

section 6.7 (Real-World Applications 28-39)

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for this section only read about Modeling Exponential Growth and Decay (beginning part)

read Characteristics of the Exponential function

$$y = A_0 e^{kt} \quad [\text{gray box (1st one)}]$$

$$y(t) = A_0 e^{kt} \quad \text{note } y(0) = A_0$$

28) prescribes 125 mg  $\rightarrow A_0 = 125$

decays about 30% each hour  $\rightarrow$  amount remaining is 70% each hour  
 $\rightarrow y(1) = 70\%(125) = 0.7(125)$

$$0.7(125) = y(1) = 125 e^{k(1)}$$

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$$0.7 = e^k$$

$\Downarrow$

$$\ln(0.7) = k$$

$$y(t) = 125 e^{(\ln(0.7))t}$$

for half-life:  $y(t) = 0.5 A_0 = 0.5(125)$  and find  $t$

$$0.5(125) = 125 e^{(\ln(0.7))t}$$

$$0.5 = e^{(\ln(0.7))t}$$

$\Downarrow$

$$\ln(0.5) = (\ln(0.7))t \rightarrow t = \frac{\ln(0.5)}{\ln(0.7)} \text{ hours}$$

*exact answer*

do exercise 29 and also use for 30

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$$32) \quad A_0 = 0.5 \text{ g} \quad y(t) = A_0 e^{kt}$$

decay rate 1.15% per day  $\rightarrow$  remains 98.85% per day

$$\rightarrow y(1) = 98.85\% A_0 = 0.9885 (0.5)$$

$$0.9885 (0.5) = y(1) = 0.5 e^{k(1)} \quad y(t) = 0.5 e^{(\ln(0.9885))t}$$

$$0.9885 (0.5) = 0.5 e^{k(1)}$$

$$0.9885 = e^k$$

$\Downarrow$

$$\ln(0.9885) = k$$

$$y(60) = 0.5 e^{(\ln(0.9885))(60)}$$

$$= 0.5 e^{60 \ln(0.9885)}$$

$$= 0.5 e^{\ln(0.9885)^{60}}$$

$$y(60) = \underline{\underline{0.5 (0.9885)^{60} \text{ g}}} \quad \text{exact answer}$$

$$34) \quad \text{half-life is 1590 years} \rightarrow y(1590) = 0.5 A_0$$

$$0.5 A_0 = y(1590) = A_0 e^{k(1590)}$$

$$0.5 A_0 = A_0 e^{1590k}$$

$$0.5 = e^{1590k}$$

$\Downarrow$

$$\ln(0.5) = 1590k$$

$$\frac{\ln(0.5)}{1590} = k$$

exact answer

$$k = \underline{\underline{\left( \frac{\ln(0.5)}{1590} \right) \times 100\%}}$$

36) 60% of carbon-14 present  $\rightarrow y(t) = 0.6 A_0$

half-life is 5730 years  $\rightarrow y(5730) = 0.5 A_0$

$$0.5 A_0 = y(5730) = A_0 e^{k(5730)} \quad | \quad y(t) = A_0 e^{\left(\frac{\ln(0.5)}{5730}\right)t}$$

$$0.5 A_0 = A_0 e^{k(5730)}$$

$$0.5 = e^{5730k}$$

$\Downarrow$

$$\ln(0.5) = 5730k$$

$$\frac{\ln(0.5)}{5730} = k$$

$$0.6 A_0 = A_0 e^{\left(\frac{\ln(0.5)}{5730}\right)t}$$

$$0.6 = e^{\left(\frac{\ln(0.5)}{5730}\right)t}$$

$\Downarrow$

$$\ln(0.6) = \left(\frac{\ln(0.5)}{5730}\right)t$$

$$\frac{5730 \ln(0.6)}{\ln(0.5)} = t$$

*Exact answer*  $t = \frac{5730 \ln(0.6)}{\ln(0.5)}$  years

38) 360 bacteria after 5 minutes  $\rightarrow y(5) = 360$

1000 bacteria after 20 minutes  $\rightarrow y(20) = 1000$

$$(360) = y(5) = A_0 e^{k(5)}$$

$$360 = A_0 e^{5k}$$

$$\frac{360}{e^{5k}} = A_0$$

$$(1000) = y(20) = A_0 e^{k(20)}$$

$$1000 = A_0 e^{20k}$$

$$1000 = \left(\frac{360}{e^{5k}}\right) e^{20k}$$

$$\frac{1000}{360} = \frac{e^{20k}}{e^{5k}} = e^{(20k-5k)} = e^{15k}$$

$\Downarrow$

$$\ln\left(\frac{1000}{360}\right) = 15k \rightarrow k = \frac{\ln\left(\frac{1000}{360}\right)}{15}$$

38) continued...

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$$A_0 = \frac{360}{e^{5\left(\frac{\ln\left(\frac{1000}{360}\right)}{15}\right)}} = \frac{360}{e^{\frac{1}{3}\ln\left(\frac{1000}{360}\right)}}$$

$$= \frac{360}{e^{\ln\left(\frac{1000}{360}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}}} = \frac{360}{\left(\frac{1000}{360}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}} = \frac{360}{\sqrt[3]{\frac{1000}{360}}}$$

$$= \frac{360}{\left(\frac{\sqrt[3]{1000}}{\sqrt[3]{360}}\right)} = \frac{360}{1} \left(\frac{\sqrt[3]{360}}{\sqrt[3]{1000}}\right)$$

$$= \frac{360 (\sqrt[3]{360})}{\sqrt[3]{1000}} = \frac{360 (\sqrt[3]{360})}{10}$$

$$= 36 (\sqrt[3]{360}) \text{ bacteria}$$

*exact answer.*