## Applications of Differential Equations BC:

Average Value of a function f(x) on an interval [a, b]:

MVT for Integrals:

<u>EX</u>: Given  $f(x) = \sqrt{x-1}$ , verify MVT for Integrals for *f* on [1,10], and find the value of *c* as indicated by the thrm.

<u>EX</u>: The graph is given, find the average value of f on [0,4].



<u>EX</u>: The velocity of a particle moving along a line is  $v(t) = 3t^2 - 18t + 24$ . Find the average velocity from t = 1 to t = 3.

<u>EX</u>: On a certain day, the changes in the temperature in a greenhouse beginning at 12 noon are represented by  $f(t) = sin(\frac{t}{2})$  degrees Fahrenheit, where *t* is the number of hours elapsed after 12 noon. If at 12 noon, the temperature is 95°F, find the temperature in the greenhouse at 5 pm.

<u>EX</u>: Water is leaking from a faucet at the rate of  $l(t) = 10e^{-0.5t}$  gallons per hour, where *t* is measured in hours. How many gallons of water will have leaked from the faucet after a 24 hour period?

<u>EX:</u> Write an equation for the curve that passes through the point (3, 4) and has a slope at any point (*x*, *y*) as  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x^2+1}{2y}$ .

<u>EX</u>: Determine the particular solution for  $\frac{\delta Y}{dx} = 4x^3y^2$  given that  $y(1) = -\frac{1}{2}$ .

## Growth & Decay Models

1. If  $\frac{4}{3} = \frac{1}{3}$ , then the rate of change *y* is proportional to *y*.

2. If *y* is a differentiable function of *t* with y > 0,  $\frac{dy}{dt} = ky$  then  $y(t) = Ce^{kt}$ ; where C is initial value of *y* and *k* is proportionality constant. If k > 0, then *k* is a growth constant and if k < 0, then *k* is the decay constant.

<u>EX</u>: If the amount of bacteria in a culture at any time increases at a rate proportional to the amount of bacteria present and there are 500 bacteria after one day and 800 bacteria after the third day:

1) approximately how many bacteria are there initially, and

2) approximately how many bacteria are there after 4 days?

EX: Radioactive Radium has a half-life of approximately 1599 years. What amount remains after 1000 years if the initial quantity was 10 g?

<u>EX:</u> The rate of change of the number of coyotes N(t) in a population is directly proportional to 650 - N(t), where *t* is the time in years. When t = 0, the population is 300, and when t = 2, the population has increased to 500. Find the population when t = 3.

<u>EX</u>: During a chemical reaction, substance *A* is converted into substance *B* at a rate that is proportional to the square of the amount of *A*. When t = 0, 60 g of *A* is present, and after 1 hour (t = 1), only 10 g of *A* remains unconverted. How much of *A* is present after 2 hours?