

1. Consider a tank which has 400 gallons of a salt-water mixture. Initially, the tank has 15 lbs of salt in it. Water flows into the tank at a rate of 30 gallons per minute, and there is $1/2$ lb of salt per gallon. There is a mixing device in the tank which keeps the salt evenly distributed throughout the salt-water mixture. The salt-water mixture flows out of the tank at a rate of 30 gallons per minute. Find the concentration (lbs per gallon) of salt in the tank in the long run.

Let $q(t)$ be the amount of salt (in lbs) in the tank after t min.

Let $c(t)$ be the concentration of salt (in lbs/gal) after t min.

Let $v(t)$ be the amount of liquid (in gal) in the tank after t min.

We can figure out $\frac{dq}{dt} = (\text{rate of salt in}) - (\text{rate of salt out})$

$$\text{rate of salt in: } \frac{\frac{1}{2} \text{ lb}}{\text{gal}} \cdot \frac{30 \text{ gal}}{\text{min}} = 15 \text{ lb/min}$$

$$\text{rate of salt out: } \frac{q(t) \text{ lb}}{v(t) \text{ gal}} \cdot \frac{30 \text{ gal}}{\text{min}} = \frac{30q}{400} \text{ lb/min} \quad (v(t) = 400)$$

$$\frac{dq}{dt} = 15 - \frac{3q}{40} \quad (\text{can use integrating factor or separable})$$

$$\text{get } q(t) = Ce^{-3t/40} + 200$$

$$\text{Now, } q(0) = 15, \text{ so } 15 = C + 200, \text{ making } C = -185$$

$$q(t) = -185e^{-3t/40} + 200$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Notice } c(t) &= \frac{q(t)}{v(t)} = \frac{-185e^{-3t/40} + 200}{400} \\ &= \frac{-37}{80}e^{-3t/40} + \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} c(t) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \left(\underbrace{\frac{-37}{80}e^{-3t/40}}_{\rightarrow 0} + \frac{1}{2} \right) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{so } \boxed{\frac{1}{2} \text{ lb per gal}}$$

2. Consider a tank which has 400 gallons of pure water, and has a capacity of 700 gallons. Salt water begins to flow into the tank at a rate of 5 gallons per minute and there are 10 grams of salt per gallon. There is a mixing device in the tank which keeps the salt evenly distributed throughout the tank. The mixture in the tank flows out at a rate of 3 gallons per minute. How much salt will be in the tank the instant it begins to overflow?

Use same symbols $q(t)$ and $V(t)$ as problem 1.

Notice: $V(t)$ is not constant.

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = (\text{rate in}) - (\text{rate out}) = 5 \text{ gal} - 3 \text{ gal} = 2 \text{ gal}$$

Thus, $V(t) = 2t + C$ and $V(0) = 400 \text{ gal}$, so

$$V(t) = 2t + 400$$

$$\frac{dq}{dt} = (\text{rate in}) - (\text{rate out}) = \frac{10 \text{ g}}{\text{gal}} \cdot \frac{5 \text{ gal}}{\text{min}} - \frac{q(t) \text{ g}}{V(t) \text{ gal}} \cdot \frac{3 \text{ gal}}{\text{min}}$$

$$\frac{dq}{dt} = 50 - \frac{3q}{2t+400}$$

Use integrating factor method to obtain

$$q(t) = \frac{C}{(t+200)^{3/2}} + 20t + 4000$$

$$q(0) = 0, \text{ so } 0 = \frac{C}{200^{3/2}} + 4000, \quad C = -8,000,000\sqrt{2}$$

$$q(t) = 20t - \frac{8,000,000\sqrt{2}}{(t+200)^{3/2}} + 4000$$

Tank overflows when $V(t) = 700$

$$700 = 2t + 400 \Rightarrow t = 150$$


$$q(150) \approx \boxed{5,272.16 \text{ grams}}$$

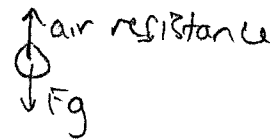
3. Pete stands at the top of a 40 meter building and throws a hammer upward with a speed of 5 m/s. Suppose there is a force due to air resistance acting on the hammer in the opposite direction of velocity with a magnitude of $\frac{|v|}{22}$ m/s. Set up a differential equation to model this scenario (use $g = 9.8$ m/s² as the magnitude of the acceleration due to gravity).

Let $V(t)$ be velocity at t seconds.

Let m be the mass of the hammer.

Governing equation: $F = ma$

Going up: 

going down: 

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt}, \text{ so } -mg - \frac{v}{22} = m \frac{dv}{dt}$$

or, if you prefer,

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = -9.8 - \frac{v}{22m}$$

Notice, if $v > 0$, then $-\frac{v}{22} < 0$

if $v < 0$, then $-\frac{v}{22} > 0$

so air resistance is always opposite to velocity.

Thus, this equation works for both going up and down.

Initial conditions: $v(0) = 5$, and if $h(t)$ is height, $h(0) = 40$

$$\boxed{\frac{dv}{dt} = -9.8 - \frac{v}{22m}, \quad v(0) = 5, \quad h(0) = 40}$$

4. Suppose that the rate of change of a function f is proportional to a function g . Write a differential equation which expresses this situation.

$$f' = kg, \quad k \text{ a constant.}$$

5. Newton's Law of Cooling states that the temperature of an object changes at a rate proportional to the difference between its temperature and that of its surroundings. Suppose that the temperature of a cup of tea obeys Newton's Law of Cooling. Assume the tea has a temperature of 190°F when freshly poured, and 2 minutes later has cooled to 175°F in a room at 72°F . Find a function for the temperature T of the tea at time t .

Let T = temperature (in $^\circ \text{F}$) of tea after t minutes

T_s = surrounding temperature

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = k(T - T_s) = k(T - 72)$$

Using lesson 2 or separable, get

$$T(t) = Ce^{kt} + 72$$

$$T(0) = 190, \text{ so } 190 = C + 72, \quad C = 118$$

$$T(t) = 118e^{kt} + 72$$

$$T(2) = 175, \text{ so } 175 = 118e^{2k} + 72$$

$$e^{2k} = \frac{103}{118}, \text{ so } k = \frac{1}{2} \ln\left(\frac{103}{118}\right) = \ln \sqrt{\frac{103}{118}}$$

$$T(t) = 118 \left(e^{\ln \sqrt{\frac{103}{118}}} \right)^t + 72$$

$$T(t) = 118 \left(\sqrt{\frac{103}{118}} \right)^t + 72$$

6. Suppose that a rocket is launched straight up from the surface of the Earth with an initial velocity of $v_0 = \sqrt{2gR}$, where R is the radius of the Earth. Neglect air resistance. Find an expression for the velocity v in terms of the distance x from the surface of the Earth. Find the time required for the rocket to go 140,000,000 miles (the approximate distance from Earth to Mars). Assume that $R = 4000$ miles. Assume that the acceleration due to gravity $g = 32 \text{ ft/s}^2$ (There are 5280 feet in a mile.)

Such a situation is governed by

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = -\frac{gR^2}{(R+x)^2} \quad (\text{Think: } F=ma, \text{ so } m \frac{dv}{dt} = w(x),$$

$$w(x) \text{ is gravitational force, } w(x) = \frac{-k}{(x+R)^2}, \quad w(0) = -mg)$$

By the Chain Rule, $\frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{dv}{dx} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt} = v \frac{dv}{dx}$ (since $v = \frac{dx}{dt}$)

$$v \frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{gR^2}{(R+x)^2}, \quad v(0) = \sqrt{2gR}$$

$$\text{Solving, we get } v(x) = \frac{R\sqrt{2g}}{\sqrt{R+x}}$$

$$\text{But } \frac{dx}{dt} = v, \text{ so } \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{R\sqrt{2g}}{\sqrt{R+x}} \Rightarrow (R+x)^{1/2} dx = R\sqrt{2g} dt$$

$$\text{Get: } \frac{2}{3}(R+x)^{3/2} = R\sqrt{2g}t + C$$

$$\text{Notice } x(0) = 0, \text{ so } \frac{2}{3}(R+x)^{3/2} = R\sqrt{2g}t + \frac{2}{3}R^{3/2}$$

To solve for time, use $x = 140,000,000$, $R = 4000$,

$$g = \frac{32 \text{ ft}}{\text{s}^2} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ mi}}{5280 \text{ ft}} \quad (\text{miles per s}^2)$$

This will give time in seconds.

Convert to hours.

$$\approx 696,600.57 \text{ hrs}$$

$$(\approx 79.5 \text{ years})$$

7. If Jack weighs 200 lbs, what is his mass?

Weight is the force due to gravity,

so $200 \text{ lbs} = mg$

$$200 = 32m$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{200}{32} = \boxed{6.25 \text{ slugs}}$$