

1 **Solution Of Dynamic System That Models Natural Resources Using the Second Stage Runge Kutta**
2 **Case Study: Fishes and Water Resources Management**

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4 **Abstract**

5 This research presents a study of a dynamical system which models natural resources. Using fishes and
6 water resources as the case study. In this work the model equation;

7
$$\frac{dp}{dt} = p \left(r - \frac{r}{k} t \right) - h(p)$$

8 was used to determine the density of the resources. We also introduced second stage Runge Kutta method,
9 which was used to obtain the result for harvesting terms $h(p)$ from 10% to 50% producing the
10 population of life in the pond after each harvesting

11 **Keywords:** Natural resources, 2nd order Runge Kutta, Harvesting term, Model equation.

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13 **1. Introduction**

14 The sustainable use of natural resources is of utmost importance for every community. In particular, it is
15 important for every given generation to plan in such a way that proper provision is made for future
16 generations. The scientific understanding of resources use and appreciation for its life-supporting capacity
17 is therefore essential [1]. Mathematical modeling has proved useful to inform the planning and
18 management of strategies for sustainable use of natural resources [2]. Some specific topics in resource
19 management have been studied intensively through many decades. In particular, mining, fisheries,
20 forestry and water resources are among these. Instead of presenting a study of the latter topics, this
21 dissertation presents a variety of cases of mathematical modeling in resource management. The aim is to
22 improve the general understanding of the relevant problems [1]. A dynamical system is all about the
23 evolution of something over time. To create a dynamical system, we simply need to decide what is the
24 “something” that will evolve over time and what is the rule that specifies how that something evolves
25 with time. In this way, a dynamical system is simply a model describing the temporal evolution of a
26 system [3]. To study a dynamic system of natural resources we deploy the Runge-kutta method which has
27 proven effective in solving problems of this kind [4]. Runge–Kutta method is an effective and widely used
28 method for solving the initial-value problems of differential equations. Runge–Kutta method can be used
29 to construct high order accurate numerical method by functions' self without needing the high order
30 derivatives of functions [5-10]. The Runge-Kutta method attempts to overcome the problem of the Euler's
31 method [6], as far as the choice of a sufficiently small step size is concerned, to reach a reasonable
32 accuracy in the problem resolution [11-12]. Amidst this background, our work will employ the second
33 order Runge Kutta method to establish the population of fishes in a pond with varying harvesting degree
34 for a five month period. This will pave the way for effective use of resources and appreciating the life
35 support capacity of the pond.

36 **2. Preliminaries**

37 Basic terms related the modeling of natural resources using the runge kutta second stage method.

38 2.1 Classical Runge Kutta method up to stage two(2);

39 A conventional one step method for the IVP which is given by

$$40 \quad (y' = f(x, y), y(a) = \eta, a \leq x \leq b) \quad (2.1)$$

41 can be written as;

$$42 \quad (y_{n+1} = y_n + h\phi(x_n, y_n, h)) \quad (2.2)$$

43 Where $\phi(x_n, y_n, h)$ is called the increment function and the increment function is given by

$$44 \quad \phi(x_n, y_n, h) = \sum_{r=0}^{h^r} \frac{h^r}{(r+1)!} f^r(x, y) \quad (2.3)$$

45 When $r = 0$ we have

$$46 \quad \phi(x_n, y_n, h) = + \frac{h^0}{1!} f^0(x, y) = f \quad (2.4)$$

47 When $r = 1$ we have

$$48 \quad \phi(x_n, y_n, h) = \frac{h^1}{(1+1)!} f^1(x, y) = \frac{h}{2} f^1(x, y) \quad (2.5)$$

49 When $r = 2$ we have

$$50 \quad \phi(x_n, y_n, h) = \frac{h^2}{(2+1)!} f^2(x, y) = \frac{h^2}{3!} f^2(x, y) = \frac{h^2}{6} f^2(x, y) \quad (2.6)$$

51 Summing (2.4), (2.5) and (2.6) we obtain

$$52 \quad \phi(x_n, y_n, h) = f + \frac{h}{2} f'(x, y) + \frac{h^2}{6} f''(x, y) + O(h^3) \quad (2.7)$$

53 Next is to find the parameter $f, f'(x, y)$ and $f''(x, y)$

54 From equation (3.3) $f'(x, y)$

55 Where $r = 0(1)P-1$ denotes the derivative of $f(x, y)$ and is given by

$$56 \quad f^r(x, y(x)) = y^{r+1}(x) = \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + f \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right]^r \quad (2.8)$$

57 When $r = 0$ we obtain

58
$$f(x, y) = y^1(x) = f \quad (2.9)$$

59 When $r = 1$ we obtain

60
$$f'(x, y) = y^2(x) = \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + f \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right]^1 = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + f \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \quad (2.10)$$

61 Where $\frac{\partial}{\partial x} = f_x, \frac{\partial}{\partial y} = f_y$

62 By substituting in (3.10) we obtain

63
$$f_x + ff_y = M \quad (2.11)$$

64 When $r = 2$ we obtain

65
$$f''(x, y) = y^3(x) = \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + f \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right]^2$$

66 By expansion we have

67
$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + f \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right)^2 &= \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + f \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + f \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + f \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) \\ \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + f \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right)^2 &= \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + f \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + f \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial f \partial f}{\partial x \partial y} + f \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right) \\ \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + f \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right)^2 &= \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + 2f \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + f^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial f \partial f}{\partial x \partial y} + f \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right) \end{aligned}$$

68 where,

69
$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = f_{xx}, \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} = f_{xy}, \frac{\partial f \partial f}{\partial x \partial y} = f_x f_y \text{ and } \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = f_y$$

70
$$f''(x, y) = f_{xx} + 2ff_{xy} + f^2 f_{yy} + f_y [f_x + ff_y] + 0(h^3) \quad (2.12)$$

71 Put $N = f_{xx} + 2ff_{xy} + f^2 f_{yy}$ and $M = f_x + ff_y$

72 Substituting in equation (3.12) we obtain;

73
$$f''(x, y) = N + Mf_y \quad (2.13)$$

74 Substituting equation (3.9),(3.11) and (3.13) into equation (3.7)

75
$$\phi(x_n, y_n, h) = f + \frac{h}{2}(f_x + ff_y) + \frac{h^2}{6}(f_{xx} + 2ff_{xy} + f_{yy}^2 + f_x f_y + f(f_y)^2) + O(h^3) \quad (2.14)$$

76
$$\phi(x_n, y_n, h) = f + \frac{h}{2}M + \frac{h^2}{6}(N + Mf_y) + O(h^3)$$

77 Recall that the increment function is given by

78
$$\phi(x_n, y_n, h) = \sum_{r=1}^R c_r k_r \text{ which is also known as the R-stage} \quad (2.15)$$

79 For consistency we have
$$\sum_{r=1}^R c_r = 1$$

80 For stage two $R = 2$

81
$$\phi(x_n, y_n, h) = \sum_{r=1}^R c_r k_r = c_1 k_1 + c_2 k_2 \quad (2.16)$$

82 The general form of RungeKutta of stage 2 is given by

83
$$y_{n+1} = y_n + h(c_1 k_1 + c_2 k_2) \quad (2.17)$$

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85 **2.2 Model Equation for Harvesting of Renewable Natural Resources**

86 If $p(t)$ $P(t)$ represent the population at time (t) and $\frac{dp}{dt}$ is the rate of change at which the population

87 grow at a certain time. Then the logistic equation becomes;

88
$$\frac{dp}{dt} = pr - \frac{prt}{k} - h(p) \text{ this can be written as;}$$

89
$$\frac{dp}{dt} = p \left(r - \frac{r}{k}t \right) - h(p) \quad (2.1)$$

90 Where $\frac{dp}{dt}$ is the rate of change in population with time.

91 p is the animal population

92 r is the growth rate

93 k is the carrying capacity which is also known as the saturated level

94 $h(p)$ is the harvesting term

95 3.0 Analysis and Interpretation of Result

96 In this chapter, we present the numerical solution of dynamical system that model dynamical solution of
97 fish population in a pond over a period of time, using second stage Runge-Kutta Methods.

98 **Definition 1** Renewable natural resources are natural resources that can reproduce and grow while non-
99 renewable resources are resources in which a fixed stock is depleted overtime. Some of the renewable
100 natural resources are fishes in the ocean and sea. We introduce a mathematical model providing some
101 insight into management of renewable resources.

102 Using the model equation stated in 2.2 above. We will assume that humans will be harvesting from the
103 animal population. The effect of harvesting a renewable natural resources such as fish can be model.

104 Suppose $r = 0.5, h(p) = 10\%$, given that $k = 100$ then from the model by putting the given values we

105 have; $\frac{dp}{dt} = p \left(r - \frac{r}{k} t \right) - h(p)$

$$106 \quad \frac{dp}{dt} = p \left(0.5 - \frac{0.5}{100} t \right) - 0.1$$

$$\frac{dp}{dt} = p(0.5 - 0.005t) - 0.1$$

$$107 \quad \frac{dp}{dt} = 0.5p - 0.005pt - 0.1$$

108 Which is the required model

109 Applying Runge-Kutta Second Stage Method which is given by $p_{n+1} = p_n + h \left(\frac{1}{2} k_1 + \frac{1}{2} k_2 \right)$

110 where;

111 $k_1 = hf(p_n t_n)$ and $k_2 = hf\left(p_n + \frac{h}{2}, t_n + \frac{1}{2}k_1\right)$ with the initial condition

112 $p(t) = 0 \Rightarrow p_0 = 0, t_0 = 0, h = 0.5$ [mesh size]

113 Then $k_1 = hf(p_0 t_0)$ when $n = 0$

$$k_1 = hf(p_0 t_0) \text{ when } n = 0$$

$$k_1 = hf(p_0 t_0) = hf(0, 0)$$

$$k_1 = 0.5 f(0, 0)$$

114 $k_1 = 0.5[0.5 p_n - 0.005 p_n t_n - 0.1] \quad n = 0$

$$k_1 = 0.5[0.5 p_0 - 0.005 p_0 t_0 - 0.1]$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[0.5(0) - 0.005(0)(0) - 0.1]$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[0 - 1] = 0.05$$

For k_2

$$k_2 = hf\left(p_n + \frac{h}{2}, t_n + \frac{1}{2}k_1\right) \text{ at } n = 0$$

$$k_2 = hf\left(p_0 + \frac{0.5}{2}, 0 + 0.025\right)$$

$$k_2 = hf(0.25, 0.025)$$

$$k_2 = 0.5 f(0.25, 0.025)$$

115 $k_2 = 0.5[0.5 p_0 - 0.005 p_0 t_0 - 0.1]$

$$k_2 = 0.5[0.5(0.25) - 0.005(0.25)]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5[0.125 - 0.00003125 - 0.1]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5[0.125 - 0.10003125]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5[0.02496875]$$

$$k_2 = 0.012484375$$

116 Putting K_1 and K_2 in (4.2) which is

$$p_{n+1} = p_n + h \left(\frac{1}{2} k_1 + \frac{1}{2} k_2 \right) \text{ at } n = 0$$

$$p_1 = p_0 = 0.5 \left[-\frac{0.05}{2} + \frac{0.012484375}{2} \right]$$

$$117 \quad p_1 = p_0 = 0.5[-0.05 + 0.00624218751]$$

$$p_1 = 0 + 0.5[-0.010757812]$$

$$p_1 = 0.5[-0.018757812]$$

$$p_1 = -0.0094$$

118 When the harvesting term $H(p) = 20\% = 0.2$ from the model which is given by

$$119 \quad \frac{dp}{dt} = p \left(r - \frac{r}{k} t \right) - h(p)$$

$$\frac{dp}{dt} = p[0.5 - 0.005t] - 0.2$$

$$120 \quad \frac{dp}{dt} = [0.5p - 0.0005pt] - 0.2$$

121 Applying the Runge-Kutta formula

$$p_{n+1} = p_n + h \left(\frac{1}{2} k_1 + \frac{1}{2} k_2 \right)$$

$$122 \quad k_1 = hf(p_n, t_n) \text{ and } k_2 = hf \left(p_n + \frac{h}{2}, t_n + \frac{1}{2} k_1 \right)$$

$$k_1 = hf(p_n, t_n) \text{ when } n = 1$$

$$k_1 = hf(p_1, t_1) \text{ where } p_1 = -0.0094$$

$$t_1 = t_0 + h = 0 + 0.5 = 0.5$$

$$\text{Then } k_1 = 0.5 f(-0.0094, 0.5)$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[0.5p_n - 0.005p_n t_n - 0.2] \text{ at } n = 1$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[0.5p_1 - 0.005p_1 t_1 - 0.2]$$

$$123 \quad k_1 = 0.5[0.5(-0.0094) - 0.005(-0.0094)(0.5) - 0.2]$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[-0.0047 + 0.0000235 - 0.2]$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[-0.0047 - 0.1999765]$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[-0.2046765]$$

$$k_1 = 0.10233825 = -0.1023$$

124 Then for k_2 we have

$$k_2 = hf \left(p_n + \frac{h}{2}, t_n + \frac{1}{2}k_1 \right) \quad \text{at } n=1$$

$$k_2 = 0.5f \left(p_1 + \frac{0.5}{2}, t_1 + \left(\frac{0.1023}{2} \right) \right)$$

$$k_2 = 0.5f [-0.0094 + 0.25, 0.5 - 0.05115]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5f [0.2406, 0.44885]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5f [0.5p_n - 0.005p_n t_n - 0.2]$$

125 $k_2 = 0.5f [0.5p_1 - 0.005p_1 t_1 - 0.2]$

$$k_2 = 0.5f [0.5(0.2406) - 0.005(0.2406)(0.4488...)]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5[0.1203 - 0.005399665 - 0.2]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5[0.1203 - 0.2005399665]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5[-0.080239966]$$

$$k_2 = -0.40119983$$

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128 Putting k_1 and k_2 in (4.2)

$$p_{n+1} = p_n + h\left(\frac{1}{2}k_1 + \frac{1}{2}k_2\right) \text{ at } n=1$$

$$p_2 = p_1 + 0.5\left[\frac{0.1023}{2} + \left(\frac{-0.40119983}{2}\right)\right]$$

129 $p_2 = -0.0094 + 0.5[-0.05115 - 0.200599915]$

$$p_2 = -0.0094 + 0.5[-0.25174915]$$

$$p_2 = -0.0094 - 0.125874575 = -0.1353$$

130 Then the harvesting term $h(p) = 30\% = 0.3$

131 From the model

132
$$\frac{dp}{dt} = p\left(r - \frac{r}{k}t\right) - h(p)$$

133
$$\frac{dp}{dt} = p[0.5 - 0.005t] - 0.3$$

$$\frac{dp}{dt} = 0.5p - 0.005pt - 0.3$$

134

135 Applying the formula which is given by

136
$$p_{n+1} = p_n + h\left(\frac{1}{2}k_1 + \frac{1}{2}k_2\right)$$

137 Where

$$k_1 = hf(p_n, t_n) \text{ and } k_2 = hf\left(p_n + \frac{h}{2}, t_n + \frac{1}{2}k_1\right) \text{ for } n=2$$

138 $k_1 = hf(p_2, t_2) \text{ where } p_2 = -0.1353$

$$t_2 = t_0 + 2h = 0 + 2(0.5) = 1$$

139

140 Then;

$$k_1 = hf(-0.1353, 1)$$

$$k_1 = 0.5f(-0.1353, 1)$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[0.5p_n - 0.005p_n t_n - 0.3]$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[0.5p_2 - 0.005p_2 t_2 - 0.3]$$

141 $k_1 = 0.5[0.5(-0.1353) - 0.005(-0.1353)(1) - 0.3]$

$$k_1 = 0.5[-0.06765 + 0.0006765 - 0.3]$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[-0.06765 - 0.2993235]$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[-0.3669735]$$

$$k_1 = -0.1835$$

142 For k_2

$$k_2 = hf\left(p_n \frac{h}{2}, t_n + \frac{1}{2}k_1\right) \text{ at } n = 2$$

143

$$k_2 = hf\left[p_2 + \frac{100}{2}, t_2 + \frac{-0.1835}{2}\right]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5f(-0.1353 + 0.25, 1 - 0.0919)$$

$$k_2 = 0.5f(0.1147, 0.9082)$$

$$k_2 = 0.5[0.5p_n - 0.005p_n t_n - 0.3]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5[0.5p_2 - 0.005p_2 t_2 - 0.3]$$

144 $k_2 = 0.5[0.5(0.1147) - 0.005(0.1147)(0.9082) - 0.3]$

$$k_2 = 0.5[0.05735 - 0.0005208507 - 0.3]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5[0.05735 - 0.3005208527]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5[-0.243170852]$$

$$k_2 = -0.1216$$

145 Putting k_1 and k_2 in (4.2)

$$p_{n+1} = p_n + h \left(\frac{1}{2}k_1 + \frac{1}{2}k_2 \right) \text{ at } n = 2$$

$$p_3 = p_2 + 0.5 \left[-\frac{0.1842}{2} + \left(\frac{-0.1216}{2} \right) \right]$$

$$146 \quad p_3 = -0.1353 + 0.5[-0.0921 - 0.0608]$$

$$p_3 = 0.1353 + 0.5[-0.1529]$$

$$p_3 = 0.1353 - 0.07645$$

$$p_3 = -0.2112$$

147 When the harvesting term $h(p) = 40\% = 0.4$ from the model

$$148 \quad \frac{dp}{dt} = p \left(r - \frac{r}{k}t \right) - h(p)$$

$$\frac{dp}{dt} = p[0.5 - 0.005t] - 0.4$$

$$149 \quad \frac{dp}{dt} = 0.5 - 0.0005pt - 0.4$$

150 Applying the classical Runge-Kutta Method

$$151 \quad p_{n+1} = p_n + h \left(\frac{1}{2}k_1 + \frac{1}{2}k_2 \right)$$

152

153 Where

$$k_1 = hf(p_n, t_n) \text{ and } k_2 = hf \left(p_n + \frac{h}{2}, t_n + \frac{1}{2}k_1 \right) \text{ for } n = 3$$

$$154 \quad k_1 = hf(p_3, t_3) \text{ where } p_3 = -0.2112$$

$$t_3 = t_0 + 3h = 0 + 3(0.5) = 1.5$$

Then $k_1 = hf(0.2112, 1.5)$

$$k_1 = 0.5f(0.2112, 1.5)$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[0.5p_n - 0.005p_n t_n - 0.4]n = 3$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[0.5p_3 - 0.005p_3 t_3 - 0.4]$$

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$$k_1 = 0.5[0.5(0.2112) - 0.005(0.2112)(1.5) - 0.4]$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[-0.1056 + 0.001584 - 0.4]$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[-0.1056 - 0.398416]$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[-0.504016]$$

$$k_1 = -0.2520$$

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158 To find k_2

$$k_2 = hf \left(p_n + \frac{h}{2}, t_n + \frac{1}{2}k_1 \right) \text{ at } n = 3$$

$$k_2 = hf \left[p_3 + \frac{0.5}{2}, t_3 + \left(\frac{-0.2536}{2} \right) \right]$$

$$k_2 = hf [-0.2112 + 0.25, 1.5 - 0.126]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5 f [0.0388, 1.374]$$

159 $k_2 = 0.5 [0.5 p_n - 0.005 p_n t_n - 0.4] n = 3$

$$k_2 = 0.5 [0.5 p_3 - 0.005 p_3 t_3 - 0.4]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5 [0.5 (0.0388) - 0.005 (0.0388) (1.374) - 0.4]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5 [0.0194 - 0.000266556 - 0.4]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5 [0.0194 - 0.400266556]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5 [-0.380866556] = -0.1904$$

160 Putting k_1 and k_2 in (4.2)

$$p_{n+1} = p_n + h \left(\frac{1}{2} k_1 + \frac{1}{2} k_2 \right) \text{ at } n = 3$$

$$p_4 = p_3 + 0.5 \left[-\frac{0.2580}{2} + \left(\frac{-0.1904}{2} \right) \right]$$

161 $p_4 = p_3 + 0.5 [-0.126 - 0.0952]$

$$p_4 = -0.2112 + 0.5 [-0.2212]$$

$$p_4 = -0.2122 - 0.1106$$

$$p_4 = -0.3218$$

162 When the harvesting term $h(p) = 50\% = 0.5$ from the model

163 $\frac{dp}{dt} = p \left(r - \frac{r}{k} t \right) - h(p)$

$$\frac{dp}{dt} = p [0.5 - 0.005t] - 0.5$$

164 $\frac{dp}{dt} = 0.5 - 0.0005pt - 0.5$

165 Applying the classical Runge-Kutta Method

166
$$p_{n+1} = p_n + h \left(\frac{1}{2}k_1 + \frac{1}{2}k_2 \right)$$

167

168 Where

$$k_1 = hf(p_n, t_n) \text{ and } k_2 = hf\left(p_n + \frac{h}{2}, t_n + \frac{1}{2}k_1\right) \text{ for } n = 4$$

169 $k_1 = hf(p_2, t_2) \text{ where } p_4 = -0.3218$

$$t_4 = t_0 + 4h = 0 + 4(0.5) = 2$$

170 Then $k_1 = 0.5f(-0.3218, 2)$

$$k_1 = 0.5[0.5p_n - 0.005p_n, t_n - 0.5]$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[0.5p_4 - 0.005p_4t_4 - 0.5]$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[0.5(0.3218) - 0.005(-0.3218)(2) - 0.5]$$

171 $k_1 = 0.5[-0.1609 + 0.003218 - 0.5]$

$$k_1 = 0.5[-0.1609 - 0.496782]$$

$$k_1 = 0.5[-0.657682]$$

$$k_1 = -0.3285$$

172 for k_2

$$k_2 = hf\left(p_n + \frac{h}{2}, t_n + \frac{1}{2}k_1\right) \text{ at } n = 4$$

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$$k_2 = hf\left[p_4 + \frac{0.5}{2}, t_4 + \left(\frac{-0.3288}{2}\right)\right]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5 f [-0.3218 + 0.25, 2 - 0.1644]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5 f [-0.0718, 1.8356]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5 [0.5 p_n - 0.005 p_n, t_n - 0.5]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5 [0.5 p_4 - 0.005 p_4, t_4 - 0.5]$$

$$174 \quad k_2 = 0.5 [(-0.0718) - 0.005(0.0718)(1.8356) - 0.5]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5 [-0.0359 + 0.000658984 - 0.5]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5 [-0.0559 - 0.499341019]$$

$$k_2 = 0.5 [-0.535641019]$$

$$k_2 = -0.2676$$

175 Putting k_1 and k_2 in (4.2)

$$p_{n+1} = p_n + h \left(\frac{1}{2} k_1 + \frac{1}{2} k_2 \right) \text{ at } n = 4$$

$$176 \quad p_5 = p_4 + 0.5 \left[-\frac{0.3288}{2} + \left(\frac{-0.2676}{2} \right) \right]$$

$$p_5 = -0.3218 + 0.5 [-0.1622 - 1.338]$$

$$p_5 = -0.3218 + 0.5 [-1.5002]$$

$$p_5 = -0.3218 - 0.7501$$

$$p_5 = -1.0719$$

177 **Table 1. Summary of Results**

Number (N)	Harvesting Term $h(p)$	p_{n+1}
0	10% = 0.1	$p_1 = -0.0094$
1	20% = 0.2	$p_2 = -0.1353$
2	30% = 0.3	$p_3 = -0.2112$
3	40% = 0.4	$p_4 = -0.3218$
4	50% = 0.5	$p_5 = -1.0519$

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179 Where $n = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4$ and 5.

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181 **Summary**

182 In this research work, the solution of a dynamic system that can model natural resources using
183 the second stage Runge-Kutta method was reported. To actualize this result a model, a first order
184 ordinary differential equation and the famous Runge-Kutta second stage method is used.
185 Harvesting terms $H(p)$ from 10% to 50% is used for the iteration to demonstrate the validity of
186 the result. The result of this study was applied to the population of fish in a pond, which is a
187 renewable natural resource, with great success.

188 **Conclusion**

189 In line with the objectives stated at the beginning of the work, the results of this research has
190 shown that by applying the second order Runge-Kutta method, the solution of a dynamical
191 system can be obtained and applied to model natural resources with great success. Thus, the full
192 objectives of the study have been achieved. The population in the pond at each harvesting
193 determined the remain life in the pond. It is observed that after the first harvesting, one fish is
194 taken out of the pond which is 0.94. The second harvesting, 13.5 is taken out of the pond. The
195 third harvesting, 21.12. after the forth harvesting, 32.18 is taken out of the pond. While the last
196 harvesting (fifth) 105.19 was taken out of the pond which is above 100 meaning that all fishes in
197 the ponds are exhausted.

198 For continue existence of live in the pond, we may not exceed harvesting limit of 40%

199 **Recommendations**

200 From the experiences gathered during the course of this study, it is recommended that further
201 studies on dynamical systems should be encouraged using the Runge-Kutta method, specifically,
202 extending this study to the third stage of the method. Furthermore, other methods should be
203 explored for the developing models for the natural resources that are abundant within the country
204 as this will give a better picture on the economic prospects of these resources and serve as a
205 benchmark for further research.

206 **Compliance with Ethical Standards**

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