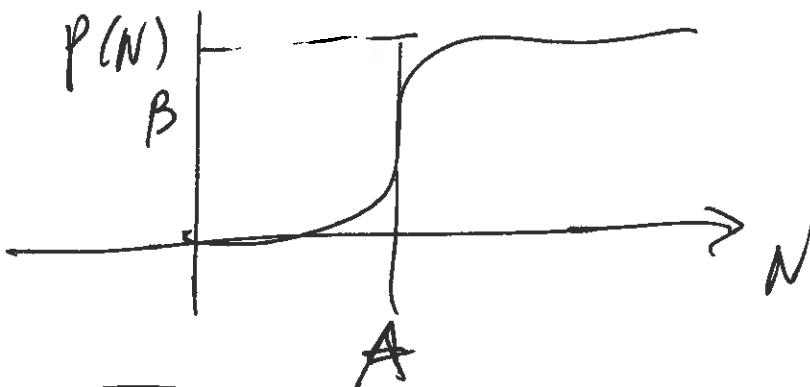


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# Insect Outbreak Model

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = \underbrace{r_B N \left(1 - \frac{N}{K_B}\right)}_{\text{logistic term}} - \underbrace{p(N)}_{\text{predation term}}$$

Spruce Budworm



$$p(N) = \frac{BN^2}{A^2 + N^2}$$

$$u = \frac{N}{A}$$

$$r = \frac{Ar_B}{B}$$

$$q = \frac{K_B}{A}$$

$$\tau = \frac{B\epsilon}{A}$$

parameters

$$\frac{du}{d\tau} = ru \left(1 - \frac{u}{q}\right) - \frac{u^2}{1+u^2} = f(u; q, r)$$

Equilibrium states

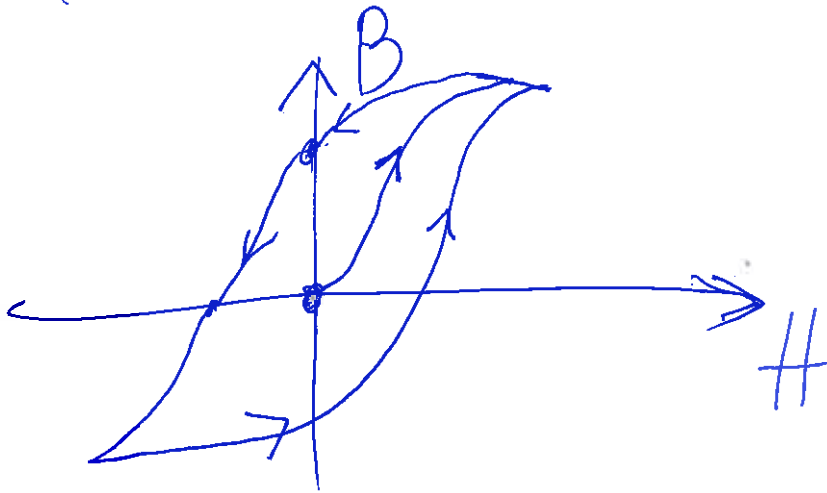
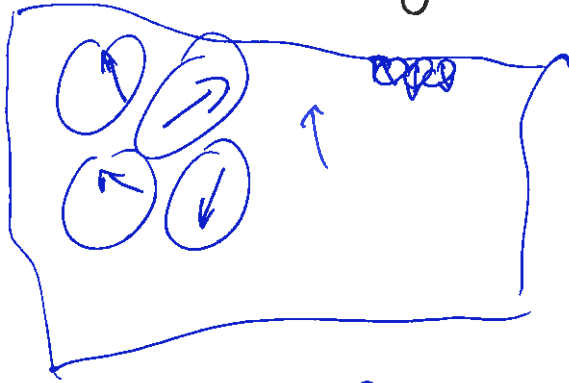
$$f(u^*, q, r) = 0$$

$$ru \left(1 - \frac{u}{q}\right) = \frac{u^2}{1+u^2} \Rightarrow \overset{*}{u=0}$$

$$r \left( 1 - \frac{u}{a} \right) = \frac{u}{1+u^2}$$

$$\underbrace{r(1+u^2) \left( 1 - \frac{u}{a} \right)}_{\text{cubic eq. for } u} = u$$

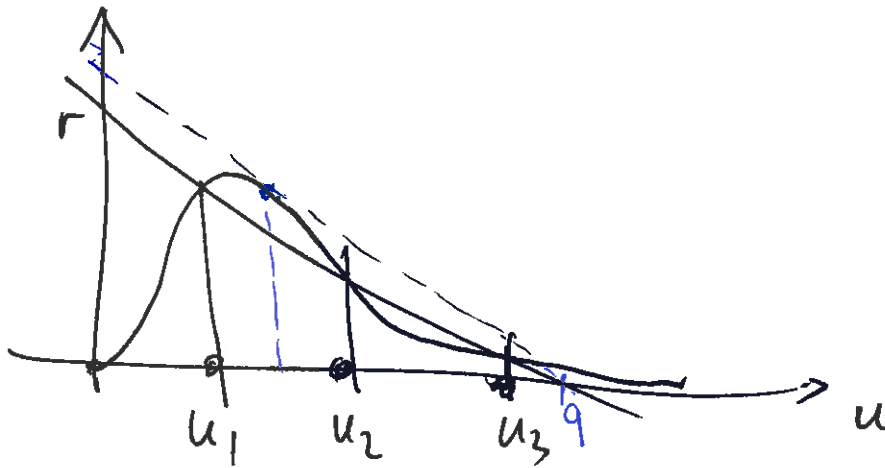
hysteresis - ferromagnetic materials



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(?) For which values of  $(q, r)$  we have 1 or 3 real solutions?

$$f(u^*) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \boxed{r\left(1 - \frac{u}{q}\right) = \frac{u}{1+u^2}} \quad (1)$$



$$\text{slope} = -\frac{r}{q} = \frac{d}{du} \left( \frac{u}{1+u^2} \right) = \frac{1 \cdot (1+u^2) - u(2u)}{(1+u^2)^2}$$

$$-\frac{r}{q} = \frac{1-u^2}{(1+u^2)^2}$$

$$\frac{r}{q} = \frac{u^2-1}{(u^2+1)^2} \quad (2)$$

$$r - \left(\frac{r}{q}\right)u = \frac{u}{1+u^2} \Rightarrow r = \left(\frac{r}{q}\right)u + \frac{u}{1+u^2}$$

$$r = u \frac{u^2-1}{(u^2+1)^2} + \frac{u}{1+u^2} = \frac{u(u^2-1+u^2+1)}{(u^2+1)^2} = \frac{2u^3}{(u^2+1)^2}$$

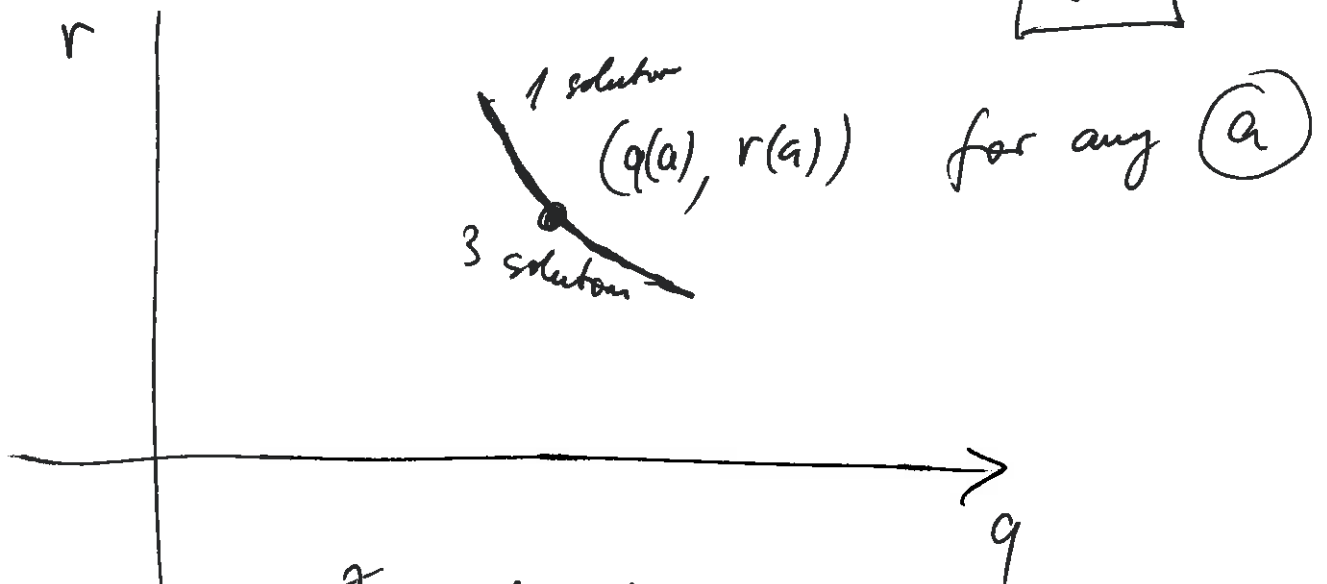
$$\boxed{r = \frac{2u^3}{(u^2+1)^2}} \quad q = r \frac{(u^2+1)^2}{u^2-1} = \frac{2u^3}{(u^2+1)^2} \cdot \frac{(u^2+1)^2}{u^2-1}$$

$$\boxed{q = \frac{2u^3}{u^2-1}}$$

$u = a$  is a parameter

$$r(a) = \frac{2a^3}{(a^2+1)^2} > 0 \quad q(a) = \frac{2a^3}{a^2-1} > 0$$

$\boxed{a > 1}$  ~~for any~~



$$\frac{dr}{da} = \frac{6a^2(a^2+1)^2 - 2a^3 \cdot 2(a^2+1) \cdot 2a}{(a^2+1)^4} = \frac{a^2(6a^2+6-8a^2)}{(1+a^2)^3}$$

$$\frac{dr}{da} = \frac{a^2(6-2a^2)}{(1+a^2)^3} = \frac{2a^2(3-a^2)}{(1+a^2)^3}$$

$$\frac{dq}{da} = \frac{d}{da} \left( \frac{2a^3}{a^2-1} \right) = \frac{6a^2(a^2-1) - 2a^3(2a)}{(a^2-1)^2} = \frac{2a^2(3a^2-3-2a^2)}{(a^2-1)^2}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{dq}{da} = \frac{2a^2(a^2-3)}{(a^2-1)^2}}$$

$$\frac{dr}{da} = \frac{2a^2(3-a^2)}{(1+a^2)^3}$$

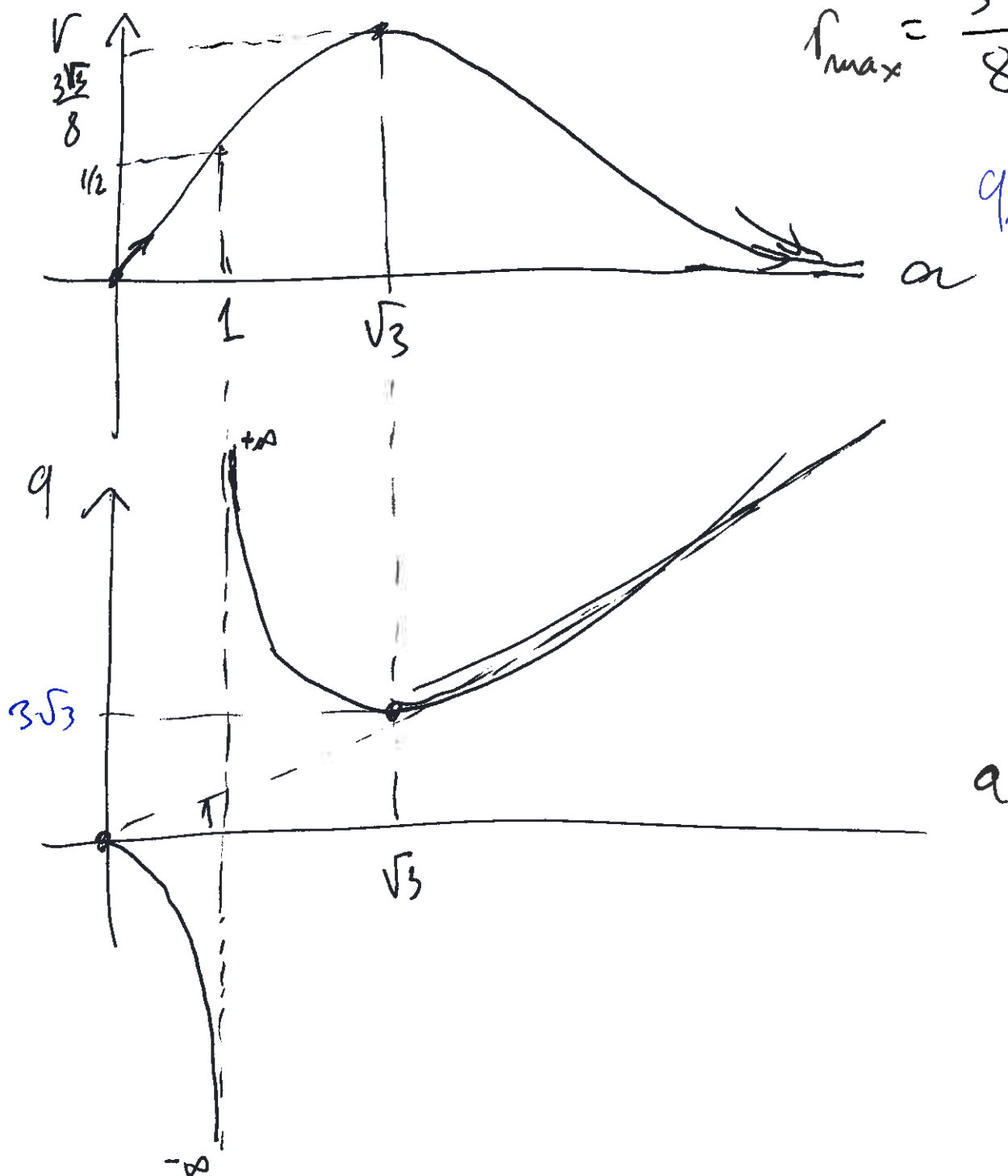
$$\frac{dq}{da} = \frac{2a^2(a^2-3)}{(a^2-1)^2}$$

$$r(a) = \frac{2a^3}{(a^2+1)^2}$$

$$q(a) = \frac{2a^3}{a^2-1}$$

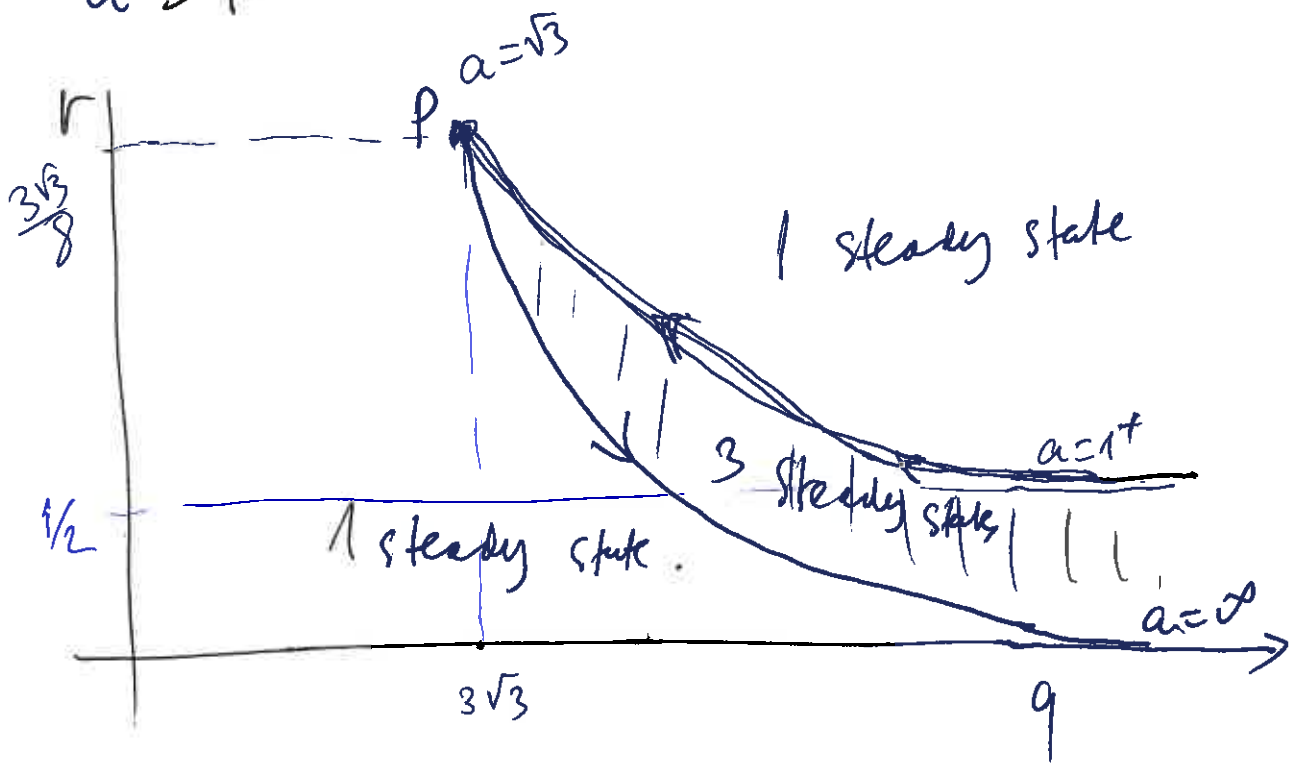
$$r_{\max} = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{8} \text{ when } a = \sqrt{3}$$

$$q_{\min} = \frac{2a\sqrt{3}}{2} = 3\sqrt{3}$$



$$a > 1$$

$$a \rightarrow 1^+$$



P - 'cusp point'

# Delay Models

$$\frac{dN(t)}{dt} = f(N(t))$$

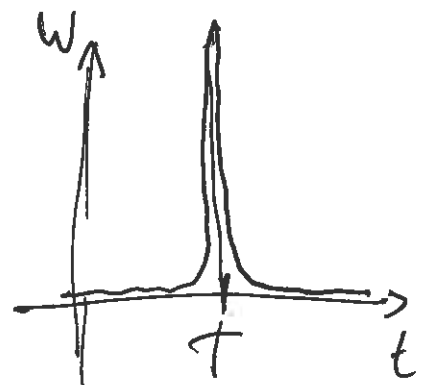
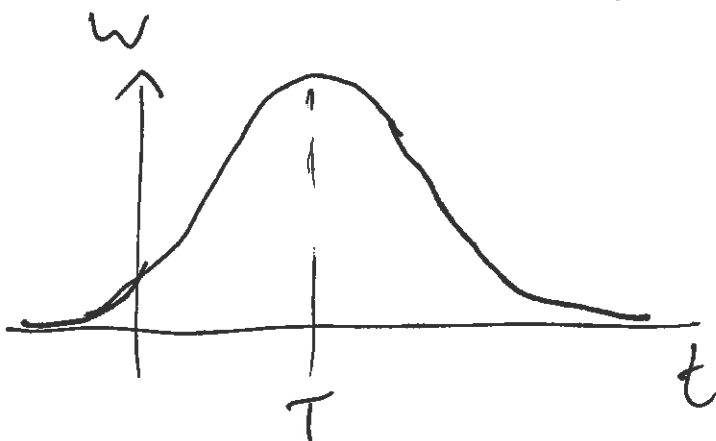
$$\frac{dN(t)}{dt} = f(N(t), N(t-T))$$

$T$  - 'Delay'

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = rN(t) \left[ 1 - \frac{N(t-T)}{K} \right] \quad (1)$$

regulatory effect which depends on the population at earlier time  $t-T$ , rather than  $t$ .

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = rN(t) \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{K} \int_{-\infty}^t w(t-t') N(t') dt' \right] \quad (2)$$



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$$\text{Let } w(t) = \delta(t-T).$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } \int_{-\infty}^t w(t-t') N(t') dt' &\Rightarrow \\ &\rightarrow \int_{-\infty}^t \delta(t-t'-T) \underline{N(t')} dt' = N(t-T) \\ &\quad t' = t-T \end{aligned}$$

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### Delta function

$\varphi, g$  defined on  $(-\infty, \infty)$

$$(\varphi, g) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) g(x) dx \quad \text{— scalar product.}$$

$$(\varphi, \delta) = \varphi(0)$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \varphi(x) \delta(x) dx = \varphi(0)$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \varphi(x) \delta(x-x_0) dx = \varphi(x_0)$$

$$\delta(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x \neq 0 \\ \infty & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(x) dx = 1.$$



$$\delta(x) = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\pi} \frac{\epsilon}{x^2 + \epsilon^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x \neq 0 & \quad \delta(x) = 0 \\ x = 0 & \quad \frac{1}{\epsilon} \rightarrow \infty \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(x) dx = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\epsilon dx}{x^2 + \epsilon^2} = \frac{1}{\pi} \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{d(\frac{x}{\epsilon})}{1 + (\frac{x}{\epsilon})^2}$$

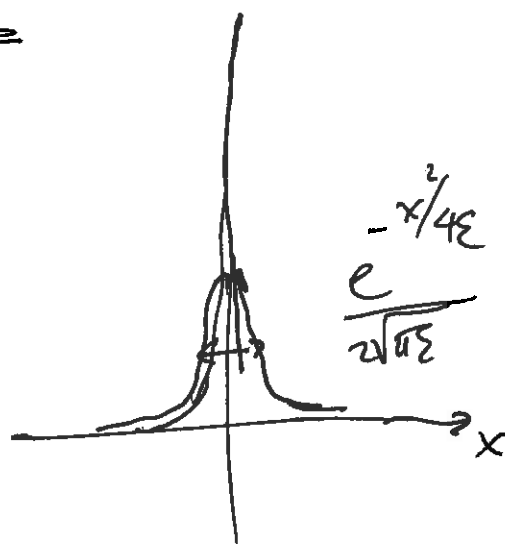
$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \left( \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{x}{\epsilon} \right) \Big|_{-\infty}^{\infty} \right) = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \left( -\frac{\pi}{2} \right) \right) = 1.$$

$$\tan \pi/2 = \frac{\sin \pi/2}{\cos \pi/2} = \infty$$

$$\tan(-\pi/2) = -\infty$$

$$\delta(x) = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\pi x} \sin \left( \frac{x}{\epsilon} \right)$$

$$\delta(x) = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi} \epsilon} e^{-\frac{x^2}{4\epsilon}}$$

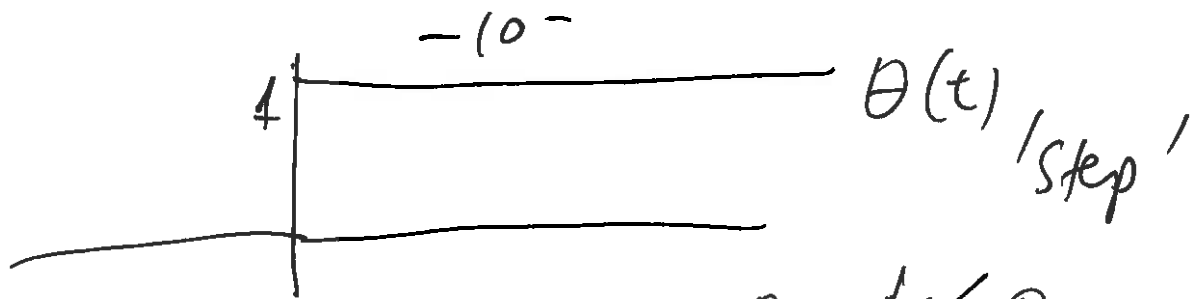


$$\delta(\alpha x) = \frac{\delta(x)}{|\alpha|}$$

$$\delta(-x) = \delta(x)$$

$$\delta(g(x)) = \frac{\delta(x - x_0)}{|g'(x_0)|}$$

$$g(x_0) = 0, g'(x_0) \neq 0$$



$$\Theta(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & t < 0 \\ 1 & t > 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\delta(t) = \frac{d\Theta(t)}{dt}$$

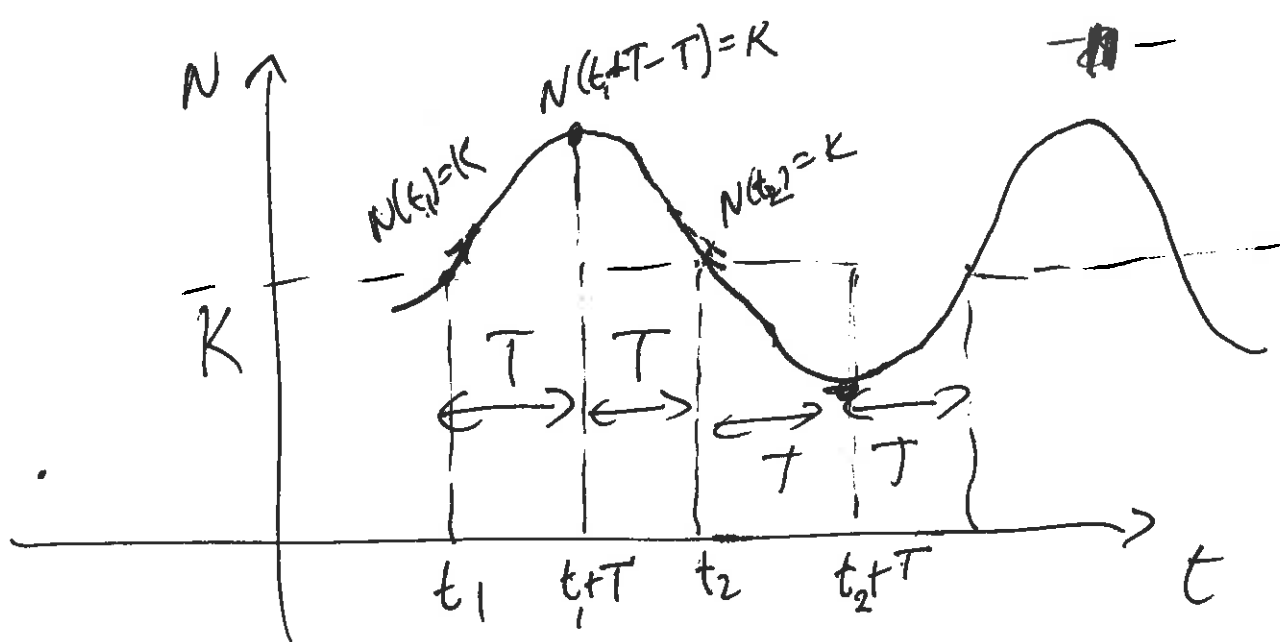
$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t) dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{d\Theta(t)}{dt} dt = \underbrace{\Theta(\infty)}_1 - \underbrace{\Theta(-\infty)}_0 = 1.$$

$$\boxed{x \delta(x) = 0} \quad x^n \delta(x) = 0$$

~~$$\int \varphi(x) \delta(x - x_0) = \varphi(x_0)$$~~

~~$$x_0 = 0$$~~ 
$$f(x) \delta(x) = f(0) \delta(x)$$


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$$\frac{dN}{dt} = rN(t) \left(1 - \frac{N(t-T)}{K}\right)$$

Suppose that  $t=t_1 \Rightarrow N(t_1)=K$

? Periodic behaviour?

Period =  $4T = 4 \times \text{Delay}$ ?

Example:

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = -\frac{\pi}{2T} N(t-T), \quad N(t) = A \cos \frac{\pi t}{2T}$$

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = -A \left(\frac{\pi}{2T}\right) \sin \frac{\pi t}{2T} \stackrel{?}{=} \underbrace{\left(-\frac{A}{2T}\right) A \cos \left(\frac{\pi(t-T)}{2T}\right)}_{= -A/2 N(t-T)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sin \frac{\pi t}{2T} &= \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2T} - \frac{\pi T}{2T} \right) = \cos \left( \frac{\pi t}{2T} - \frac{\pi}{2} \right) = \\ &= \cos \frac{\pi t}{2T} \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + \sin \left( \frac{\pi t}{2T} \right) \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} \right) = \sin \frac{\pi t}{2T} \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

Period of the solution  $t_p$

$$\frac{\pi(t_p)}{2T} = 2\pi \Rightarrow \cos \text{ is } 2\pi\text{-periodic}$$

$$t_p = 4T$$

Stable limit cycle periodic solutions

Remark: periodic solutions are not possible for models without delay.

Proof:  $\frac{dN}{dt} = f(N)$ ,

$$N(t) = N(t + t_p)$$

$$0 < \int_0^{t_p} \left( \frac{dN}{dt} \right)^2 dt = \int_0^{t_p} \underbrace{\left( \frac{dN}{dt} \right)}_{f(N)} \cdot \frac{dN}{dt} dt = \int_{N(0)}^{N(t_p)} f(N) dN$$

$$= \int_{N(0)}^{N(t_p)} f(N) dN = 0$$

Contradiction!