

UC Davis
Applied Math
Prelim Solutions
"Back of the Napkin" style

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S'014 #1 (Part 1)

$$\dot{x} = x(a - x - y)$$

$$\dot{y} = (y - 2a)(x - y)$$

fixed pts:

$$0 = x(a - x - y)$$

$$x = 0 \text{ or } x + y = a$$

$$0 = (y - 2a)(x - y)$$

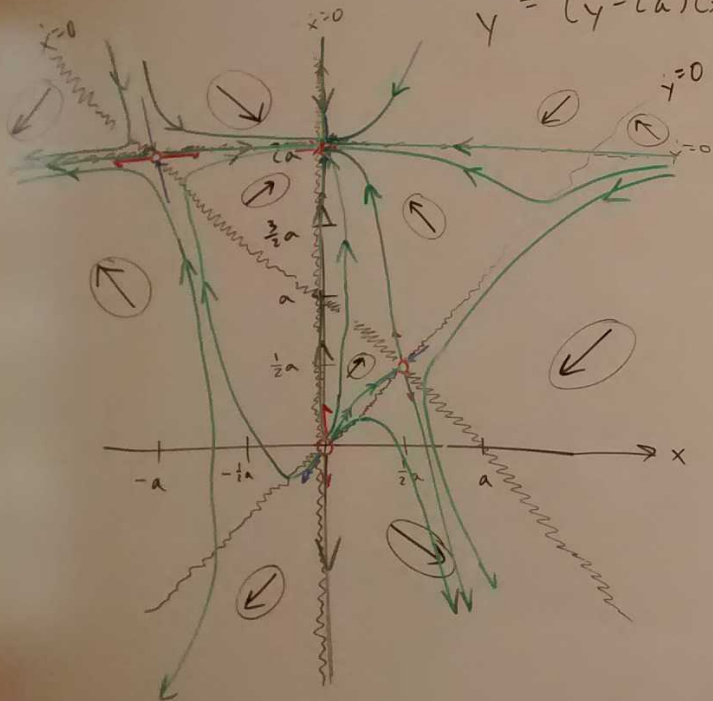
$$x = y \text{ or } y = 2a$$

	$x=0$	$x+y=a$
$x=y$	$(0,0)$	$(\frac{1}{2}a, \frac{1}{2}a)$
$y=2a$	$(0,2a)$	$(-a, 2a)$

fixed pts

S'014 #1 (Part 2)

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x} &= x(a-x-y) \\ \dot{y} &= (y-2a)(x-y) \end{aligned}$$



linear stability:

$$J(x,y) = \begin{bmatrix} a-2x-y & -x \\ y-2a & x-2y+2a \end{bmatrix}$$

$$J(0,0) = \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ -2a & 2a \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = \underline{a}, \underline{2a} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{(stable for } a < 0 \\ \text{unstable for } a > 0) \end{matrix}$$

$$\underline{u}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \underline{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$J\left(\frac{1}{2}a, \frac{1}{2}a\right) = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{2}a & -\frac{1}{2}a \\ -\frac{3}{2}a & \frac{3}{2}a \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{a}{2}(1 \pm \sqrt{7}) \quad \text{(saddle for } a \neq 0)$$

$$\underline{u}_1 = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 2-\sqrt{7} \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \underline{u}_2 = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 2+\sqrt{7} \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\approx k_1 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \approx k_2 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$J(0,2a) = \begin{bmatrix} -a & 0 \\ 0 & -2a \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = \underline{-a}, \underline{-2a} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{(stable for } a > 0 \\ \text{unstable for } a < 0) \end{matrix}$$

$$\underline{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \underline{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$J(-a,2a) = \begin{bmatrix} a & a \\ 0 & -3a \end{bmatrix}$$

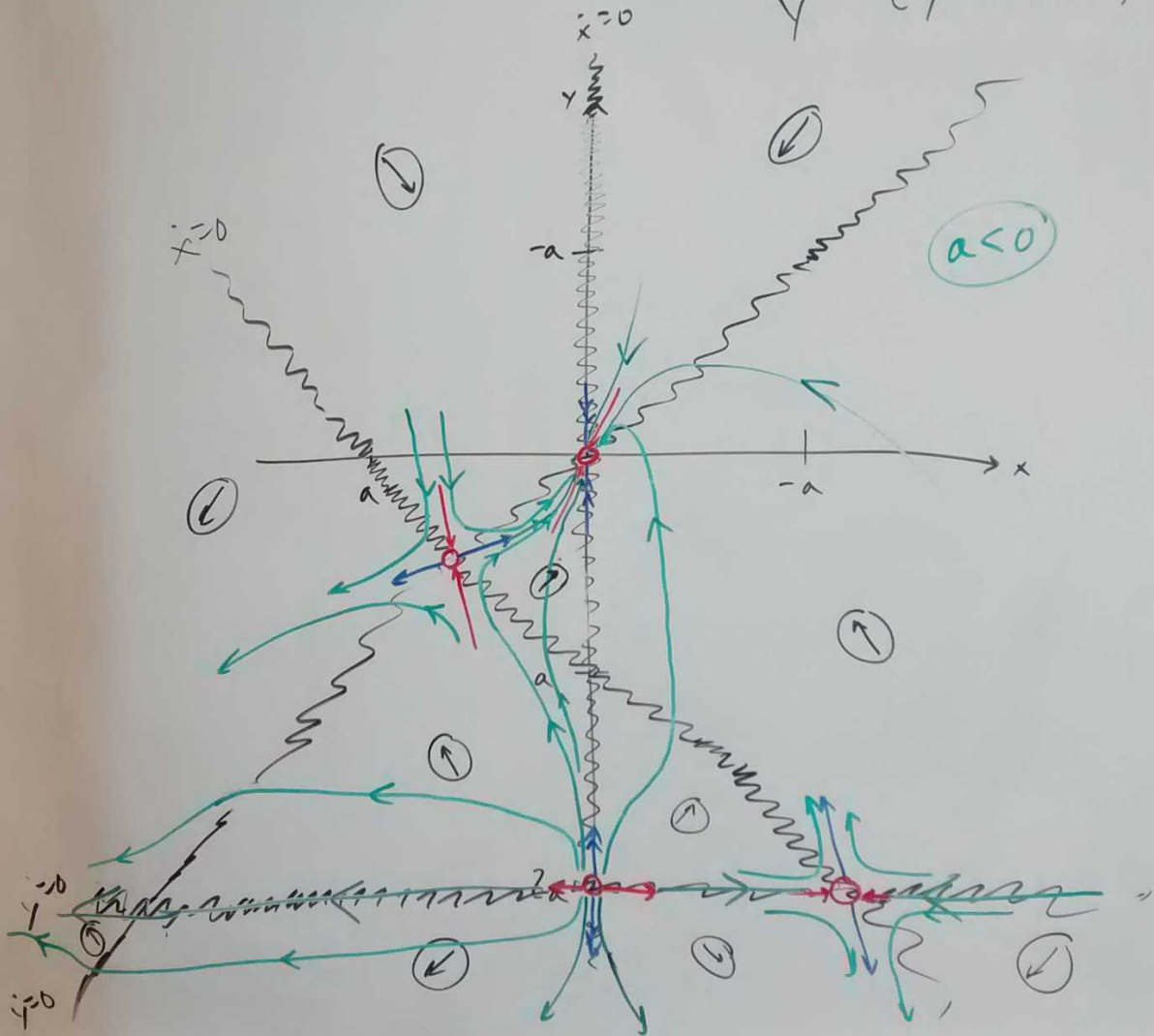
$$\lambda = \underline{a}, \underline{-3a} \quad \text{(saddle for } a \neq 0)$$

$$\underline{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \underline{u}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{17}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

S'014 #1 (Part 3)

$$\dot{x} = x(a - x - y)$$

$$\dot{y} = (y - 2a)(x - y)$$



S'014 #1 (part 4)

$$\dot{x} = x(a-x-y)$$

$$\dot{y} = (y-2a)(x-y)$$

a=0 case:

$$\dot{x} = -x^2 - xy$$

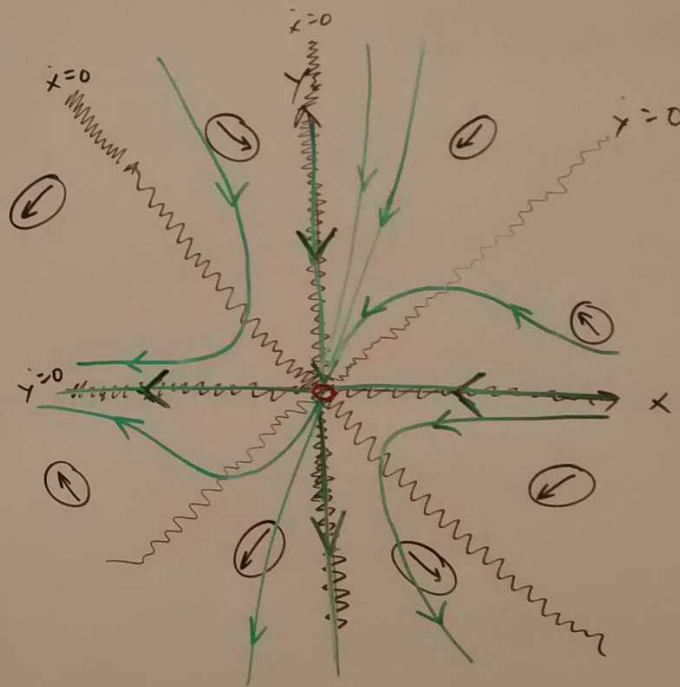
$$\dot{y} = xy - y^2$$

The previous work shows that
(0,0) is the only fixed pt.

linear stability:

$$J(x,y) = \begin{bmatrix} -2x-y & -x \\ y & x-2y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$J(0,0) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ inconclusive.}$$

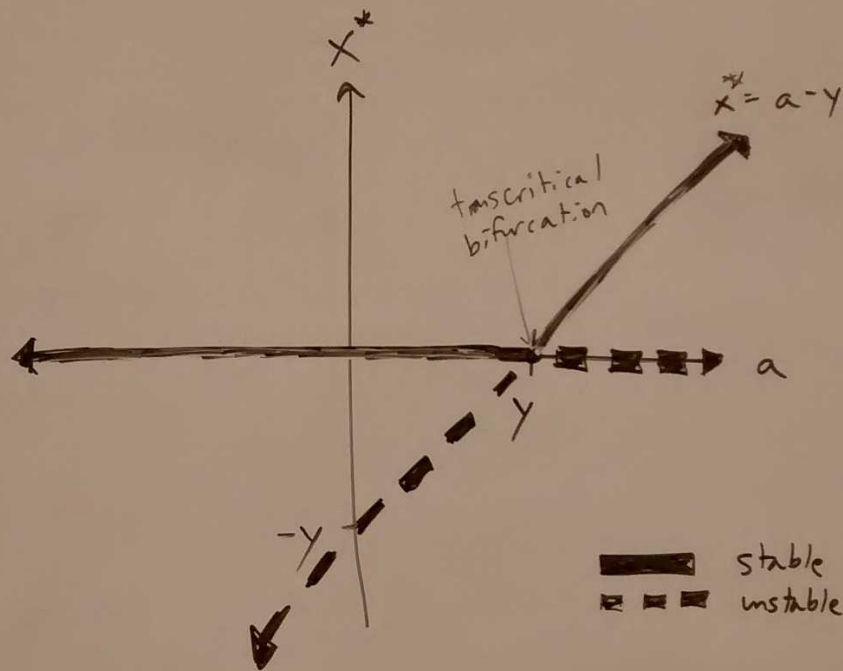


S'014 #1 (part 5)

$$\dot{x} = x(a-x-y)$$

$$\frac{\partial \dot{x}}{\partial x} = a-2x-y$$

fixed pt	$\frac{\partial \dot{x}}{\partial x}$
$x^* = 0$	$a-y$
$x^* = a-y$	$y-a = -x^*$



S'014 #2

Shortest path b/w (a,b) and (c,d) . I assume $a \neq c$.
that is, min $J(y) = \int_a^c \sqrt{1+(y')^2} dx$ $y(a)=b, y(c)=d$.

$$E-L: \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} - \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial f}{\partial y'} = 0$$

$$0 - \frac{d}{dx} \frac{y'}{\sqrt{1+(y')^2}} = 0$$

$$\frac{y'}{\sqrt{1+(y')^2}} = C$$

$$(y')^2 = C^2(1+(y')^2)$$

$$(1-C^2)(y')^2 = C^2$$

$$(y')^2 = \frac{C^2}{1-C^2}$$

$$y' = \pm \frac{C}{\sqrt{1-C^2}} := A$$

$$\therefore y = Ax + B$$

That is, y is a linear function of x .

Then can just use $y = m(x-x_0) + y_0$

$$y = \frac{d-b}{c-a}(x-a) + b$$

S'014 #3 (Page 1)

$$(xf')' + \lambda x^{-1}f = 0 \quad f(1) = f(c) = 0$$

$$xf'' + f' + \lambda x^{-1}f = 0$$

$$f := x^n$$

$$n(n-1) + n + \lambda = 0$$

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

require $\lambda > 0$ to satisfy BCs

$$\text{wlog let } \lambda = \pi^2 k^2, \quad k > 0$$

$$n = \pm i\pi k$$

$$f(x) = c_1 \cos(\pi k \ln x) + c_2 \sin(\pi k \ln x)$$

To satisfy $f(1) = 0$, $c_1 = 0$

$$f(x) = c_2 \sin(\pi k \ln x)$$

to satisfy $f(c) = 0$, $k \in \mathbb{N}$

$$\text{Normalize: } 1 = \int_1^c c_2^2 \sin^2 \pi k \ln x \, dx$$

$$c_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\int_1^c \sin^2 \pi k \ln x \, dx}}$$

Was this problem intended to arrive at $\sin^2 \pi kt$?

$$\text{Note } \int_1^c \sin^2 \pi k \ln x \, dx = \int_0^1 \sin^2 \pi kt \, dt = \frac{1}{2}$$

$\sin^2 \pi kt$ are the eigenfunctions of the modified RSL, not the original.

To expand $g(x) = 1$, let $\phi_k(x) = c_2 \sin \pi k \ln x$, with c_2 as above.

$$\begin{aligned} g(x) &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \phi_k \langle \phi_k, 1 \rangle = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left[c_2 \sin \pi k \ln x \int_1^c c_2 \sin \pi k \ln t \, dt \right] \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin \pi k \ln x \int_1^c \sin \pi k \ln t \, dt}{\int_1^c \sin^2 \pi k \ln t \, dt} \end{aligned}$$

S'014 #4

$$\epsilon y'' - (1+x)^2 y' + y = 0$$

$$y(0)=1, y(1)=0$$

outer solution:

$$O(1): -(1+x^2)y' + y = 0$$

$$\frac{y'}{y} = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$$

$$\ln y = \tan^{-1} x + c$$

$$y = ce^{\tan^{-1} x}$$

$$1 = y(0) = c$$

$$0 = y(1) = ce^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \Rightarrow c = 0 \text{ trivial}$$

$$\text{use } y(x) = e^{\tan^{-1} x}$$

and use a layer at $x=1$

inner solution:

$$x := 1 - \epsilon^\alpha X \quad Y(x) := y(x)$$

$$\epsilon^{1-2\alpha} Y'' + \epsilon^{-\alpha} (2 - \epsilon^\alpha X)^2 Y' + Y = 0$$

$$1 - 2\alpha = -\alpha \Rightarrow \alpha = 1$$

$$\epsilon^{-1} Y'' + \epsilon^{-1} (2 - \epsilon X)^2 Y' + Y = 0$$

$$Y'' + (2 - \epsilon X)^2 Y' + \epsilon Y = 0$$

$$O(1): Y'' + 2Y' = 0$$

$$\frac{Y''}{Y'} = -2$$

$$\ln Y' = -2X + a$$

$$Y' = ae^{-2X}$$

$$Y = ae^{-2X} + b$$

$$0 = Y(0) = a + b \Rightarrow b = -a$$

$$Y = a(e^{-2X} - 1)$$

MATCH:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} y(x) = \lim_{X \rightarrow \infty} Y(X)$$

$$e^{\tan^{-1} 1} = -a$$

$$-e^{\frac{\pi}{4}} = a$$

SOLUTION:

$$y(x) + Y\left(\frac{x-1}{\epsilon}\right) - e^{\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

$$= e^{\tan^{-1} x} - e^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \left(e^{\frac{x-1}{\epsilon}} - 1 \right) - e^{\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

$$= e^{\tan^{-1} x} - e^{\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{x-1}{\epsilon}}$$

S'014 #5

$$\int_0^1 e^{ixt^2} dt$$

lowest period @ $t=0$:

$$\sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2x}} e^{i(x \cdot 0^2 + \frac{\pi}{4})}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2x}} e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

S'014 #6

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[c^2(x) \frac{dh}{dx} \right] + \omega^2 h = 0$$

For a good approximation, need $\omega \gg \|c\|_\infty$

$$c^2 h'' + c c' h' + \omega^2 h = 0$$

$$h = \exp(\omega u_0 + u_1)$$

$$c^2 \left[(\omega u_0'' + u_1'') + (\omega u_0' + u_1')^2 \right] + c c' (\omega u_0' + u_1') + \omega^2 = 0$$

$O(\omega^2)$:

$$c^2 (u_0')^2 + 1 = 0$$

$$u_0' = \pm i c$$

$$u_0 = A \pm i \int c(t) dt$$

$$O(\omega): c^2 u_0'' + 2c^2 u_0' u_1' + c c' u_0' = 0$$

$$\pm i c^2 c' \pm 2i c^3 u_1' \pm i c^2 c' = 0$$

$$c^3 u_1' + c^2 c' = 0$$

$$u_1' = -\frac{c'}{c}$$

$$u_1 = B + \ln c$$

$$h = \exp\left(A\omega \pm i\omega \int c(t) dt + B + \ln c\right)$$

$$h(x) = c(x) \exp\left(A\omega + B \pm i\omega \int c(t) dt\right)$$

as $c \rightarrow c_\pm$

$$h(x) \rightarrow c_\pm \exp(A\omega + B) \exp(\pm i\omega c_\pm x)$$

$$\text{wavelengths} = \frac{2\pi}{\omega c_\pm}$$

$$h_- = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} |h(x)| = c_- \exp(A\omega + B) \Rightarrow \exp(A\omega + B) = \frac{h_-}{c_-}$$

$$h_+ = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} |h(x)| = c_+ \exp(A\omega + B) = \frac{c_+}{c_-} h_-$$