

In-Class Demo (01-13-2022)

Solving Differential Equations with various initial conditions

Let's consider the following model for the number of fish living in a pond that is subjected to fishing. This situation is modeled by the differential equation

$$F' = rF(K - F) - qF$$

where $F(t)$ is the number of fish in the pond at time t , and the parameters r , q , and K are positive constants.

As part of our analysis, we would like to view the phase line.

First, let's write the differential equation in the form $F' = f(F)$ where here, we consider r , K , and q as **positive constant parameters**. We will also define a function called **fPrime** that will be used later in the linearization of the ODE. Here, **fPrime** is simply given by the following calculation. First, we simplify the function $f(F)$ to find

$$\begin{aligned} f(F) &= rF(K - F) - qF \\ &= (rK - q)F - rF^2 \end{aligned}$$

so that when we differentiate with respect to F , we find

$$f'(F) = (rK - q) - 2rF$$

For simplicity, we will let $r = K = 1$ for the rest of this Mathematica notebook and demonstration thus reducing the problem to depend only on the parameter q .

```
In[362]:= f[F_, q_] = F (1 - F) - q F
          fPrime[F_, q_] = D[f[F, q], F]
```

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Out[362]= (1 - F) F - F q
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Out[363]= 1 - 2 F - q
```

Now, let's find the equilibrium points as a function of the **parameter** q so that we can visualize them on plots. We can do this using the **Solve** command in Mathematica as follows:

```
In[364]:= eqPts[q_] = Solve[f[F, q] == 0, F]
```

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Out[364]= {{F -> 0}, {F -> 1 - q}}
```

Notice that we get a list of equilibrium points.

Now that we have the equilibrium points, we could plot F' vs F to determine the phase-line. However, since both $f(F, q)$ and the equilibrium points both depend on the parameter q , we can't simply graph these without choosing a value of q . For the first example, let's choose $q = \frac{1}{2}$, and let's consider F to satisfy $-2 \leq F \leq 2$.

Warning: yes, I am considering a negative number of fish ($F(t)$) in this example. While not physically realistic, it is illustrative from a mathematical standpoint.

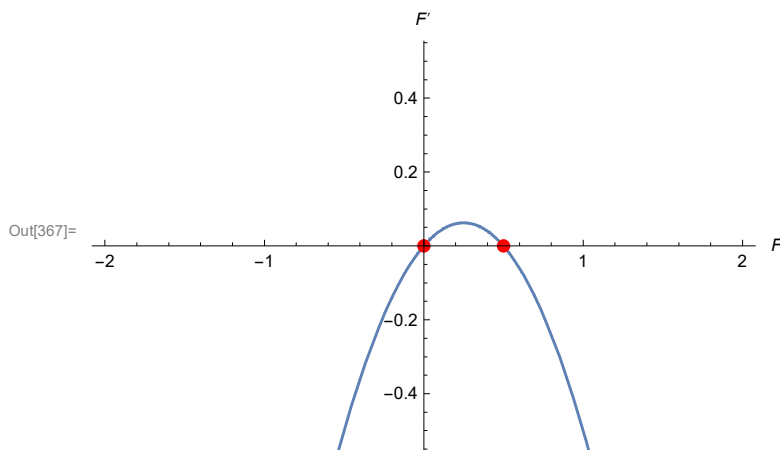
In the code below, we have the following:

1. p1 is a plot of F' vs F with the value of $q = \frac{1}{2}$ substituted in
2. p2 is a ListPlot of the equilibrium points given by the point $(F^*, 0)$ where we have used `{F, 0} /. eqPts[$\frac{1}{2}$]` to create a list of points with the equilibrium points substituted in.
3. The command **Show[p1,p2]** shows both graphs on the same plot.

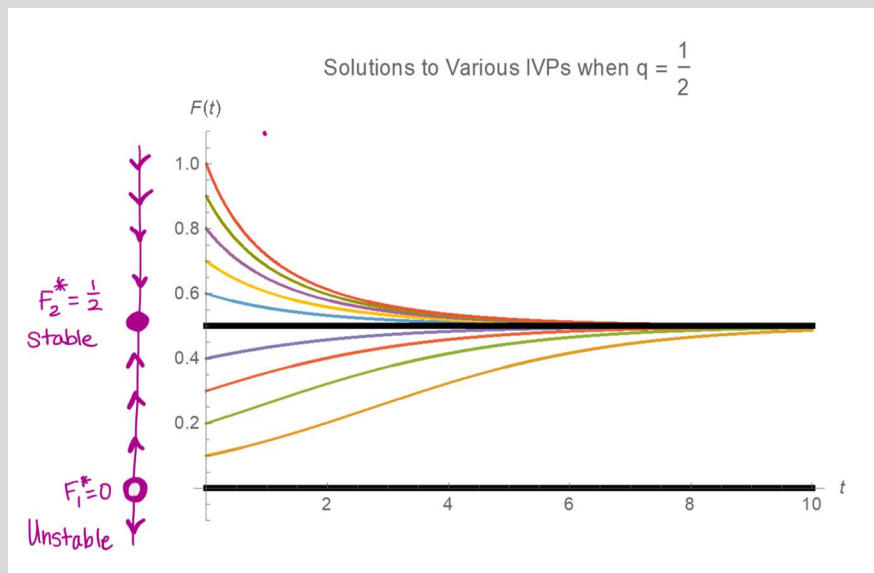
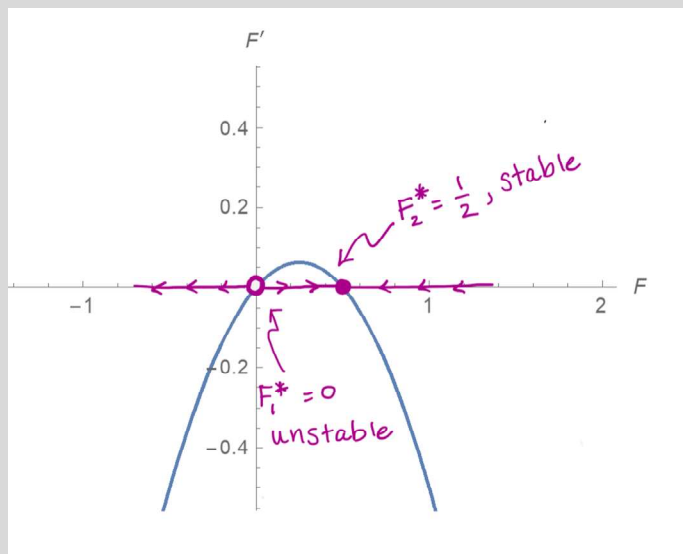
```
In[365]:= p1 = Plot[f[F,  $\frac{1}{2}$ ], {F, -2, 2}];

p2 = ListPlot[{F, 0} /. eqPts[ $\frac{1}{2}$ ], PlotStyle -> {Red, PointSize[Large]}];

Show[p1, p2, PlotRange -> {{-2, 2}, {- $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}$ }}, AxesLabel -> {F, F'}]
```



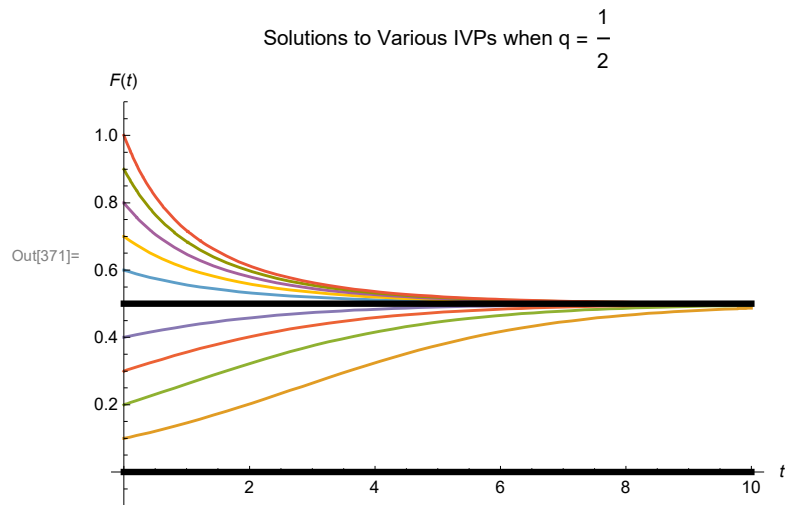
Clearly from the above, we can draw the following conclusions about the phase-line and the nature of the solutions when we have $q = \frac{1}{2}$ by annotating the above images as follows:



```

In[368]:= sol[α_, q_] := Quiet[DSolve[{D[F[t], t] == f[F[t], q], F[0] == α}, F[t], t]];
p3 = Quiet[Plot[Evaluate[Table[F[t] /. sol[α, 1/2], {α, 0, 1, .1}]], {t, 0, 10},
  PlotRange → {- .1, 1.1},
  PlotLabel → "Solutions to Various IVPs when q = 1/2",
  AxesLabel → {"t", "y(t)"}]];
p4 = Plot[F /. eqPts[1/2], {t, 0, 10},
  PlotStyle → {{Black, Thickness[.01]}}];
Show[p3, p4,
  AxesLabel → {t, F[t]}]

```



In[372]:=

Here's we will do the same thing, but we will also show the equilibrium solutions on the plot as well. The variable p1 represents the same plot as before, while p2 represents the equilibrium solutions. The Show command allows us to display both plots on the same graph within the same Manipulate.

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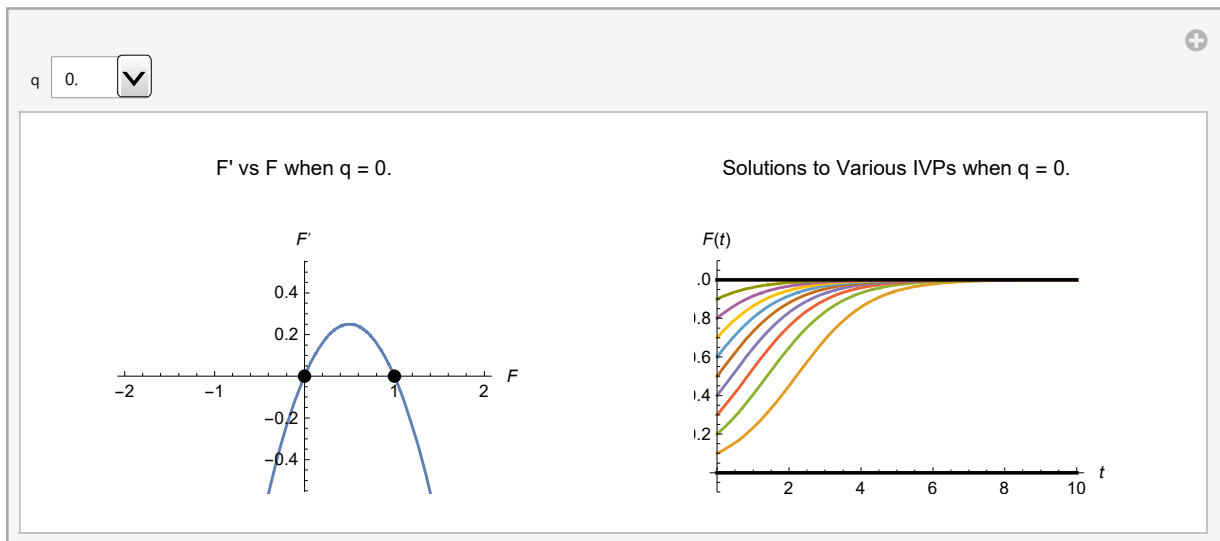
In[373]:= Manipulate[
  p1 = Plot[f[F, q], {F, -2, 2}];
  p2 = ListPlot[{F, 0} /. eqPts[q], PlotStyle -> {Black, PointSize[Large]}}];
  P1 = Show[p1, p2,

    PlotRange -> {{-2, 2}, {-1/2, 1/2}},
    AxesLabel -> {F, F'},
    PlotLabel -> "F' vs F when q = "<>ToString[q],
    ImageSize -> Large];

  p3 = Quiet[Plot[Evaluate[Table[F[t] /. sol[α, q], {α, 0, 1, .1}]],
    {t, 0, 10}, PlotRange -> {- .1, 1.1}]];
  p4 = Plot[F /. eqPts[q], {t, 0, 10},
    PlotStyle -> {{Black, Thickness[.01]}}];
  P2 = Show[p3, p4,
    AxesLabel -> {t, F[t]},
    PlotRange -> {- .1, 1.1},
    PlotLabel -> "Solutions to Various IVPs when q = "<>ToString[q],
    AxesLabel -> {"t", "y(t)"},
    ImageSize -> Large];
  GraphicsGrid[{{P1, P2}}, ImageSize -> Full],
  {q, Table[j / 4., {j, 0, 6}]}]

```

Out[373]=



Creating a Bifurcation Plot

Remember, the stability is determined by the value of $f'(F)$ evaluated at each of the equilibrium points. Here, we will look at each equilibrium point and determine the value of $f'(F^*, q)$.

Note that `eqPts[q][[1]]` returns the first equilibrium point that the Solve command returned.

```
In[374]:= Fs1 = eqPts[q][[1]]
Simplify[fPrime[F, q] /. Fs1]
```

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Out[374]= {F → 0}
```

```
Out[375]= 1 - q
```

Thus, if $q < 1$, then we see that $F'(0) > 0$. Thus, the equilibrium point $F_1^* = 0$ is **unstable** when $q < 1$. Likewise, when $q > 1$, the equilibrium point $F_1^* = 0$ becomes **stable**. Now, let's look at the other equilibrium point $F_2^* = 1 - q$

```
In[376]:= Fs2 = eqPts[q][[2]]
Simplify[fPrime[F, q] /. Fs2]
```

```
Out[376]= {F → 1 - q}
```

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Out[377]= -1 + q
```

Thus, if $q < 1$, then we see that $F'(1 - q) < 0$. Thus, the equilibrium point $F_2^* = 1 - q$ is **stable** when $q < 1$. Likewise, when $q > 1$, the equilibrium point $F_2^* = 1 - q$ becomes **unstable**.

It's worth noting that the two different equilibrium points ($F_1^* = 0$ and $F_2^* = 1 - q$) **collide** when $q = 1$. At this collision, there is a change of stability!

The following code builds a routine that demonstrates how the equilibrium points change as a function of a parameter. Thanks to the Winter 2020 Math 3440 for contributing to this code with the help of StackExchange! You are welcome to use this code to help you throughout the quarter. Please ask how it works if you have questions!

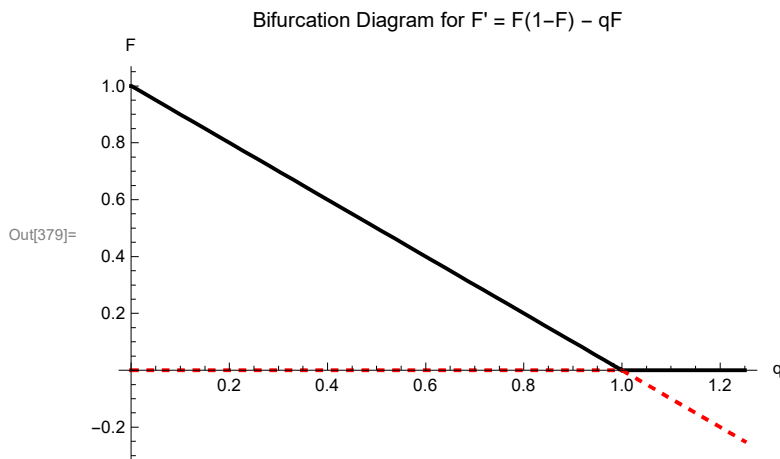
```
In[378]:= BifurcationPlot[eqpts_, fPrime_, varrange_, plotCommands_] :=
Module[{plotStable, plotUnstable, condition},
For[j = 1, j ≤ Length[eqpts], j++,
condition = Simplify[(fPrime /. eqpts[[j]])] < 0;
plotStable_j = Plot[
If[condition, Evaluate[eqpts[[j, 1, 2]]], varrange, PlotStyle → {Black, Thick}];
plotUnstable_j = Plot[If[Not[condition], Evaluate[eqpts[[j, 1, 2]]],
varrange, PlotStyle → {Red, Thick, Dashed}];
Show[Table[{plotStable_j, plotUnstable_j}, {j, 1, Length[eqpts]}],
PlotRange → All, plotCommands]]
```

Now that we have defined the “BifurcationPlot” command, we can call it as follows:

```

In[379]:= p5 = BifurcationPlot[eqPts[q], fPrime[F, q], {q, 0, 1.25},
{
  PlotLabel → "Bifurcation Diagram for F' = F(1-F) - qF",
  AxesLabel → {"q", "F"}
}]

```



What the above figure allows us to see is just how the phase line changes as the parameters change. The following block of code is solely meant for you to be able to visualize what is going on all at the same time. You don't need to know how to code the following. Just simply run it and watch the resulting images.

Warning: the following block of code take a little while to run.

In[380]:=

```

p5 = BifurcationPlot[eqPts[q], fPrime[F, q], {q, 0, 1.25},
{
  PlotLabel → "Bifurcation Diagram for F' = F(1-F) - qF",
  AxesLabel → {"q", "F"}
}];

qVals = Table[qq, {qq, 0, 1.25, .125}];
animateImages = qVals;
For[j = 1, j ≤ Length[animateImages], j++,
  qq = qVals[[j]];

  p6 = ListPlot[{qq, F} /. eqPts[qq],
    PlotStyle → {Black, PointSize[Large]}}];
  P5 = Show[p5, p6,
    PlotRange → {- .3, 1.25}];
  p1 = Plot[f[F, qq], {F, -2, 2}];
  p2 = ListPlot[{F, 0} /. eqPts[qq], PlotStyle → {Black, PointSize[Large]}}];
  P1 = Show[p1, p2,
    PlotRange → {{-2, 2}, {- $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}$ }},
    AxesLabel → {F, F'},
    PlotLabel → "F' vs F when q = "<> ToString[qq]];
  p3 = Quiet[Plot[Evaluate[Table[F[t] /. sol[α, qq], {α, -.2, 1, .1}]],
    {t, 0, 10}, PlotRange → {- .1, 1.1}];
  p4 = Plot[F /. eqPts[qq], {t, 0, 10},
    PlotStyle → {{Black, Thickness[.01]}}];
  P2 = Show[p3, p4,
    AxesLabel → {t, F[t]},
    PlotRange → {- .3, 1.25},
    PlotLabel → "Solutions to Various IVPs when q = "<> ToString[qq],
    AxesLabel → {"t", "y(t)"}];
  animateImages[[j]] = GraphicsGrid[{{P1, P5, P2}}, ImageSize → Full];
rasterizedFrames = Map[Image, animateImages];

```

Now that we have pre-build all of the frames in the animation, the following code animates all of the images together! Yay!

In[385]:= **ListAnimate**[rasterizedFrames, ImageSize → Full]

Out[385]=

