

## TATM38, Exercises on time continuous models

### 1D population models

Consider the population models  $\frac{dN}{dt} = Ng(N)$  for the following expressions of  $g(N)$ . Find the steady states. Determine their local stability. Draw the phase line. Sketch the solution  $N(t)$  as a function of  $t$  for different initial values  $N(0)$ . What happens as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ ?

Note: by separation of variables, you might be able to find an explicit solution, but it is not needed in order to answer the above questions.

1.  $g(N) = \frac{r}{\alpha + N}$ ,  $r > 0$  and  $\alpha > 0$  constants
2.  $g(N) = -\alpha \ln N$ ,  $\alpha > 0$  constant (Gompertz model for tumor growth)
3.  $g(N) = r(K - N)(N - M)$ ,  $r > 0$  and  $0 < M < K$  constants (model with allee effect).  
For what value of  $N(t)$  is the relative growth  $N'(t)/N(t)$  maximal?

### Steady states, Jacobian, linear systems

Numbers in parenthesis refer to the book E-K.

4. (4.16c)  
Find all steady states of  $\begin{cases} x' = x - x^2 - xy = F(x, y) \\ y' = y(1 - y) = G(x, y) \end{cases}$  and determine the Jacobians at these points.
5. (4.18a with extras)
  - a) Solve  $x''(t) + 3x'(t) + 2x(t) = 0$  with initial conditions  $x(0) = 1$ ,  $x'(0) = 1$
  - b) Put  $y(t) = x'(t)$  and write the equation as a system  $\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = A \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$   
What does  $\text{Tr}A$  and  $\det A$  say about solutions as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ ?  
Solve the system by finding eigenvalues and eigenvectors of  $A$ . Impose also the initial conditions.
6. (4.22d with extras)
  - a) Solve the system  $\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 4 \\ -2 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$
  - b) Find a second-order ODE for  $x(t)$  from the system and solve it.
7. Solve the system  $\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 5 \\ -2 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$ . Write the solution on real form.

## Phase planes of linear systems

The problems 8 - 12 are from 5.7 in the book E-K or similar. For each of the linear systems below,

- what does the trace and determinant of the matrix imply?
- classify the stability characteristic of the steady state at  $(0,0)$
- for large  $t$ , what can you say about the solution?
- find the solution curve that begins at  $(x(0), y(0)) = (1, 0)$
- plot the phase plane with Wolfram Alpha or some other program. In Wolfram Alpha, for problem 8, use "streamplot  $(3x+2y, 4x+y)$ " or, if you want to choose interval, e.g., "streamplot  $(3x+2y, 4x+y)$   $x=-3..3$   $y=-2..2$ "

$$8. \quad \begin{cases} x' = 3x + 2y \\ y' = 4x + y \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 4 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$

$$9. \quad \begin{cases} x' = 2x + y \\ y' = x + 2y \end{cases}$$

$$10. \quad \begin{cases} x' = -x + 4y \\ y' = -x - y \end{cases}$$

$$11. \quad \begin{cases} x' = -2y \\ y' = x \end{cases}$$

$$12.* \quad \begin{cases} x' = -3x + 4y \\ y' = -x + y \end{cases} \quad (\text{only one eigenvector, see notes on linear systems})$$

## Phase planes for non-linear systems

(Problems 5.5-5.6 adbe in the book E-K.)

For the following dynamical systems; find all steady states and determine their stability. Draw a phase plane picture with nullclines and directions of the vector field.

$$13. \quad \begin{cases} x' = y^2 - x^2 \\ y' = x - 1 \end{cases}$$

$$14. \quad \begin{cases} x' = -xy \\ y' = (1+x)(1-y) \end{cases}$$

$$15. \quad \begin{cases} x' = x(y^2 - y) \\ y' = x - y \end{cases}$$

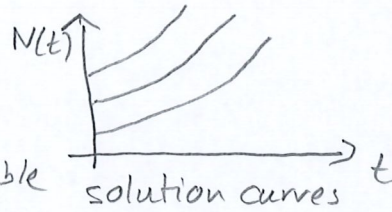
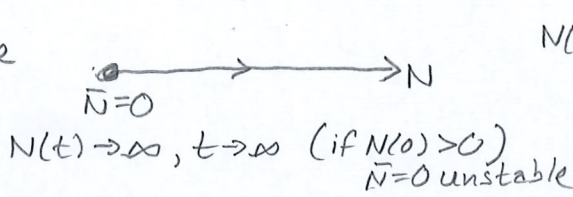
$$16. \quad \begin{cases} x' = x^2 - y \\ y' = y^2 - x \end{cases}$$

# SOLUTIONS, 1D POPULATION MODELS

1.  $N' = f(N) = Ng(N) = \frac{rN}{\alpha + N}$

Steady states:  $\frac{r\bar{N}}{\alpha + \bar{N}} = 0 \Rightarrow \bar{N} = 0$ . For  $N > 0$  we have  $N' = f(N) > 0$

Phase line



For  $N$  large:  
 $N' = \frac{rN}{\alpha + N} \approx \frac{rN}{N} = r$   
 constant slope

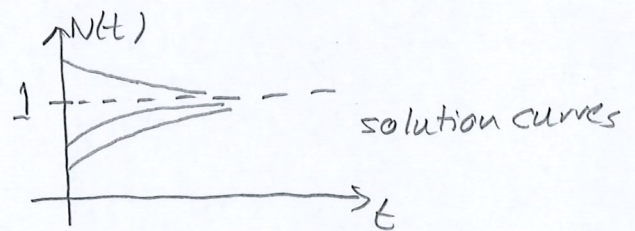
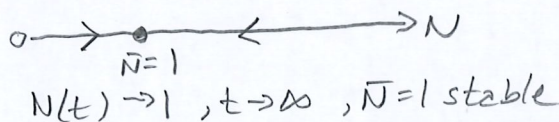
Stability check with sign of  $f'(\bar{N})$ :

$$f'(N) = \frac{r(\alpha + N) - 1 \cdot rN}{(\alpha + N)^2} = \frac{r\alpha}{(\alpha + N)^2} \Rightarrow f'(0) = \frac{r\alpha}{\alpha^2} = \frac{r}{\alpha} > 0 \Rightarrow \bar{N} = 0 \text{ unstable}$$

2.  $N' = f(N) = Ng(N) = -\alpha N \ln N$  ( $N > 0$  but  $N \ln N \rightarrow 0, N \rightarrow 0^+$ )

Steady states  $\bar{N} \ln \bar{N} = 0 \Rightarrow \bar{N} = 1$

Phase line



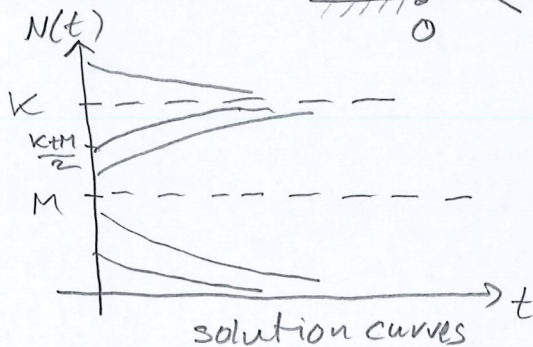
Extra check:  $f'(N) = -\alpha \ln N - \alpha N \cdot \frac{1}{N} = -\alpha \ln N - \alpha \Rightarrow f'(1) = -\alpha < 0 \Rightarrow \bar{N} = 1$  stable

3.  $N' = f(N) = Ng(N) = rN(k-N)(N-M)$ ,  $r > 0, 0 < M < k$

$$g(N) = (k-N)(N-M) = -N^2 - (M+k)N - kM = -(N - \frac{M+k}{2})^2 + (\frac{M+k}{2})^2$$

Steady states:  $r\bar{N}(k-\bar{N})(\bar{N}-M) = 0 \Rightarrow \bar{N}_1 = 0, \bar{N}_2 = M, \bar{N}_3 = k$

Phase line



$$N(t) \rightarrow \begin{cases} k & \text{if } N(0) > M \\ 0 & \text{if } N(0) < M \\ M & \text{if } N(0) = M \end{cases}$$

$\bar{N}_1 = 0$  and  $\bar{N}_3 = k$  stable  
 $\bar{N}_2 = M$  unstable

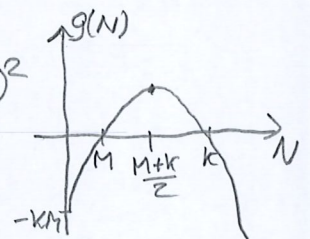
$\frac{N'}{N} = r(k-N)(N-M) = g(N)$  is maximal for  $N = \frac{M+k}{2}$

Extra check  $f'(N) = r(k-N)(N-M) - rN(N-M) + rN(k-N) \Rightarrow$

$f'(0) = -rkM < 0 \Rightarrow \bar{N}_1 = 0$  stable

$f'(M) = rM(k-M) > 0 \Rightarrow \bar{N}_2 = M$  unstable

$f'(k) = -rk(k-M) < 0 \Rightarrow \bar{N}_3 = k$  stable



## Solutions, steady states, Jacobian, linear systems

4. Steady states are given by  $\begin{cases} F(x, y) = x - x^2 - xy = 0 & (1) \\ G(x, y) = y(1 - y) = 0 & (2) \end{cases}$

(2)  $\Rightarrow y = 0$  or  $y = 1$ .  $y = 0$  in (1)  $\Rightarrow x = 0$  or  $x = 1$ .  $y = 1$  in (1)  $\Rightarrow x = 0$ . We get 3 steady states,  $(x_1, y_1) = (0, 0)$ ,  $(x_2, y_2) = (1, 0)$ ,  $(x_3, y_3) = (0, 1)$ .

The Jacobian matrix is  $J(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} F'_x & F'_y \\ G'_x & G'_y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - 2x - y & -x \\ 0 & 1 - 2y \end{pmatrix}$

At the steady states,  $J(0, 0) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $J(1, 0) = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $J(0, 1) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$

5. a) Characteristic equation is  $r^2 + 3r + 2 = 0 \Rightarrow r_1 = -1, r_2 = -2 \Rightarrow$

the general solution is  $x(t) = c_1 e^{-t} + c_2 e^{-2t}$ .

The initial conditions [use  $x'(t) = -c_1 e^{-t} - 2c_2 e^{-2t}$ ] give  $\begin{cases} x(0) = c_1 + c_2 = 1 \\ x'(0) = -c_1 - 2c_2 = 1 \end{cases} \Rightarrow c_1 = 3, c_2 = -2$

and the solution is  $x(t) = 3e^{-t} - 2e^{-2t}$ .

b)  $y = x' \Rightarrow x'' = y'$  and  $x'' = -3x' - 2x \Leftrightarrow y' = -3y - 2x$ .

The ODE for  $x(t)$  is equivalent to the system  $\underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix}}_{=A} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -2 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$

$\text{tr}A = -3 < 0$  and  $\det A = 2 > 0$  imply that solutions  $\rightarrow 0$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ .

Eigenvalues to  $A$ :  $\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & 1 \\ -2 & -3 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 + 3\lambda + 2 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = -1, \lambda_2 = -2$

Eigenvectors:  $(A + I)\bar{v}_1 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -2 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \bar{v}_1 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \bar{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$

$(A + 2I)\bar{v}_2 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -2 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \bar{v}_2 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \bar{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$

General solution to the system is  $\begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{pmatrix} = k_1 e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + k_2 e^{-2t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$

The initial conditions  $\begin{pmatrix} x(0) \\ y(0) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x(0) \\ x'(0) \end{pmatrix} = k_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + k_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} k_1 + k_2 \\ -k_1 - 2k_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow$

$k_1 = 3, k_2 = -2$  and the solution is  $\begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{pmatrix} = 3e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - 2e^{-2t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$

On the first row here we see  $x(t) = 3e^{-t} - 2e^{-2t}$  as before.

6. a) Eigenvalues:  $\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -1 - \lambda & 4 \\ -2 & 5 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 - 4\lambda + 3 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 3, \lambda_2 = 1$

Eigenvectors:  $(A - 3I)\bar{v}_1 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -4 & 4 \\ -2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \bar{v}_1 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \bar{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$(A - I)\bar{v}_2 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 4 \\ -2 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \bar{v}_2 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \bar{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

General solution to the system is  $\begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{pmatrix} = c_1 e^{3t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^t \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  or  $\begin{cases} x(t) = c_1 e^{3t} + 2c_2 e^t \\ y(t) = c_1 e^{3t} + c_2 e^t \end{cases}$

b)  $x' = -x + 4y \Rightarrow x'' = -x' + 4y' = -x' + 4(-2x + 5y) = -x' - 8x + 20 \cdot \frac{x' + x}{4} = 4x' - 3x \Rightarrow$

the ODE for  $x(t)$  is  $x''(t) - 4x'(t) + 3x(t) = 0$ .

Characteristic equation is  $r^2 - 4r + 3 = 0 \Rightarrow r_1 = 3, r_2 = 1 \Rightarrow$

the general solution is  $x(t) = k_1 e^{3t} + k_2 e^t$  (note that compared to above  $k_1 = c_1$  but  $k_2 = 2c_2$ ).

7. Eigenvalues:  $\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -1 - \lambda & 5 \\ -2 & 5 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 - 4\lambda + 5 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_{1,2} = 2 \pm i$

Eigenvectors:  $(A - (2 + i)I)\bar{v}_1 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -3 - i & 5 \\ -2 & 3 - i \end{pmatrix} \bar{v}_1 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \bar{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 3 + i \end{pmatrix}$

$(A - (2 - i)I)\bar{v}_2 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -3 + i & 5 \\ -2 & 3 + i \end{pmatrix} \bar{v}_2 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \bar{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 3 - i \end{pmatrix}$

General solution to the system is  $\begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{pmatrix} = c_1 e^{(2+i)t} \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 3+i \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^{(2-i)t} \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 3-i \end{pmatrix} =$   
 $= e^{2t} [c_1 (\cos t + i \sin t) \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + i c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 (\cos t - i \sin t) \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} - i c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}] =$   
 $= e^{2t} [\underbrace{(c_1 + c_2)}_{=k_1} (\cos t \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} - \sin t \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}) + \underbrace{i(c_1 - c_2)}_{=k_2} (\cos t \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \sin t \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix})] =$   
 $= e^{2t} \begin{pmatrix} 5k_1 \cos t + 5k_2 \sin t \\ (3k_1 + k_2) \cos t + (3k_2 - k_1) \sin t \end{pmatrix} \quad (\text{real expression if } k_1 \text{ and } k_2 \text{ real})$

Hence, we get  $\begin{cases} x(t) = 5c_1 e^{(2+i)t} + 5c_2 e^{(2-i)t} = e^{2t}(5k_1 \cos t + 5k_2 \sin t) \\ y(t) = (3+i)c_1 e^{(2+i)t} + (3-i)c_2 e^{(2-i)t} = e^{2t}((3k_1 + k_2) \cos t + (3k_2 - k_1) \sin t) \end{cases}$

### Solutions, phase planes of linear systems (plots to 8-12 follow after the solution of 12)

8.  $\det A = -5 < 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_1 > 0, \lambda_2 < 0 \Rightarrow$  saddle point

Eigenvalues to  $A$ :  $\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} 3-\lambda & 2 \\ 4 & 1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 - 4\lambda - 5 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 5 > 0, \lambda_2 = -1 < 0 \Rightarrow$   
saddle point

Eigenvectors:  $(A - 5I)\bar{v}_1 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ 4 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \bar{v}_1 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \bar{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$(A + I)\bar{v}_2 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \bar{v}_2 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \bar{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$

General solution to the system is  $\begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{pmatrix} = c_1 e^{5t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$  or  $\begin{cases} x(t) = c_1 e^{5t} + c_2 e^{-t} \\ y(t) = c_1 e^{5t} - 2c_2 e^{-t} \end{cases}$

For large  $t$ ,  $\begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{pmatrix} \approx c_1 e^{5t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  (if  $c_1 \neq 0$ ), so  $y \approx x$

The initial condition  $\begin{pmatrix} x(0) \\ y(0) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 + c_2 \\ c_1 - 2c_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2/3 \\ 1/3 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x(t) = \frac{2}{3}e^{5t} + \frac{1}{3}e^{-t} \\ y(t) = \frac{2}{3}e^{5t} - \frac{2}{3}e^{-t} \end{cases}$

9.  $\text{Tr} A = 4 > 0, \det A = 3 > 0 \Rightarrow \text{Re}\lambda_{1,2} > 0 \Rightarrow$  unstable (not yet clear if spiral)

Eigenvalues to  $A$ :  $\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} 2-\lambda & 1 \\ 1 & 2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 - 4\lambda + 3 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 3 > 0, \lambda_2 = 1 > 0 \Rightarrow$  un-  
stable and no spiral

Eigenvectors:  $(A - 3I)\bar{v}_1 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \bar{v}_1 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \bar{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$(A - I)\bar{v}_2 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \bar{v}_2 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \bar{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$

General solution to the system is  $\begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{pmatrix} = c_1 e^{3t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$  or  $\begin{cases} x(t) = c_1 e^{3t} + c_2 e^t \\ y(t) = c_1 e^{3t} - c_2 e^t \end{cases}$

For large  $t$ ,  $\begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{pmatrix}$  is dominated by  $c_1 e^{3t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  (if  $c_1 \neq 0$ ), so  $y/x \approx 1$

The initial condition  $\begin{pmatrix} x(0) \\ y(0) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 + c_2 \\ c_1 - c_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/2 \\ 1/2 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x(t) = \frac{1}{2}(e^{3t} + e^t) \\ y(t) = \frac{1}{2}(e^{3t} - e^t) \end{cases}$

10.  $\text{Tr} A = -2 < 0, \det A = 5 > 0 \Rightarrow \text{Re}\lambda_{1,2} < 0 \Rightarrow$  stable (not yet clear if spiral)

Eigenvalues to  $A$ :  $\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -1-\lambda & 4 \\ -1 & -1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 + 2\lambda + 5 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_{1,2} = -1 \pm 2i \Rightarrow$  stable  
spiral ( $\text{Re}\lambda_{1,2} < 0$ )

Eigenvectors:  $(A - (-1 + 2i)I)\bar{v}_1 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -2i & 4 \\ -1 & -2i \end{pmatrix} \bar{v}_1 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \bar{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -2i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$(A - (-1 - 2i)I)\bar{v}_2 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 2i & 4 \\ -1 & 2i \end{pmatrix} \bar{v}_2 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \bar{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 2i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

General solution to the system is  $\begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{pmatrix} = c_1 e^{(-1+2i)t} \begin{pmatrix} -2i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^{(-1-2i)t} \begin{pmatrix} 2i \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} =$   
 $= e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 2k_1 \sin 2t - 2k_2 \cos 2t \\ k_1 \cos 2t + k_2 \sin 2t \end{pmatrix}$  or  $\begin{cases} x(t) = e^{-t}(2k_1 \sin 2t - 2k_2 \cos 2t) \\ y(t) = e^{-t}(k_1 \cos 2t + k_2 \sin 2t) \end{cases} \quad (k_1 = c_1 + c_2, k_2 = i(c_1 - c_2))$

For large  $t$ ,  $\begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$  along a spiral

The initial condition  $\begin{pmatrix} x(0) \\ y(0) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2k_2 \\ k_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} k_1 \\ k_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1/2 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x(t) = e^{-t} \cos 2t \\ y(t) = -\frac{1}{2} e^{-t} \sin 2t \end{cases}$

11.  $\text{Tr}A = 0$ ,  $\det A = 2 > 0 \Rightarrow$  neutral steady state

Eigenvalues to  $A$ :  $\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & -2 \\ 1 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 + 2 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_{1,2} = \pm i\sqrt{2} \Rightarrow$  neutral

Eigenvectors:  $(A - (i\sqrt{2})I)\bar{v}_1 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -i\sqrt{2} & -2 \\ 1 & -i\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix} \bar{v}_1 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \bar{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} i\sqrt{2} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$(A - (-i\sqrt{2})I)\bar{v}_2 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} i\sqrt{2} & -2 \\ 1 & i\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix} \bar{v}_2 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \bar{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -i\sqrt{2} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

General solution to the system is  $\begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{pmatrix} = c_1 e^{i\sqrt{2}t} \begin{pmatrix} i\sqrt{2} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^{-i\sqrt{2}t} \begin{pmatrix} -i\sqrt{2} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} =$   
 $= \begin{pmatrix} -\sqrt{2}k_1 \sin \sqrt{2}t + \sqrt{2}k_2 \cos \sqrt{2}t \\ k_1 \cos \sqrt{2}t + k_2 \sin \sqrt{2}t \end{pmatrix} \quad (k_1 = c_1 + c_2, k_2 = i(c_1 - c_2))$

For all  $t$ ,  $\begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{pmatrix}$  moves along the ellipse  $x^2 + 2y^2 = 2(k_1^2 + k_2^2)$  (calculate  $x^2 + 2y^2$ !),

one loop in  $\frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{2}}$  time units. To see that  $x^2 + 2y^2$  is constant for solutions:

$$\frac{d}{dt}(x^2 + 2y^2) = 2xx' + 4yy' = 2x(-2y) + 4yx = 0$$

The initial condition  $\begin{pmatrix} x(0) \\ y(0) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{2}k_2 \\ k_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} k_1 \\ k_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x(t) = \cos \sqrt{2}t \\ y(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin \sqrt{2}t \end{cases}$

12.  $\text{Tr}A = -2 < 0$ ,  $\det A = 1 > 0 \Rightarrow$  stable (not yet clear if spiral)

Eigenvalues to  $A$ :  $\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -3 - \lambda & 4 \\ -1 & 1 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 + 2\lambda + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = -1 < 0 \Rightarrow$  stable and no spiral

Eigenvectors:  $(A + I)\bar{v}_1 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 4 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \bar{v}_1 = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \bar{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  (only one eigenvector)

Take, e.g.,  $\bar{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow (A + I)\bar{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = (-1)\bar{v}_1 \Rightarrow$  (see notes)

General solution to the system is  $\begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{pmatrix} = e^{-t}[(c_2 - c_1 t) \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}] = e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} c_1 + 2c_2 - 2c_1 t \\ c_2 - c_1 t \end{pmatrix}$

For large  $t$ ,  $\begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{pmatrix} \approx -c_1 t e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

The initial condition  $\begin{pmatrix} x(0) \\ y(0) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 + 2c_2 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x(t) = (1 - 2t)e^{-t} \\ y(t) = -te^{-t} \end{cases}$

Plot 8,

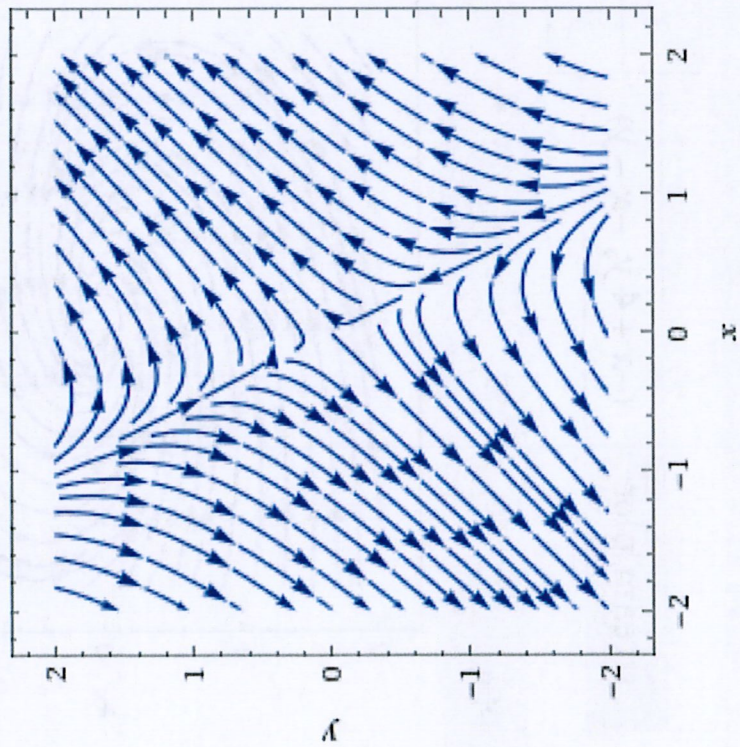
Input interpretation:

stream plot  $(3x + 2y, 4x + y)$

$x = -2$  to  $2$

$y = -2$  to  $2$

Plot:



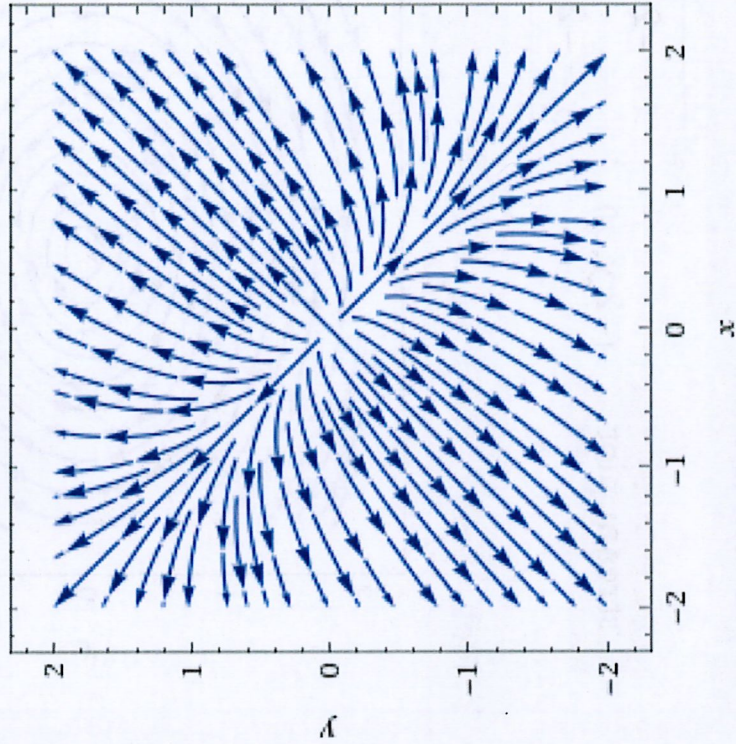
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stream plot  $(2x + y, x + 2y)$

$x = -2$  to  $2$

$y = -2$  to  $2$

Plot:



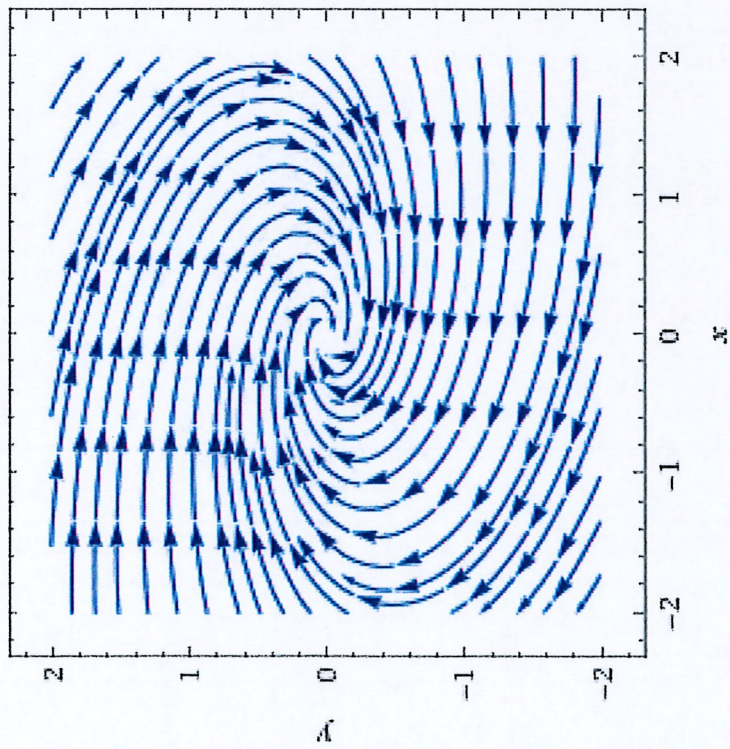
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stream plot  $(-x + 4y, -x - y)$

$x = -2$  to  $2$

$y = -2$  to  $2$

Plot:



11.

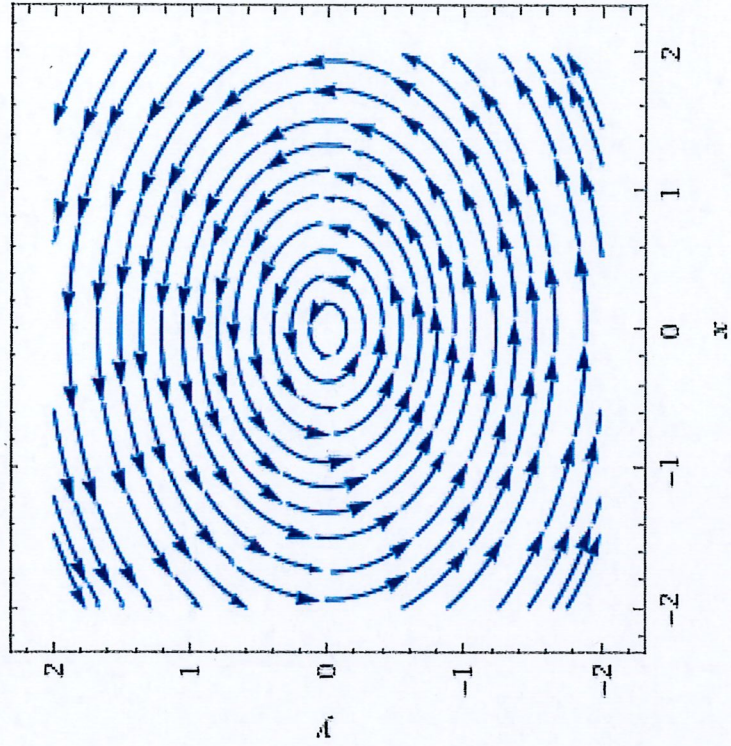
Input interpretation:

stream plot  $(-2y, x)$

$x = -2$  to  $2$

$y = -2$  to  $2$

Plot:





12.

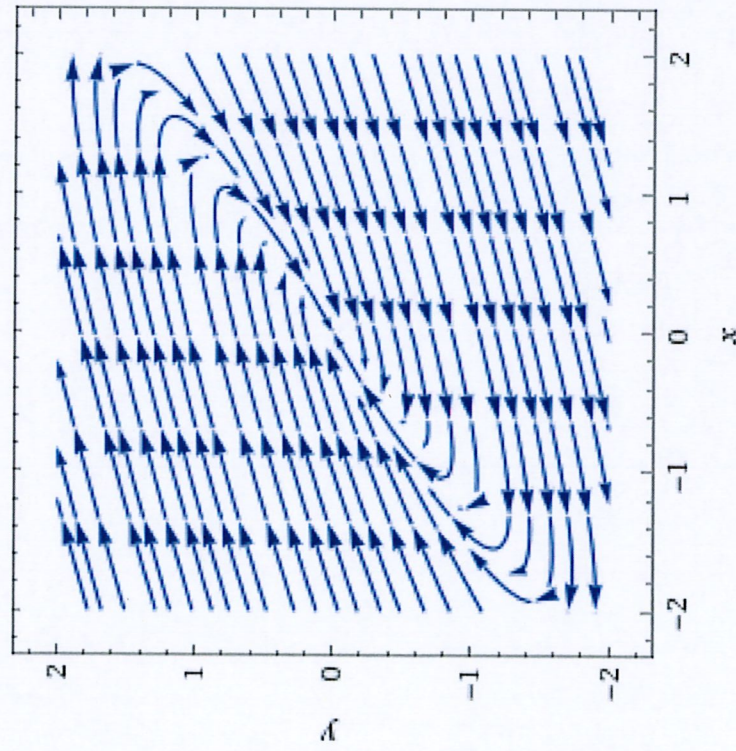
stream plot

$$(-3x + 4y, -x + y)$$

$$x = -2 \text{ to } 2$$

$$y = -2 \text{ to } 2$$

Plot:

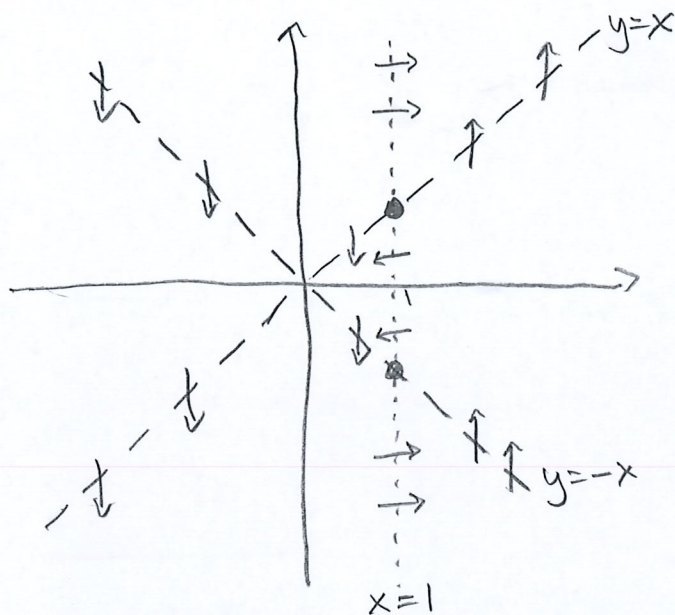


Solutions, phase planes for non-linear systems (separate plots after)

13. (EK 5.5-6a)  $\begin{cases} x' = y^2 - x^2 = F_1(x,y) \\ y' = x - 1 = F_2(x,y) \end{cases}$

x nullclines  $F_1(x,y) = y^2 - x^2 = 0 \Rightarrow y = \pm x$  two lines

y nullclines  $F_2(x,y) = x - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 1$  vertical line



steady states  $\begin{cases} F_1(x,y) = 0 \\ F_2(x,y) = 0 \end{cases}$

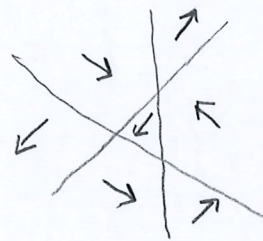
$\Rightarrow (x_1, y_1) = (1, 1), (x_2, y_2) = (1, -1)$

Draw  $\vec{F} = (F_1, F_2)$  on nullclines

On  $F_1 = 0$ ,  $\vec{F} = (0, F_2)$ ,  $F_2$   $\begin{cases} > 0 \text{ if } x > 1 \\ < 0 \text{ if } x < 1 \end{cases}$   
vertical

On  $F_2 = 0$ ,  $\vec{F} = (F_1, 0)$ ,  $F_1$   $\begin{cases} > 0 \text{ if } y^2 > x^2 \\ < 0 \text{ if } y^2 < x^2 \end{cases}$   
horizontal

$(1, 1)$  looks unstable (saddle)  
 $(1, -1)$  unclear, some spiral



directions of  $\vec{F}$

Check also wolfram plot

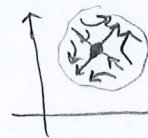
Check Jacobians

$$J(x,y) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial y} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2x & 2y \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

At  $(x_1, y_1) = (1, 1)$ :  $J(1, 1) = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = J_1$ ,  $\det J_1 = -2 < 0 \Rightarrow$  saddle (unstable)

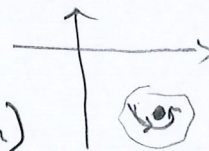
or  $\lambda_{1,2} = -1 \pm \sqrt{3}$ ,  $\lambda_1 > 0, \lambda_2 < 0 \Rightarrow$  saddle

(can study eigenvectors to get more info.)



At  $(x_2, y_2) = (1, -1)$ :  $J(1, -1) = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , eigenvalues  $\lambda_{1,2} = -1 \pm i$

$\text{Re}(\lambda_{1,2}) = -1 < 0 \Rightarrow$  stable spiral

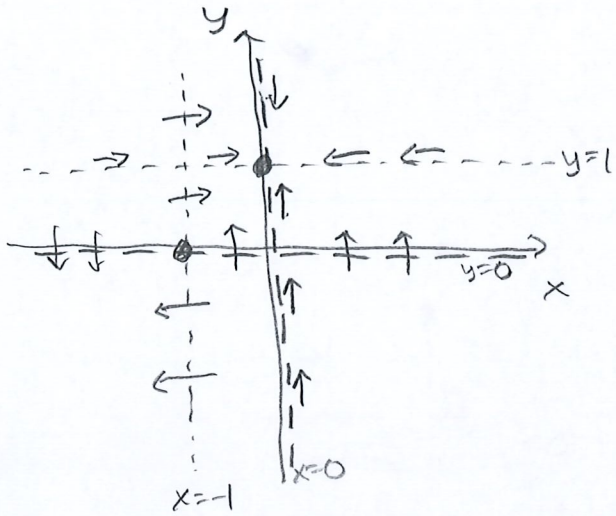


(difficult to see spiral on plots  $\rightarrow$  try to zoom in)

14. (EK 5.5-6d)  $\begin{cases} x' = -xy = F_1(x,y) \\ y' = (1+x)(1-y) = F_2(x,y) \end{cases}$

x nullclines  $-xy = 0 \Rightarrow x=0$  or  $y=0$  (coordinates axes)

y nullclines  $(1+x)(1-y) = 0 \Rightarrow x=-1$  or  $y=1$  (two lines)



Two steady states:  $(0,1), (-1,0)$

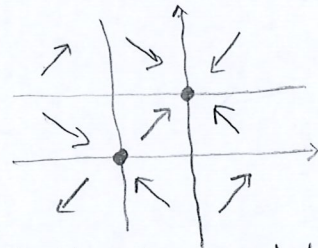
Draw

$\bar{F} = (0, F_2) = (0, (1+x)(1-y))$  on  $x=0$  and  $y=0$

$\bar{F} = (F_1, 0) = (-xy, 0)$  on  $x=-1$  and  $y=1$

$(0,1)$  looks stable

$(-1,0)$  ?



$$J(x,y) = \begin{pmatrix} -y & -x \\ 1-y & -1-x \end{pmatrix}$$

$$J(0,1) = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = -1 < 0 \Rightarrow (0,1) \text{ stable steady state}$$

(all vectors are eigenvectors)

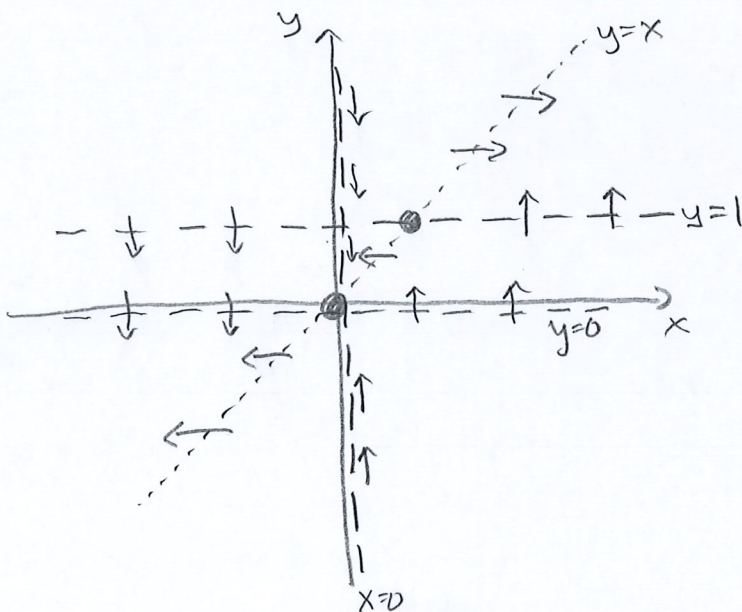
$$J(-1,0) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 1 > 0, \lambda_2 = -1 < 0 \Rightarrow (-1,0) \text{ saddle (unstable)}$$

see also Wolfram plot

15. (EK 5.5-6b)  $\begin{cases} x' = x(y^2 - y) \\ y' = x - y \end{cases}$

x nullclines  $x(y^2 - y) = 0 \Rightarrow x=0, y=0, y=1$ , 3 lines (2 are coord. axes)

y nullclines  $x - y = 0 \Rightarrow y = x$ , line

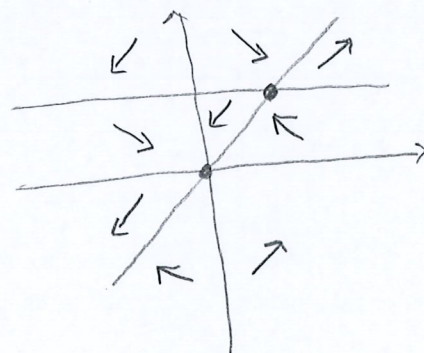


Steady states  $(0,0), (1,1)$

Draw

$\bar{F} = (0, x-y)$  on  $y=0, y=1, x=0$

$\bar{F} = (xy(y-1), 0)$  on  $y=x$



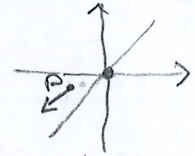
3 cont.  $J(x,y) = \begin{pmatrix} y^2 - y & x(2y-1) \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow$

$J(1,1) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \lambda_{1,2} = -\frac{1}{2} \pm \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$ ,  $\lambda_1 > 0, \lambda_2 < 0 \Rightarrow$  saddle (unstable)

$J(0,0) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 0, \lambda_2 = -1$ .  $\lambda_1 = 0 \Rightarrow$  unclear, could be stable or like a saddle

Picture indicates that if  $x(0)$  and  $y(0)$  negative, and  $x(0)$  more negative, we move away from  $(0,0)$ . Take  $P = (-2\varepsilon, -\varepsilon)$

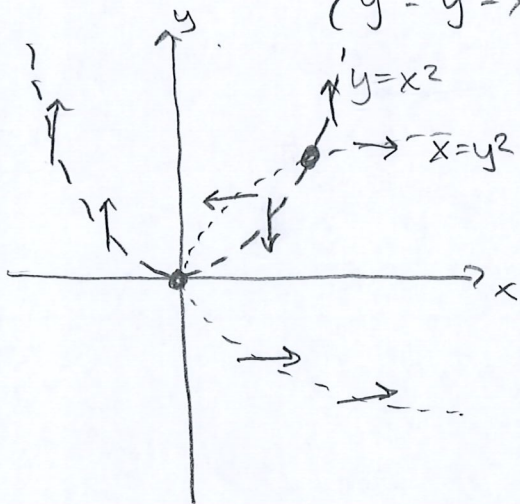
At  $P$ :  $(x', y') = (\underbrace{-2\varepsilon(\varepsilon^2 + \varepsilon)}_{< 0}, \underbrace{-2\varepsilon + \varepsilon}_{< 0}) \Rightarrow$  we move away from  $(0,0)$  for all  $\varepsilon > 0$



$\Rightarrow (0,0)$  unstable

16. (EK 5.5-6e)  $\begin{cases} x' = x^2 - y \\ y' = y^2 - x \end{cases}$

$x$  nullcline:  $y = x^2$   
 $y$  nullcline:  $x = y^2$

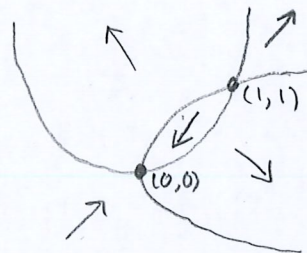


Steady states at  $(0,0), (1,1)$

Draw

$\vec{F} = (0, y^2 - x)$  on  $y = x^2$

$\vec{F} = (x^2 - y, 0)$  on  $x = y^2$



$J(x,y) = \begin{pmatrix} 2x & -1 \\ -1 & 2y \end{pmatrix}$

$J(1,1) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = J_1$ ,  $\text{Tr } J_1 = 4 > 0$ ,  $\det J_1 = 3 > 0 \Rightarrow$  unstable  
 (or  $\lambda_1 = 3 > 0, \lambda_2 = 1 > 0 \Rightarrow$  unstable)

$J(0,0) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = J_2$ ,  $\det J_2 = -1 < 0 \Rightarrow$  saddle (unstable)

$\lambda_1 = 1, v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$  outgoing,  $\lambda_2 = -1, v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  incoming

See also separate plots

14.

`streamplot([-x*y,(1+x)(1-y)], [x,-3,2], [y,-2,3])`



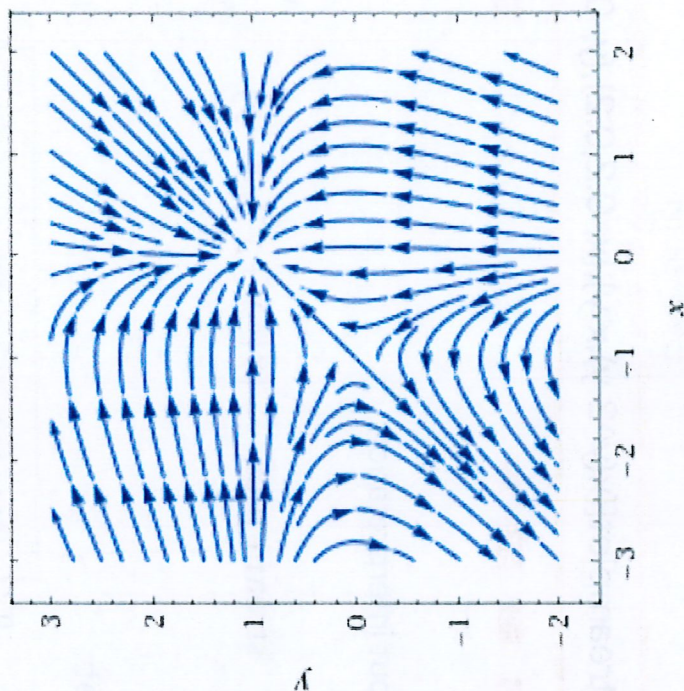
Input interpretation:

stream plot  $(-x y, (1+x)(1-y))$

$x = -3$  to  $2$

$y = -2$  to  $3$

Plot:



Plot 13.

`streamplot([y^2-x^2,x-1], [x,-1,3], [y,-3,3])`



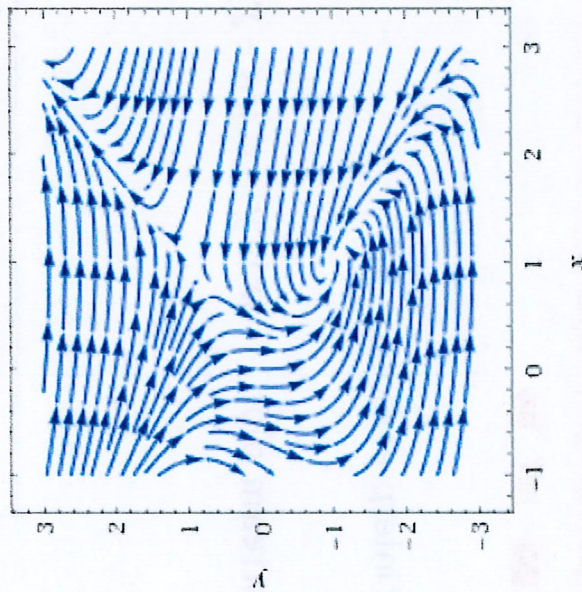
Input interpretation:

stream plot  $(y^2 - x^2, x - 1)$

$x = -1$  to  $3$

$y = -3$  to  $3$

Plot:



15.

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streamplot([x(y^2-y),x-y],[x,-1,2],[y,-1,2])
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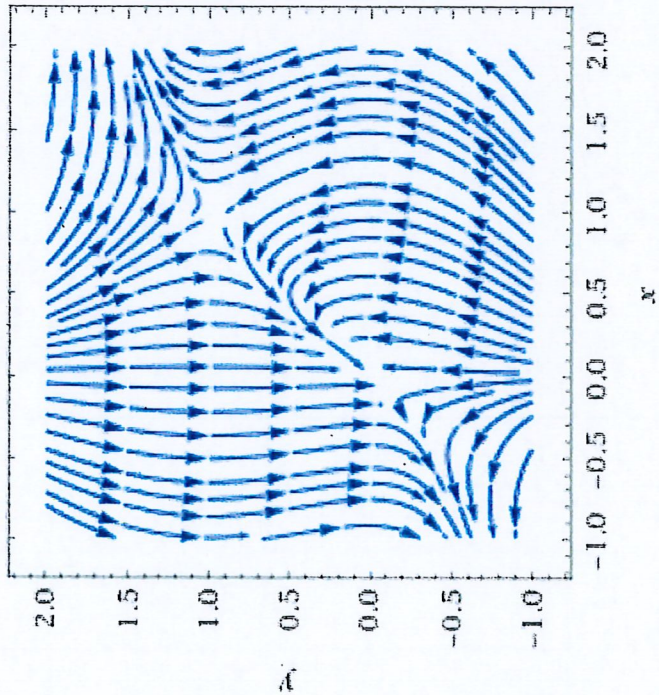
Input interpretation:

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stream plot (x(-y + y^2), x - y)
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x = -1 to 2

y = -1 to 2

Plot:



15 zoomed in .

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streamplot([x(y^2-y),x-y],[x,-0.2,0.2],[y,-0.2,0.2])
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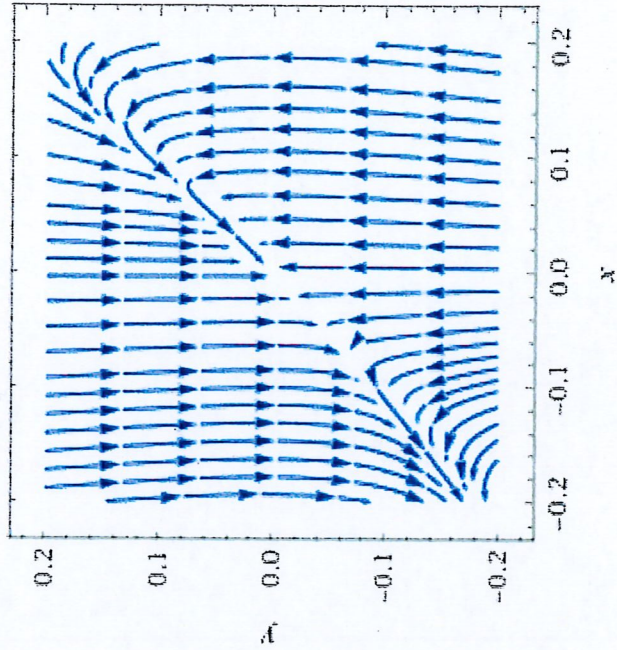
Input interpretation:

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stream plot (x(-y + y^2), x - y)
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x = -0.2 to 0.2

y = -0.2 to 0.2

Plot:



16.

stream plot

$$(x^2 - y, -x + y^2)$$

$$x = -2 \text{ to } 3$$

$$y = -2 \text{ to } 3$$

Plot:

