

3.1 Lorenz model

a)

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(*Createing system and evaluate the jacobian matrix(1)*)
system = {σ*(y-x), r*x-y-x*z, x*y-b*z};
dots = {x, y, z};
jacobian[x_, y_, z_, σ_, b_, r_] = Grad[system, dots]
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Out[8]= {{-σ, σ, 0}, {r-z, -1, -x}, {y, x, -b}}
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(*putting in the values, x, y and z should be zero since
we want the fixed points*)
sol = jacobian[0, 0, 0, 10, 8/3, 28]
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Out[9]= {{-10, 10, 0}, {28, -1, 0}, {0, 0, - $\frac{8}{3}$ }}
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In[10]:= (*We see above that there exist three fixed points
Now its time to investigate how many that are stable*)
eigenVals = Eigenvalues[sol];
N[eigenVals]
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Out[10]= {-22.8277, 11.8277, -2.66667}
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(* We can se above that there is two negative eigenvalues and one positive,
so we have a unstable saddle point *)
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b)

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(*Setting the values for the constants and start value*)
bVal = 8 / 3;
rVal = 28;
σVal = 10;
startVal = 0.01;
(*Setting up the equations and use NDSolve to solve it numerically*)
eqns = {x'[t] == σVal * (y[t] - x[t]), y'[t] == rVal * x[t] - y[t] - x[t] * z[t],
        z'[t] == x[t] * y[t] - bVal * z[t], x[0] == startVal, y[0] == startVal, z[0] == startVal};
solution = NDSolve[eqns, {x, y, z}, {t, 0, 2000}]
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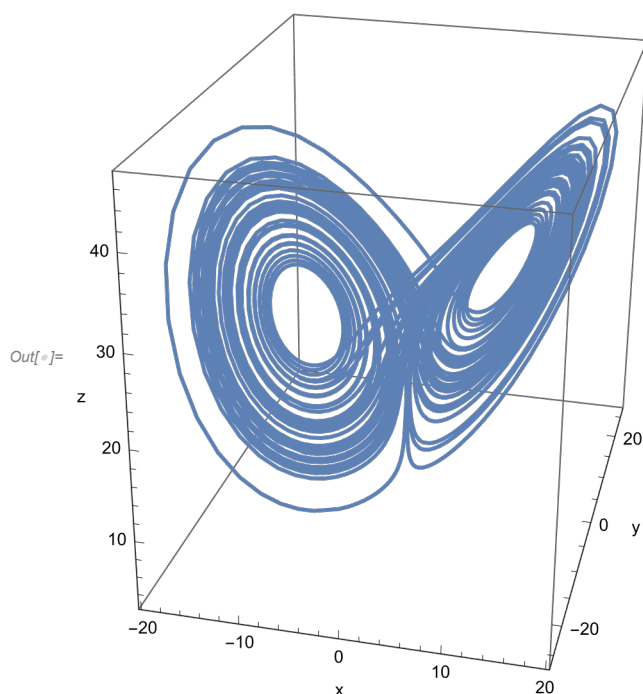
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z → InterpolatingFunction[ Domain: {{0., 2.00 × 10³}} Output: scalar]] }

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(*Taking out the solutions for x, y and z and plot it*)
ParametricPlot3D[Evaluate[{x[t], y[t], z[t]} /. solution],
  {t, 100, 150}, AxesLabel → {"x", "y", "z"}]
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c)

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In[2]:= (*Createing system and evaluate the jacobian matrix(1)*)
system = {σ * (y - x), r * x - y - x * z, x * y - b * z};
dots = {x, y, z};
jacobian[x_, y_, z_, σ_, b_, r_] = Grad[system, dots] // MatrixForm
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Out[4]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} -\sigma & \sigma & 0 \\ r - z & -1 & -x \\ y & x & -b \end{pmatrix}$$

d)

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(*Creating the jacobian again and then take the trace of it*)
jacobian[x_, y_, z_, σ_, b_, r_] = Grad[system, dots]
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In[13]:= {{-σ, σ, 0}, {r - z, -1, -x}, {y, x, -b}}
Tr[jacobian[x, y, z, σ, b, r]]
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Out[13]= {{-σ, σ, 0}, {r - z, -1, -x}, {y, x, -b}}
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Out[14]= -1 - b - σ
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