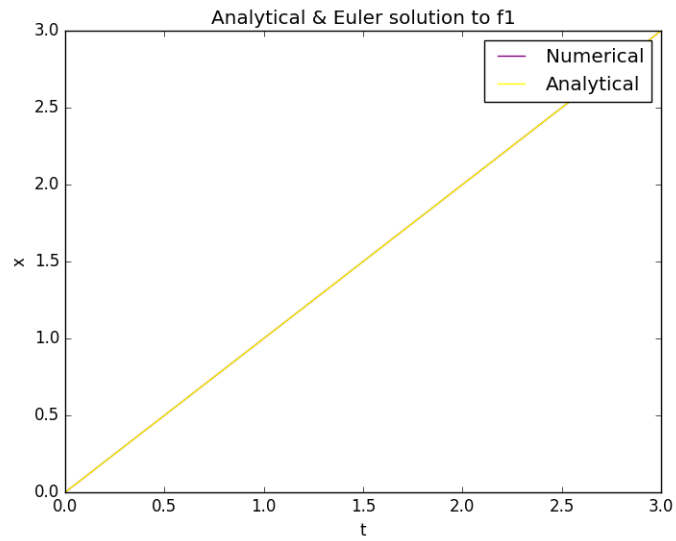


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1. (a) Separable: a differential equation where the variables can be separated (x's on one side, y's on the other)
- (b) Linear/non-linear: a linear equation is an equation where the differentials are linear. Non-linear is an equation where the differentials are in non-linear (e.g with powers)
- (c) First-order/Second order: this refers to the order of the differentials. So an equation with  $\frac{dx}{dt}$  is first order, but  $\frac{d^2x}{dt^2}$  is second order
2. (a) Explicit/implicit solutions: Explicit solution is when the function is defined as a function over some vars:  $x(t) = 2t$ , implicit is when you can distract the the solution. E.g. for  $x^2 + y(x)^2 = r^2$
- (b) Fixed point(s): a fixed point is a value for x such that x does not change anymore.
- (c) Locally/globally stable fixed points; unstable fixed points:
  - i. locally stable: iff  $x(t) = F$  (where  $F \neq 0$ ) moves towards F whenever it is (very) close to F already (so 'small enough' but still non-zero ).
  - ii. It is called 'globally stable' if  $x(t)$  will always converge to F no matter the initial condition, so for any value of  $x$ .
  - iii. A fixed point is called 'unstable' if  $x(t)$  moves away from the fixed point, no matter how close  $x(t)$  is to F – with the single exception of exactly  $x(t) = F$  of course.
3. See *euler.py*
  - (a)  $\frac{dx}{dt} = 1$ , with  $x(0) = 0$   
This can be solved via:

$$\begin{aligned} dx &= dt \cdot 1 \\ \int dx &= \int dt \\ x &= t + C \\ 0 &= 0 + C \\ C &= 0 \\ x &= t \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

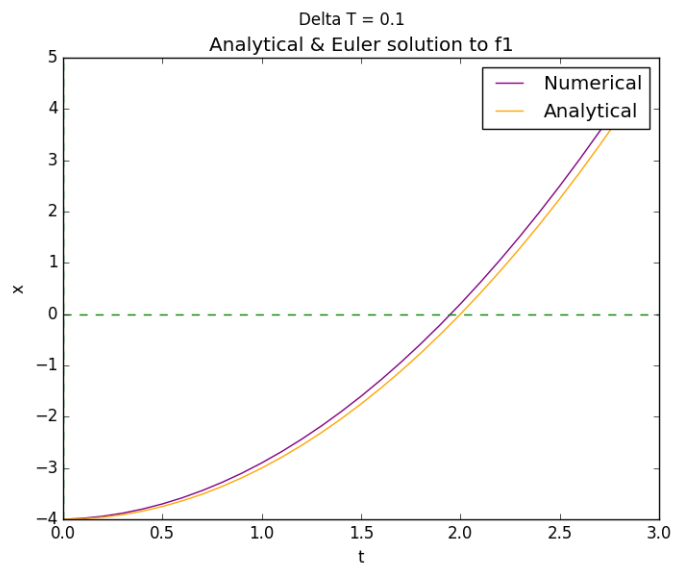
Which is linear line, therefore the  $\Delta t$  does not matter. The analytical and numerical solution will overlap:



- (b)  $\frac{dx}{dt} = 2t$ , with  $x(0) = -4$   
Can be solved analytical:

$$\begin{aligned}
 dx &= 2t \cdot dt \\
 \int dx &= \int 2t \cdot dt \\
 x &= t^2 + C \\
 -4 &= 0^2 + C \\
 C &= -4 \\
 x &= t^2 - 4
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{2}$$

Because this function has an exponent, we choose  $\Delta t = 0.1$ :



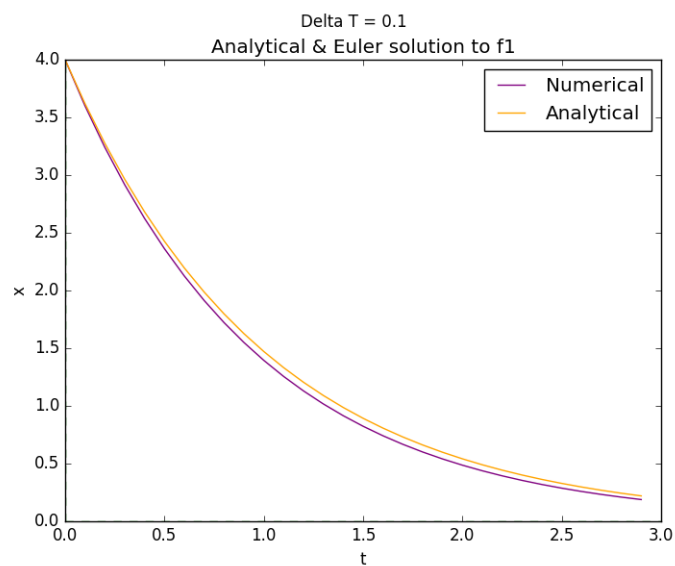
- (c)  $\frac{dx}{dt} = x$ , with  $x(0) = 4$   
Can be solved analytical via:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{dx}{-x} &= dt \\
 \int \frac{dx}{-x} &= \int dt \\
 -1 \cdot \ln(x) &= t + C \\
 x &= e^{-t-C} \\
 &= e^{-t} \cdot C
 \end{aligned} \tag{3}$$

$$4 = e^{-0} \cdot C$$

$$C = 4$$

$$x = e^{-t} \cdot 4$$



4. (a)  $G$  is the rate at which the molecules are generated.  $-K$  is the rate at which the molecules should be decreased.

(b)

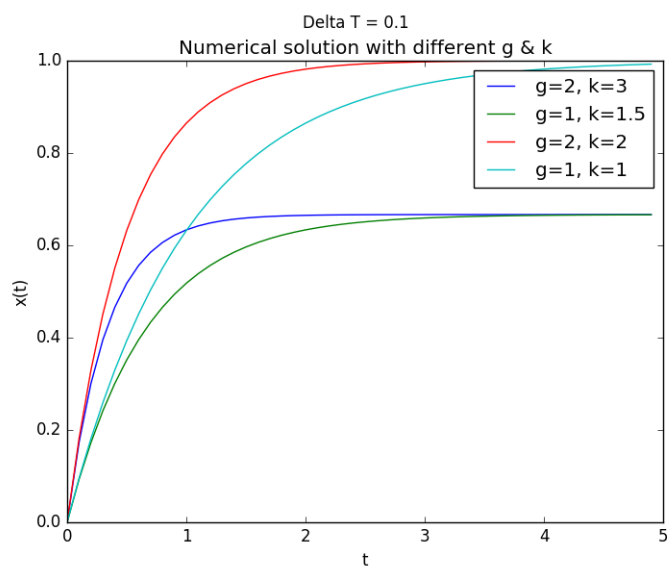
$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{dx}{dt} &= g - k \cdot x \\
 \frac{dx}{g - k \cdot x} &= dt \\
 \int \frac{dx}{g - k \cdot x} &= \int dt \\
 -\frac{1}{k} \cdot \ln(g - k \cdot x) &= t + C \\
 \ln(g - k \cdot x) &= -k(t + C) \\
 g - k \cdot x &= e^{-k \cdot t - k \cdot C} \\
 &= e^{-k \cdot t} \cdot C \\
 x &= \frac{e^{-kt} \cdot C - g}{-k} \\
 &= -\frac{1}{k} \cdot C \cdot e^{-kt} + \frac{g}{k} \\
 x &= C \cdot e^{-kt} + \frac{g}{k}
 \end{aligned} \tag{4}$$

- (c)  $C$  is a number which adjusts the integral to be correct, so the derivative of this integral is the original formula.

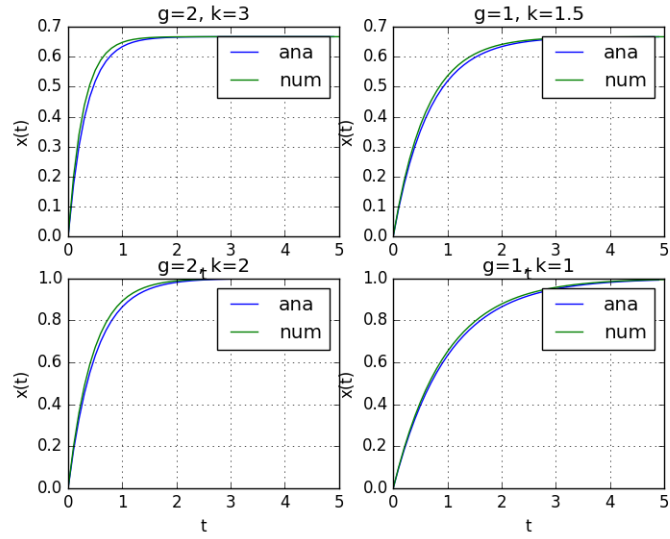
(d)

$$\begin{aligned}
 0 &= C \cdot e^{-k \cdot 0} + \frac{g}{k} \\
 &= C + \frac{g}{k} \\
 C &= -\frac{g}{k}
 \end{aligned} \tag{5}$$

(e) G seems to determine the height ( $x(t)$ ) of the fixed part. K seems to influence the amount of t it takes to reach a stable state.



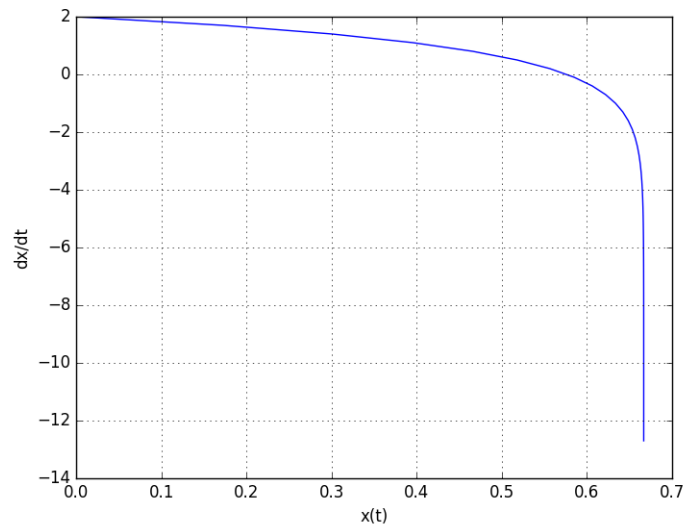
(f) All  $\Delta t = 0.01$



- (g) The fixed(s) point can be found by equating the first derivative to zero:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{dx}{dt} &= g - k \cdot x = 0 \\
 -k \cdot x &= -g \\
 x &= \frac{g}{k}
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{6}$$

- (h) Seems globally stable since it is converging to F



(i)

(j) In real life there are much more variables which influence the production, so this is a mean field approximation model since it tries to recreate the production but leaves out a few variables.

5. (a) Since we are only looking at reproduction and death rates, the growth of the population can be captured in the given formula where  $rx$  is the reproduction of the population and  $k \cdot x$  is the deaths in the population.

(b)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{dx}{dt} &= r \cdot x - k \cdot x \\
 &= x(r - k) \\
 \int \frac{1}{x(r - k)} \cdot dx &= \int dt \\
 \frac{1}{r - k} \cdot \ln(x) &= t + C \\
 \ln(x) &= (r - k) \cdot (t + C) \\
 &= rt - kt + rC - kC \\
 x &= e^{t(r-k)} \cdot C
 \end{aligned} \tag{7}$$

(c) Fixed point are for  $x = 0$  and  $r - k = 0$

(d)

(e)

(f) When x increases linear, the population will increase quadratic.

(g)

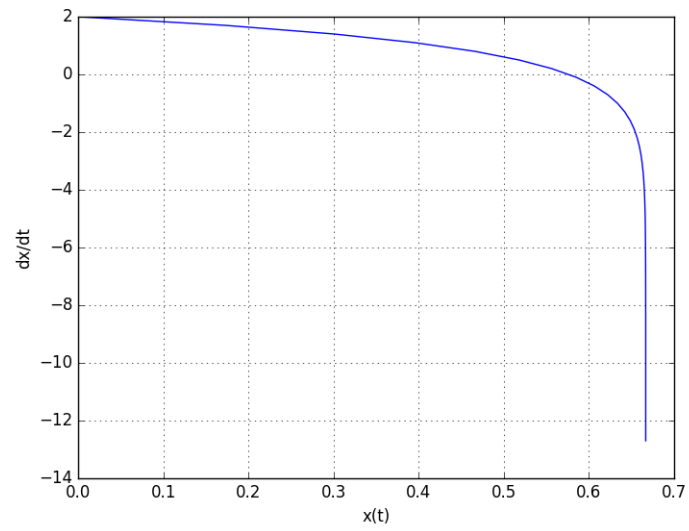
$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{dx}{dt} &= r \cdot x \cdot x - k \cdot x \\
 &= x(rx - k) \\
 \frac{1}{x(rx - k)} \cdot dx &= dt \\
 \int \frac{1}{x(rx - k)} \cdot dx &= \int dt \\
 \frac{1}{k} \cdot \ln\left(\frac{rx - k}{x}\right) &= t + C \\
 \ln\left(\frac{rx - k}{x}\right) &= k(t + C) \\
 \frac{rx - k}{x} &= e^{kt} \cdot C \\
 rx - k &= C \cdot e^{kt} + k \\
 rx - k - C \cdot e^{kt} &= k \\
 x(r - C \cdot e^{kt}) &= k \\
 x &= \frac{k}{r - C \cdot e^{kt}}
 \end{aligned} \tag{8}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 x(0) &= \frac{k}{r - C \cdot 1} = x_0 \\
 x_0(r - C) &= k \\
 x_0 \cdot r - x_0 \cdot C &= k \\
 -x_0 \cdot C &= k - x_0 \cdot r \\
 C &= -\frac{k}{x_0} + r
 \end{aligned}$$

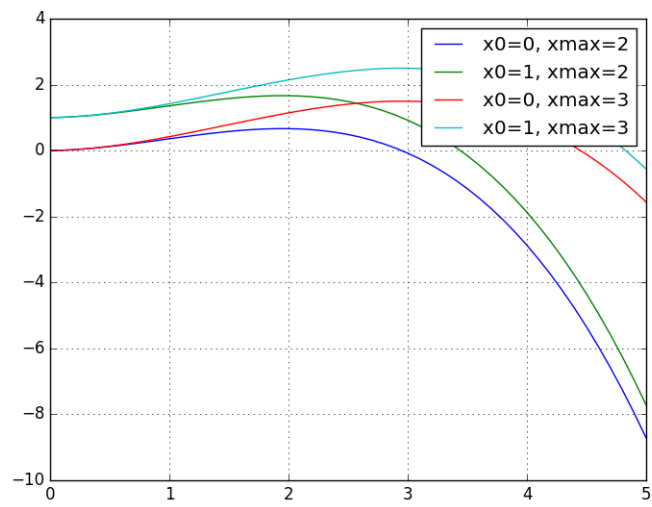
$$x = \frac{k}{r - \left(-\frac{k}{x_0} + r\right) \cdot e^{kt}}$$

(h) .





(i)  $x_{max}$  will be the maximum the function can reach



(j)

(k)

$$\begin{aligned}
 0 &= x(1 - x/x_{max}) \\
 x &= 0 \\
 1 - x &= 0 \\
 x &= 1
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{9}$$

Fixed points for  $x = 0$  and  $x = 1$ .

Second derivative proves the fixed points are both stable

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{d}{dx}(x(1 - x/x_{max})) &= 1 \cdot (1 - x/x_{max}) + (-\frac{1}{x_{max}})x \\
 &= 1 - \frac{2x}{x_{max}}
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{10}$$

(l)

(m)  $\frac{dx}{dt} = x(1 - x/x_{max}) - r$  The rabbits die at rate  $r$ , so  $r \cdot x$  is the this rate applied to the population. Though only a  $r$  will be added since this is the derivative.

(n)

(o)