

## Home Work 2

1) Given  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a smooth function so that  $\frac{d^n f}{dx^n}$  is bounded for  $n = 0, 1, 2$

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = f(x) \\ x(0) = x_0 \end{cases} . \text{ Using modified Euler's method, we have:}$$

$$x_1 = x_0 + \frac{\Delta t}{2} [f(x_0) + f(\tilde{x}_1)] \text{ where } \tilde{x}_1 = x_0 + f(x_0) \Delta t$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = x_0 + \frac{\Delta t}{2} [f(x_0) + f(x_0 + f(x_0) \Delta t)]$$

$$\text{Also, } \dot{x} = f(x) \Rightarrow \dot{x}(0) = f(x(0)) = f(x_0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \ddot{x} = f'(x) \dot{x} \Rightarrow \ddot{x}(0) = f'(x(0)) \cdot \dot{x}(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x_0 + f(x_0) \Delta t) = \dot{x}(0) + \Delta t \cdot f'(x_0) \dot{x}_0$$

$$= \dot{x}(0) + \Delta t \cdot f'(x(0)) \dot{x}(0) = \dot{x}(0) + \Delta t \ddot{x}(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = x_0 + \frac{\Delta t}{2} [\dot{x}(0) + \dot{x}(0) + \Delta t \cdot \ddot{x}(0)]$$

$$= x_0 + \Delta t \cdot \dot{x}(0) + \frac{1}{2} (\Delta t)^2 \ddot{x}(0)$$

Using Taylor's theorem, then:

$$x \Delta t = x(0) + \dot{x}(0) \Delta t + \frac{\ddot{x}(0)}{2!} (\Delta t)^2 + \frac{\dddot{x}(0)}{3!} (\Delta t)^3 (2)$$

where  $z \in (0, \Delta t)$

$$\Rightarrow e_1 = x \Delta t - x_1 = \frac{\dddot{x}(0)}{3!} (\Delta t)^3 (z)$$

$\Rightarrow$  for some constant  $C > 0$ , we have

$$|e_1| \leq C (\Delta t)^3$$

Or the truncation error  $e_1 = x(\Delta t) - x_1$  satisfies

$$|e_1| \leq C (\Delta t)^3 \text{ for some constant } C > 0$$

2) Given  $f: (a, b) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Lipschitz.

$\Rightarrow \forall x, y \in (a, b)$ , there exist a constant  $L > 0$

so that  $\frac{|f(x) - f(y)|}{|x-y|} \leq L \quad ①$

Let  $\varepsilon > 0$ , choose  $\delta = \frac{\varepsilon}{L} > 0$

for  $\forall (x, y) \in (a, b)$  so that  $|x-y| < \delta$ ,

we have ①  $\Rightarrow |f(x) - f(y)| \leq L|x-y| < \delta \cdot L$

$$\Rightarrow |f(x) - f(y)| < \frac{\varepsilon}{L} \cdot L = \varepsilon$$

$$\Rightarrow |f(x) - f(y)| < \varepsilon$$

Therefore if  $f: (a, b) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Lipschitz so  $f$  is continuous on  $(a, b)$

3) Given  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be Lipschitz &  $x^*$  be a fixed point of ODE:  $\dot{x} = f(x)$

Since  $x^*$  is a fixed point, so  $f(x^*) = 0$

Assume there exist a solution  $y$ , with  $y(0) = x_0 \neq x^*$  that reaches the fixed point  $x^*$  in finite time

$f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Lipschitz, then with  $x_1 \in \mathbb{R}$

We have:

$$|f(y) - f(x^*)| \leq L |y - x^*|, \quad L > 0 \text{ is a constant}$$

Since  $f(x^*) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow |f(y)| \leq L |y - x^*|$$

\* Also, let function  $x = F(x)$  &  $y = G(x)$ , both of them solve the initial value problem:

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = f(x) \\ x(0) = x_0 \end{cases} \quad (\text{is same } \begin{cases} \dot{y} = f(y) \\ y(0) = y_0 \end{cases})$$

because  $x^*$  &  $y$  are both solution for  $\dot{x} = f(x)$

$\Rightarrow F(x) = G(x)$  for every value of  $x$

$\Rightarrow$  Following the "Comparing solution" method,

$x^*$  must be equal  $y$  to satisfy the

uniqueness of solution  $\Rightarrow x^* = y$

$\Rightarrow$  This is contradiction with the assumption, therefore  
there can not exist a solution with  $x(0) = x_0 \neq x^*$   
that reaches the point  $x^*$  in finite time

4) Given  $\dot{x} = \lambda x + x^3$  Where  $\lambda > 0$  is fixed

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dt} = \lambda x + x^3 \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{\lambda x + x^3} = dt$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dx}{x(\lambda + x^2)} = dt \Rightarrow \int \frac{dx}{x(\lambda + x^2)} = \int dt \quad (1)$$

$$\text{Also, } \frac{1}{x(\lambda + x^2)} = \frac{1}{\lambda} \cdot \frac{\lambda + x^2 - x^2}{x(\lambda + x^2)} = \frac{1}{\lambda} \left( \frac{1}{x} - \frac{x}{\lambda + x^2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\lambda} \left[ \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2x}{\lambda + x^2} \right]$$

$$(1) \Leftrightarrow \int \frac{1}{\lambda} \left( \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2x}{\lambda + x^2} \right) dx = \int dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{\lambda} \left[ \int \frac{1}{x} dx - \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{2x dx}{\lambda + x^2} \right] = \int dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{\lambda} \left[ \int \frac{1}{x} dx - \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{d(x^2 + \lambda)}{\lambda + x^2} \right] = \int dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{\lambda} \left[ \ln x - \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2 + \lambda) \right] = t + C$$

$$= \frac{1}{\lambda} \ln \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + \lambda}} = t + C$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + \lambda}} = e^{\lambda(t+C)} = e^{\lambda t} \cdot e^{\lambda C} = \underbrace{C_1}_{\text{const}} e^{\lambda t}$$

Initially,  $t=0, x(0)=x_0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x_0}{\sqrt{x_0^2 + \lambda}} = C_1 \Rightarrow \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + \lambda}} = \frac{x_0}{\sqrt{x_0^2 + \lambda}} e^{\lambda t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{x^2 + \lambda} = \frac{x_0^2}{x_0^2 + \lambda} e^{2\lambda t}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2(x_0^2 + \lambda) = x_0^2(x^2 + \lambda) e^{2\lambda t}$$

$$= x_0^2 x^2 e^{2\lambda t} + x_0^2 \lambda e^{2\lambda t}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2(x_0^2 + \lambda - x_0^2 e^{2\lambda t}) = x_0^2 \lambda e^{2\lambda t}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = \frac{x_0^2 \lambda e^{2\lambda t}}{x_0^2 - x_0^2 e^{2\lambda t} + \lambda} = \frac{\lambda}{\frac{x_0^2 + \lambda}{x_0^2 e^{2\lambda t}} - 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow |x| = \sqrt{\frac{\lambda}{\frac{x_0^2 + \lambda}{x_0^2 e^{2\lambda t}} - 1}}$$

We can see  $|x| \rightarrow \infty$  when  $\frac{x_0^2 + \lambda}{x_0^2 e^{2\lambda t}} - 1 \rightarrow 0$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{x_0^2 + \lambda}{x_0^2 e^{2\lambda t}} = 1 \Rightarrow x_0^2 + \lambda = x_0^2 e^{2\lambda t}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{2\lambda t} = \frac{x_0^2 + \lambda}{x_0^2} \Rightarrow 2\lambda t = \ln\left(1 + \frac{\lambda}{x_0^2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow t = \underbrace{\frac{1}{2\lambda} \ln\left(1 + \frac{\lambda}{x_0^2}\right)}_{\text{constant}} \quad \text{with } x_0 \neq 0, \lambda > 0 \text{ fixed}$$

Constant ( $\Rightarrow$  finite time)

Therefore  $|x(t)| \rightarrow \infty$  in finite time

$$\text{that } t = \frac{1}{2\lambda} \ln\left(1 + \frac{\lambda}{x_0^2}\right), x_0 \neq 0, \lambda > 0 \text{ fixed}$$

5) Given  $\dot{x} = 1+x^{10}$ .

Check the system  $\begin{cases} \dot{y} = g(y) = 1+y^2 \\ y(0) = y_0 \end{cases}$

$$\dot{y} = 1+y^2 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dt} = 1+y^2 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{1+y^2} = dt$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{dy}{1+y^2} = \int dt \Rightarrow \tan^{-1} y = t + C$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \tan(t+C)$$

$$\text{With } t=0 \Rightarrow y(0)=y_0 = \tan C \Rightarrow C = \tan^{-1} y_0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \tan(t + \tan^{-1} y_0)$$

$$\text{With } t = \underbrace{\frac{\pi}{2} - \tan^{-1} y_0}_{\text{finite time}} \Rightarrow y\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \tan^{-1} y_0\right) = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) \rightarrow \infty$$

$\Rightarrow$  the solution  $y(t)$  of  $\begin{cases} \dot{y} = 1+y^2 \\ y(0) = y_0 \end{cases}$  blows up in

finite time

Back to the system  $\begin{cases} \dot{x} = f(x) = 1+x^{10} \\ x(0) = x_0 \end{cases}$

$$\text{let } |x| > 1 \Rightarrow f(x) = 1+x^{10} > g(x) = 1+x^2$$

if  $x(t)$  is the solution of  $\begin{cases} \dot{x} = f(x) = 1+x^{10} \\ x(0) = x_0 \end{cases}$  with  $x_0 \geq y_0$ ,

following the Comparison Solution, we have:

$y(t) \leq x(t)$  for all  $t \in$  interval  $[0, T]$  with

$T$  is arbitrary number  $\in \mathbb{R}$

As we proved before that  $y(t)$  blows up in a finite time

therefore the solution  $x(t)$  of ODE:  $\begin{cases} \dot{x} = f(x) = 1+x^{10} \\ x(0) = x_0 \end{cases}$

is also blows up in a finite time

6) Given  $\dot{x} = \lambda + \frac{1}{4}x - \frac{x}{1+x}$ .

We have  $\dot{x} = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda + \frac{1}{4}x - \frac{x}{1+x} = 0$

$\Leftrightarrow \lambda + \frac{1}{4}x = \frac{x}{1+x} \Rightarrow$  the intersection of

the line  $\lambda + \frac{1}{4}x$  & the graph  $\frac{x}{1+x}$  correspond to fixed points

Firstly, we need to find the bifurcation point, we impose the condition that the graph of  $\lambda + \frac{1}{4}x$  &  $\frac{x}{1+x}$  intersect tangentially. Thus, we demand equality of the functions & their derivative. Then, we

check :  $\underbrace{y_1(x)}$        $\underbrace{y_2(x)}$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \lambda + \frac{1}{4}x = \frac{x}{x+1} \\ \Rightarrow \end{array} \right. \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \lambda + \frac{1}{4}x = \frac{x}{x+1} \quad (1) \\ \frac{d}{dx} \left( \lambda + \frac{1}{4}x \right) = \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{x}{x+1} \right) \end{array} \right.$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{(x+1)^2} \quad (2) \\ \end{array} \right.$$

$$(2) \Leftrightarrow (x+1)^2 = 4 \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x+1 = 2 \\ x+1 = -2 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x = 1 \\ x = -3 \end{cases}$$

$$\cancel{*} \text{ With } x=1 \Rightarrow ① \Leftrightarrow \lambda + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{4}.$$

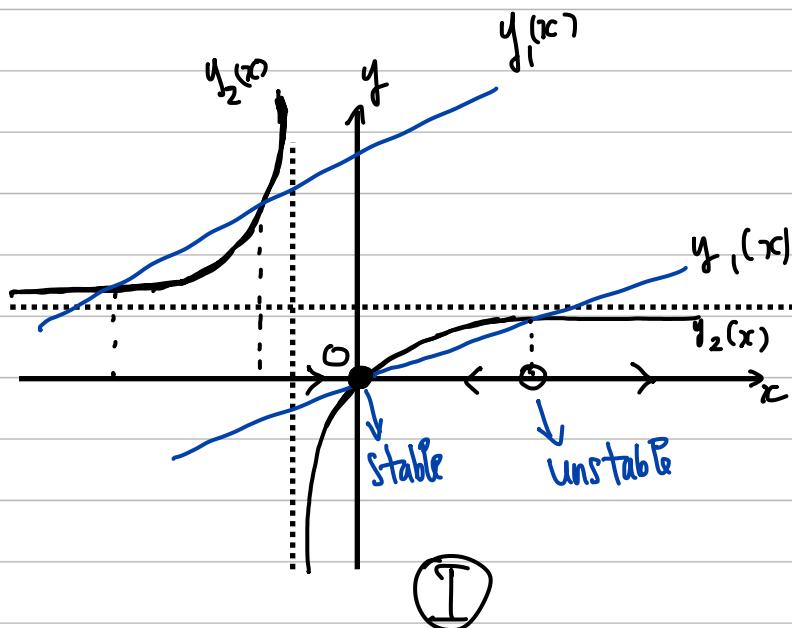
$\Rightarrow$  the first bifurcation point is  $\lambda_1 = \frac{1}{4}$ , occurs at  $x=1$

$$\cancel{*} \text{ With } x=-3 \Rightarrow ① \Leftrightarrow \lambda - \frac{3}{4} = \frac{-3}{-2} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{3}{2} + \frac{3}{4} = \frac{9}{4}$$

$\Rightarrow$  the second bifurcation point is  $\lambda_2 = \frac{9}{4}$ , occurs at  $x=-3$

Secondly, we check the graph:



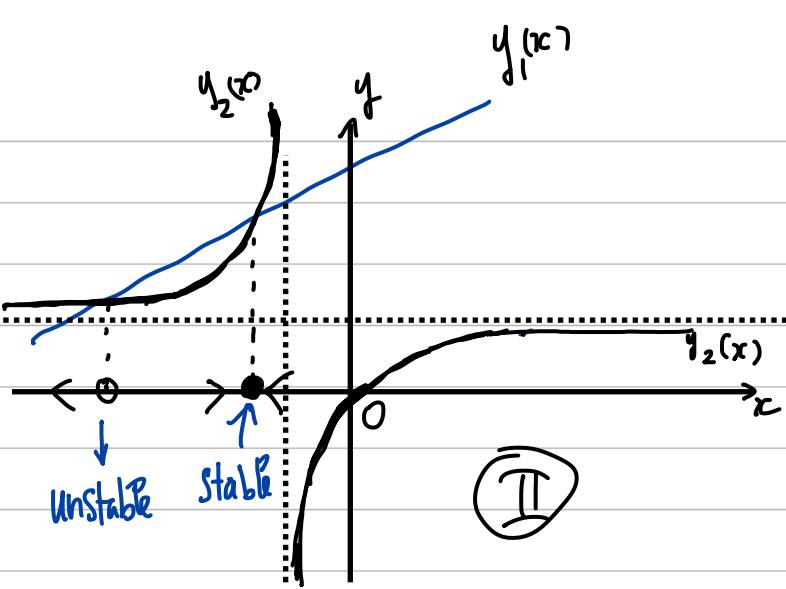
If the line lies above the curve,  $y_1(x) > y_2(x)$

( $\Rightarrow x > 0$ ). Otherwise,

$x < 0$  if line lies below the curve. So, we see that

the stable & unstable showed

on the graph I & II



From the graph (II), as we

can see that if the line moved

to become tangent to the

curve at  $r = \frac{1}{4}, \frac{9}{4}$

the fixed points are the half-stable fixed points.

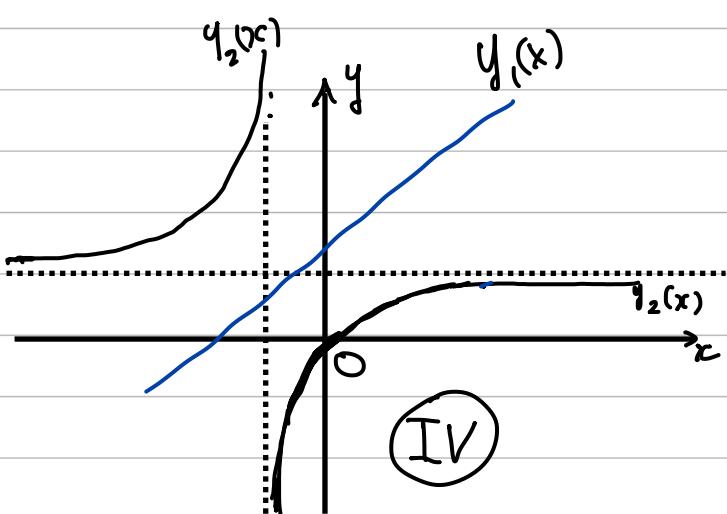
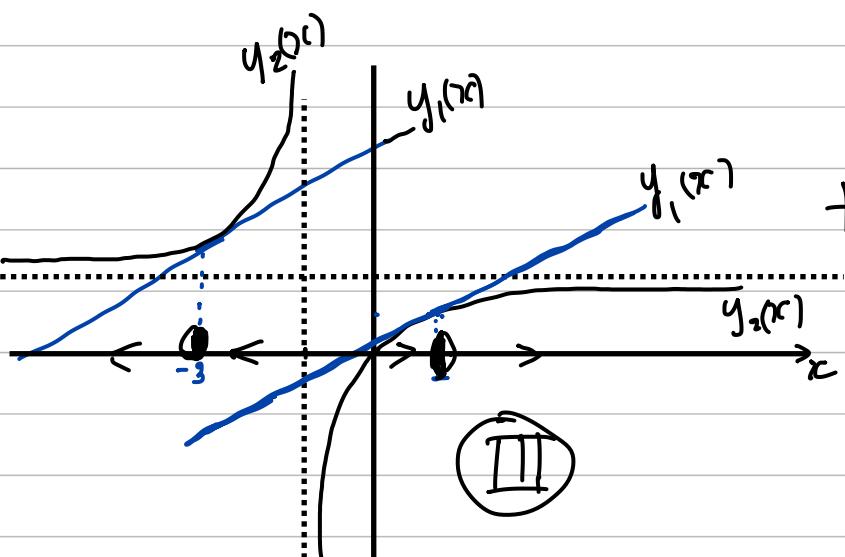
Besides, check the graph

(III), if we move the line

as graph (IV), there are

no fixed-point

Finally, we can realize that, at  $(x, r) = (1, \frac{1}{4})$  and  $(-3, \frac{1}{4})$ , the fixed-point are created & destroyed



$\Rightarrow (x, \lambda) = (1, \frac{1}{4})$  &  $(-3, \frac{9}{4})$  are Saddle-node bifurcation.

Therefore, with  $\lambda = \frac{1}{4}$  &  $\frac{9}{4}$  we will have 2 Saddle-node bifurcation, they are

$$(x, \lambda) = \left(1, \frac{1}{4}\right) \text{ & } \left(-3, \frac{9}{4}\right)$$