

Proof plan for Theorem 1

1. There exists a Lyapunov function $V_L(x)$ for $\dot{x} = Ax$, $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$

2. The same function $V(x) = V_L(x - \frac{1}{\gamma})$ serves as ~~the~~ a Lyapunov function for the original equation

Proof 1 $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, $\text{Spec } A \subset \mathbb{C}_-$

$$\dot{x} = Ax, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

~~The~~ Lyapunov function exists of the form $V_L(x) = x^T H x$ ^{pos. definite}
 symmetric $H = H^T$, $A, H \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

$$\dot{V} = \frac{d}{dt} (x^T H x) = (Ax)^T H x + x^T H A x$$

$$= x^T (A^T H + H A) x$$

Correspondingly one needs

The Lyapunov equation

$$A^T H + H A = Q < 0, \quad Q^T = Q$$

negative definite $\left(\begin{array}{c} \text{means} \\ -x^T Q x \\ \text{positive def} \end{array} \right)$

Lemma (Lyapunov) If $\text{Spec } A \subset \mathbb{C}_-$

Then for any $Q \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

exists (unique!) symmetric H and only one.

Formula: $H = - \int_0^\infty e^{A^T t} Q e^{A t} dt$

Proof

$$A^T H + H A = - \int_0^\infty (A^T e^{A^T t} Q e^{A t} + e^{A^T t} Q e^{A t} A) dt$$

$$= - \int_0^\infty \left(\frac{d}{dt} e^{A^T t} Q e^{A t} \right) dt = Q + P$$

$$= - e^{A^T t} Q e^{A t} \Big|_0^\infty = 0 + Q$$

$\mathbb{C}_- \cup \text{Spec } A$

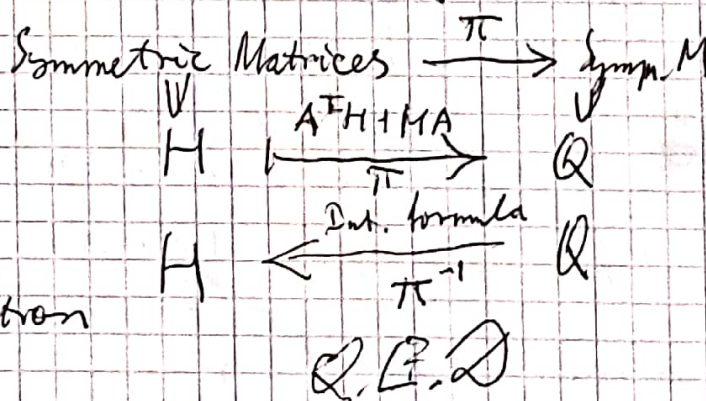
It is not convenient though

Uniqueness:

$$\pi: H \mapsto A^T H + H A$$

It is a linear mapping
surjection and bijection

$\Rightarrow$ no kernel



Examples $\begin{cases} \dot{x} = x - y + x^2 + y^2 \sin t \\ \dot{y} = x + y - y^2 \\ \dot{z} = 0 \end{cases}$ 134

$p(\lambda) = \begin{vmatrix} 1-\lambda & -1 \\ 1 & 1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 - 2\lambda + 2$, $\lambda_{1,2} = 1 \pm i$
unstable focal point

Ex. $\begin{cases} \dot{x} = -4y - x^3 \\ \dot{y} = 3x - y^3 \end{cases}$ $\begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & -4 \\ 3 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 + 12$

The first approximation (linearization) does not help here

Lyapunov function

$V(x, y) = 3x^2 + 4y^2$

$\dot{V} = 6x(-4y - x^3) + 8y(3x - y^3)$

$\dot{V} = -6x^4 - 8y^4 \leq 0$ neg. definite
radially unbounded

$\Rightarrow$ asymptotically stable
moreover: converges in finite time to any ball from infinity!

Fixed-time convergence to ball

3. $\begin{cases} \dot{x} = -4y + x^3 \\ \dot{y} = 3x + y^3 \end{cases}$ $p(\lambda) = \lambda^2 + 12$

$\dot{V} = 6x^4 + 8y^4 \geq 0$ unstable (Chetaev)

In fact explosion
finite time escape (to infinity)

Additional proof of ^{the} Lyapunov lemma (Arnold). It provides an easy way of constructing a Lyapunov function. 135

Consider $\dot{x} = Ax$, $\text{Spec } A \subset \mathbb{C}_-$
 $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

Searching for a Lyapunov function,
 $V = x^T H x$, $H = H^T \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

Assume that there exists a basis of the eigenvectors

$$e_1, e_2, e_3, \dots, e_n \in \mathbb{C}^n$$

$$\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3, \dots, \lambda_n \in \mathbb{C}_-$$

Change of coordinates: $x = E z$, $E = (e_1, \dots, e_n)$

$$z = E^{-1} x, \Lambda = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & & 0 \\ & \ddots & \\ 0 & & \lambda_n \end{pmatrix}$$

Proposition: $V = \bar{z}^T z = \sum_{i=1}^n |z_i|^2 \geq 0$

is the Lyapunov function.

Proof As we have already seen once

Let

$$\dot{x} = Ax$$

$$\mathbb{R}^n \subset \mathbb{C}^n$$

$$E \dot{z} = A E z = E \Lambda z$$

$$\dot{z} = \Lambda z$$

$$\dot{z}_i = \lambda_i z_i, i=1, \dots, n$$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{\bar{z}}_i = \bar{\lambda}_i \bar{z}_i$$

$$\dot{V} = \left(\sum_{i=1}^n \bar{z}_i \dot{z}_i \right) = \sum_{i=1}^n (\bar{\lambda}_i \bar{z}_i z_i + \bar{z}_i \lambda_i z_i) =$$

$$= \sum_i (\bar{\lambda}_i + \lambda_i) |z_i|^2 = 2 \sum \text{Re } \lambda_i |z_i|^2 \leq 0$$

$$\bar{x}^T = x^*$$

We need $V = x^T H x$, $H = H^T = H^{adjoint*} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

$$V = \bar{z}^T z = \underbrace{\bar{x}^T (E^{-1})^*}_{\tilde{H}} E^{-1} x, \quad \tilde{H} = \tilde{H}^* \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$$

2. $\overset{\text{Let } \Delta x = x - \bar{x}}{V(x) = \Delta x^T H \Delta x}$

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$$\dot{x} = \Delta \dot{x} = A \Delta x + o(\Delta x)$$

$$\dot{V} = \Delta x^T H \Delta x + \Delta x^T H \Delta \dot{x} =$$

$$= [\Delta x^T A^T + o(\Delta x)^T] H \Delta x + \Delta x^T H [A \Delta x + o(\Delta x)]$$

$$= \Delta x^T [A^T H + H A] \Delta x + \underbrace{o(\Delta x)^T H \Delta x + \Delta x^T H o(\Delta x)}_{\text{little } o'}$$

$$\dot{V} = \Delta x^T Q \Delta x + o(\|\Delta x\|^2)$$

negative definite

Denote $e = \frac{\Delta x}{\|\Delta x\|}$, $\|e\| = 1$

$$\Delta x = 0 \Rightarrow \dot{V} = 0, \quad \text{Let } \Delta x \neq 0$$

$$\dot{V} = \|\Delta x\|^2 (e^T Q e + o(1)) < 0$$

scalar → for Δx small enough

$$e^T Q e \leq \max_{\|x\|=1} x^T Q x < 0$$

Now the Lyapunov theorem on the asymptotic stability furnishes the proof. QED

Remark: Only local asymptotic stability is proved

Let $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $x^* = x^T$

Then $V = (x_1 \dots x_n) \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} \tilde{h}_{11} & \dots & \tilde{h}_{1n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \tilde{h}_{n1} & \dots & \tilde{h}_{nn} \end{pmatrix}}_{\tilde{H}} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} = x^T \tilde{H} x$

~~then~~

$$\bar{V} = V = x^T \tilde{H} x$$

$$\Rightarrow V = \frac{1}{2} (x^T \tilde{H} x + x^T \tilde{H} x) = x^T \underbrace{\text{Re } \tilde{H}}_{\text{symmetric}} x$$

$$\boxed{H = \text{Re } \tilde{H}}$$

QED

The case of the Jordan form is considered in the book by Arnold.
We don't need it,

Remark $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det A} (A_{ij})^T$, $A_{ij}^* = \det \begin{pmatrix} \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \end{pmatrix} (-1)^{i+j}$
Algebraic complement

In particular

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad-bc} \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix}$$

Example Find a Lyapunov function

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}_1 = 3x_1 - 5x_2 \\ \dot{x}_2 = 6x_1 - 8x_2 \end{cases}$$

$$p(\lambda) = \lambda^2 + 5\lambda + 6 = (\lambda + 3)(\lambda + 2)$$

$$\lambda = -2$$

$$5x_1 - 3x_2 = 0$$

$$x_1 = x_2 \quad e_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = -3$$

$$6x_1 - 5x_2 = 0$$

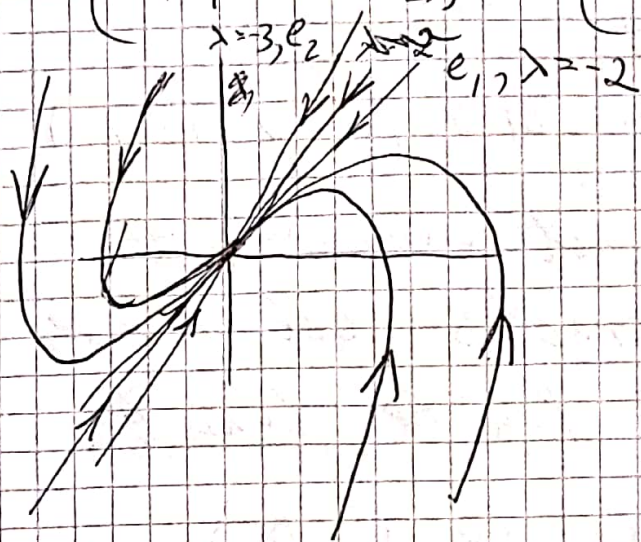
$$6x_1 = 5x_2 \quad e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x = E z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ 1 & 6 \end{pmatrix} z \quad x, z \in \mathbb{R}^2$$

$$z = E^{-1} x = \frac{1}{1} \begin{pmatrix} 6 & -5 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} x = \begin{pmatrix} 6x_1 - 5x_2 \\ -x_1 + x_2 \end{pmatrix} \quad 137$$

$$V = |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 = z_1^2 + z_2^2$$

$$V = (6x_1 - 5x_2)^2 + (x_1 - x_2)^2$$



stable nodal point
stable knot
1.3' > ep

$$\dot{V} = 2(6x_1 - 5x_2)(6\dot{x}_1 - 5\dot{x}_2) + 2(x_1 - x_2)(\dot{x}_1 - \dot{x}_2) =$$

$$= 2(6x_1 - 5x_2)(6(3x_1 - 5x_2) - 5(6x_1 - 8x_2)) + 2(x_1 - x_2)((3x_1 - 5x_2) - (6x_1 - 8x_2)) \leq 0$$

We know the answer in advance

$$\dot{V} = \left(\frac{d}{dt} (z_1^2 + z_2^2) \right) = 2z_1(-2z_1) + 2z_2(-3z_2) = 2(-2z_1^2 - 3z_2^2) = -2(2(6x_1 - 5x_2)^2 + 3(x_1 - x_2)^2) \leq 0$$

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One can use a Lyapunov function to evaluate the accuracy of a disturbed asymptotically stable system.

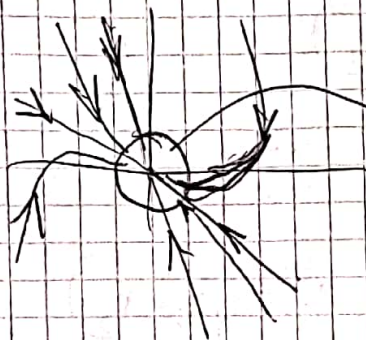
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Example $\begin{cases} \dot{x} = y + \xi \\ \dot{y} = -2x - 3y \end{cases}, \xi = 0.01 \sinh(x^2 + y^2 + 10^6 t)$

it is not unique

~~What is~~ ~~the~~ compact invariant region which attracts all phase trajectories in finite time?

If $\xi \equiv 0 \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -2 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}, P(\lambda) = \lambda^2 + 3\lambda + 2$
 $\lambda_{1,2} = -1, -2$



Region of attraction
 $P(\lambda) = (\lambda + 1)(\lambda + 2)$

$\lambda = -1 \quad x + y = 0 \quad e_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\lambda = -2 \quad 2x + y = 0 \quad e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$
 $E = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$

New coordinates: $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = E \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + y_1 \\ -x_1 - 2y_1 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{pmatrix} = E^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{-1} \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2x + y \\ -x - y \end{pmatrix}$
 $E^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$

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Moreover $V \geq 0.001$ implies that (140)

$$\dot{V} \leq -2V^{\frac{1}{2}}(V^{\frac{1}{2}} - 0.03) \leq -2 \cdot 0.001^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot (0.001^{\frac{1}{2}} - 0.03)$$

$$\leq -2 \cdot 0.033 \cdot 0.003 < 0$$

Thus in finite time the function V becomes less than 0.001

The answer: $\{(x, y) \mid V \leq 0.001\}$

$$\{(x, y) \mid (2x+y)^2 + (x+y)^2 \leq 0.001\}$$



$$\dot{V} \leq \text{const} < 0$$

$$V \leq 0.001$$

The attraction region can be here always increased

Example

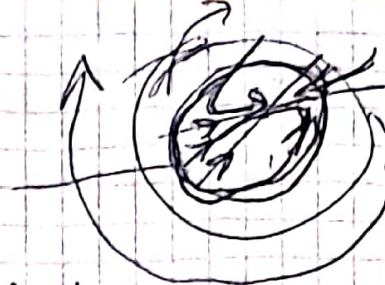
$$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = y + x^3 \\ \dot{y} = -2x - 3y + x^3 \end{cases}$$

To find a compact invariant region of the asymptotic attraction to the origin.

The system is asymptotically stable in the first (linear) approximation. But it only means the local asymptotic stability. We are asked to find ~~the~~ an actual region of attraction

Once more:

The attraction region



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It can always be reduced

$$p(\lambda) = \lambda^2 + 3\lambda + 2$$

$$e_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_1 = -1, \lambda_2 = -2$$

$$\begin{cases} x = x_1 + y_1 \\ y = -x_1 - 2y_1 \end{cases} \quad \begin{cases} x_1 = 2x + y \\ y_1 = -x - y \end{cases}$$

This time $\xi = x^3$, we will keep it in such a form for a while

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}_1 = -x_1 + 3x^3 \\ \dot{y}_1 = -2y_1 - 2x^3 \end{cases} \quad \begin{aligned} \dot{x}_1 &= 2\dot{x} + \dot{y} = \\ &= \underbrace{-(2x+y)}_{\text{has to be}} + \underbrace{(2+1)}_{\text{has to be}} x^3 \\ \dot{y}_1 &= \dot{x} - \dot{y} = -2x^3 \end{aligned}$$

$$V = x_1^2 + y_1^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} \dot{V} &= x_1 \dot{x}_1 + y_1 \dot{y}_1 = x_1(-x_1 + 3x^3) + y_1(-2y_1 - 2x^3) \\ &= -x_1^2 - 2y_1^2 + x^3(3x_1 - 2y_1) \leq -x_1^2 - y_1^2 + x^3(3x_1 - 2y_1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \dot{V} \leq -V + x^3(3x_1 - 2y_1)$$

$$|x^3| = |(x_1 + y_1)^3| \leq |(2V^{\frac{1}{2}})^3| = 8V^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$|x^3(3x_1 - 2y_1)| \leq 8V^{\frac{3}{2}}(3V^{\frac{1}{2}} + 2V^{\frac{1}{2}}) = 40V^2$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \dot{V} \leq -V + 40V^2 = +V(V - \frac{1}{40})$$

$$V \leq -\frac{1}{40} \Rightarrow \dot{V} \leq 0, \quad \dot{V} = 0 \Rightarrow (x, y) = 0 \text{ or } V = \frac{1}{40}$$

$$V \leq \frac{1}{50} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \dot{V} \leq 40V \left(\frac{1}{50} - \frac{1}{40} \right) \leq 0$$

$$\dot{V} > 0 \Leftrightarrow V < 0 \Leftrightarrow x=0, y=0$$

(142) Thus according to the Lyapunov theorem there is asymptotic convergence of solutions to the origin in the invariant region $V \leq \frac{1}{50}$ (142)

Answer: $\left\{ (x, y) \mid (2x+y)^2 + (x+y)^2 \leq \frac{1}{50} \right\}$

Clarification

A region Ω (i.e. a set in $\mathbb{R}^n$) is called invariant (forward invariant) with respect to the differential equation $\dot{x} = f(t, x)$, $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$, if $x(t_0) \in \Omega$ implies $x(t) \in \Omega$ for any $t \geq t_0$. (backward invariant: $t \leq t_0$)

Trivial definition

Dynamic system and ^{ordinary} differential equation are actually synonymous.

(There are also dynamic systems with control, infinite-dimensional dynamic systems. Not in this course)
formal definitions...

Stable polynomials

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A polynomial is called stable (Hurwitz) if all its roots $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n$ belong to $\mathbb{C}_-$, $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n \in \mathbb{C}_-$
 $\operatorname{Re} \lambda_j < 0$

$$p_n(\lambda) = \lambda^n + a_1 \lambda^{n-1} + \dots + a_n, \quad a_1, \dots, a_n \in \mathbb{R}$$

Theorem 1. If $p_n(\lambda)$ is a Hurwitz ^{or} polynomial then $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n > 0$. 2. If one of the coefficients is negative then there are roots in $\mathbb{C}_+$ ($\operatorname{Re} \lambda > 0$)
3. If all coefficients are nonnegative and there are zeros, then there is a root in $\mathbb{C}_+ \cup \{\lambda = \beta i, \beta \in \mathbb{R}\}$

Proof There are real roots $-\gamma_1, \dots, -\gamma_k, \gamma_j > 0$ and conjugate pairs $-\alpha_e \pm \beta_e i, \alpha_e > 0, \beta_e > 0$
 $e = 1, \dots, 3$

$$p(\lambda) = (\lambda + \gamma_1) \dots (\lambda + \gamma_k) (\lambda^2 + 2\alpha_1 \lambda + \alpha_1^2 + \beta_1^2) \dots (\lambda^2 + 2\alpha_s \lambda + \alpha_s^2 + \beta_s^2)$$

(Obviously all coefficients are positive (formally one can prove by induction))

$p(\lambda) = \prod_{j=1}^n (\lambda - \lambda_j) \Rightarrow$ coefficients continuously depend on the roots $\Rightarrow$ 2, 3.
Q.E.D.

Proposition $n=2$

$p(\lambda) = \lambda^2 + b\lambda + c$, $b, c \in \mathbb{R}$,
is Hurwitz $\Leftrightarrow b > 0$ and $c > 0$.

Proof One direction is already
proved. Prove $b > 0, c > 0 \Rightarrow$ Hurwitz

$$\lambda_{1,2} = -\frac{b}{2} \pm \frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4c}}{2}$$

$$1. \quad b^2 - 4c > 0 \Rightarrow \sqrt{b^2 - 4c} < b \Rightarrow \lambda_{1,2} < 0$$

$$2. \quad b^2 - 4c = 0 \quad p(\lambda) = \lambda^2 + 2\sqrt{c}\lambda + c = (\lambda + \sqrt{c})^2$$

roots $-\sqrt{c}, -\sqrt{c} < 0$

$$3. \quad b^2 - 4c < 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_{1,2} = -\frac{b}{2} \pm i\sqrt{4c - b^2}$$

Q.E.D.