# Appendix 1: Continuous Time: First Order Differential Equations

#### 1. Introduction to First-order differential equations

An ordinary differential equation is an equation of the form G(t, y(t), y'(t), y''(t), ...) = 0 for all t,

where G is a known function and y is an unknown function, y'(t) is the derivative of y with respect to t, y''(t) is the second derivative of y with respect to t, and so on.

To solve this equation we need to find a function y that satisfies the equation for all values of t.

The name "differential equation" is qualified by "ordinary" to reflect the fact that only one variable, y, is involved.

In general a differential equation that has a solution has many solutions, each corresponding to a different set of "initial conditions".

Ex 1: If our differential equation is y'(t) - 1 = 0, then y(t) = t + C is a solution for any value of C.

If we know that y(0) = 0, for example, then we have C = 0; or if y(1) = 2, then C = 1.

A differential equation together with an initial condition is called an **initial value problem**.

If **only** the *first* derivative y'(t) of y is involved then the equation is a **first-order ordinary differential equation**.

The independent variable is often denoted t to reflect the fact that it represents time. However, in some cases the independent variable has a different interpretation.

#### First-order ordinary differential equations

A first-order ordinary differential equation takes the form: G(t, y'(t), y(t)) = 0 for all t,

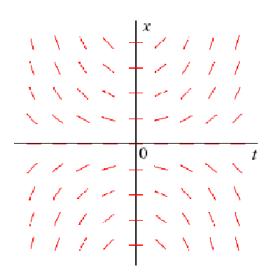
which we can alternatively write as y'(t) = F(t, y(t)) for all t.

The first derivative  $y' \equiv dy/dt$  is the only one that can appear in a first-order differential equation, but it may enter in various powers: dy/dt,  $(dy/dt)^2$ , or  $(dy/dt)^3$ . The highest power attained by the derivative in the equation is referred to as the **degree** of the differential equation.

Such an equation may be difficult, or even impossible, to solve explicitly. One way to get a feel for the qualitative character of the solution, without calculating a solution explicitly, is graphical.

To illustrate this method, consider the equation y'(t) = y(t)t.

For any pair (t, y) we can find the value of y'(t), and plot this slope in a **direction diagram** in which the axes are t (horizontal) and y (vertical). For example, at (0, 0) we have y'(t) = 0; at (2, 2) we have y'(t) = 4. The following figure plots the slopes (indicated by short line segments) at several points. (In this figure the grid size is 1/2 unit.)



## 2. First Order Linear Differential Equations with Constant Coefficient and Constant Term

In case the derivative  $y' \equiv dy/dt$  appears only in a first degree, and so does the dependent variable y, and no product of the form y(dy/dt) occurs, then the equation is said to be *linear*.

Consider a general first-order linear differential equation:

$$\frac{dy}{dt} + u(t) \cdot y = w(t),$$

where u and w are two functions of t, as is y.

Special Case:

u = constant and w = constant

A: Homogeneous Case 
$$(u, w = \text{constant and } w = 0)$$
  
$$\frac{dy}{dt} + ay = 0, \ a = \text{constant}$$

This differential equation is said to be *homogeneous*, on account of the zero constant term.

Solution: 
$$\frac{dy}{dt} + ay = 0 \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{y} \frac{dy}{dt} = -a \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{y} dy = -adt$$
  
 $\Leftrightarrow \int \frac{1}{y} dy = -\int a dt \Rightarrow \ln y = -at + C$   
 $\Rightarrow y(t) = e^{-at+C} = e^{C} e^{-at} \equiv A e^{-at}$ , where  $e^{C} \equiv A$ .  
... general solution (A is arbitrary constant)

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = y(0)e^{-at}...$$
 Definite solution.

注意:1. y(0)的特殊意義為使解滿足初始條件的唯一值

- 2.  $\mathbf{f}(y) = \mathbf{f}(y) e^{-at}$ 不是一個數值,而是時間的函數
- 3. 解不為任何導數或微分式,只要代入 t 值就可以 得到該時間點的 y 值。

Ex 2: 
$$\frac{dy}{dt} - 2y = 0$$
;  $y(0) = 9$   
 $\Leftrightarrow \frac{dy}{y} = 2dt \Rightarrow \ln y = -2t + C \Rightarrow y(t) = e^{-2t+C} = Ae^{-2t}$ 

Initial condition: y(0) = 9

$$t = 0$$
,  $y(t = 0) = Ae^{-2.0} = A \implies 9 = A$ 

Definite solution:  $y(t) = 9e^{-2t}$ 

## B. Non-homogeneous Case (u=常數 and w=常數但非零)

$$\frac{dy}{dt} + ay = b$$
,  $a, b = \text{constant}$ 

其完整解 y 包含兩部分:

- (1) complementary function  $y_c$   $y_c$ 是 reduced equation:  $\frac{dy}{dt} + ay = 0$ 的一般解
- (2) particular integral  $y_p$   $y_p \not\equiv \text{complete equation: } \frac{dy}{dt} + ay = b \text{ in any particular solution}$

## (a) 求 $y_c$

解
$$\frac{dy}{dt} + ay = 0$$
微分方程式:  $\Rightarrow y(t) = Ae^{-at}$  (但它並非完整解,它只是解的一部分)

說明:若
$$y(t)=Ae^{-at}$$
是完整微分方程式 $\frac{dy}{dt}+ay=b$ 的解,則他  
將會滿足 $\frac{dy}{dt}+ay=b$  。

檢驗: 
$$y(t) = Ae^{-at} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dt} = -aAe^{-at}$$
  
將  $y(t) = Ae^{-at}$  和  $\frac{dy}{dt} = -aAe^{-at}$  代入完整微分方程式  
 $\frac{dy}{dt} + ay = b$ 中,結果發現  
 $-aAe^{-at} + aAe^{-at} \neq b$ 

因此,  $y(t) = Ae^{-at}$ 並非完整微分方程  $\frac{dy}{dt} + ay = b$ 的全解。

## (b) 求 $y_p$

因為 $y_p$ 是 complete equation:  $\frac{dy}{dt} + ay = b$  的 any particular solution,所以先試解最簡單形式

假設解 $y_p = k$  (常數),若此解為真,則該解將滿足完整微分方程 式  $\frac{dy}{dt} + ay = b$ 

檢驗:
$$y_p = k \Rightarrow \frac{dy_p}{dt} = 0$$
  
將 $y_p = k$ 和  $\frac{dy_p}{dt} = 0$ 代入完整微分方程式 $\frac{dy}{dt} + ay = b$ 中,  
結果發現 $0 + ak = b$   
所以, $k$ 必須滿足 $k = \frac{b}{a}, \ a \neq 0$ 。因此,特解(particular solution)為 $y_p = k = \frac{b}{a}, \ a \neq 0$ 。

(c) 完整解(complete solution)的一般式  $y = y_c + y_p$   $y(t) = y_c + y_p = Ae^{-at} + \frac{b}{a}, \ a \neq 0...$  General solution

## (d) 利用初始條件求解定解(definite solution)

 **Verification:** 若  $y(t) = \left[y(0) - \frac{b}{a}\right]e^{-at} + \frac{b}{a}$  為真解,則代回原微分方程式  $\frac{dy}{dt} + ay = b$ ,應該可以成立。

$$y(t) = \left[ y(0) - \frac{b}{a} \right] e^{-at} + \frac{b}{a} \rightarrow \text{ $\sharp$ time $\sharp $\sharp $\circlearrowleft $\sharp $dy} = -a \left[ y(0) - \frac{b}{a} \right] e^{-at}$$

將上兩式代回原微分方程  $\frac{dy}{dt} + ay = b$ 

$$\rightarrow -a \left[ y(0) - \frac{b}{a} \right] e^{-at} + a \left\{ \left[ y(0) - \frac{b}{a} \right] e^{-at} + \frac{b}{a} \right\} = b \rightarrow b = b ;$$

所以其為真解

$$t=0 代入驗算,得y(t=0)=\left[y(0)-\frac{b}{a}\right]e^{-a\cdot 0}+\frac{b}{a}=y(0),恒成立 \circ$$

例題 1:初始條件y(0) = 10,求 $\frac{dy}{dt} + 2y = 6$ 的解。

(a) 
$$y_c$$
解:求 $\frac{dy}{dt} + 2y = 0$ 的齊次解,得 $y_c(t) = Ae^{-2t}$ 

(b) 
$$y_p$$
 解:求 $\frac{dy}{dt} + 2y = 6$  的特解, $\diamondsuit y_p = k$  代入後,得  $0 + 2k = 6 \implies k = 3$ 

(c)完整解 
$$y: y(t) = y_c + y_p = Ae^{-2t} + 3$$

(d)定解:因為
$$t = 0$$
時, $y(0) = 10$  ,將之代入完整解,得 
$$y(0) = 10 = Ae^{-0} + 3 \Rightarrow A = 10 - 3 = 7$$
 因此,定解為 $y(t) = 7e^{-2t} + 3$ 

例題 2: 初始條件y(1) = 1,求 $\frac{dy}{dt} + 4y = 0$ 的解。

(a) 
$$y_c$$
解:求 $\frac{dy}{dt} + 4y = 0$ 的齊次解,得 $y_c(t) = Ae^{-4t}$ 

(b) 
$$y_p$$
 解:求  $\frac{dy}{dt} + 4y = 0$  的特解,  $\Rightarrow y_p = k$  代入後,得  $0 + 4k = 0 \Rightarrow k = 0$ 

(c)完整解  $y: y(t) = y_c + y_p = Ae^{-4t} + 0$ 

(d) 定解:因為t = 1時,y(1) = 1,將之代入完整解,得  $y(1) = 1 = Ae^{-4} + 0 \Rightarrow A = 1/e^{-4} = e^{4}$  因此,定解為 $y(t) = e^{4}e^{-4t}$ 

注意:若
$$a=0$$
,則上述微分方程式 $\frac{dy}{dt}+ay=b$ 

$$\rightarrow 退化成 \frac{dy}{dt}=b$$
此時,解 $y(t)=\left[y(0)-\frac{b}{a}\right]e^{-at}+\frac{b}{a}$ 已經不再有意義。
亦即, $y(t)=\left[y(0)-\frac{b}{a}\right]e^{-at}+\frac{b}{a}$ 不是 $\frac{dy}{dt}=b$ 的解。

那微分方程式 $\frac{dy}{dt} = b$ 的解為何呢?

想法一:
$$\frac{dy}{dt} = b \rightarrow dy = b \cdot dt \rightarrow \int dy = \int b \cdot dt$$
  
  $\rightarrow y(t) = bt + c, c$  為任意常數

若初始條件為:t = 0時,y 值為 y(0),則  $y(0) = b \cdot 0 + c = c$ 因此定解為:y(t) = bt + y(0)

- 想法二:(a) 求齊次解  $y_c$ : 齊次微分方程式  $\frac{dy}{dt}+0y=0$  ,其解為  $y_c=Ae^{-at}=Ae^{-0t}=A,\,A$  為任意常數
  - (b) 求特定解 $y_p$ : 完整微分方程式 $\frac{dy}{dt} = b$ ,令最簡單的特定解為 $y_p = k \cdot t$ ,

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將之代入 
$$\frac{dy}{dt}=b$$
中,(因為  $\frac{dy_p}{dt}=k$ ) 得  $k=b$ ,因此  $y_p=b\cdot t$ 

- (c) 完整解 $y(t) = y_c + y_p = A + bt$
- (d) 定解:將 t = 0 代入完整解 y(t) = A + bt ,得  $y(0) = A + b \cdot 0 = A$  因此,定解為y(t) = y(0) + bt

例題 3:期初條件為 y(0) = 5 ,解微分方程式  $\frac{dy}{dt} = 2$  。 自行練習

## Application 1: Dynamics of market price

Framework:  $Q_d = \alpha - \beta P$ ,  $\alpha, \beta > 0$   $Q_s = -\gamma + \delta P, \quad \gamma, \delta > 0$   $\Rightarrow$  均衡價格 $\bar{P} = \frac{\alpha + \gamma}{\beta + \delta}$ , 均衡數量 $\bar{Q} = \alpha - \beta \bar{P} = \frac{\alpha \delta - \beta \gamma}{\beta + \delta}$ 

若市場不均衡時,則價格P與數量Q會隨著時間調整;

## 問題是:

這個調整過程,價格P會隨著時間的經過而收斂(到新均衡)嗎?

The Time Path: 當市場發生超額需求(超額供給)時,價格在下一瞬間會上升(下跌)

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = j(Q_d - Q_s), \quad j > 0$$

其中,j為市場的調整係數(adjustment coefficient);  $Q_d - Q_s$ 為超額需求(excess demand)

因此,均衡的定義可以改寫成:

$$Q_d = Q_s \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad rac{dP}{dt} = 0$$

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = j \cdot [\alpha - \beta P + \gamma - \delta P] = j(\alpha + \gamma) - j(\beta + \delta)P$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{dP}{dt} + j(\beta + \delta)P = j(\alpha + \gamma)$$

$$(hint: \frac{dy}{dt} + a \cdot y = b)$$

Solution: 求均衡解:

均衡條件: 
$$Q_d = Q_s$$
  $\Leftrightarrow$   $\frac{dP}{dt} = 0$ 

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{dP}{dt}\right) + j(\beta + \delta)P = j(\alpha + \gamma)$$

$$\Rightarrow \overline{P} = \frac{\alpha + \gamma}{\beta + \delta}$$

(a)求齊次解 $P_c$ :

齊次微分方程式
$$\frac{dP}{dt} + j(\beta + \delta)P = 0$$
,其解為  $P_c = Ae^{-j(\beta+\delta)t}$ , $A$  為任意常數

(b)求特定解 $P_n$ :

完整微分方程式為  $\frac{dP}{dt}+j(\beta+\delta)P=j(\alpha+\gamma)$  ,故令特定解為  $P_p=k$  ,

所以
$$\frac{dP_p}{dt} = 0$$
,將之代入完整微分方程式中,

得
$$0 + j(\beta + \delta)k = j(\alpha + \gamma)$$
,因此 $P_p = k = \frac{\alpha + \gamma}{\beta + \delta} = \overline{P}$ 

(c)求完整解:

## Dynamic Stability of Equation

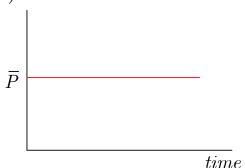
## 價格 P 會隨著時間的經過而收斂(到新均衡)嗎?

即檢驗
$$t \to \infty$$
, $P(t) \to ?$ 

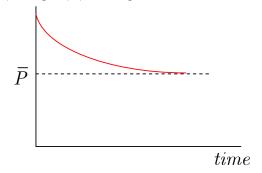
$$\lim_{t \to \infty} P(t) = \lim_{t \to \infty} \{ [P(0) - \overline{P}] \cdot e^{-j(\beta + \delta)t} + \overline{P} \}$$

$$= \lim_{t \to \infty} [P(0) - \overline{P}] \cdot e^{-j(\beta + \delta)t} + \lim_{t \to \infty} \overline{P} = \overline{P}$$
as  $\beta + \delta < 0$ 

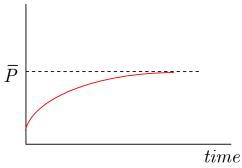
If 
$$P(0) = \overline{P} \implies P(t) = \overline{P}$$



If 
$$P(0) > \overline{P} \Rightarrow P(t) = [P(0) - \overline{P}]e^{-j(\beta+\delta)t} + \overline{P} > \overline{P}$$



If 
$$P(0) < \overline{P} \Rightarrow P(t) = [P(0) - \overline{P}]e^{-j(\beta+\delta)t} + \overline{P} < \overline{P}$$



#### 動態安定的經濟詮釋:

當 $P(0) \neq \overline{P}$ 時,則 $P(t) = [P(0) - \overline{P}]e^{-j(\beta+\delta)t} + \overline{P}$ 在 $j(\beta+\delta) > 0$ 條件下,當 $t \to \infty$ 時, $P(t) \to \overline{P}$  (::  $e^{-j(\beta+\delta)t} \to 0$ ) 因此, $j(\beta+\delta) > 0$ 是價格(此商品市場)具有動態安定的條件。

$$\beta + \delta > 0 \Leftrightarrow \delta > -\beta$$
  
供給線斜率  $>$  需求線斜率

例:若一商品市場其 demand curve 為負斜率、supply curve 為正斜率,則該市場是否具動態安定性?

因為 demand curve 為負斜率、supply curve 為正斜率滿足了動態安定性條件 $\delta > -\beta$ 。

例:若一商品市場其 demand curve 與 supply curve 均為正斜率, 則該市場是否具動態安定性?

Ans: 不一定

## 3. First Order Linear Differential Equations with Variable Coefficient and Variable Term

一般化的線性一階微分方程式:
$$\frac{dy}{dt} + u(t) \cdot y = w(t)$$
,其 time path? 
$$u(t): 變係數$$
 
$$w(t): 變數項$$

## A. Homogeneous Case: (w(t) = 0)

$$\frac{dy}{dt} + \mathbf{u(t)} \cdot y = \mathbf{0}$$

比較: 
$$\frac{dy}{dt} + \mathbf{a} \cdot y = 0$$
的解  $\Rightarrow y_e(t) = Ae^{-\mathbf{a} \cdot t}$ 

例題:求解微方: 
$$\frac{dy}{dt} + 3t^2y = 0$$
 
$$\frac{dy}{dt} + 3t^2y = 0 \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{y}dy = -3t^2dt$$
 
$$\Rightarrow y(t) = e^{-c}e^{-\int 3t^2dt} = Ae^{-t^3}$$

## B. Nonhomogeneous Case: $(w(t) \neq 0)$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} + \mathbf{u}(t) \cdot y = \mathbf{w}(t)$$

非齊次型的一般化線性一階微分方程式的解是不太容易求得的  $\rightarrow$  可以使用 Exact differential equation 來說明其求解的過程

微分方程式 $\frac{dy}{dt} + u(t) \cdot y = w(t)$ 的一般解為:

$$y(t) = e^{-\int u(t)dt} \cdot \left[ A + \int w(t) \cdot e^{\int u(t)dt} dt \right],$$

A 為任意常數(由初始條件決定之)

## 補充:(公式的推導)

If  $\Phi(t)$  is a fundamental (matrix) solution of the homogeneous linear system

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = -u(t) \cdot y \qquad \qquad \text{(i.e. } \Phi(t) = Ae^{-\int u(t)dt} \text{)}$$

then every solution of the non-homogeneous system

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = -u(t) \cdot y + w(t)$$

is given by

$$\phi(t) = \Phi(t) \cdot \left[ \Phi^{-1}(t_0) \cdot \phi(t_0) + \int\limits_{t_0}^t \Phi^{-1}(s) \cdot w(s) \cdot ds 
ight]$$

for any real to  $t_0 \in (-\infty, \infty)$ .

Proof:

Since the solution of the homogeneous system:

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = -u(t) \cdot y$$

$$\Phi(t) = Ae^{-\int u(t)dt}, \qquad \frac{d\Phi(t)}{dt} = -u(t) \cdot \Phi(t)$$

is

then the *general* solution of the homogeneous system can be written as

$$\phi(t) = c \cdot \Phi(t), \tag{1}$$

where c is an arbitrary constant.

We wish to satisfy the non-homogeneous equation

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = -u(t) \cdot y + w(t)$$

by the same expression as Eq.(1) but allow c to be a function of t; this explains the same of the theorem as variation of constants.

Rewrite Eq.(1) with c now being a variable, as

$$\phi(t) = c(t) \cdot \Phi(t), \tag{2}$$

and differentiate, to get

$$\frac{d\phi(t)}{dt} = \Phi(t) \cdot \frac{d\mathbf{c}(t)}{dt} + \mathbf{c}(t) \cdot \frac{d\Phi(t)}{dt}$$

$$= \Phi(t) \cdot \frac{d\mathbf{c}(t)}{dt} + \mathbf{c}(t) \cdot [-u(t) \cdot \Phi(t)]$$

$$= \Phi(t) \cdot \frac{d\mathbf{c}(t)}{dt} - u(t) \cdot \mathbf{c}(t) \cdot \Phi(t)$$

$$= \Phi(t) \cdot \frac{d\mathbf{c}(t)}{dt} - u(t) \cdot \phi(t) \qquad (3)$$

(Recall the differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dt} = -u(t) \cdot y + \underline{w(t)}$ )

In order for Eq.(3) to satisfy the non-homogeneous equation, it must be the case that

$$\Phi(t) \cdot \frac{dc(t)}{dt} = w(t)$$

This follows from inspection of Eq.(2). Thus, we have

$$\frac{dc(t)}{dt} = w(t) \cdot \Phi^{-1}(t),$$

or equivalently,

$$c(t) = c_0 + \int w(s) \cdot \Phi^{-1}(s) \cdot ds.$$

As a result, Eq.(2) can be rewritten as

$$\phi(t) = \Phi(t) \cdot \left[ c_0 + \int w(\tau) \cdot \Phi^{-1}(\tau) \cdot d\tau \right], \tag{4}$$

where  $\Phi(\tau) = A e^{-\int u(\tau)d\tau}$ .

In Eq.(4), if we integrate from  $t_0$  to t, then the solution  $\phi(t)$  will satisfy the initial condition  $\phi(t_0)$ . That is,

$$\phi(t_0) = c(t_0) \cdot \Phi(t_0)$$

or,  $c(t_0) = \phi(t_0) \cdot \Phi^{-1}(t_0)$ .

If, instead, the initial condition is  $\phi(t_0) = y_0$ , then the solution of the non-homogeneous equation becomes

$$\phi(t) = \Phi(t) \cdot \left[ \phi(t_0) \cdot \Phi^{-1}(t_0) + \int_{t_0}^t w(\tau) \cdot \Phi^{-1}(\tau) \cdot d\tau \right],$$

where  $\Phi(\tau) = A e^{-\int u(\tau)d\tau}$  and  $\Phi^{-1}(\varsigma) = A^{-1}e^{-\int u(\tau)d\tau}$ , which establishes the theorem.

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Ex: 
$$\vec{x}$$
  $\vec{p}$   $\frac{dy}{dt} + 2ty = t$ 

$$y(t) = e^{-\int 2t \cdot dt} \left[ A + \int t e^{\int 2t \cdot dt} dt \right]$$

$$= e^{-(t^2 + k)} \left[ A + \int t e^{t^2 + k} dt \right]$$

$$= e^{-k} e^{-t^2} \left[ A + e^k \int t e^{t^2} dt \right] = e^{-k} e^{-t^2} A + e^{-k} e^{-t^2} e^k \int t e^{t^2} dt$$
Sol:
$$= e^{-k} e^{-t^2} A + e^{-t^2} \int t e^{t^2} dt = e^{-k} e^{-t^2} A + e^{-t^2} \left[ \frac{1}{2} \int e^{t^2} dt^2 \right]$$

$$= e^{-k} e^{-t^2} A + e^{-t^2} \left[ \frac{1}{2} e^{t^2} + c \right] = e^{-k} e^{-t^2} A + \frac{1}{2} + c e^{-t^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} + (e^{-k} A + c) e^{-t^2} = \frac{1}{2} + B e^{-t^2}, \quad \text{where } B \equiv e^{-k} A + c$$

Ex: 求解 
$$\frac{dy}{dt} + 4ty = 4t$$
  
Ans:  $y(t) = 1 + Be^{-2t^2}$ ,  $B$  為任意常數

Homework: 求解
$$\frac{dy}{dt} + 4ty = 4e^t$$

#### **Recall:**

對比常數係數、常數項的微分方程式: 
$$\frac{dy}{dt} + ay = b$$

$$\Rightarrow u(t) = a \text{ and } w(t) = b$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = e^{-\int a \ dt} \cdot \left[ A + \int b \cdot e^{\int a \ dt} dt \right] = e^{-at} \cdot \left[ A + \int b \cdot e^{at} dt \right]$$

$$= e^{-at} \cdot \left[ A' + \frac{b}{a} e^{at} \right] = A' e^{-at} + \frac{b}{a}$$

## 4. Exact Differential Equations

正合微分方程式可以用來說明 $\frac{dy}{dt} + u(t) \cdot y = w(t)$ 的解:

$$y(t) = e^{-\int u(t)dt} \cdot \left[ A + \int w(t) \cdot e^{\int u(t)dt} dt \right]$$

基本上,正合微分方程式可以是**線性**微分方程式,也可以是**非線性**微分方程式

## <u>定義:</u>

兩變數函數F(y,t)的全微分為

$$dF(y,t) = \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} dy + \frac{\partial F}{\partial t} dt$$
  
當此微分等於  $0$ ,則 $dF(y,t) = \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} dy + \frac{\partial F}{\partial t} dt = 0$ 為正合微分方程

Ex: 令函數 $F(y,t) = y^2t + k$ , k = constant 其全微分:

$$dF(y,t) = 2yt \cdot dy + y^2 \cdot dt$$

因此,正合微分方程式為:

## 檢驗:

給定一微分方程式,我們要如何判斷此微分方程式是否為 Exact D.E.?

一般微分方程式: $M \cdot dy + N \cdot dt = 0$ ,若存在一個函數F(y,t),其中 $M = \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} \cdot N = \frac{\partial F}{\partial t}$ ,且滿足 $\frac{\partial M}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial N}{\partial y}$  (亦即 Young's Theorem:  $\frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial t \partial y} = \frac{\partial^2 N}{\partial y \partial t}$ ),則此dF = 0即為 Exact Differential Equation。

Ex: 
$$(2yt)dy + (y^2)dt = 0$$
是否為正合微分方程式?   
檢驗條件:  $\frac{\partial M}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial N}{\partial y}$    
 $\frac{\partial M}{\partial t} = 2y$ ,  $\frac{\partial N}{\partial y} = 2y$ 

P.s. 對於 y 出現在 M, N 中的形式,並沒有任何限制,所以 Exact D.E. 可以是 y 的非線性函數

Ex:  $(y^2t + t^2) \cdot dy + (yt^2 + 2y) \cdot dt = 0$ 是否為正合微分方程式?

#### 求解:

那如何求解正合微分方程式呢

當你已經確認 $dF(y,t) = \frac{\partial F}{\partial y}dy + \frac{\partial F}{\partial t}dt = 0$ 為正合微分方程式,則 $\mathbf{f} \int dF(y,t) = 0 \iff \mathbf{f} F(y,t) = c$ 

Step 1: : : 
$$M = \frac{\partial F}{\partial y}$$
 : : F函數必包含了  $y$  變數 : : 假設 $F(y,t) = \int M \cdot dy + \psi(t)$ 

假設的 F 函數中出現 $\psi(t)$ ,是因

為 $\frac{\partial F}{\partial y}$ 的偏微分將 t 視為常數

Step 2: 若假設的 F函數正確,則它須滿足 Exact D:E:的定義。

因此,
$$F(y,t) = \int M \cdot dy + \psi(t)$$
需満足
$$\frac{\partial F(y,t)}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial \left[ \int M \cdot dy + \psi(t) \right]}{\partial t} = N$$

Step 3: 由上關係式求得  $\psi(t)$  函數,並將求得的  $\psi(t)$  函數代回假設  $\text{的} F(y,t) = \int M \cdot dy + \psi(t)$ 

Step 4: 最後將求得的F(y,t)函數代入解F(y,t)=c之中,即得該正合微方的解。

Ex:  $\bar{x}$ **Ex** $\frac{2yt}{dy} \cdot dy + y^2 \cdot dt = 0$ 

先檢驗是否為正合微分方程式

$$\therefore \frac{\partial M}{\partial t} = 2y = \frac{\partial N}{\partial y}, \therefore 它為正合微分方程式$$

1. 假設
$$F(y,t) = \int \frac{2yt}{t} \cdot dy + \psi(t) = \frac{y^2t}{t} + \psi(t)$$

2. 
$$\frac{\partial F(y,t)}{\partial t} = N 須成立$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{\partial [y^2t + \psi(t)]}{\partial t} = y^2 + \psi'(t) = N = y^2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \psi'(t) = 0$$

3.  $\psi'(t) = 0 \iff \psi(t) = k = \text{constant}$ 

因此,
$$F(y,t) = y^2t + k$$

4. 所以,正合微分方程式的解為: 
$$F(y,t) = y^2t + k = c$$
  
或  $y^2t = c'$   $(c' \equiv c - k)$ 、或 $y = c't^{-1/2}$ 

Ex: 求解 $(t + 2y) \cdot dy + (y + 3t^2) \cdot dt = 0$ 

先檢驗是否為正合微分方程式

$$\therefore \frac{\partial M}{\partial t} = 1 = \frac{\partial N}{\partial y}, \therefore 它為正合微分方程式$$

1. 假設
$$F(y,t) = \int (t + 2y) \cdot dy + \psi(t) = ty + y^2 + \psi(t)$$

2. 
$$\frac{\partial F(y,t)}{\partial t} = N 須成立$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{\partial [ty + y^2 + \psi(t)]}{\partial t} = y + \psi'(t) = N = y + 3t^2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \psi'(t) = 3t^2$$

4. 正合微分方程式的解為: 
$$F(y,t) \neq ty + y^2 + t^3 + k = c$$
  
或 $ty + y^2 + t^3 = c'$  ( $c' \equiv c - k$ )

以上四步驟亦可以用在 non-exact differential equation 只要對非正合微分方程式乘上一積分因子(共同因子),可以使得非 正合微分方程式轉為正合微分方程式

Ex:  $\bar{x}$ **E** $\frac{2t}{dy} \cdot dy + y \cdot dt = 0$ 

先檢驗是否為正合微分方程式

$$\therefore \frac{\partial M}{\partial t} = 2 \neq 1 = \frac{\partial N}{\partial y}, \therefore 它為非正合微分方程式$$

兩邊同時乘上一積分因子 y

$$\Rightarrow$$
 **2** $ty \cdot dy + y^2 \cdot dt = 0$ ... 已為正合微分方程式

1. 假設
$$F(y,t) = \int \frac{2t}{y} \cdot dy + \psi(t) = \frac{t}{y^2} + \psi(t)$$

2. 
$$\frac{\partial F(y,t)}{\partial t} = N 須成立$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{\partial [ty^2 + \psi(t)]}{\partial t} = y^2 + \psi'(t) = N = y^2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \psi'(t) = 0$$

4. 正合微分方程式的解為: 
$$F(y,t) \neq ty^2 + k = c$$
 或 $ty^2 = c'$   $(c' \equiv c - k)$ 

Alternative Way:

$$2t \cdot dy + y \cdot dt = 0 \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{y} \cdot dy = -\frac{1}{2t} \cdot dt$$
$$\Leftrightarrow \int \frac{1}{y} \cdot dy = -\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{t} \cdot dt \dots$$

正合微分方程式可以用來說明 $\frac{dy}{dt} + u(t) \cdot y = w(t)$ 的解:

$$\frac{dy}{dt} + u(t) \cdot y = w(t) \rightarrow dy - [w(t) - u(t) \cdot y]dt = 0$$

檢驗是否為正合微分方程式:

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial I}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left[ e^{\int u \cdot dt} \right] = u \cdot e^{\int u \cdot dt}$$

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$$\frac{\partial N}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial \{I[u \cdot y - w]\}}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \{e^{\int u \cdot dt} [u \cdot y - w]\} = e^{\int u \cdot dt} \cdot u$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial M}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial N}{\partial y}$$

求解:

Step 1: Let 
$$F(y,t) = \int I \cdot dy + \psi(t) = \int (e^{\int u \cdot dt}) \cdot dy + \psi(t)$$
  
 $\rightarrow F(y,t) = y \cdot e^{\int u \cdot dt} + \psi(t)$   
Step 2:  $\frac{\partial F(y,t)}{\partial t} = N$   
 $\rightarrow \frac{\partial [y \cdot e^{\int u \cdot dt} + \psi(t)]}{\partial t} = yu \cdot e^{\int u \cdot dt} + \psi'(t) = N = I[u \cdot y - w]$   
 $\rightarrow yu \cdot e^{\int u \cdot dt} + \psi'(t) = e^{\int u \cdot dt} [u \cdot y - w]$   
 $\rightarrow \psi'(t) = -we^{\int u \cdot dt}$   
Step 3:  $\psi'(t) = -we^{\int u \cdot dt} \rightarrow \psi(t) = -\int (we^{\int u \cdot dt}) \cdot dt$   
 $F(y,t) = y \cdot e^{\int u \cdot dt} - \int (we^{\int u \cdot dt}) \cdot dt$   
Step 4: Thus,  $F(y,t) = y \cdot e^{\int u \cdot dt} - \int (we^{\int u \cdot dt}) \cdot dt = c$   
 $\rightarrow y = e^{-\int u \cdot dt} \cdot \left[c + \int (we^{\int u \cdot dt}) \cdot dt\right]$ 

Ex: 求解 
$$dy + (2ty - t)dt = 0$$
  
積分因子:  $I = \exp(\int 2t \cdot dt) = \exp(t^2 + c) = Ae^{t^2}, (:: u = 2t)$   
 $\to Ae^{t^2}dy + Ae^{t^2}(2ty - t)dt = 0$ 

- 5. first-order and first-degree 的非線性微分方程式
  - 一般式:

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$$f(y,t) \cdot dy + g(y,t) \cdot dt = 0, \ \vec{\boxtimes}$$
$$\frac{dy}{dt} = h(y,t)$$

其中, y, t的乘幕(power)沒有限制

在 Exact D.E.中,y的 power 可以是高次的 例如: $2yt \cdot dy + y^2 \cdot dt = 0$ 即是

若兩邊同除 y,雖然使其為線性微分方程式,但卻非正合微分方程式,所以正合微分方程式經常視為非線性(nonlinear)

### 僅討論兩種類型

#### A. Separable Variables

在適當條件下,  $f(y,t) \cdot dy + g(y,t) \cdot dt = 0$ 可以改寫成:  $h(y) \cdot dy + k(t) \cdot dt = 0$ 

Ex: 
$$\Re 3y^2 \cdot dy - t \cdot dt = 0$$
  
 $3y^2 \cdot dy - t \cdot dt = 0 \implies 3y^2 \cdot dy = t \cdot dt$   
 $\Rightarrow \int 3y^2 \cdot dy = \int t \cdot dt$   
 $\Rightarrow y^3 + c_1 = \frac{1}{2}t^2 + c_2$   
 $\Rightarrow y^3 = \frac{1}{2}t^2 + c, \ (c = c_2 - c_1)$ 

Ex: 求解 $2t \cdot dy + y \cdot dt = 0$  乍看下非 separable,但適當轉換即可成 separable 兩邊同除 2ty,

$$\frac{1}{y}dy + \frac{1}{2t}dt = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \int \frac{1}{y} \cdot dy = -\int \frac{1}{2t} \cdot dt$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \ln y + \frac{1}{2} \ln t = c \iff \ln(yt^{1/2}) = c$$

$$\Leftrightarrow yt^{1/2} = e^c \equiv A \iff y = At^{-1/2}$$

#### B. Equations Reducible to the Linear Form (Bernoulli Equation)

型式: 
$$\frac{dy}{dt} + R(t) \cdot y = T(t) \cdot y^m, \quad m \neq 0,1 \text{ (nonlinear form)}$$

簡化步驟:

1. 同除
$$y^m$$
:  $y^{-m} \frac{dy}{dt} + R(t) \cdot y^{1-m} = T(t)$ 

$$\frac{1}{1-m}\frac{dz}{dt} + R(t) \cdot z(t) = T(t)$$

3. 
$$\frac{1}{1-m}\frac{dz}{dt} + R(t) \cdot z(t) = T(t)$$

$$\rightarrow dz + (1-m)[R(t) \cdot z(t) - T(t)] \cdot dt = 0...$$
一階線性微方(for z)

Ex: 求解
$$\frac{dy}{dt} + ty = 3ty^2$$

$$\rightarrow y^{-2} \frac{dy}{dt} + ty^{-1} = 3t \ (同除 y^2)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow z = y^{-1} \rightarrow \frac{dz}{dt} = -y^{-2} \frac{dy}{dt}$$

改寫微分方程式成:

$$-\frac{dz}{dt} + tz = 3t$$
(Recall:  $y(t) = e^{-\int u(t)dt} \cdot \left[ A + \int w(t) \cdot e^{\int u(t)dt} dt \right]$ )

⇒ 
$$z(t) = Ae^{\frac{1}{2}t^2} + 3$$
   
因為令 $z = y^{-1}$ ,所以 $y(t) = 1/(Ae^{\frac{1}{2}t^2} + 3)$ 

Ex: 
$$\bar{x}$$
  $\bar{x}$   $\bar{y}$   $\frac{dy}{dt} + \frac{1}{t}y = y^3$ 

$$\rightarrow y^{-3} \frac{dy}{dt} + ty^{-2} = 1 \quad (\Box \hat{x} y^3)$$

$$\Rightarrow z = y^{-2} \rightarrow \frac{dz}{dt} = -2y^{-3} \frac{dy}{dt}$$

改寫微分方程式成:

$$-\frac{1}{2}\frac{dz}{dt} + tz = 1$$
(Recall:  $y(t) = e^{-\int u(t)dt} \cdot \left[ A + \int w(t) \cdot e^{\int u(t)dt} dt \right]$ )

.....

⇒ 
$$z(t) = At^2 - 2t$$
  
因為令 $z = y^{-2}$ ,所以 $y(t) = (At^2 - 2t)^{-1/2}$ 

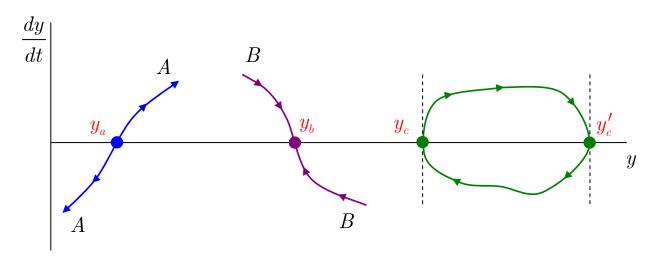
## 6. The Qualitative-Graphic Approach (定性圖形分析)

有時候 differential equation 無法求出數量解,但從圖形分析可以 得到它的時間路徑(time path)。(時間路徑用以判斷y(t)能否收斂)

The Phase Diagram (以一階微分方程式: $\frac{dy}{dt} = f(y)$  為例)

f(y)可以是線性,或非線性函數

三類相位圖(phase diagram)



- (1)通過橫軸時, (2)通過橫軸時, (3)通過橫軸時, 切線斜率為正
  - 切線斜率為負
- 切線斜率為無窮大

注意事項:

- (i)  $\frac{dy}{dt} > 0$ , y 隨著時間增加而增加;  $\frac{dy}{dt} < 0$ , y 隨著時間增加而減少
- (ii) 均衡水準 $\overline{y}$  ,只發生在橫軸且 $\frac{dy}{dt} = 0$

⇒找均衡點,需考慮相線與y(横)軸交點,並注意其動態安定性

例題 
$$1$$
: 畫出  $\frac{dy}{dt} = (3y+3)$  的相位圖  $f(y)$ 

均衡點:

發生在
$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 0$$
的地方,亦即 $3\overline{y} + 3 = 0$ , $\therefore \overline{y} = -1$ 

相位線(在均衡點附近)之斜率與曲度:

$$\frac{\partial (dy/dt)}{\partial y} = 3 > 0 \dots$$
 正斜率 
$$\frac{\partial^2 (dy/dt)}{\partial y^2} = 0 \dots$$
 直線 
$$y_a = -1$$

Excise 1:畫出
$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \sqrt{y} - 2$$
 的相位圖

Excise 2:畫出
$$\frac{dy}{dt} = -2\ln(y) + 2$$
 的相位圖

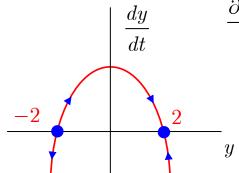
例題 2:畫出
$$\frac{dy}{dt} = -y^2 + 4$$
 的相位圖

均衡點:

發生在
$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 0$$
的地方,亦即 $-\overline{y}^2 + 4 = 0$ ,∴ $\overline{y} = \pm 2$ 

相位線(在均衡點附近)之斜率與曲度:

$$\frac{\partial (dy/dt)}{\partial y} = -2\overline{y} < 0 \\ > 0, \quad \text{if } \overline{y} = \begin{cases} 2 \\ -2 \end{cases}$$

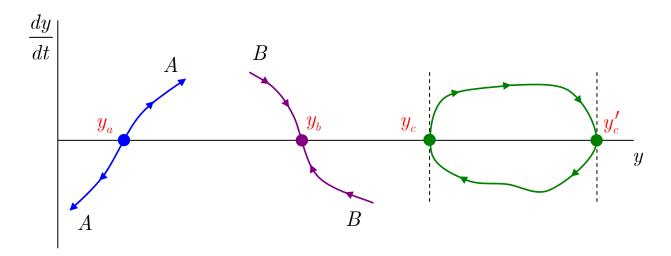


$$\frac{dy}{dt} \qquad \frac{\partial^2 (dy/dt)}{\partial y^2} = -2 < 0 \quad \dots \text{ concave function}$$

Homework 1:畫出 $\frac{dy}{dt} = -y^3 + 3y^2 + 9y - 2$  的相位圖

Homework 2:畫出 $\frac{dy}{dt} = y^2 + 1$  的相位圖

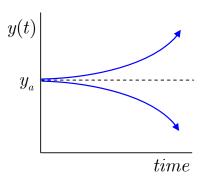
## 上述三類相位圖所對應的時間路徑(time path)為:



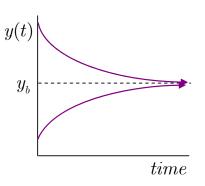
相位線與橫軸交點之斜率為正值

相位線與橫軸交點 之斜率為負值

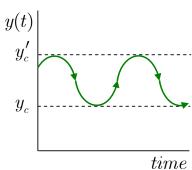
相位線與橫軸交點之 斜率為(正負)無窮大



 $y_a$ : dynamic instability (發散)



 $y_b$ : dynamic **stability** (收斂)



 $y_c, \ y_c'$ : limit  $\mathbf{cycle}$  (循環波動)

以之前所學過的微分方程式
$$\frac{dy}{dt}+ay=b$$
 (或 $\frac{dy}{dt}=-ay+b$ )為例 其解:  $y(t)=\left[y(0)-\frac{b}{a}\right]e^{-at}+\frac{b}{a}$   $(a\neq 0)$ 

- (1) a < 0, y(t) diverges from equilibrium  $y_a$   $t \to \infty, \Rightarrow e^{-at} \to \infty, \Rightarrow y(t) \to \infty$
- (2) a>0, y(t) converges to equilibrium  $y_b$   $t\to\infty\,,\ \Rightarrow\ e^{-at}\to 0\,,\ \Rightarrow\ y(t)\to \frac{b}{a}$

#### **Summary:**

A first-order differential equation is **autonomous** if it takes the form y'(t) = F(y(t)) (i.e. the value of y'(t) does not depend independently on the variable t).

An equilibrium state of such an equation is a values of x for which  $F(\overline{y}) = 0$ . (If  $F(\overline{y}) = 0$  then y'(t) = 0, so that the value of y does not change.)

A phase diagram indicates the direction in which y is changing for a "representative" collections of values of y. To construct such a diagram, plot the function F, which gives the value of y'(t). For values of y at which the graph of F is above the y-axis we have y'(t) > 0, so that y is increasing; for values of y at which the graph is below the y-axis we have y'(t) < 0, so that y is decreasing. A value of y for which  $F(\overline{y}) = 0$  is an equilibrium state.

We say that an equilibrium  $\overline{y}$  is (locally) **stable** if, after a small departure from the equilibrium, the value of y approaches  $\overline{y}$ . From the phase diagram, you can see that

- if  $F(\overline{y}) = 0$  and  $F'(\overline{y}) < 0$  then  $\overline{y}$  is a **stable** equilibrium
- if  $F(\overline{y}) = 0$  and  $F'(\overline{y}) > 0$  then  $\overline{y}$  is an **unstable** equilibrium.

#### 7. Application: Solow Growth Model

#### A. 模型架構:

- (1) 使用兩種生產要素:資本(K)、勞動(L)生產函數表示成:Q = f(K,L), K,L > 0, $f_K > 0, f_L > 0, f_{KK} < 0, f_{LL} < 0$
- (2) f為線性齊次函數

$$\therefore Q = L \cdot f(\frac{K}{L}, 1) \equiv L \cdot \phi(k), \text{ where } k \equiv K / L$$

$$f_K \equiv MPP_K = \phi'(k) > 0,$$

$$f_{KK} = \frac{\partial \phi'(k)}{\partial K} = \frac{\partial \phi'(k)}{\partial k} \frac{\partial k}{\partial K} = \phi''(k) \cdot \frac{1}{L} < 0, \iff \phi''(k) < 0$$

(3) 產出 Q 的固定儲蓄比例  $s (\equiv MPS)$  被用於投資,即

$$\dot{K} \ (\equiv \frac{dK}{dt}) = sQ$$

勞動力成長率為(正值)固定數 $\lambda$ ,即

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$$\frac{\dot{L}}{L} \ (\equiv \frac{dL/dt}{L}) = \lambda > 0$$

(4) 所有要素 (資本與勞工) 均充分就業

#### B. 推論過程:

均衡條件:
$$I = S$$

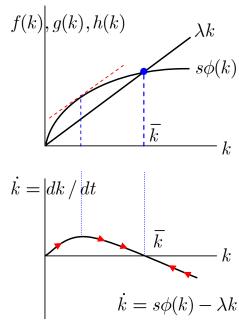
$$\Rightarrow \dot{K} = sQ \Rightarrow \dot{K} = sL \cdot \phi(k)$$
又因為  $k \equiv \frac{K}{L} \Rightarrow \dot{k} = \frac{L\dot{K} - K\dot{L}}{L^2} = \frac{L[sL \cdot \phi(k)]}{L^2} - \frac{\dot{K}\dot{L}}{L}L$ 

$$\Rightarrow \dot{k} = s \cdot \phi(k) - k \cdot \lambda \quad ...k \text{ 的} - \text{階微分方程式}$$

因為 $\phi(k)$ 為一般函數, ...只能對 $\dot{k} = s\phi(k) - k\lambda$ 進行定性分析

#### C. 定性分析:

將 g 和 h 函數畫在圖形上,其交點滿足 g(k) = h(k),亦即  $\dot{k} = 0$ 



説明:(1) 均衡條件: $\dot{k} = 0 \Leftrightarrow s\phi(\overline{k}) - \overline{k}\lambda = 0$  求得均衡的每人資本 $\overline{k}$ 

(2) 相位圖的斜率與曲度:

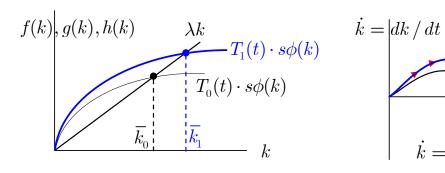
斜率: 
$$\frac{\partial \dot{k}}{\partial k} = s\phi'(k) - \lambda \stackrel{>}{<} 0$$

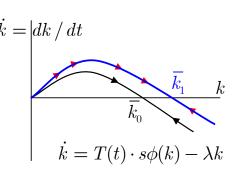
曲度:
$$\frac{\partial^2 \dot{k}}{\partial k^2} = s\phi''(k) < 0$$
 ..... concave function

## D. 比較靜態:

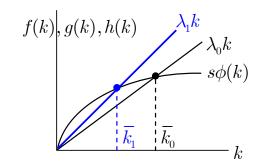
(1) 技術進步

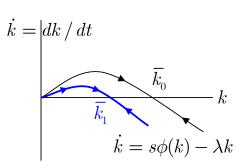
令生產函數為
$$Q = T(t) \cdot f(K, L)$$
, $\frac{dT}{dt} > 0$ 





(2) 人口成長率上升  $(\lambda \uparrow ; \lambda_0 < \lambda_1)$ 





(3) 儲蓄率上升  $(s\uparrow)$  ..... 練習題

#### E. 明確生產函數的實例

假設生產函數為 $Q=K^{\alpha}L^{1-\alpha}$ ,則 $\phi(k)=\frac{Q}{L}=k^{\alpha}$  每人資本的動態方程式: $\dot{k}=sk^{\alpha}-\lambda k$ 

..... Bernoulli equation

$$\Rightarrow \dot{k} + \lambda k = sk^{\alpha}$$

均衡條件:
$$\dot{k} = 0 \Leftrightarrow \lambda \overline{k} = s\overline{k}^{\alpha} \Leftrightarrow \overline{k}(\lambda - s\overline{k}^{\alpha-1}) = 0$$
  
∴ 均衡每人資本 $\overline{k} = 0$  or  $\overline{k} = \left(\frac{s}{\lambda}\right)^{\frac{1}{1-\alpha}}$ 

## (1) 圖形分析:

類似前述 (自行練習)

## (2) 數學解

$$\dot{k} + \lambda k = sk^{\alpha} \stackrel{\Box \beta k^a}{\Rightarrow} k^{-\alpha} \cdot \dot{k} + \lambda k^{1-\alpha} = s$$

$$\Leftrightarrow z \equiv k^{1-\alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{z} \equiv (1 - \alpha)k^{-\alpha} \cdot \dot{k}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{1 - \alpha} \dot{z} + \lambda \cdot z = s$$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{z} + (1 - \alpha)\lambda \cdot z = (1 - \alpha)s$$

$$\Rightarrow z(t) = \frac{s}{\lambda} + Ae^{-(1 - \alpha)\lambda \cdot t}$$

$$\Rightarrow k^{1 - \alpha}(t) = \frac{s}{\lambda} + Ae^{-(1 - \alpha)\lambda \cdot t}$$

$$= \overline{k}^{1 - \alpha} + Ae^{-(1 - \alpha)\lambda \cdot t}$$
or 
$$\Rightarrow k(t) = \left[\overline{k}^{1 - \alpha} + Ae^{-(1 - \alpha)\lambda \cdot t}\right]^{\frac{1}{1 - \alpha}}$$

初始條件: t=0時,每人資本為k(0)  $\Rightarrow k^{1-\alpha}(0) = \overline{k}^{1-\alpha} + Ae^{-(1-\alpha)\lambda \cdot 0} = \overline{k}^{1-\alpha} + A$   $\Rightarrow A = k^{1-\alpha}(0) - \overline{k}^{1-\alpha} , \quad 其中 \ \overline{k}^{1-\alpha} = \frac{s}{\lambda}$ 

$$\therefore k^{1-\alpha}(t) = \overline{k}^{1-\alpha} + \left(k^{1-\alpha}(0) - \overline{k}^{1-\alpha}\right)e^{-(1-\alpha)\lambda \cdot t}$$
$$= \frac{s}{\lambda} + \left(k^{1-\alpha}(0) - \frac{s}{\lambda}\right)e^{-(1-\alpha)\lambda \cdot t}$$

As 
$$t \to \infty$$
,  $k^{1-\alpha} \to \frac{s}{\lambda}$  or  $k \to \left(\frac{s}{\lambda}\right)^{1/(1-\alpha)}$