

LECTURE 13 - DYNAMICAL SYSTEMS

Monday, 24 May 2021 10:00

→ Discrete dynamical systems (cont)

I. The Newton-Raphson method to approximate the zeros of a scalar map

Let $g: I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $I \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ nonempty, open interval. We assume that $\exists \eta^* \in I$ s.t. $g(\eta^*) = 0$ and $g'(\eta^*) \neq 0$.
We can't find the exact value of η^* , thus we need to approx. the values of η^* . More precisely, we need at least a seq: $(x_k)_{k \geq 0}$ s.t. $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} x_k = \eta^*$.

Geometric intuition



$$x_0 \\ (x_0, g(x_0)) \in Gg$$

the tangent to Gg in $(x_0, g(x_0))$:

$$\begin{aligned} x_0: y - g(x_0) &= g'(x_0)(x - x_0) \\ L, n O x: y = 0 & \Rightarrow g(x_0) - g'(x_0)(x_1 - x_0) = 0 \\ & \Rightarrow x_1 = \frac{g(x_0)}{g'(x_0)} + x_0. \end{aligned}$$

We repeat:

$$(1) \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x_{k+1} = x_k - \frac{g(x_k)}{g'(x_k)}, k \geq 0 \\ x_0 \text{ is given} \end{array} \right.$$

Theorem (Newton-Raphson method):

$g: V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $g \in C^2(V)$, $V \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ open interval, $g'(x) \neq 0, \forall x \in V$. $\exists \eta^* \in V$ s.t. $g(\eta^*) = 0$.

There exists $\rho > 0$ s.t. whenever $|x_0 - \eta^*| < \rho$ we have $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} x_k = \eta^*$, where $(x_k)_{k \geq 0}$ is given by (1).

Proof: Define $f: V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $f(x) = x - \frac{g(x)}{g'(x)}$. Note that $f \in C^1(V)$

(1) $x_{k+1} = f(x_k)$, x_0 given

$$f(\eta^*) = \eta^* - \frac{g(\eta^*)}{g'(\eta^*)} = \eta^* \Rightarrow \eta^* \text{ is a fixed point of } f \\ g'(\eta^*) \neq 0 \quad \square$$

The conclusion follows from the fact that η^* is an attracting fixed point of f . So, it remained to prove that η^* is an attractor. We use the Lin. Method:

$$f'(x) = 1 - \underbrace{\frac{g'(x) \cdot g'(x) - g(x) \cdot g''(x)}{(g'(x))^2}}_{(g'(x))^2}$$

$$f'(\eta^*) = 1 - (1 - 0) = 0$$

$|f'(\eta^*)| < 1 \stackrel{LM}{\Rightarrow} \eta^*$ is an attracting fixed point of f \square

Example: (a particular case) $g: (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $g(x) = x^2 - 3$. $\sqrt{3}$ is the unique zero-point of g , $g \in C^2(0, \infty)$

$$g(x) = 2x \neq 0, \forall x \in (0, \infty)$$

By the prev. th. we know that $\exists \rho > 0$ s.t. whenever $|x_0 - \sqrt{3}| < \rho$ we have $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} x_k = \sqrt{3}$, where $(x_k)_{k \geq 1}$ is given by

$$(2) x_{k+1} = \frac{1}{2} x_k + \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{x_k}, x_0$$

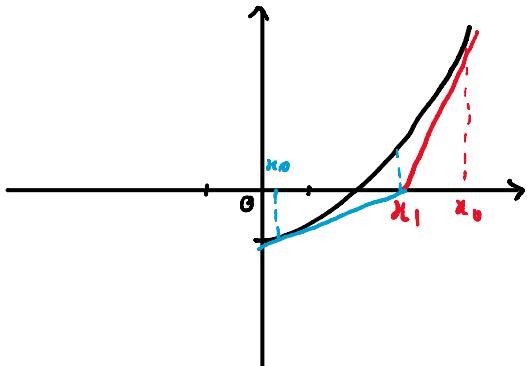
$$f(x) = x - \frac{g(x)}{g'(x)} = x - \frac{x^2 - 3}{2x} = x - \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{3}{2}x^{-1} = \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{x}$$

Our aim now is to "find" the basin of attraction of $\sqrt{3}$.

I. We use the geom. interp. of the N-e diagram.

II. We use the staircase diagram for f

I.

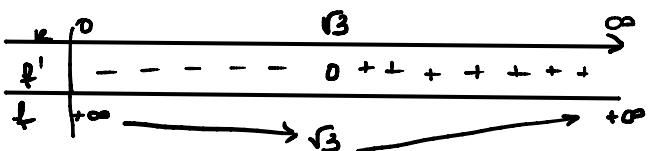


$$g(x) = x^2 - 3, g: (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

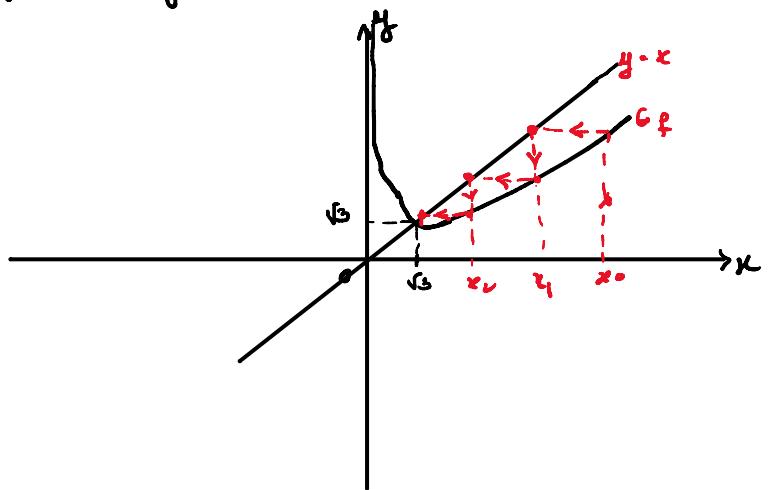
it seems that the seq. $(x_n)_{n \geq 1}$ converges to $\sqrt{3}$ for any $x_0 \in (0, \infty)$

II. $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{x}$. We need $G_f: f(x) = x \mapsto \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{3}{2}x^{-1} = x \mapsto \frac{3}{2}\frac{1}{x} = \frac{1}{2}x \Leftrightarrow x^3 - 3x \sim \sqrt{3}$ is the only f.p. $x \in (0, \infty)$

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2 + 3}{2x} > 0, \forall x \in (0, \infty) \Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{x^2} = \frac{x^2 - 3}{2x^2}$$



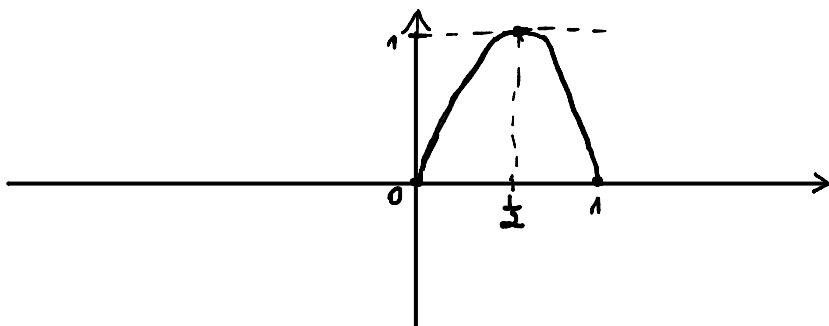
$y = \frac{1}{2}x$ is an asymptote at $+\infty$



$$\begin{aligned} x_{\beta+1} &= f(x_\beta) \\ x_1 &= f(x_0) \\ x_2 &= f(x_1) \end{aligned}$$

It seems that $A_{\sqrt{3}} = (0, \infty)$

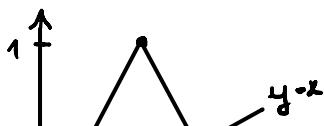
The tent map: in the lab $f(x) = 4x(1-x)$ is "chaotic"



$$f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = 4 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = 1$$

$$x \in [0, 1] \Rightarrow f(x) \in [0, 1]$$

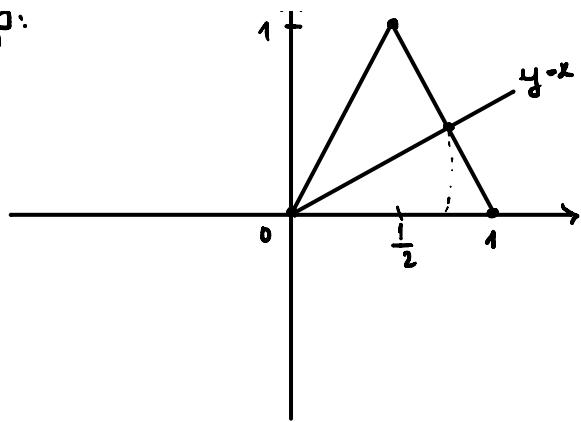
The tent map:



$$T \in [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$T(x) = 1 - |2x - 1| \cdot \begin{cases} 2x, & x \in [0, \frac{1}{2}] \\ 2(1-x), & x \in [\frac{1}{2}, 1] \end{cases}, \quad x \in [0, 1]$$

The map:



$$T \in [0,1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$T(x) = 1 - |2x - 1| = \begin{cases} 2x, & x \in [0, \frac{1}{2}] \\ 2(1-x), & x \in [\frac{1}{2}, 1] \end{cases}, \forall x \in [0,1]$$

a) Rep. G_T . Find the fixed points.

b) comp. the orbits corrsp. to: $\eta = \frac{3}{2^n}, n \geq 2$

c) solve: $T(x) = 0, T(x) = 1, T(x) = \frac{1}{2}, T^2(x) = 0, T^2(x) = 1, T^2(x) = \frac{1}{2}$

d) Rep. G_{T^2} and G_{T^3} . How many fixed points they have?

e) T has a 2-periodic orbit? T has a 3-periodic orbit?

There is a result: If a scalar map has a 3-periodic orbit, then it has a p-per. orbit for any $p \in \mathbb{N}^*$.

a) $2(1-x) = x \Leftrightarrow 2-2x = x \Leftrightarrow x = \frac{2}{3}$

T has 2 f.p.: $\eta_1 = 0, \eta_2 = \frac{2}{3}$

b) $\eta = \frac{3}{2^n}, n \geq 2$

$n=2, \eta = \frac{3}{4} \quad T(\eta) = T\left(\frac{3}{4}\right) = 2\left(1 - \frac{3}{4}\right) = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$

$$T^2(\eta) = T^2\left(\frac{3}{4}\right) = T\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = 1$$

$$T^3(\eta) = T^3\left(\frac{3}{4}\right) = T(1) = 0$$

$$T^4(\eta) = T(0) = 0, \dots$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{\frac{3}{4}}^+ = \left\{ \frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{2}, 1, 0, 0, \dots \right\}$$

$n=3, \eta = \frac{3}{8} \quad T\left(\frac{3}{8}\right) = 2 \cdot \frac{3}{8} = \frac{3}{4}$

$$\mathcal{O}_{\frac{3}{8}}^+ = \left\{ \frac{3}{8}, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{2}, 1, 0, 0, \dots \right\}$$

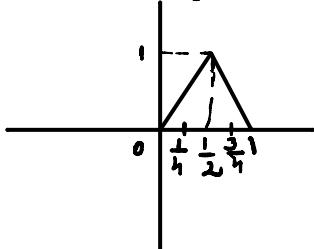
$n \geq 3, T\left(\frac{3}{2^n}\right) = 2 \cdot \frac{3}{2^n} = \frac{3}{2^{n-1}}$

$$\mathcal{O}_{\frac{3}{2^n}}^+ = \left\{ \frac{3}{2^n}, \frac{3}{2^{n-1}}, \dots, \frac{3}{8}, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{2}, 1, 0, 0, \dots \right\}$$

These orbits are eventually the fixed point 0.

c) $T(x) = 0$

$\Leftrightarrow x \in \{0, 1\}$



$$T(x) = 1 \Leftrightarrow x = \frac{1}{2}$$

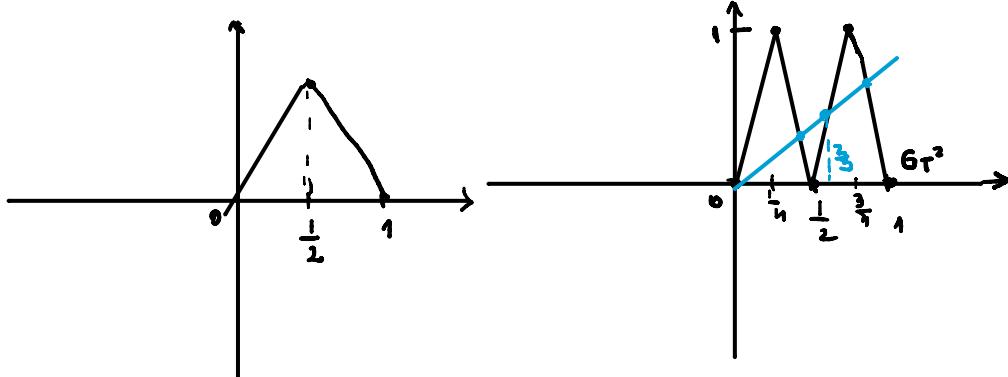
$$T(x) = \frac{1}{2} \Leftrightarrow x \in \left[\frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4} \right]$$

$$T^2(x) = 0 \Leftrightarrow T(T(x)) = 0 \Leftrightarrow T(x) \in \{0, 1\} \Rightarrow x \in \left[0, \frac{1}{2} \right]$$

$$T^2(x) = 1 \Leftrightarrow T(T(x)) = 1 \Leftrightarrow T(x) = \frac{1}{2} \Leftrightarrow x \in \left[\frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4} \right]$$

$$T^3(x) = \frac{1}{2} \Leftrightarrow T(T(T(x))) = \frac{1}{2} \Leftrightarrow T(x) \in \left\{ \frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4} \right\} \Rightarrow x \in \left\{ \frac{1}{8}, \frac{5}{8}, \frac{3}{8}, \frac{7}{8} \right\}$$

$$\text{d)} T^2(x) = T(T(x)) = 1 - |2T(x) - 1| = 1 - |2[1 - |2x - 1|] - 1|, \forall x \in [0, 1]$$



T^2 has 4 fixed points,
two of them are the fixed
points of 0 and $\frac{1}{2}$
 $\frac{2}{3} < \frac{3}{4}$
and the other 2 are
 $\eta_1 \in (\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2})$, $\eta_2 \in (\frac{3}{4}, 1)$

So, η_1 and η_2 are 2-periodic points of T , thus $\{\eta_1, \eta_2\}$ is a 2-cycle.

It can be proved that T^3 has 8 fixed points. Two of them are the fixed points of T and the other 6 are, in fact, two 3-cycles.