

40. Read Sections 5.1 and 5.2 of the textbook.
41. The population of Utopia increases 5 percent per year. In 2000 the population was 10000. What was the population in 1970?
42. Assume that a person invests \$3000 at 12% compounded annually. Let  $A_n$  be the amount of money at the end of  $n$  years.
- Find  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$ ,  $A_3$ , and a recurrence relation that relates  $A_{n+1}$  to  $A_n$  for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .
  - Find  $A_n$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .
  - How long will it take to double the initial investment?
43. Let Ackermann's Function  $A$  be defined by  $A(m, 0) = A(m - 1, 1) \forall m \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $A(m, n) = A(m - 1, A(m, n - 1)) \forall m, n \in \mathbb{N}$ , and  $A(0, n) = n + 1 \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ .
- Compute  $A(1, 1)$ ,  $A(2, 2)$ , and  $A(2, 3)$ .
  - Use induction to show  $A(1, n) = n + 2$  and  $A(2, n) = 3 + 2n$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ .
  - Guess a formula for  $A(3, n)$  and prove it by induction.
44. Find the solutions of the following initial value problems:
- $a_n = 2na_{n-1} \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $a_0 = 1$ ;
  - $a_{n+1} = 7a_n - 10a_{n-1} \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $a_0 = 5$ ,  $a_1 = 16$ ;
  - $L_{n+2} = L_{n+1} + L_n \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $L_1 = 1$ ,  $L_2 = 3$ ;
  - $\sqrt{a_{n+1}} = \sqrt{a_n} + 2\sqrt{a_{n-1}} \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $a_0 = a_1 = 1$ ;
  - $a_{n+1} = \sqrt{\frac{a_{n-1}}{a_n}} \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $a_0 = 8$ ,  $a_1 = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$ .
45. Find all solutions of the the following recurrence relations:
- $a_n = 5a_{n-1} \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ ;
  - $a_{n+1} = 2a_n + 8a_{n-1} \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ ;
  - $u_{n+2} = 7u_{n+1} - 16u_n + 12u_{n-1} \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ .