

Intro to Differential Equations

8/21/20

- First office hour Tues 8/25 1:30-2:30pm
Same zoom link, same chat channel
- HW#0 Due Mon 8/24 at midnight EST (Canvas + website)
- HW#1 Due Frid 8/28 at midnight EST
 - 1.1 # 1, 6, 7, 11
 - 2.1 # 1, 3, 5, 12, 13, 15

HW upload to
Canvas

Mathematical modeling:

- physics
- chemistry
- biology
- finance
- econ
- meteorology
- ecology

Two parts:

- Derivative of quantity changing

$$\left(\frac{dx}{dt}, \frac{dv}{dt}, \frac{d\rho}{dt} \right)$$
$$(\dot{x}, \dot{v}, \dot{\rho})$$

- Computing rate of change

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = f(v, t, \dots)$$

Newton's Second Law

- a force acting on a mass is equal to the rate of ~~the~~ change of momentum with respect to time

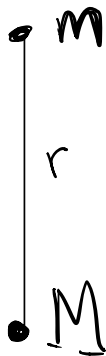
$$\text{momentum } p = m v$$

constant m

m mass
 v velocity

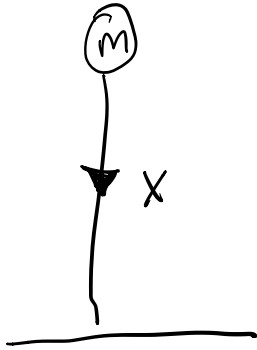
$$\begin{aligned} F &= \frac{dp}{dt} \\ &= \frac{d}{dt} (m v) \\ &= m \frac{dv}{dt} \end{aligned}$$

$$F = m a \quad a \equiv \text{acceleration}$$



proportional to the product of the two masses &
inversely prop. to the square of the distance between them

$$|F| = \frac{G M m}{r^2}$$



$$v = \frac{dx}{dt}$$

Velocity
changes
in time
dependent on
position

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{d^2x}{dt^2}$$

$$F = -mg \quad \text{gravity}$$

$$F = ma$$

$$ma = -mg$$

$$m \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} = -mg$$

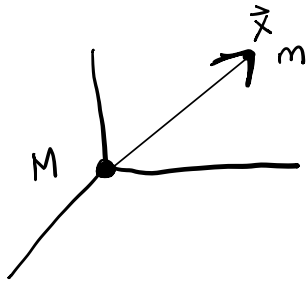
$$\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} = \underline{-g}$$

- unknown function $x(t)$
- at least **1** of its derivatives

"Second order differential equation"

$$\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + \frac{dx}{dt} = f(x)$$

Ex 2 Planetary Motion



Sun fixed at origin M
 planet is at $\vec{x}(t)$ m

$$V(t) = \frac{d\vec{x}(t)}{dt}$$

$$m \frac{d^2\vec{x}}{dt^2} = - \frac{GMm}{|\vec{x}|^2} \frac{\vec{x}}{|\vec{x}|} \quad \left. \vphantom{\frac{d^2\vec{x}}{dt^2}} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{unit} \\ \text{vector} \\ \text{in direction} \\ \vec{x} \end{array}$$

2nd derivative
 of x

function of x

recall :

$$\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} = -g \quad x^0$$

Ex Population model

Population $P(t)$, change in time

2 things :

- rate of change of Population in time

$$\frac{dP(t)}{dt}$$

- How the population changes

use: Biology

rate of change of a Population
 is (often) proportional to the
 population

$$rP$$

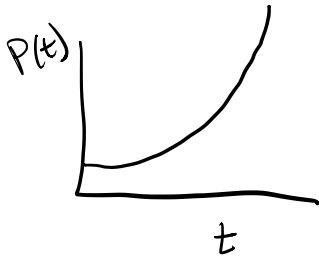
$$\frac{dP}{dt} = rP$$

1st derivative
of P

function of P

Solution to a differential equation
satisfies both sides of the equation

P is a function, if plug in,
both sides are the same.



$$P(t) = P_0 e^{rt}$$

↑
initial population

check if solves ~~the~~ our Diff Eq

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = rP \quad \leftarrow$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} [P_0 e^{rt}] = r P_0 e^{rt}$$

$$P_0 \frac{d}{dt} e^{rt} = r P_0 e^{rt}$$

$$P_0 r e^{rt} = r P_0 e^{rt} \quad \checkmark$$

chain
rule

Better model: $r \rightarrow r(1 - \frac{P}{K})$

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = r(1 - \frac{P}{K})P$$

"Logistic equation"

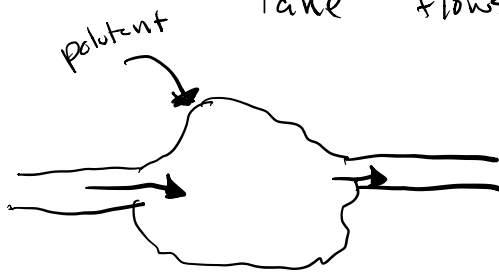
Ex Pollution

lake $V = 100 \text{ km}^3$

river flow into lake

lake flows out to another river

} Volume remain constant



Flow of input ~~per~~ river depends on season (time in years)

$$r(t) = 50 + 20 \cos(2\pi(t - \frac{1}{4}))$$

$t=0$ Jan 1

$$2\pi(t - \frac{1}{4}) = 0$$

$$t = \frac{1}{4}$$

April max flow

pollutant at a rate of $2 \text{ km}^3/\text{year}$

$X(t)$ total pollution in lake at time t .

Assume well mixed

rate of change of pollution = amount pollution coming in - amount pollution going out

$$\frac{dX(t)}{dt} = 2 - \left(\text{Amount of liquid flowing out} \right) \left(\begin{array}{l} \% \text{ of fluid} \\ \text{which is} \\ \text{polluted} \end{array} \right)$$

$$\frac{dx(t)}{dt} = 2 - (50 + 20 \cos(2\pi(t - 1/4))) (\% \text{ polluted})$$

$$\frac{\text{Volume polluted}}{\text{Total Volume}} = \frac{X(t)}{100}$$

$$\frac{dx(t)}{dt} = 2 - (50 + 20 \cos(2\pi(t - 1/4))) \frac{X(t)}{100}$$

derivative

function X, t