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# Sistemas Não Lineares

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# Teoremas sobre estabilidade

Teorema 6: Teorema de La Salle (princípio da invariância)

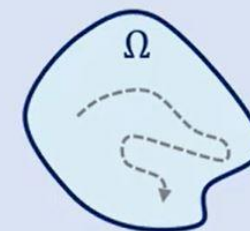
Pode ocorrer de  $\dot{V} \leq 0$  e ainda assim concluir sobre estabilidade assintótica

Definições:

Positively  
invariant set

A set  $\Omega$  is said to be a **positively invariant set** with respect to  $\dot{x} = f(x)$  if

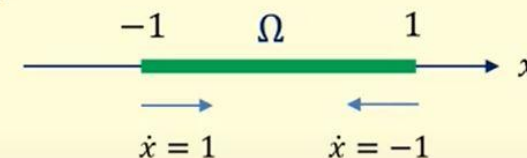
$$x(0) \in \Omega \Rightarrow x(t) \in \Omega, \quad \forall t \geq 0$$



## Example 1.

The set  $\Omega = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : |x| \leq 1\}$  is a positively invariant set with respect to  $\dot{x} = -x$ .

To check if  $\Omega$  is positively invariant w.r.t the system dynamics, we **just check the boundaries**.

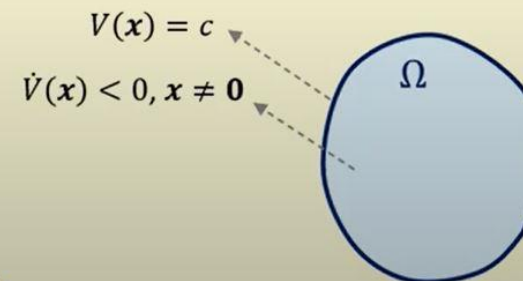


## Example 2.

Let  $V$  be a positive definite,  
and  $\dot{V}(x)$  be negative definite for  $\dot{x} = f(x)$ .

Define  $\Omega$  as  $\Omega = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : V(x) \leq c\}$ .

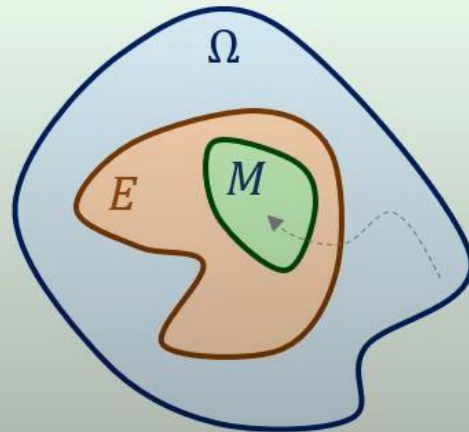
Then  $\Omega$  is a positively invariant set w.r.t.  $\dot{x} = f(x)$ . We **check the boundaries**.



# La Salle

- Let  $\Omega$  be a compact set that is **positively invariant** with respect to  $\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x})$
- Let  $V$  be a **continuously differentiable** function on  $\Omega$  such that  $\dot{V}(\mathbf{x}) \leq 0$  in  $\Omega$
- Let  $E \subset \Omega$  be the set of all points in  $\Omega$  such that  $\dot{V}(\mathbf{x}) = 0$
- Let  $M$  be the **largest positively invariant** set in  $E$

Then every solution starting in  $\Omega$  approaches  $M$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$



# La Salle local e global

Teorema 6: Teorema de La Salle (princípio da invariância)

Se para um sistema  $\dot{x} = f(x)$ ,  $f(0) = 0$ , existe uma função  $V(x)$  tal que

a)  $V(x) > 0$

b)  $V(x)$  é continuamente diferenciável

c)  $\dot{V}(x) \leq 0$

d)  $\nexists x \neq 0$  tal que  $\dot{V}(x) = 0, \forall t \geq 0$  Então é assintoticamente estável

O conjunto definido pela derivada de  $V(x)=0$  não contenha trajetórias além da trajetória identicamente nula

Teorema 7: Teorema de La Salle global

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e)  $V(x) \rightarrow \infty$  quando  $\|x\| \rightarrow \infty$

Então é globalmente assintoticamente estável

# La Salle local e global

Teorema 6: Teorema de La Salle (princípio da invariância)

Exemplo:

$$\dot{x}_1 = x_2$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = -x_1 - x_2$$

$$V(x) = \frac{1}{2}x_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}x_2^2 > 0$$

Exemplo:

$$\dot{x}_1 = x_2$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = -\phi(x_1) - \mu x_2, \mu > 0$$

$$V(x) = \frac{1}{2}x_2^2 + \int_0^{x_1} \phi(t)dt > 0$$

$\phi(x_1)x_1 > 0$  se  $x_1 \neq 0$  Função setorial nos quadrantes ímpares  
 $x_1 = 0 \implies \phi(x_1) = 0$

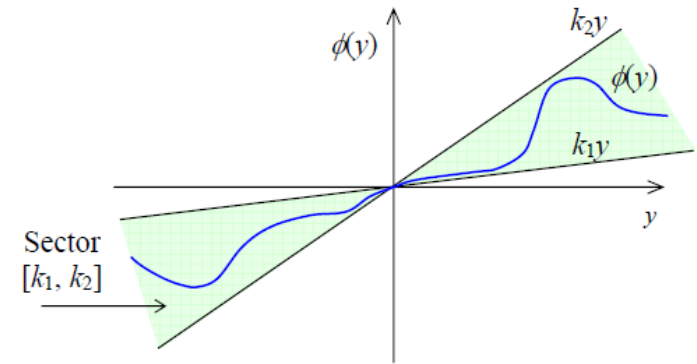


Fig. 3.13 – Função pertencente a um sector.

# La Salle local e global

Teorema 7: Teorema de La Salle global

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$$\dot{x}_1 = x_2$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = -x_1 + x_3$$

$$\dot{x}_3 = -x_2 - x_3$$

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# La Salle

**Example 3 (pendulum with friction):** Show the asymptotic stability of the origin  $x = (0,0)$  using LaSalle's Theorem for the general case where  $k \neq 0$ . For simplicity, let  $\ell = g$  and  $m = 1$ .

State equations:

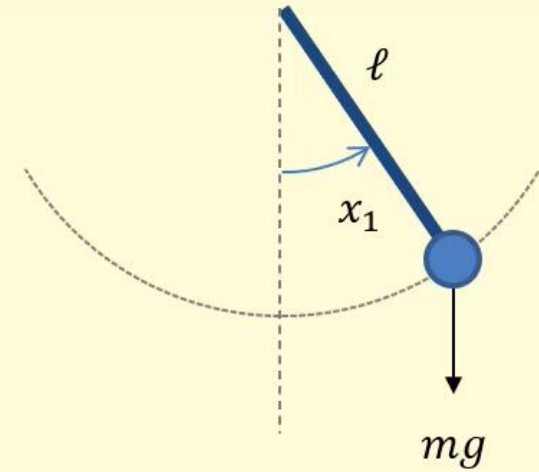
$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}_1 &= x_2 \\ \dot{x}_2 &= -\frac{g}{\ell} \sin x_1 - \frac{k}{m} x_2\end{aligned}$$

Let  $V(x) = 1 - \cos x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2^2$

$$V(x) = mgl(1 - \cos x_1) + \frac{1}{2}ml^2x_2^2$$

$$\dot{V}(x) = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x_1} \dot{x}_1 + \frac{\partial V}{\partial x_2} \dot{x}_2 = (\sin x_1)(x_2) + (x_2)(-\sin x_1 - kx_2) = -kx_2^2 \leq 0$$

So  $\dot{V}(x)$  is negative semi-definite.



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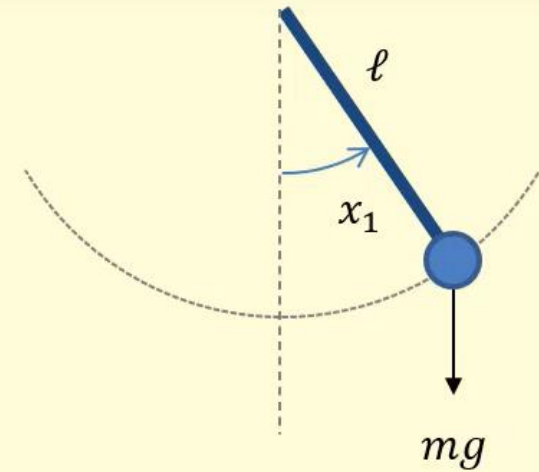
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$$\text{Let } V(x) = 1 - \cos x_1 + \frac{1}{2} x_2^2 \quad \dot{V}(x) = \nabla V \cdot f(x)$$

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The set  $\Omega$  is a compact set that is **positively invariant** with respect to  $\dot{x} = f(x)$ .

The set  $\Omega$  is usually chosen as a level set of the  $V$  if  $V$  is a positive definite function.

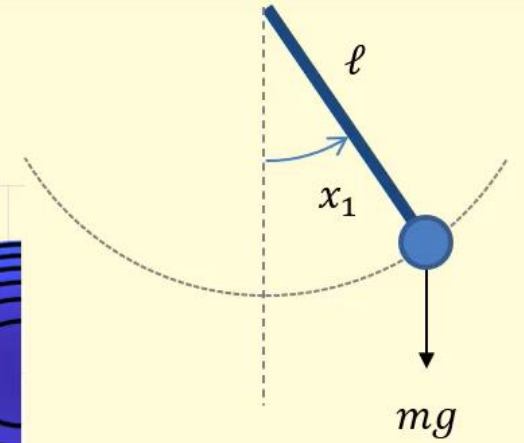
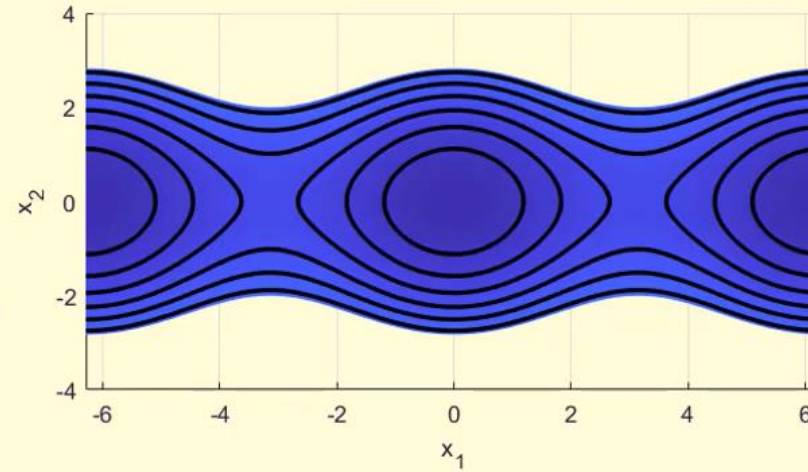
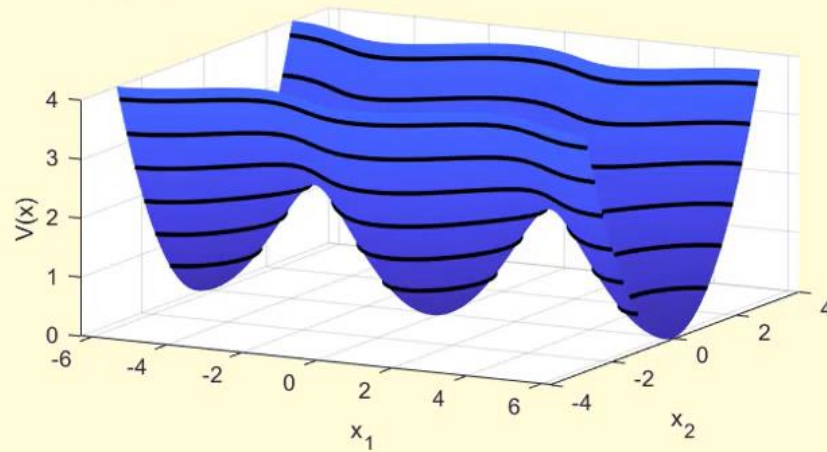


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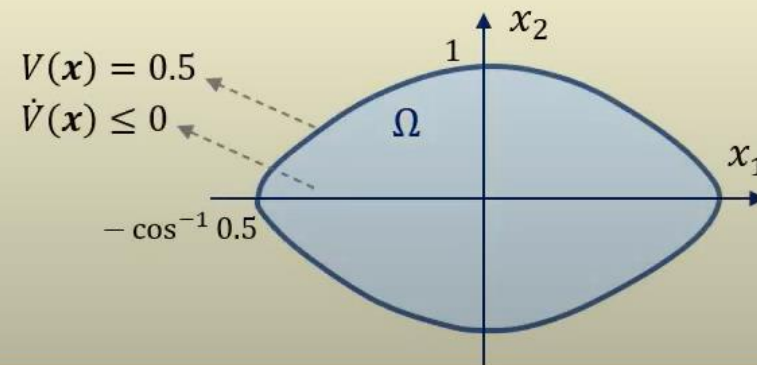
The level curves:



$$\text{ou.. } \Omega = [x_1 \quad x_2]^T : -\pi < x_1 < \pi, |x_2| < k$$

We choose the set  $\Omega$  as:

$$\Omega = \{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^2 : V(\mathbf{x}) \leq 0.5\}$$



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$$V(\mathbf{x}) = 1 - \cos x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2^2$$

$$\dot{V}(\mathbf{x}) = -kx_2^2 \leq 0$$

$$E := \{x : \dot{V} = 0\}$$

The set  $E \subset \Omega$  is the set of all points in  $\Omega$  such that  $\dot{V}(\mathbf{x}) = 0$ .

$$\dot{V}(\mathbf{x}) = 0 \Rightarrow -kx_2^2 = 0 \Rightarrow x_2 = 0$$

$$E = \{(x_1, x_2) \in \Omega : x_2 = 0\}$$

The set  $M$  is the *largest positively invariant set* in  $E$ .

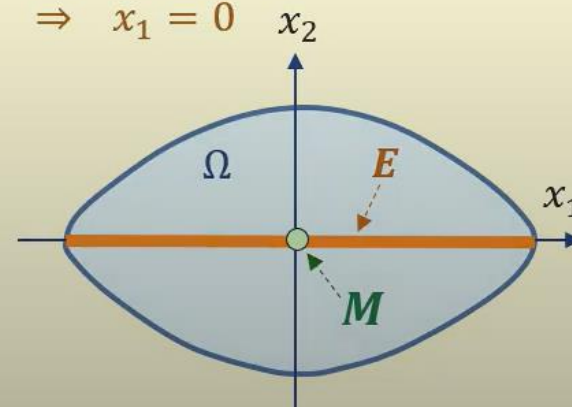
To find  $M$ , we let  $x_2 = 0$  for all  $t \geq 0$ . So  $\dot{x}_2(t) = 0$ .

Using the system's dynamical model we have:

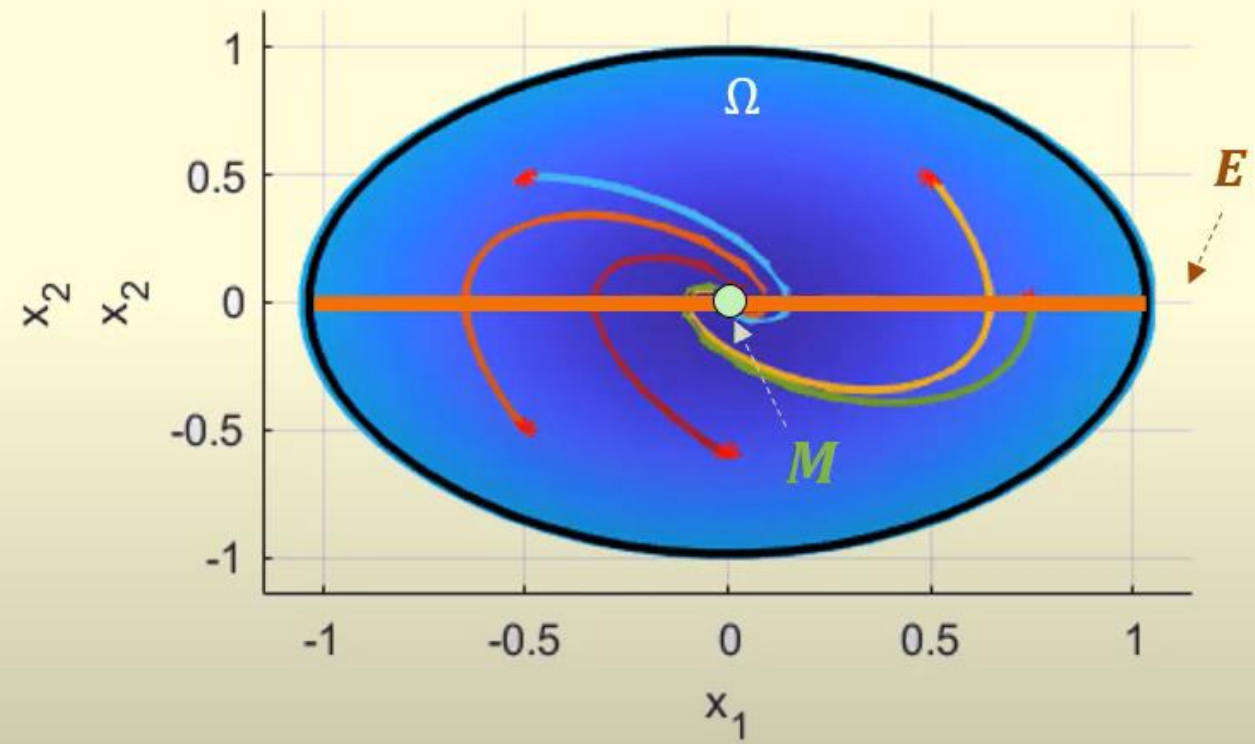
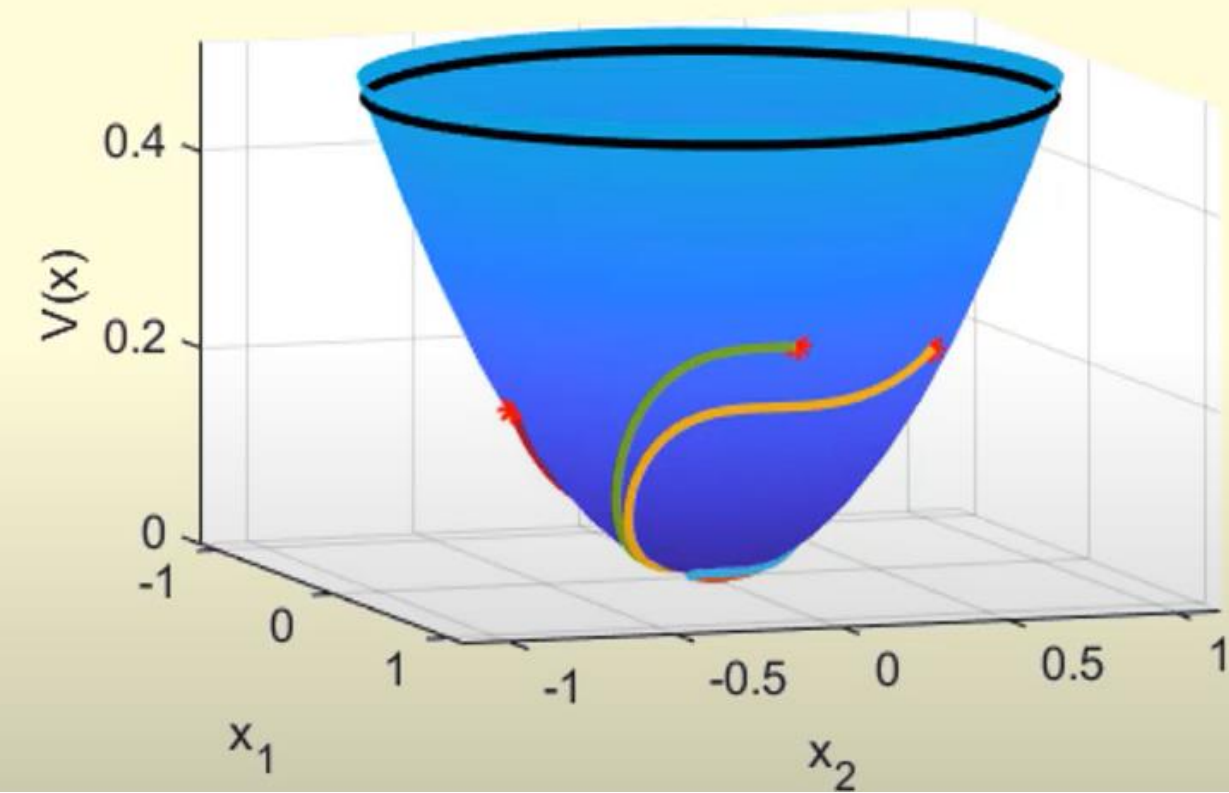
$$\dot{x}_2(t) = 0 \Rightarrow -\sin x_1 - kx_2 = 0 \Rightarrow \sin x_1 = 0 \Rightarrow x_1 = 0$$

So the set  $M$  is:

$$M = \{(x_1, x_2) = (0, 0)\}$$



**LaSalle's Invariance principle:** Every solution starting in  $\Omega$  approaches  $M$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$



**Example 4:** Using LaSalle's Invariance Principle, show the origin is an asymptotic stability equilibrium of the mass-spring-damper system. For simplicity, let  $u = 0$ ,  $k = b = m$ .

State space model:

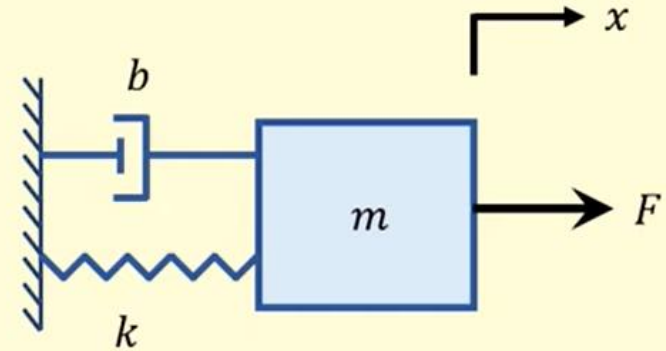
$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{v} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\frac{k}{m} & -\frac{b}{m} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ v \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{1}{m} \end{bmatrix} u$$
$$y = [1 \quad 0] \begin{bmatrix} x \\ v \end{bmatrix}$$

State equations:  $\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{v} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} v \\ -x - v \end{bmatrix}$

Consider  $V(x, v) = \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{2}v^2$

$$\dot{V}(x, v) = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} \dot{x} + \frac{\partial V}{\partial v} \dot{v} = (x)(v) + (v)(-x - v) = -v^2 \leq 0$$

So  $\dot{V}(x)$  is negative semi-definite.



$m$ :	Mass
$k$ :	Spring constant
$b$ :	Damping constant
$x$ :	Displacement of the mass
$\dot{x} = v$ :	Velocity of the mass
$F$ :	Input force



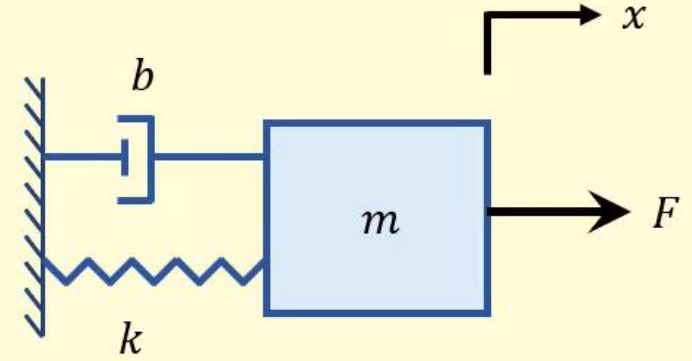
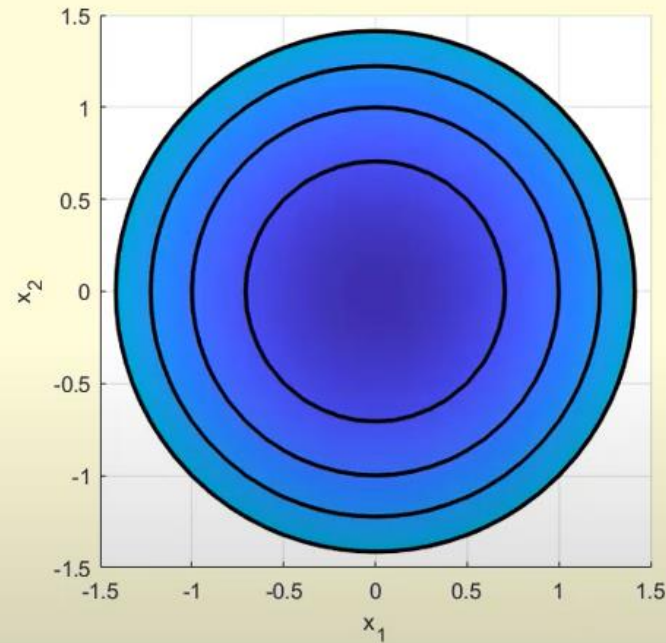
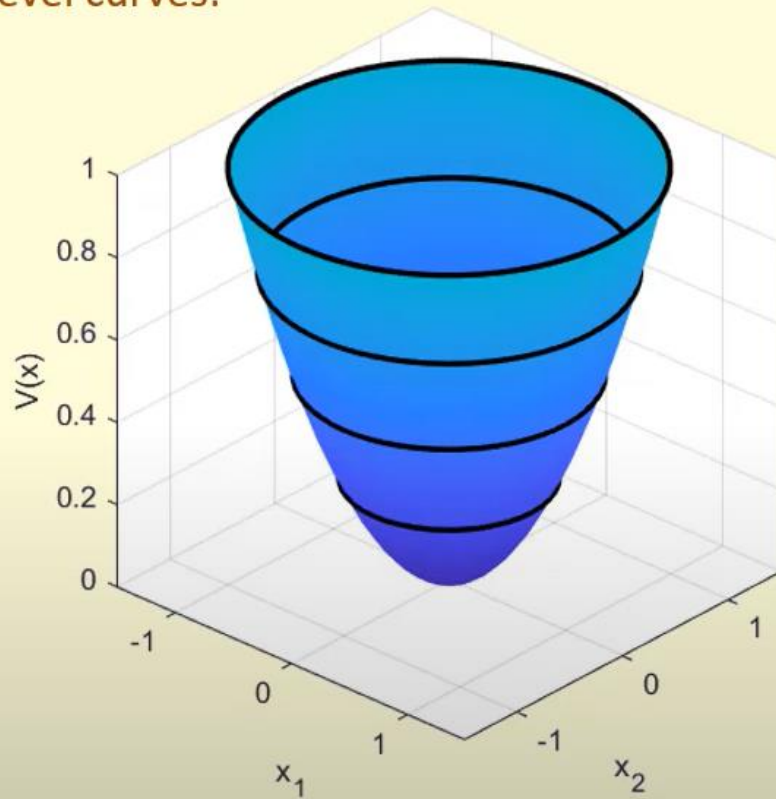
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Level curves:



We choose the set  $\Omega$  as:

$$\Omega = \{(x, v): V(x, v) \leq 1\}$$

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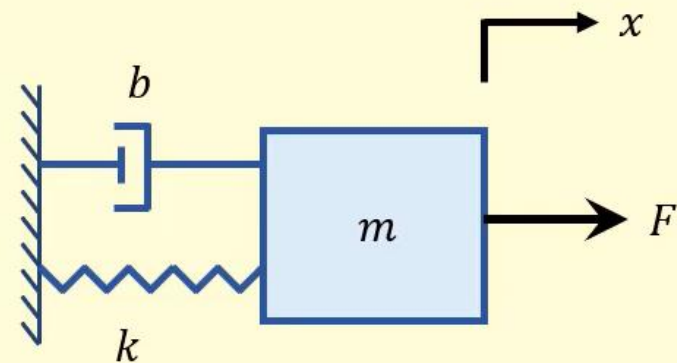
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$$\dot{V}(x, v) = 0 \Rightarrow -kv^2 = 0 \Rightarrow v = 0$$

$$E = \{(x, v) \in \Omega: v = 0\}$$



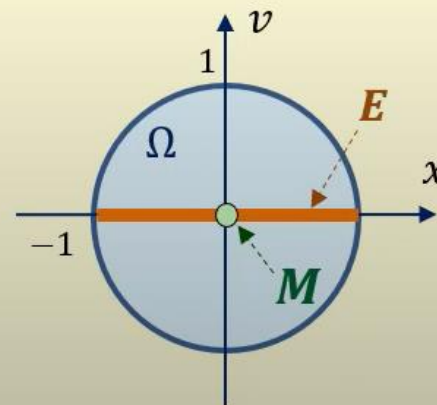
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In the set  $M$  we have  $v = 0$  for all  $t$ . So  $\dot{v}(t) = 0$ . Using the system dynamics we have:

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### Lyapunov Stability Theorem

$V(x)$  is (continuously differentiable and) **positive definite** on  $B_r(0)$

$\dot{V}(x)$  is **negative definite** on  $B_r(0)$

Discovered by Aleksandr Lyapunov - 1892

### LaSalle's Invariance Principle

$V(x)$  is continuously differentiable on  $\Omega$   
The set  $\Omega$  is positively invariant with respect to  $\dot{x} = f(x)$

$\dot{V}(x)$  is **negative semidefinite** on  $\Omega$

Discovered independently by

- *Nikolay Krasovsky* – 1959 (An extension of a result in 1952 by *Barbashin & Krasovsky*)
- *Joseph LaSalle* – 1960