

Some analytic solutions

So far we have ^{mostly} CDEs of the form

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = ay - b$$

where a and b are constants.

Check

$$\textcircled{1} \frac{dv}{dt} = g - \frac{\gamma}{m} v \quad (\text{falling sky-diver})$$

$$\textcircled{2} \frac{dp}{dt} = rp - k \quad (\text{mice population})$$

Analytic solution for sky diver model

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dv}{dt} &= 9.8 - 0.6v \\ &= -0.6 \left(-16\frac{1}{3} + v \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\frac{dv}{dt}}{v - 16\frac{1}{3}} = -0.6$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\ln \left| v - 16\frac{1}{3} \right| \right) = -0.6$$

* key: find a function s.t. the derivative is $\frac{1}{v - 16\frac{1}{3}} \cdot \frac{dv}{dt}$.

Chain Rule!

$$\text{Recall that } \frac{d}{dt} \ln|v| = \frac{1}{v} \cdot \frac{dv}{dt}$$

Integrating both sides w.r.t t yields

$$\ln|v - 16\frac{1}{3}| = -0.6t + C$$

$$|v - 16\frac{1}{3}| = e^{-0.6t + C} = e^C \cdot e^{-0.6t} \Leftrightarrow v - 16\frac{1}{3} = \pm e^C e^{-0.6t}$$

$$(*) \quad \boxed{v(t) = 16\frac{1}{3} + C e^{-0.6t}}$$

* $C = \pm e^C$ (This is the general solution).

1. Notice that $v(t) = 16\frac{1}{3} \text{ m/s}$ (the equilibrium solution) is a solution for $C=0$.
2. (*) represents an infinite number of solutions for each value of C
3. (*) can be represented geometrically by integral curves

To obtain a specific solution we need an initial condition

eg $v(0) = 0$ i.e. the sky diver drops out of the plane.

General solution $v(t) = 16\frac{1}{3} - ce^{-0.6t}$

$$v(0) = 0 \Rightarrow 0 = 16\frac{1}{3} - ce^{-0.6(0)} \Rightarrow c = 16\frac{1}{3}$$

$$v(t) = 16\frac{1}{3} (1 - e^{-0.6t}) \quad * \text{ Notice that } \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} v(t) = 16\frac{1}{3} (1 - 0) = 16\frac{1}{3}!$$

Suppose the sky-diver drops from a height of 4000m. ~~How long does it take~~
Find their velocity after falling 1000m.

We have $v(t) = 16\frac{1}{3} (1 - e^{-0.6t})$ so we need to find how long it takes the diver to fall 1000m.

Let x be the distance the diver has fallen, then

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = v = 16\frac{1}{3} (1 - e^{-0.6t}) = 16\frac{1}{3} - 16\frac{1}{3} e^{-0.6t}$$

Integrating both sides w.r.t t

$$x(t) = 16\frac{1}{3}t + \frac{245}{9} e^{-0.6t} + K$$

Assuming $x(0) = 0$ $K = -\frac{245}{9}$ so that

$$x(t) = \frac{49}{3}t + \frac{245}{9} e^{-0.6t} - \frac{245}{9}$$

T s.t $x(T) = 1000$

$$1000 = \frac{49}{3}t + \frac{245}{9} e^{-0.6T} - \frac{245}{9} \quad * \text{ Matlab! } \text{zero}$$

$$T = \underline{7.78s}$$

$$v(T) = 16\frac{1}{3} (1 - e^{-0.6 \cdot (7.78)}) = 16.17 \text{ m/s.}$$

Mouse population
Suppose $r = 0.5$ and $k = 450$ so that $\frac{dp}{dt} = rp - k$ is

$$\frac{dp}{dt} = 0.5p - 450 = \frac{1}{2}(p - 900) \quad \text{and} \quad p(0) = 850$$

Solving

$$\frac{dp}{p-900} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\int \frac{dp}{p-900} = \frac{1}{2} \int dt$$

$$\ln(|p-900|) = \frac{t}{2} + C.$$

$$|p-900| = e^{\frac{t}{2} + C} \Rightarrow p-900 = \pm e^C \cdot e^{\frac{t}{2}}$$

$$\boxed{p = 900 + Ce^{\frac{t}{2}}} \quad (*) \quad p = 900 + Ce^{\frac{t}{2}}, \quad C = \pm e^C.$$

(*) is called the general solution of the initial value problem.

Geometrically (*) corresponds to an infinite number of solutions for each corresponding to a value of C .

Using the initial condition, we can isolate C .

$$p(0) = 850 \Rightarrow$$

$$850 = 900 + Ce^{\frac{0}{2}} \Rightarrow C = -50$$

$$p(t) = 900 - 50e^{\frac{t}{2}}$$

Matlab attachment

1. Notice that the equilibrium solution is @ $\frac{dp}{dt} = 0 \Rightarrow 0.5p - 450 = 0$
 $p = 900$.

2. On either side of the equilibrium solution observe divergence ~~to~~ of solutions away from $p = 900$ depending on the value of C .