

Math III - Wed, 5/11

Please turn in your project

Questions on 4.4 + 4.5

Checkpoint 6

New material : 4.7 + 4.8 (Applications)

BOSS #2 on Monday, 1:00 - 3:20

Part 1 - no calculator

Part 2 - Graphing calculator needed

Review packet handed out today

- Solutions will be posted in MyPCC x Friday

Math + 3D Printing - this Saturday
+ 6/4

Chap 4 review

18
25
27
35

$$18. H(x) = \log_2(x^2 - 3x + 2)$$

Domain

$$x^2 - 3x + 2 > 0$$

$$(x-2)(x-1) > 0$$

$$(x-2)(x-1) = 0$$

$$x = 2 \text{ or } x = 1$$

$$D: (-\infty, 1) \cup (2, \infty)$$

4.5
41.

$$G(x) = \log_3(3x-1)$$

$$3x-1 > 0$$

$$+1 \quad +1$$

$$\frac{3x}{3} > \frac{1}{3}$$

$$x > \frac{1}{3}$$

$$25. \ln\left(\frac{(2x+3)}{x^2-3x+2}\right)^2$$

$$2\left[\ln\left(\frac{(2x+3)}{(x-1)(x-2)}\right)\right]$$

$$2\ln(2x+3) - 2[\ln((x-1)(x-2))]$$

$$2\ln(2x+3) - 2[\ln(x+1) + \ln(x-2)]$$

$$2\ln(2x+3) - 2\ln(x-1) - 2\ln(x-2)$$

$$27. \ln\left(\frac{x-1}{x}\right) + \ln\left(\frac{x}{x+1}\right) - \ln(x^2-1)$$

$$= \ln\left(\frac{x-1}{x} \cdot \frac{x}{x+1}\right) - \ln\left(\frac{(x+1)(x-1)}{1}\right)$$

$$= \ln\left(\frac{\cancel{(x-1)} \cdot \frac{1}{\cancel{(x-1)}}}{(x+1)(x+1)\cancel{(x-1)}}\right)$$

$$= \ln\left(\frac{1}{(x+1)^2}\right)$$

$$= \ln(x+1)^{-2}$$

$$= -2 \ln(x+1)$$

25 backwards

$$2 \ln(2x+3) - 2 \ln(x-1) - 2 \ln(x-2)$$

$$2 [\ln(2x+3) - \ln(x-1)] - 2 \ln(x-2)$$

$$2 \ln\left(\frac{2x+3}{x-1}\right) - 2 \ln(x-2)$$

$$2 \left[\ln\left(\frac{2x+3}{x-1}\right) - \ln(x-2) \right]$$

$$2 \ln\left(\frac{(2x+3)}{(x-1)(x-2)}\right)$$

35. $8^{6+3x} = 4$

$$(2^3)^{6+3x} = 2^2$$

$$2^{18+9x} = 2^2$$

$$18+9x = 2$$

$$\log_2 8^{6+3x} = \log_2 4$$

$$(6+3x) \log_2 8 = \log_2 4$$

$$3(6+3x) = 2$$

$$18+9x = 2$$

4.5 #47.

$$\ln(x^2\sqrt{1-x})$$

$$\ln x^2 + \ln \sqrt{1-x}$$

$$2\ln x + \frac{1}{2}\ln(1-x)$$

Math 111 Lecture Notes

SECTION 4.7: COMPOUND INTEREST

This section has *a lot* of formulas. You do not have to memorize the formulas in this section—the two you will need to use are given below and will be provided on any exams.

Compound Interest Formula:

The amount A after t years due to a principal P invested at an annual interest rate r compounded n times per year is

$$A = P \cdot \left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nt}$$

Handwritten notes: "initial investment" with an arrow pointing to P ; "growth factor" with an arrow pointing to $\left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nt}$.

Continuous Interest Formula:

The amount A after t years due to a principal P invested at an annual interest rate r compounded continuously is

$$A = Pe^{rt}$$

Example 1. You invest \$3,000 into a bank account. For each interest rate below, write the general formula and compute the value of the investment after 7 years.

- 5% compounded quarterly $n=4$
Handwritten: ".05" (circled)

$$A = 3000 \left(1 + \frac{.05}{4}\right)^{4 \cdot 7}$$
$$= \$4,247.98$$

- 5% compounded monthly $n=12$

$$A = 3000 \left(1 + \frac{.05}{12}\right)^{12 \cdot 7}$$
$$= 3000 \left(1 + \frac{.05}{12}\right)^{84}$$
$$= \$4,254.11$$

- 5% compounded daily $n=365$

$$A = 3000 \left(1 + \frac{.05}{365}\right)^{365 \cdot 7}$$
$$= \$4,257.10$$

Example 2. Complete Table 1 using the previous examples.

TABLE 1

Compounding Frequency	Annual Growth Factor	Effective Annual Rate
Annual	1.05	5%
Quarterly	$(1 + \frac{.05}{4})^4 = 1.05095$	5.095%
Monthly	$(1 + \frac{.05}{12})^{12} = 1.05116$	5.116%
Daily	$(1 + \frac{.05}{365})^{365} = 1.05127$	5.12674%
Continuously	$e^{.05} = 1.051271096$	5.1271096%

Example 3. Now assume that you have \$1 and it earns 100% annual interest. Table 2 shows the growth factor for each of the compounding frequencies listed. (This is utterly silly in reality—but will show you exactly where e comes from!!)

TABLE 2

Compounding Frequency	Annual Growth Factor
Annual	$(1 + \frac{1}{1})^1 = 2$
Semi-annual	$(1 + \frac{1}{2})^2 \approx 2.25$
Quarterly	$(1 + \frac{1}{4})^4 \approx 2.441406$
Monthly	$(1 + \frac{1}{12})^{12} \approx 2.613035$
Daily	$(1 + \frac{1}{365})^{365} \approx 2.714567$
Hourly	$(1 + \frac{1}{8760})^{8760} \approx 2.718127$
Each minute	$(1 + \frac{1}{525600})^{525600} \approx 2.718279$
Each second	$(1 + \frac{1}{31536000})^{31536000} \approx 2.718282$
Continuously	$e^1 \approx 2.718282$

Example 4. You invest \$5,000 into an account that earns 2.25% interest compounded continuously.

- (a) Write the formula that models the value of this investment after t years. $A = Pe^{rt}$

$$A = 5000e^{.0225t}$$

$$A(t) = 5000e^{.0225t}$$

- (b) What will the value of the account be after 5 years?

$$A(5) = 5000e^{.0225(5)}$$
$$= \$5,595.36$$

- (c) How long will it take for the account value to double?

$$A(t) = 5000e^{.0225t}$$

$$\frac{10,000}{5000} = \frac{5000e^{.0225t}}{5000}$$

$$2 = e^{.0225t}$$

$$\ln 2 = \ln e^{.0225t}$$

$$\frac{\ln 2}{.0225} = \frac{.0225t}{.0225}$$

$$30.81 = t$$

It would take about
30.81 years.

or

$$\ln 2 = .0225t$$

Effective Rate:

$$r_{\text{eff}} = \left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^n - 1$$

$$r_{\text{eff}} = e^r - 1$$

The effective rate of interest is the equivalent annual simple interest that would yield the same amount as compounding n times per year, or continuously, after 1 year.

Example 5. Determine which of the following interest rates for an investment is a better deal:

- 6% compounded monthly

$$r_{\text{eff}} = \left(1 + \frac{.06}{12}\right)^{12} - 1$$

$$\approx .061678$$

$$\approx 6.1678\%$$

- 5.95% compounded continuously

$$r_{\text{eff}} = e^{.0595} - 1$$

$$\approx .061306$$

$$\approx 6.1306\%$$

Group Work 1. Determine which of the following interest rates for an investment is a better deal:

- 9% compounded quarterly

$$r_{\text{eff}} = \left(1 + \frac{.09}{4}\right)^4 - 1$$

$$\approx .093083$$

$$\approx 9.3083\%$$

- 8.95% compounded continuously e

$$r_{\text{eff}} = e^{.0895} - 1$$

$$\approx .093627$$

$$\approx 9.3627\%$$

Example 6. What interest rate (compounded continuously) is required for the value of an investment to double in 15 years?

$$A = Pe^{rt}$$

$$\frac{2P}{P} = \frac{Pe^{r \cdot 15}}{P}$$

$$2 = e^{15r}$$

$$\ln 2 = \ln e^{15r}$$

$$\frac{\ln 2}{15} = \frac{15r}{15}$$

$$r \approx .0462$$

To double in 15 years, the account needs a continuous annual rate of about 4.62%

Example 7. What interest rate (compounded annually) is required for the value of an investment to triple in 15 years?

$t=15$

$$A = P\left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nt}$$

1 time per year
 $n=1$

$$\frac{3P}{P} = \frac{P(1+r)^{15}}{P}$$

triple our \$

$$\sqrt[15]{3} = \sqrt[15]{(1+r)^{15}}$$

$$\sqrt[15]{3} = 1+r$$

$$\sqrt[15]{3} - 1 = r$$

or

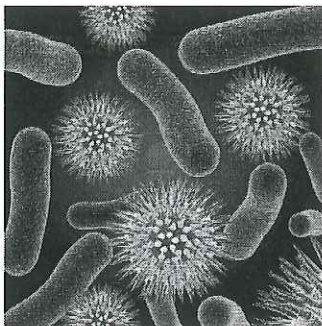
$$3^{1/15} - 1 = r$$

$$.07599 \approx r$$

$$r \approx 7.599\%$$

Math 111 Lecture Notes

SECTION 4.8: EXPONENTIAL GROWTH AND DECAY MODELS



Populations that obey **uninhibited growth** grow exponentially according to the formula

$$A(t) = A_0 e^{kt}$$

where k is the continuous growth rate and A_0 is the initial amount.

Substances that undergo **uninhibited radioactive decay** do so exponentially according to the formula

$$N(t) = N_0 e^{-kt}$$

where k is the continuous decay rate and N_0 is the initial amount.

The **doubling time** for a population is the amount of time it takes a population growing exponentially to double in size.

The **half-life** for a radioactive substance is the amount of time it takes for the quantity of the substance to be one half its original amount.

Example 1. The fruit fly drosophila have a doubling time of 10 days.² There are initially 8 fruit flies.

- (a) The population of fruit flies is modeled by $N(t) = N_0 e^{kt}$. Use the doubling time to find the value of k .

$$\begin{aligned}
 2 &= e^{k \cdot 10} \\
 \ln 2 &= \ln e^{10k} \\
 \frac{\ln 2}{10} &= \frac{10k}{10} \\
 .069315 &\approx k
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{or} \quad \frac{2N_0}{N_0} &= \frac{N_0}{N_0} e^{k \cdot 10} \\
 2 &= e^{k \cdot 10}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{or} \quad \frac{16}{8} &= \frac{8}{8} e^{k \cdot 10} \\
 2 &= e^{k \cdot 10}
 \end{aligned}$$

- (b) What is the continuous growth rate?

$$k = 6.93\%$$

- (c) Write the full formula for $N(t)$.

$$N(t) = 8e^{.0693t}$$

- (d) How many fruit flies will there be after 30 days?

$$\begin{aligned}
 N(30) &= 8e^{.0693(30)} \\
 &\approx 63.97 \\
 &\approx 64 \text{ fruit flies}
 \end{aligned}$$

- (e) When will there be 1000 fruit flies?

$$\frac{1000}{8} = \frac{8}{8} e^{.0693(t)}$$

$$125 = e^{.0693t}$$

$$\frac{\ln 125}{.0693} = \frac{.0693t}{.0693}$$

$$69.67 \approx t$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{or} \quad \ln 125 &= \ln e^{.0693t} \\
 \ln 125 &= .0693t
 \end{aligned}$$

It will take about 69.67 days to reach 1000 fruit flies.

²<https://www.lscore.ucla.edu/hhmi/performance/VickiHahnFinal.pdf>

Example 2. The half-life of carbon-14 is 5600 years. Write the percentage of carbon-14, $A(t)$, remaining after t years of decay. Round the value you find for k accurate to six decimal places.

$$A(t) = A_0 e^{kt}$$

solving

$$\frac{\frac{1}{2}A_0}{A_0} = \frac{A_0}{A_0} e^{k(5600)}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = e^{5600k}$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \ln e^{5600k}$$

$$\frac{\ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)}{5600} = \frac{5600k}{5600}$$

$$-.000124 \approx k$$

$$A(t) = A_0 e^{-.000124t}$$

Example 3. In 1991, two hikers discovered a historic iceman in the "Otztal Alps in Italy."³ Assuming 46% of his carbon-14 was found remaining in the sample, how many years ago did the iceman die? Use the formula you found in the previous example.

$$A(t) = A_0 e^{-.000124t}$$

$$\frac{.46A_0}{A_0} = \frac{A_0}{A_0} e^{-.000124t}$$

$$.46 = e^{-.000124t}$$

$$\ln .46 = \ln e^{-.000124t}$$

$$\frac{\ln .46}{-.000124} = \frac{-.000124t}{-.000124}$$

$$6,262.33 \approx t$$

The iceman died about 6262 years before he was found.

³<http://www.nupec.org/iai2001/report/B44.pdf>

Example 4. The radioisotope Sodium-24 decays at a continuous rate of about 4.5% per hour. What is the half-life of this radioactive substance?⁴

t

~~Algebra~~

$$A(t) = A_0 e^{kt}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = e^{-.045t}$$

$$\frac{\ln(\frac{1}{2})}{-.045} = \frac{-.045t}{-.045}$$

$$15.4 \approx t$$

hours

Example 5. The radioisotope Barium-139 has a half-life of 86 minutes. Find the continuous rate of decay.

$$N(t) = N_0 e^{kt}$$

$$\frac{\frac{1}{2}N_0}{N_0} = \frac{N_0}{N_0} e^{k(86)}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = e^{86k}$$

$$\frac{\ln \frac{1}{2}}{86} = \frac{86k}{86}$$

Should be negative for decay $\rightarrow -0.0081 \approx k$

The continuous rate of decay is about 0.81% per minute.

⁴<http://www.ndt-ed.org/EducationResources/HighSchool/Radiography/half-life2.htm>

Example 6. The half-life of Cobalt-60 is 5.27 years.⁵ If 15 grams are present now, how many grams will be present in 100 years?

2 steps: ① use the half-life to find k and write the formula
② use the formula with k to answer the question

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \frac{1}{2} = e^{k(5.27)}$$

$$\frac{\ln \frac{1}{2}}{5.27} = \frac{5.27k}{5.27}$$

$$-.1315 \approx k$$

$$N(t) = 15e^{-.1315t}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad N(100) = 15e^{-.1315(100)} \\ \approx .000029$$

After 100 years, only .000029 grams remain.

⁵<http://www.bt.cdc.gov/radiation/isotopes/cobalt.asp>