Homework 5 - Math 142

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1. Find the constants C and k for the exponential function $y = Ce^{kt}$ that passes through the two points shown below.



2. On midterm 1 we looked at the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 + 2x - y$ with initial condition y(-1) = 0, but we never solved it. Use Euler's method to estimate where the solution curve crosses the y-axis using $\Delta x = 0.05$.

3. Use Euler's method (on a computer) to estimate the x-value where the solution of the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x+y}{x-y}$ with initial condition y(0) = -1 crosses the x-axis. Use $\Delta x = 0.01$, and give an answer accurate to two decimal places.