

We continue the study of critical points in the plane

3. complex eigenvalues $\lambda_1 = \bar{\lambda}_2 = \alpha + \beta i$ ^{conjugate}
 $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}, \beta \neq 0$

There are two linearly independent complex eigenvectors, $A = \bar{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$

$$(A - \lambda_1 I) e_1 = 0 \quad (A - \bar{\lambda}_1 I) \bar{e}_1 = 0$$

$\Rightarrow e_2 = \bar{e}_1$ can be taken

$$e_1 = u + v i, \quad e_2 = u - v i, \quad u, v \in \mathbb{R}^2$$

$$u = \frac{e_1 + e_2}{2}, \quad v = \frac{e_1 - e_2}{2i} \quad \Rightarrow \quad u, v \text{ linearly independent}$$

Choose them as the new basis

$$A(u + v i) = (\alpha + \beta i)(u + v i) \quad \#$$

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$$Au + Av i = \alpha u - \beta v + (\alpha v + \beta u) i$$

thus

$$\begin{aligned} Au &= \alpha u - \beta v \\ Av &= \alpha v + \beta u \end{aligned} \quad \Rightarrow \quad X = \begin{bmatrix} u & v \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

columns

From $\dot{X} = AX \quad \downarrow$ coordinate change

$$[u, v] \dot{Z} = A [u, v] Z \quad [u, v]^{-1}: \begin{aligned} u &\mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ v &\mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\dot{Z} = [u, v]^{-1} A [u, v] Z = [u, v]^{-1} [\alpha u - \beta v, \alpha v + \beta u] Z$$

$$\dot{Z} = \left[\begin{pmatrix} \alpha \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \beta \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \alpha \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \beta \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right] Z = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ -\beta & \alpha \end{pmatrix} Z$$

$$\Rightarrow Z(t) = \exp \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ -\beta & \alpha \end{pmatrix} t Z(0) \quad \begin{matrix} (p. 61) \\ \text{Lecture 5} \end{matrix}$$

$$Z(t) = e^{\alpha t} \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\beta t) & \sin(\beta t) \\ -\sin(\beta t) & \cos(\beta t) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} z_1(0) \\ z_2(0) \end{pmatrix}$$

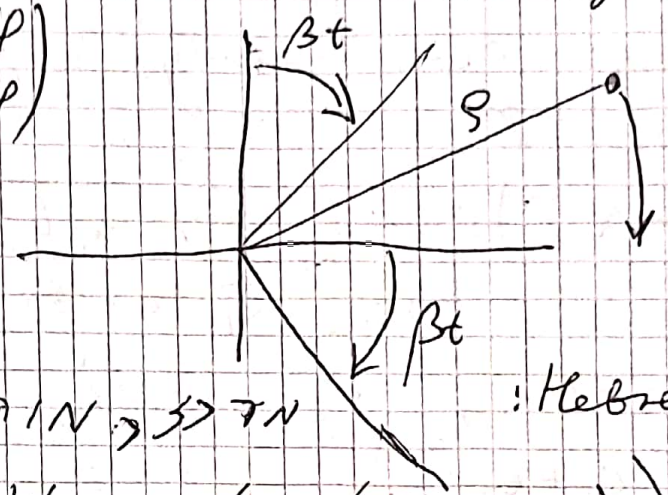
Let:

$$Z = \rho \begin{pmatrix} \cos \varphi \\ \sin \varphi \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\rho(t) = \rho(0) e^{\alpha t}$$

$$\varphi(t) = \varphi(0) - \beta t$$

rotation by the angle $(-\beta t)$



Hebrew: ρ is radius, φ is angle, α is growth/decay rate, β is rotation rate.

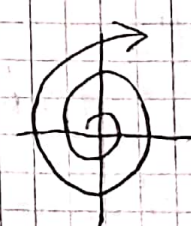
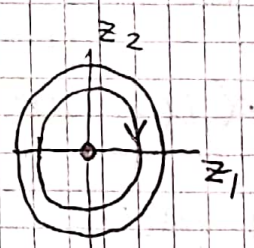
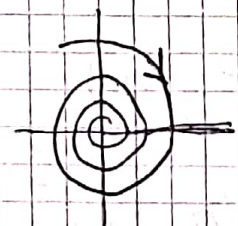
$$Z(t) = e^{\alpha t} \rho(0) \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\varphi(0) - \beta t) \\ \sin(\varphi(0) - \beta t) \end{pmatrix}$$

$\alpha < 0$

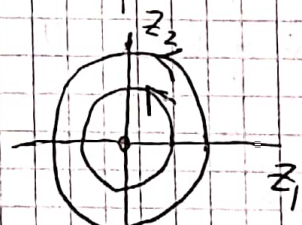
$\alpha = 0$

$\alpha > 0$

$\beta > 0$



$\beta < 0$

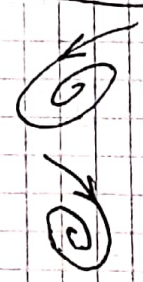


stable sink, focus, focal point

center

unstable

x, y general case



To find the rotation direction, it is enough to find one velocity vector

Once more the names:

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English: spiral point
focal point stable/unstable

foci (foci plural)

foci

Also: sink (i.e. stable), source (i.e. unstable)
center

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Examples

Recall: $\dot{x} = Ax + b$, $Ax_0 + b = 0$

$$\Rightarrow y = x - x_0, \quad \dot{y} = Ay$$

x_0 critical point

It can be that
there is no critical point

2. ~~There is~~

Example

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = 2x - 2 \\ \dot{y} = x + y \end{cases} \quad \begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ y_0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ critical point}$$

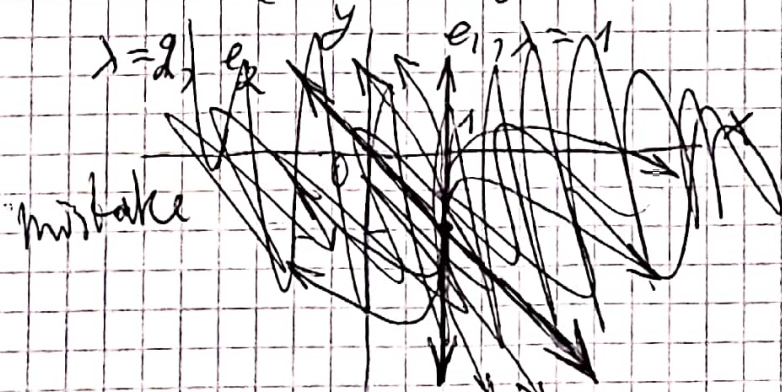
$$p(\lambda) = \begin{vmatrix} 2-\lambda & 0 \\ 1 & 1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (\lambda-2)(\lambda-1), \quad \lambda_{1,2} = 1, 2$$

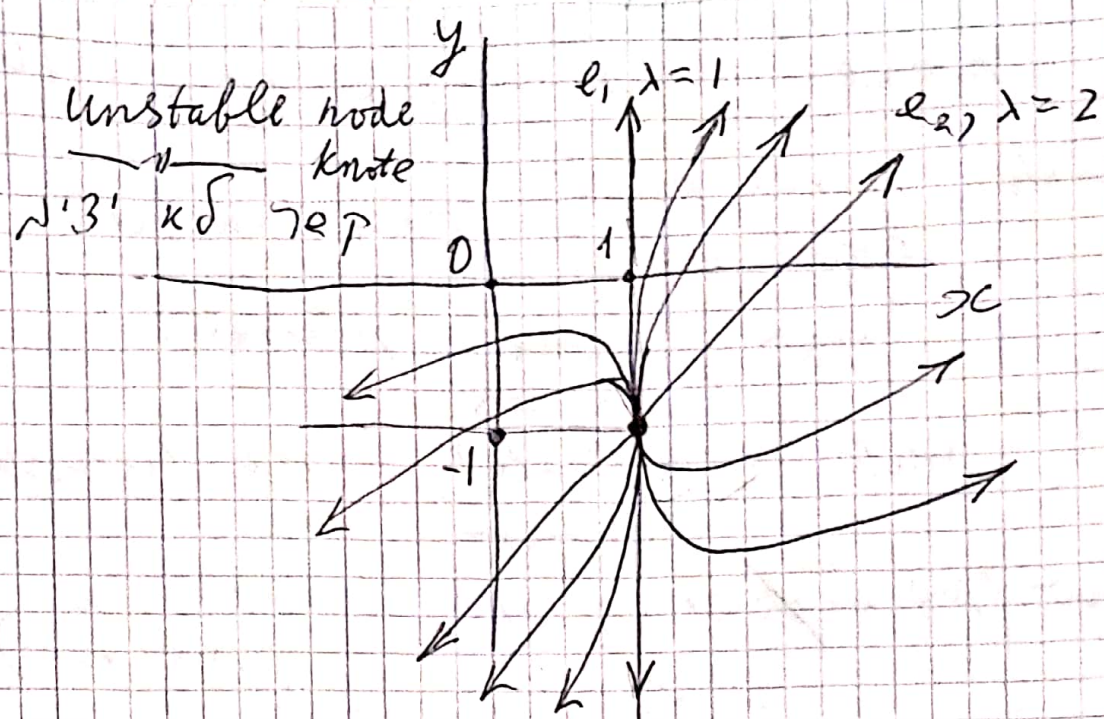
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$$\lambda = 1 \quad (2-1)x = 0 \quad x = 0 \quad e_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
$$x + y = 0$$

$$\lambda = 2 \quad \begin{cases} 0 = 0 \\ x + (1-2)y = 0 \end{cases} \quad x = y \quad e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

escape along e_2
is faster





2.
$$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = x - 2y \\ \dot{y} = 4x - 3y \end{cases}$$

characteristic equation:
$$\begin{vmatrix} 1-\lambda & -2 \\ 4 & -3-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$= \lambda^2 + 2\lambda + 5 = 0$$

$$\lambda = -1 \pm 2i$$

That's enough!

point:
$$\begin{pmatrix} x-2y \\ 4x-3y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$(1,0)$

or taking another

point:
$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$(0,1)$

also enough

stable spiral point
sink

→ right answers

$$3. \begin{cases} \ddot{x} = -3x + 2y + 1 \\ \ddot{y} = -2x + y + 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ y_0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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critical point
(equilibrium)

$$\begin{vmatrix} -3-\lambda & 2 \\ -2 & 1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 + 2\lambda + 1 = (\lambda + 1)^2$$

There are 2 possibilities: star, $\lambda_{1,2} = -1$

Star would be $\begin{cases} \dot{x} = -x \\ \dot{y} = -y \end{cases}$ or degenerate node
(always!) $\Rightarrow$ stable
degenerate node
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Recall: $(A - \lambda I)e_1 = 0$

$(A - \lambda I)e_2 = e_1$
generalized eigenvector

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

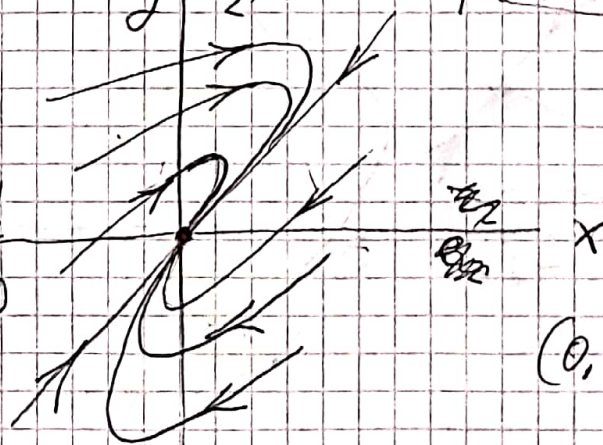
$$\begin{cases} -2x + 2y = 1 \\ -2x + 2y = 1 \end{cases} \quad x=0 \Rightarrow e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$y \quad e_2, z_2 \quad z_1, e_1 \quad y=0 \Rightarrow e_2' = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$z_1, z_2 \cdot (-1) > 0$

$z_2' \quad e_2'$

$z_1, z_2' \cdot (-1) > 0$



$(0,0)$ - tangent point
 $\cap \neq \emptyset$

$$4. \begin{cases} \dot{x} = 3x + 4y - 2 \\ \dot{y} = 2x + y + 2 \end{cases}$$

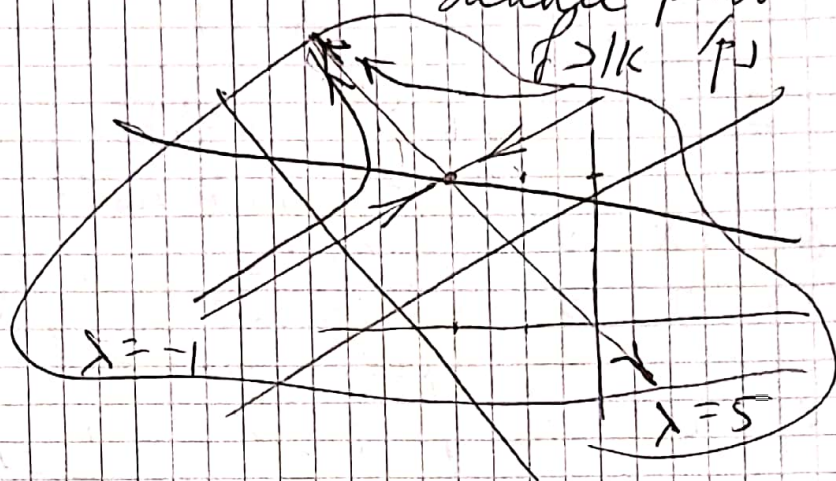
$$\begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ y_0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

critical point

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$$\begin{vmatrix} 3-\lambda & 4 \\ 2 & 1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 - 4\lambda + 3 - 8 = \lambda^2 - 4\lambda - 5 = (\lambda - 5)(\lambda + 1)$$

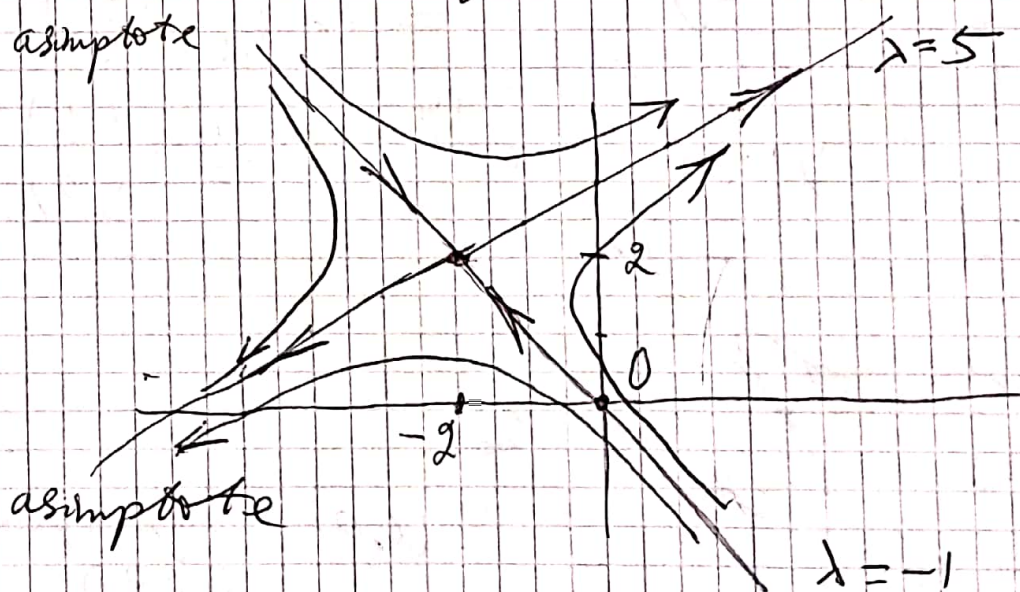
saddle point $\rho > 1/k$ $\uparrow$ $\downarrow$ never stable



$$\lambda = 5: \begin{cases} -2x + 4y = 0 \\ 2x - 4y = 0 \end{cases} \quad 2y = x \quad e_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = -1: \begin{cases} 4x + 4y = 0 \\ 2x + 2y = 0 \end{cases} \quad y = -x \quad e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

asymptote



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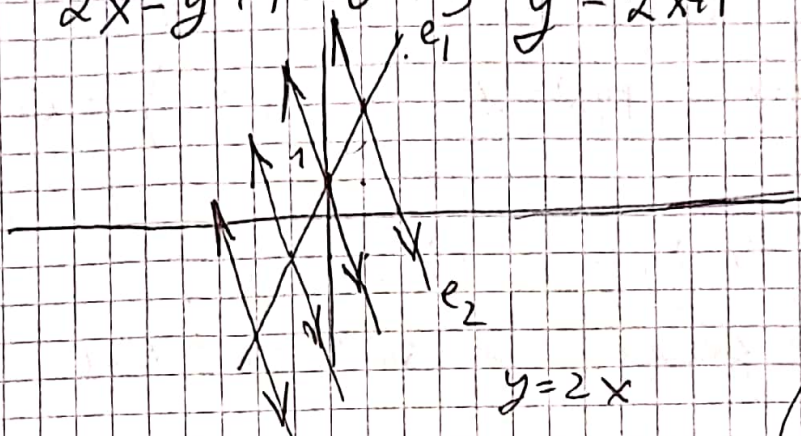
$$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = 2x - y + 1 \\ \dot{y} = -6x + 3y - 3 \end{cases}$$

proportional!

$$\begin{vmatrix} 2-\lambda & -1 \\ -6 & 3-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 - 5\lambda$$

$$\lambda_{1,2} = 0, 5$$

$$2x - y + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow y = 2x + 1$$

critical points

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

$$\lambda = 5 \quad \begin{cases} -3x - y = 0 \\ -6x - 2y = 0 \end{cases} \quad -3x = y \quad e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

6.

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

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1-\lambda & -1 \\ 1 & -1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 \quad \text{no name}$$

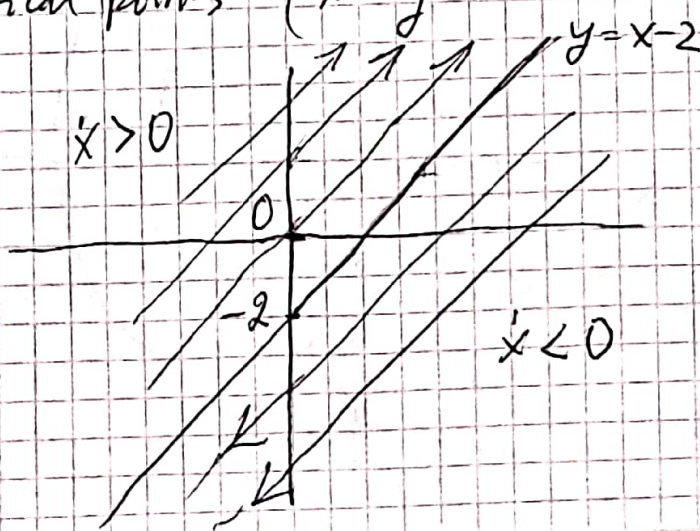
$$\lambda = 0$$

$$\lambda = 0 \quad \begin{cases} x - y = 0 \\ x - y = 0 \end{cases} \quad x = y \quad e_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x - y - 2 = 0$$

critical points

$$y = x - 2 \quad \begin{cases} x - y = 1 \\ x - y = 1 \end{cases} \quad y = 0 \quad e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

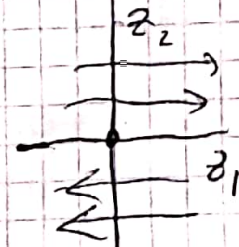


Jordan block

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{z}_1 \\ \dot{z}_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\dot{z}_1 = z_2$$

$$\dot{z}_2 = 0$$



Nonlinear Case

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$$\dot{x} = f(x), \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^2, \quad f(x_0) = 0$$

$$f \in C^2$$

$$\dot{x} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(x_0)(x - x_0) + o(\|x - x_0\|)$$

matrix

$$p(\lambda) = \det(f'(x_0) - \lambda I) = 0$$

roots: $\lambda_{1,2}$

assume: $\text{Re } \lambda_1 \neq 0, \text{Re } \lambda_2 \neq 0$

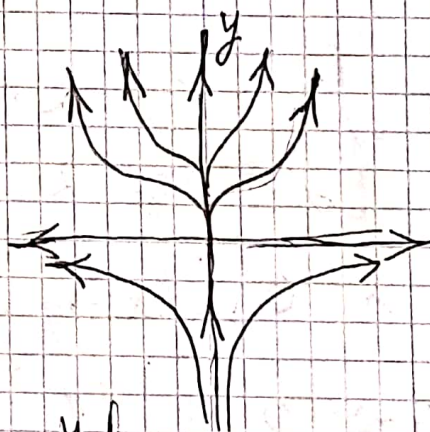
Topological classification

$\lambda_1, \lambda_2 > 0$	$\lambda_1 = \lambda_2$	$\lambda_1, \lambda_2 < 0$
node → ep (star, degenerate node are here)	focus spiral	saddle point spiral

Example

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x} &= x^2 & \lambda_1 &= 1 \\ \dot{y} &= y^2 & \lambda_2 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Saddle-knot

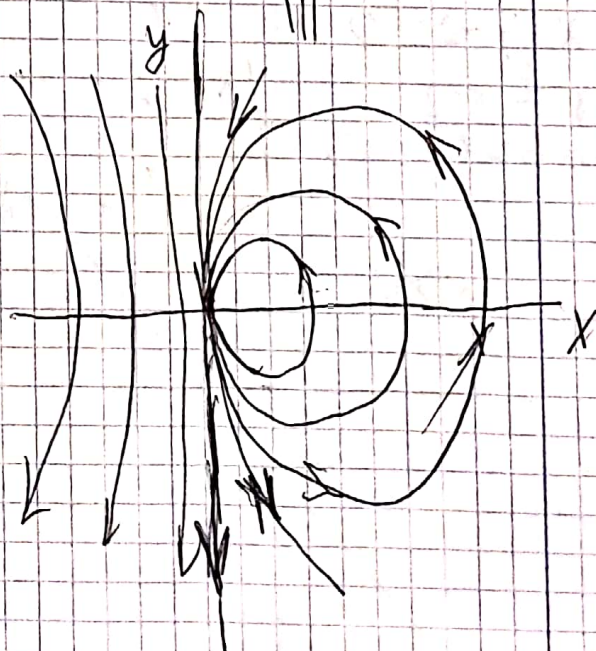


Example

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = -xy \\ \dot{y} = \frac{1}{2}x - y^2 \end{cases}$$

$$f'(0) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \lambda = 0$$

Jordan block



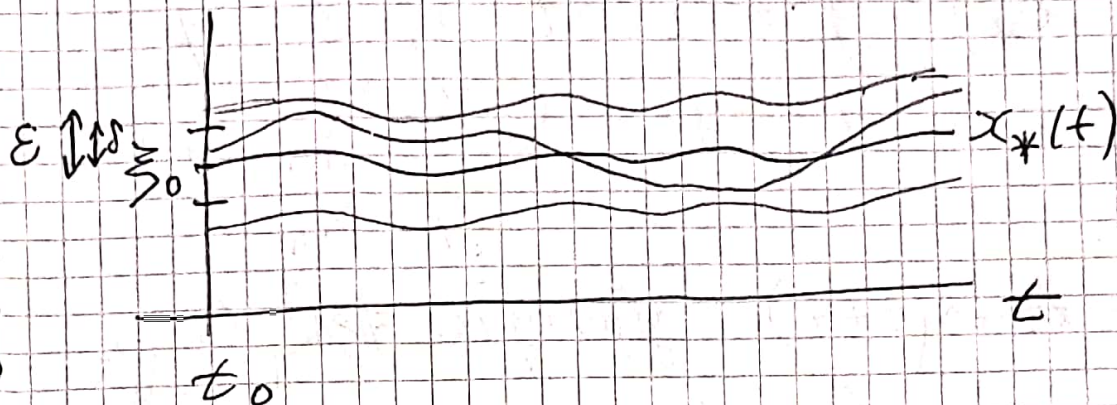
Introduction to Stability Theory

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$$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = f(t, x) \\ x(t_0) = \xi \end{cases} \quad \text{Cauchy Problem}$$

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$x \in \mathbb{R}^n, f \in C$



Does the solution continuously depend on the initial conditions over the infinite time interval $t_0 \leq t < \infty$?

Definition Let $x_*(t), x_*: [t_0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ of the equation $\dot{x} = f(t, x)$ is called Lyapunov stable at the initial time t_0 if $\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists \delta > 0$ such that solution $x(t)$ exists for each $\| \xi - \xi_0 \| < \delta$ and $t \geq t_0$ $\Rightarrow \| x(t) - x_*(t) \| < \epsilon$.

The case of the scalar equation $y^{(n)} = f(t, y, \dot{y}, \dots, y^{(n-1)})$, $(y(t_0), \dots, y^{(n-1)}(t_0))^T = \xi$ solution y_* , $(y_*(t_0), \dots, y_*(t_0)^{(n-1)})^T = \xi_0$ is called stable if it is true for $\dot{x}_0 = x_1, \dots, \dot{x}_{n-2} = x_{n-1}, \dot{x}_{n-1} = f(t, x_0, \dots, x_{n-1}), x(t_0) = \xi$ and the solution x_* , $x_*(t_0) = \xi_0$.

Example

$$\ddot{x} = -x + t, \quad x \in \mathbb{R} \quad 119$$

$$x(0) = \dot{x}(0) = 0, \quad t_0 = 0$$

Solution: $x_* = -\sin t + t$. Is it stable?

Denote $y = x - x_*$ ($= x(t) - x_*(t)$)

$$\Rightarrow (x - x_*)'' = \ddot{y} = -x(t) + t + x_* - t = -y$$

$$\ddot{y} = -y \quad (X = X_h + x_*)$$

$$y \in X_h$$

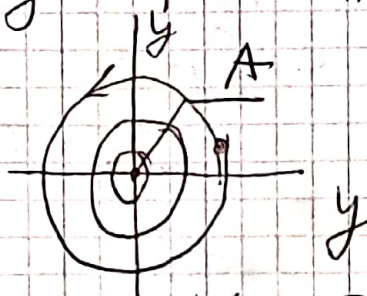
$$\Rightarrow y = A \cos(t + \varphi) \quad y'(0)^2 + y''(0)^2 = \| \dot{y}(0) \|^2 = A^2$$

$$A \cos \varphi = y(0), \quad A \sin \varphi = y'(0)$$

Obviously $y^2 + \dot{y}^2 = A^2 = \| \dot{y}(0) \|^2$

$$\Rightarrow \| (x - x_*)(\dot{x} - \dot{x}_*) \| =$$

$$= \| \dot{y} - \dot{y}_0 \|$$



$\Rightarrow$ Stability of x_* with $\delta = \varepsilon$

Asymptotic Stability (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6) (7) (8) (9) (10) (11) (12) (13) (14) (15) (16) (17) (18) (19) (20) (21) (22) (23) (24) (25) (26) (27) (28) (29) (30) (31) (32) (33) (34) (35) (36) (37) (38) (39) (40) (41) (42) (43) (44) (45) (46) (47) (48) (49) (50) (51) (52) (53) (54) (55) (56) (57) (58) (59) (60) (61) (62) (63) (64) (65) (66) (67) (68) (69) (70) (71) (72) (73) (74) (75) (76) (77) (78) (79) (80) (81) (82) (83) (84) (85) (86) (87) (88) (89) (90) (91) (92) (93) (94) (95) (96) (97) (98) (99) (100)

x_* is called asymptotically stable (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6) (7) (8) (9) (10) (11) (12) (13) (14) (15) (16) (17) (18) (19) (20) (21) (22) (23) (24) (25) (26) (27) (28) (29) (30) (31) (32) (33) (34) (35) (36) (37) (38) (39) (40) (41) (42) (43) (44) (45) (46) (47) (48) (49) (50) (51) (52) (53) (54) (55) (56) (57) (58) (59) (60) (61) (62) (63) (64) (65) (66) (67) (68) (69) (70) (71) (72) (73) (74) (75) (76) (77) (78) (79) (80) (81) (82) (83) (84) (85) (86) (87) (88) (89) (90) (91) (92) (93) (94) (95) (96) (97) (98) (99) (100)

if 1) it is Lyapunov stable (above)

2) $\exists \delta_1 \leq \delta_*$:

$$\| x(t_0) - x_*(t_0) \| < \delta_1 \Rightarrow \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \| x(t) - x_*(t) \| = 0$$

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If $\delta_1 = \delta_2 = \infty$, i.e. if

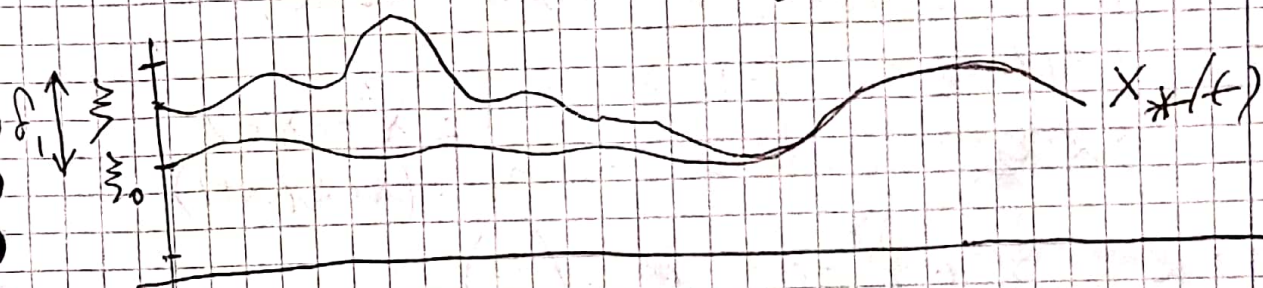
1. solution $x(t)$ exists for any initial condition $x(t_0) = \xi \in \mathbb{R}^n$
 $t \in [t_0, \infty)$

2. $x_*(t)$ is Lyapunov stable at t_0

$$x_*(t_0) = \xi_*$$

and $\forall x(t): \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} (x(t) - x_*(t)) = 0$
 for any solution

norm can be omitted here



Example $\ddot{x} + 2\dot{x} + x = t, x_* = t - 2$

$$t_0 = 0, x(t_0) = -2, \dot{x}(t_0) = 1$$

As previously $y = x - x_*, \ddot{y} + 2\dot{y} + y = 0, y_* = 0$

Degenerate node
 (Improper)

$$\lambda^2 + 2\lambda + 1 = (\lambda + 1)^2$$

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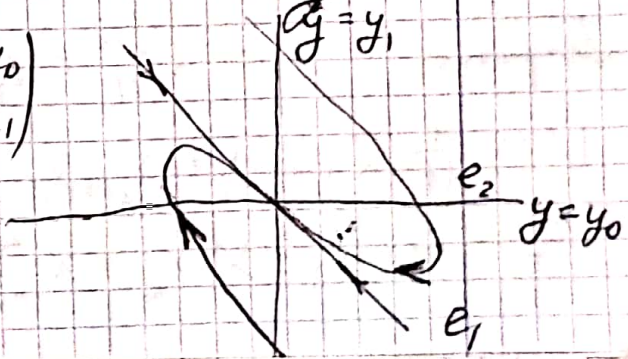
$$\begin{cases} y = c_1 e^{-t} + c_2 t e^{-t} \rightarrow 0 \\ \dot{y} = -c_1 e^{-t} + c_2 e^{-t} - c_2 t e^{-t} \rightarrow 0 \end{cases}$$

$\Rightarrow$ We have asymptotic stability

$$y_0 = y, y_1 = \dot{y}, \begin{pmatrix} y_0 \\ y_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} y_0 \\ y_1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = -1, y_0 + y_1 = 0, e_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{cases} y_0 + y_1 = 1 \\ -y_0 - y_1 = -1 \end{cases} \Rightarrow y_1 = 0 \Rightarrow e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



Definition Critical point $\begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ y_0 \end{pmatrix}$ of the autonomous equation $\dot{x} = f(x)$, $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $f \in C$, is called stable/asymptotically stable/globally asymptotically stable if the constant solution

$$x(t) \equiv x_0, \quad t \geq 0,$$

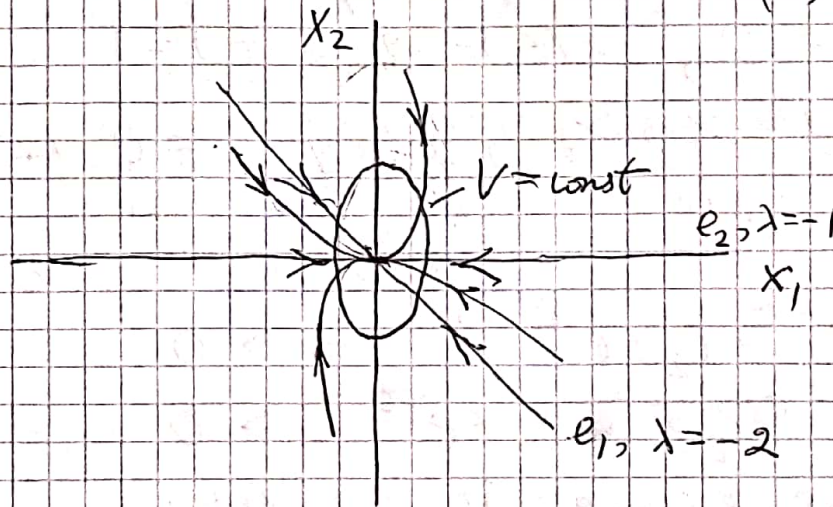
or any number to is of the same stability.
Definition Linear system $\dot{x} = Ax$, $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$, is called stable/as, st. if $x=0$ is stable/as, st.

Example Is the origin stable?

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}_1 = -x_1 + x_2 \\ \dot{x}_2 = -2x_2 \end{cases} \quad \begin{vmatrix} -1-\lambda & 1 \\ 0 & -2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 + 3\lambda + 2 = (\lambda+2)(\lambda+1)$$

$$\lambda = -2 \quad x_1 + x_2 = 0 \quad e_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{stable node}$$

$$\lambda = -1 \quad x_2 = 0 \quad e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



All solutions enter the set $V \leq \text{const}$. Velocities look inside $\dot{x}$ - velocity

Define $V = 2x_1^2 + x_2^2$

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{V} &= \frac{d}{dt} (2x_1^2(t) + x_2^2(t)) = 4x_1(-x_1 + x_2) + 2x_2(-2x_2) \\ &= -4(x_1^2 - x_1x_2 + x_2^2) = -4\left[\left(x_1 - \frac{1}{2}x_2\right)^2 + \frac{3}{4}x_2^2\right] \leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

We see that $V \rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow x_1, x_2 \rightarrow 0$ 117

The origin is an as. stable equilibrium
(critical point)

The function V is called
the Lyapunov function

Example $x^{(5)} - x^{(4)} + \cos t x''' - (t^2 + 1)x = \cos^2 t$

Whether there are stable solutions?
(any to)

Solution Consider a solution x_* .
(all solutions are extendable to $t \in \mathbb{R}$
for any initial conditions)

Denote $y = x - x_*$, where x is
any solution

Then $y(t)$ satisfies the homogeneous
equation

$$x = x_* \Leftrightarrow y = 0, \quad y^{(5)} - y^{(4)} + \cos t y''' - (t^2 + 1)y = 0$$

consider any 5 solutions $y_1, y_2, \dots, y_5: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

let $w(t) = W[y_1, \dots, y_5](t)$ Wronskian

Abel-Liouville: $\dot{w} = w$, $w = w(0)e^t$

Thus $w(0) \neq 0 \Rightarrow |w| \rightarrow \infty$ $t \rightarrow \infty$

$$w(t) = \det \begin{pmatrix} y_1 & \dots & y_5 \\ \dot{y}_1 & \dots & \dot{y}_5 \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ y_1^{(4)} & \dots & y_5^{(4)} \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{At least one of} \\ y_1, \dots, y_5 \text{ is unbounded} \\ \text{(with derivatives)} \end{array}$$

For example choose $\begin{pmatrix} y_1 & \dots & y_5 \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ y_1^{(4)} & \dots & y_5^{(4)} \end{pmatrix}_{t=0} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, w(0) = \delta^5 \neq 0$

There is no stability

No solution of this equation
is stable.

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