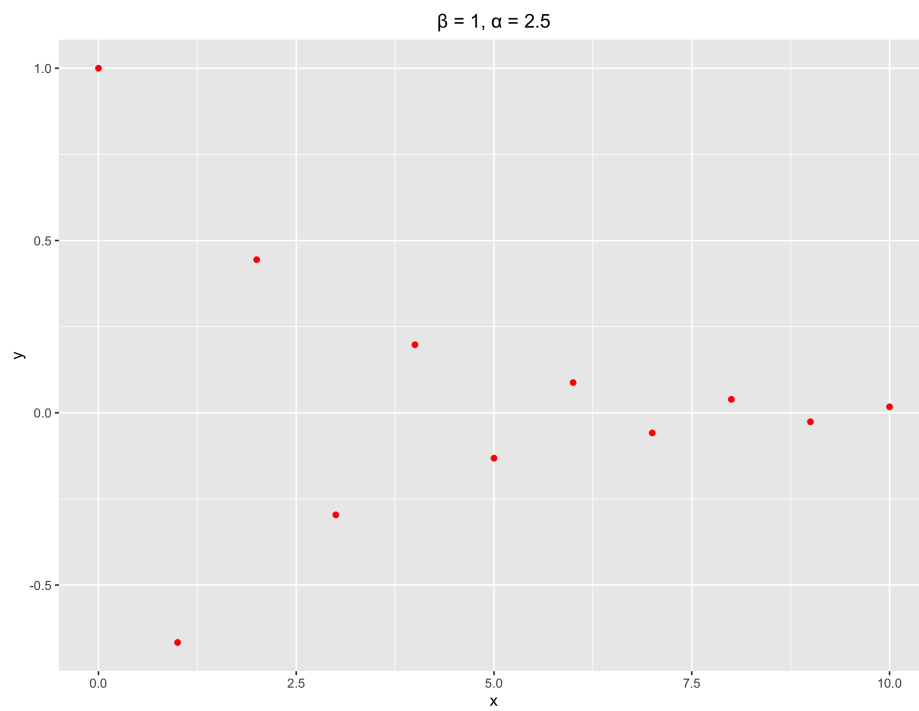
The national income grows exponentially by a ratio of  $\frac{\beta}{\beta - \alpha}$

If  $\alpha > \beta > 0$ , then  $\frac{\beta}{\beta - \alpha}$  is a negative number.

Here is an example of  $-1 < \frac{\beta}{\beta - \alpha} < 0$ . It oscillates and diverges.



Here is an example of  $\frac{\beta}{\beta - \alpha} < -1$ . It oscillates and converges to 0.



Note: If  $\frac{\beta}{\beta - \alpha} = -1$ , it just oscillates between  $Y_0$  and  $-Y_0$ .