

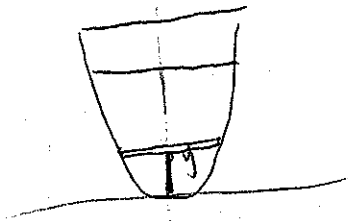
Group Quiz 2  
Calc II  
Summer 2010

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**Problem 1:** Suppose a dam has the shape of the region bounded by the following:

$$10(1 - \cos x), \quad -\pi/2 \leq x \leq \pi/2, \quad \text{and } y = 10.$$

Set up an integral to find the pressure on the dam when the water is 8 ft deep.



Constant:  $w$

depth of slice  $8 - y$

width of slice:  $2 \cdot \arccos(1 - \frac{y}{10})$ .

$$y = 10(1 - \cos x)$$

$$1 - \frac{y}{10} = \cos x$$

$$\arccos(1 - \frac{y}{10}) = x$$

So, I have a slice for  $y=0$  up to  $y=8$ , so

$$\int_0^8 w \arccos(1 - \frac{y}{10})(8 - y) dy.$$

**Problem 2:** The population  $P(t)$  of a species grows according logistically and has carrying capacity  $A$ . What is the population size at which population growth is maximum. Justify your answer using calculus.

need to take a derivative to find critical points.

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = k y \left(1 - \frac{y}{A}\right)$$

product rule.

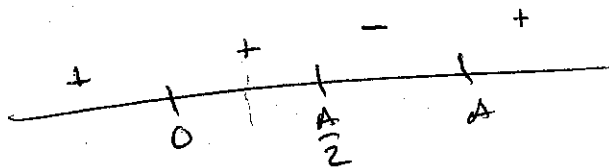
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt} \frac{dP}{dt} &= \frac{d}{dt} k y \left(1 - \frac{y}{A}\right) \\ &= k \frac{dy}{dt} \left(1 - \frac{y}{A}\right) + k y \left(-\frac{1}{A} \frac{dy}{dt}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{dy}{dt} k \left(1 - \frac{2y}{A}\right)$$

$$= k^2 y \left(1 - \frac{y}{A}\right) \left(1 - \frac{2y}{A}\right)$$

critical points:  $0, A, \frac{A}{2}$ .

To find a max



at  $\frac{A}{2}$   $y$  goes from  $\nearrow$  to  $\searrow$

So  $\frac{A}{2}$  is a max

check  $y = \frac{A}{4}$   $k^2 \cdot \frac{A}{4} \left(1 - \frac{1}{4}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{2}\right)$

$y = \frac{3A}{4}$   $k^2 \cdot \frac{3A}{4} \left(1 - \frac{3}{4}\right) \left(1 - \frac{3}{2}\right)$

$y = 2A$   $k^2 \cdot 2A (1 - 2)(1 - 4)$

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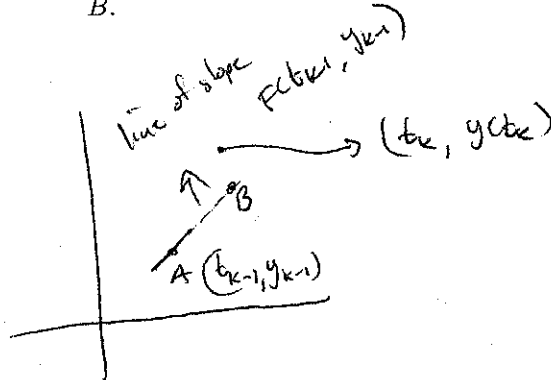
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**Problem 3:** Let  $y' = F(t, y)$  (with initial condition  $y(t_0) = y_0$ ) and  $h$  be the step size in Euler's method.

(a) Recall Euler's method says

$$y_k = y_{k-1} + hF(t_{k-1}, y_{k-1}).$$

Sketch a graph that includes the point  $A = (t_{k-1}, y_{k-1})$ , the point  $B = (t_k, y_k)$  and an indication of how this method gets you from  $A$  to  $B$ .



(b) Consider the following improvement of Euler's method:

$$y_k = y_{k-1} + \frac{h}{2}(F(t_{k-1}, y_{k-1}) + F(t_k, y_k))$$

Sketch a graph that includes the point  $A = (t_{k-1}, y_{k-1})$ , the point  $B = (t_k, y_k)$  and an indication of how this method gets from  $A$  to  $B$ .

