

1. b. Solve

$$\frac{dz}{dt} = 0.1z - 2, \quad z(0) = 5.$$

Factor the coefficient leading  $z(t)$  to give

$$z'(t) = 0.1(z(t) - 20).$$

Make the substitution,  $w(t) = z(t) - 20$ , so  $w(0) = z(0) - 20 = -15$  and  $w'(t) = z'(t)$ . This gives the problem

$$w' = 0.1w, \quad w(0) = -15.$$

This has the solution

$$w(t) = -15e^{0.1t} = z(t) - 20, \quad \text{so} \quad z(t) = 20 - 15e^{0.1t}.$$

d. Solve

$$\frac{dh}{dx} = 5 - 0.2h, \quad h(0) = 10.$$

Factor the coefficient leading  $h(x)$  to give

$$h'(x) = -0.2(h(x) - 25).$$

Make the substitution,  $z(x) = h(x) - 25$ , so  $z(0) = h(0) - 25 = -15$  and  $z'(x) = h'(x)$ . This gives the problem

$$z' = -0.2z, \quad z(0) = -15.$$

This has the solution

$$z(x) = -15e^{-0.2x} = h(x) - 25, \quad \text{so} \quad h(x) = 25 - 15e^{-0.2x}.$$

e. Solve

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 0.02y, \quad y(2) = 50.$$

This is like Malthusian growth except that the initial condition begins at  $t = 2$ . The general solution is

$$y(t) = y_0 e^{0.02t} \quad \text{with} \quad y(2) = 50 = y_0 e^{0.04}.$$

Thus,  $y_0 = 50e^{-0.04}$ . This gives the solution

$$y(t) = 50e^{-0.04} e^{0.02t} = 50e^{0.02(t-2)}.$$

3. a. The differential equation for the population of Canada is

$$C'(t) = k_1 C(t), \quad C(0) = 24,070,000,$$

which by letting  $t = 0$  corresponds to 1980 has the solution

$$C(t) = 24,070,000e^{k_1 t}.$$

From the population in 1990, we have

$$C(10) = 26,620,000 = 24,070,000e^{10k_1} \quad \text{or} \quad e^{10k_1} = \frac{26,620,000}{24,070,000}.$$

It follows that  $k_1 = \frac{1}{10} \ln(26620/24070) \simeq 0.01007 \text{ yr}^{-1}$ . To find doubling time, we solve

$$C(t_d) = 2(24,070,000) = 24,070,000e^{k_1 t_d} \quad \text{or} \quad e^{k_1 t_d} = 2.$$

It follows that the doubling time,  $t_d = \frac{1}{k_1} \ln(2) \simeq 68.8 \text{ yr}$ .

b. A similar argument gives the population of Kenya,  $K(t) = 16,681,000e^{k_2 t}$ , with the rate constant  $k_2 = \frac{1}{10} \ln(24229/16681) \simeq 0.03733 \text{ yr}^{-1}$  and doubling time,  $t_d = \frac{1}{k_2} \ln(2) \simeq 18.6 \text{ yr}$ .

c. The populations in 2000 are given by  $C(20) = 24,070,000e^{20k_1} = 29,440,150$  and  $K(20) = 16,681,000e^{20k_2} = 35,192,401$ . The populations are equal when  $C(t) = K(t)$  or

$$24,070,000e^{k_1 t} = 16,681,000e^{k_2 t} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{e^{k_2 t}}{e^{k_1 t}} = \frac{24,070}{16,681}.$$

Thus,  $e^{(k_2 - k_1)t} = \frac{24,070}{16,681}$ , so  $(k_2 - k_1)t = \ln\left(\frac{24,070}{16,681}\right)$ . It follows that

$$t = \frac{1}{k_2 - k_1} \ln\left(\frac{24,070}{16,681}\right) \simeq 13.5 \text{ years}.$$

This would be in the middle of 1993.

5. a. The radioactive decay problem is

$$R' = -kR, \quad R(0) = 20.$$

This has the solution  $S(t) = 20e^{-kt}$ . Since the half-life is 28 years, we have

$$S(28) = 10 = 20e^{-28k}, \quad \text{so} \quad e^{28k} = 2.$$

Thus,  $28k = \ln(2)$  or  $k = \frac{1}{28} \ln(2) \simeq 0.02476 \text{ yr}^{-1}$ . After 10 years,  $S(10) = 20e^{-10k} = 15.6 \text{ mg}$ .

b. For 7 mg remaining,  $S(t) = 20e^{-kt} = 7$  or  $e^{kt} = 20/7$ . It readily follows that  $t = \ln(20/7)/k \simeq 42.4 \text{ yr}$ .

7. a. From the notes, we have  $C_a = QT/(P_{sys} - P_{dia})$  and  $P_{dia} = P_{sys}e^{-T/C_a R_s}$ . Thus,  $P_{sys} - P_{dia} = P_{sys}(1 - e^{-T/C_a R_s}) = QT/C_a$ , so

$$P_{sys} = \frac{QT}{C_a(1 - e^{-T/C_a R_s})}.$$

By letting  $Q = 5.6 \text{ liters/min}$ ,  $T = 1/70 \text{ min/beats}$ ,  $C_a = 0.0016 \text{ liters/mm Hg}$ , and  $R_s = 17.6 \text{ (mm Hg/liter/min)}$  and substituting into the formula above, we find the systolic pressure

as  $P_{sys} = 125.7.1$  mm Hg. It follows with the formula for diastolic pressure that  $P_{dia} = 75.6$  mm Hg, respectively. Thus, the 20% decrease in compliance causes minimal changes in the blood pressure.

9. a. The differential equation is given by  $T'(t) = -k(T(t) - 20)$ ,  $T(0) = 100$ . Let  $z(t) = T(t) - 20$ , then  $z(0) = 100 - 20 = 80$  and  $z'(t) = T'(t)$ . Thus, we need to solve the initial value problem

$$z'(t) = -kz(t), \quad z(0) = 80.$$

This has the solution  $z(t) = 80e^{-kt} = T(t) - 20$ , so  $T(t) = 20 + 80e^{-kt}$ .

b. Since  $T(10) = 80 = 20 + 80e^{-10k}$ ,  $60 = 80e^{-10k}$  or  $e^{10k} = 80/60 = 4/3$ . It follows that the rate constant  $k = \ln(4/3)/10 \simeq 0.02877$ . To find when it reaches  $30^\circ\text{C}$ , we solve  $T(t) = 30 = 20 + 80e^{-kt}$  or  $10 = 80e^{-kt}$  or  $e^{kt} = 8$ . This gives  $t = \ln(8)/k \simeq 72.3$  min.

11. a. Let  $a(t)$  be the amount of pollutant, and the concentration  $c(t)$  is the concentration of pollutant (in ppb). The change in amount = the amount entering - the amount leaving. The change in amount,  $a'(t)$ , has units (mass/day). The amount entering is  $fQ = 20,000$  ppb  $\text{m}^3/\text{day}$  (mass/day), while the amount leaving is  $fc(t) = 4000c(t)$  ppb  $\text{m}^3/\text{day}$  (mass/day). Thus,

$$a'(t) = 20000 - 4000c(t).$$

To make the concentration equation, we use that  $c(t) = a(t)/V = a(t)/200000$ . Since  $c'(t) = a'(t)/200000$ , we can write the equation above as

$$c'(t) = 0.1 - 0.02c(t) \quad \text{with} \quad c(0) = 0.$$

To solve this initial value problem we write

$$c' = -0.02(c - 5) \quad \text{with} \quad c(0) = 0.$$

We make the substitution  $z(t) = c(t) - 5$ , so  $z(0) = c(0) - 5 = -5$  and  $z'(t) = c'(t)$ . The concentration equation becomes

$$z' = -0.02z \quad \text{with} \quad z(0) = -5,$$

which has the solution

$$z(t) = -5e^{-0.02t} = c(t) - 5.$$

Thus, the solution is  $c(t) = 5 - 5e^{-0.02t}$ .

b. We solve  $c(t) = 5 - 5e^{-0.02t} = 4$  or  $5e^{-0.02t} = 1$ . Thus,  $e^{0.02t} = 5$  or  $0.02t = \ln(5)$ . Hence, the concentration reaches 4 ppb at  $t = 50 \ln(5) \simeq 80.5$  days.

c. The limiting concentration is  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} c(t) = 5$  ppb. This easily follows because as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $e^{-0.02t} \rightarrow 0$ .