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CBE504, Homework 1, due Nov. 12, in class.

Problem 1: Consider the case when both CO and O₂ adsorb on the catalyst surface reversibly. Furthermore assume that reaction between CO and O is slow compared to the adsorption steps, which can be considered in equilibrium. Derive the expression for the rate of CO oxidation under these assumptions. Show that steady state multiplicity is impossible in this case.

Problem 2: Consider a simplified version of the Langmuir-Hinshelwood mechanism analyzed in this section, when both CO and O₂ adsorb irreversibly. This corresponds to $k_{-1} = 0$. In this regime, analyze the dependence of the rate of CO oxidation as function of CO pressure (k_1 in the model). Compare your results quantitatively to the parametric plot of reaction rate obtained with $k_{-1} = 0.05$.

Problem 3: Find all steady states of the model for a specific set of model parameters: $k_1 = 0.5$, $k_{-1} = 0.05$, $k_2 = 1$, and $k_3 = 10$. This can be done numerically in Matlab, using the 'roots' subroutine for solving polynomial equations. Add small random perturbations to each of the four steady states and use the result as an initial condition for the time dependent problem. Plot the results in the (x, y) plane. Perform linear stability analysis of all steady states.

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$$(3+4) \quad r = \underbrace{C_T k_3}_{\text{really this is } K_1^2 P_{CO}} \left(K_1 K_2 P_{C_2H_4} P_{H_2} - \frac{P_{C_2H_6}}{K_3} \right)$$

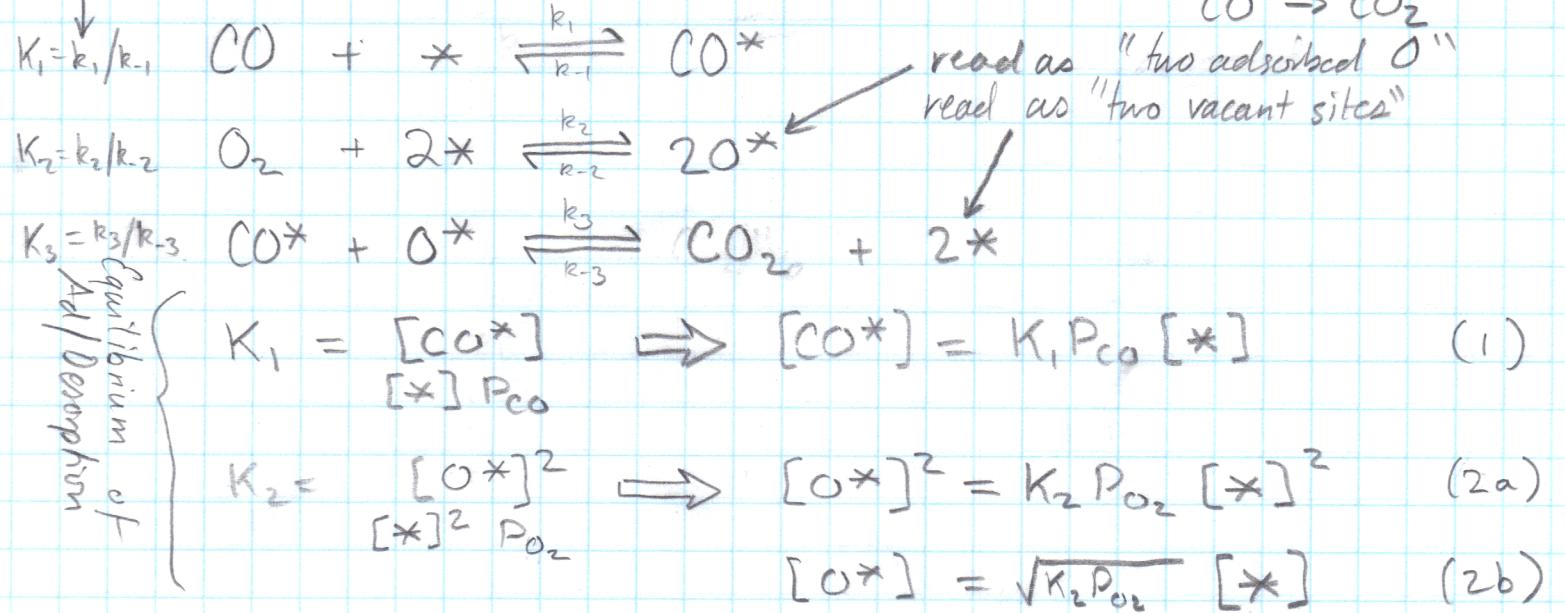
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$\rightarrow O \text{ usu.}$

$(1 + K_1 P_{C_2H_4} + \sqrt{K_2 P_{H_2}})^3$

$K_1 = k_1/k_{-1} \quad K_2 = k_2/k_{-2} \quad K_3 = k_3/k_{-3}$

$\text{It should be possible to lump these.}$



$$C_T = [*] + \underset{(1)}{[\text{CO}^*]} + \underset{(2b)}{[\text{O}^*]} \quad (3)$$

total # of catalytic sites = $[*] \left(1 + K_1 P_{CO} + \sqrt{K_2 P_{O_2}} \right)$

(is conserved) — C_T is some sort of constant proportional to catalyst area.

product rate $r = k_3 \underset{(1)}{[\text{CO}^*]} \underset{(2b)}{[\text{O}^*]} - \frac{P_{CO_2} [*]^2}{K_3}$ (4)

$$r = k_3 [*]^2 \left(K_1 P_{CO} \sqrt{K_2 P_{O_2}} - \frac{P_{CO_2}}{K_3} \right) \rightarrow \text{because } \begin{aligned} &1) \text{CO}^* + \text{O}^* \rightarrow \text{CO}_2 \text{ is irreversible} \\ &2) \text{CO}_2 \text{ is quickly removed} \end{aligned}$$

$$r = \frac{k_3 C_T^2 \left(K_1 P_{CO} \sqrt{K_2 P_{O_2}} - \frac{P_{CO_2}}{K_3} \right)}{\left(1 + K_1 P_{CO} + \sqrt{K_2 P_{O_2}} \right)^2}$$

$[\text{CO}^*]$ is a fraction
 $\epsilon(0,1)$

$$C_T =$$

$$= k_3 \left(K_1 P_X \sqrt{K_2 P_Y} \right) / \left(1 + K_1 P_X + \sqrt{K_2 + P_Y} \right)$$

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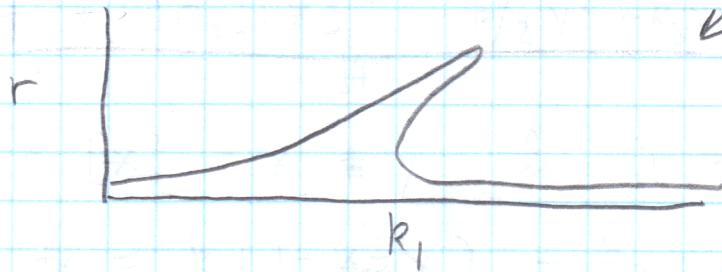
$$r = k_3 \left(k_1 P_x / k_{-1} \sqrt{k_2 P_y / k_{-2}} \right) / \left(1 + k_1 P_x / k_{-1} + \sqrt{k_2 / k_{-2} + P_y} \right)$$

$$\boxed{r = k_3 (k'_1 / k_{-1} \sqrt{k_2 P_y}) / (1 + k'_1 / k_{-1} + \sqrt{k_2 + P_y})}$$

$$= c_1 \cdot k'_1 / (1 + c_2 k'_1 + c_3) \quad \boxed{k'_1 = k P_{CO}}$$

Because $r = r(k'_1)$ is a one-to-one function of k'_1 for a given set of pressures, it is not possible to draw a plot like

↙ this, & therefore SS-multiplicity is not possible!



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[12] for comparison, with $k_1 = 0.05 \neq 0$

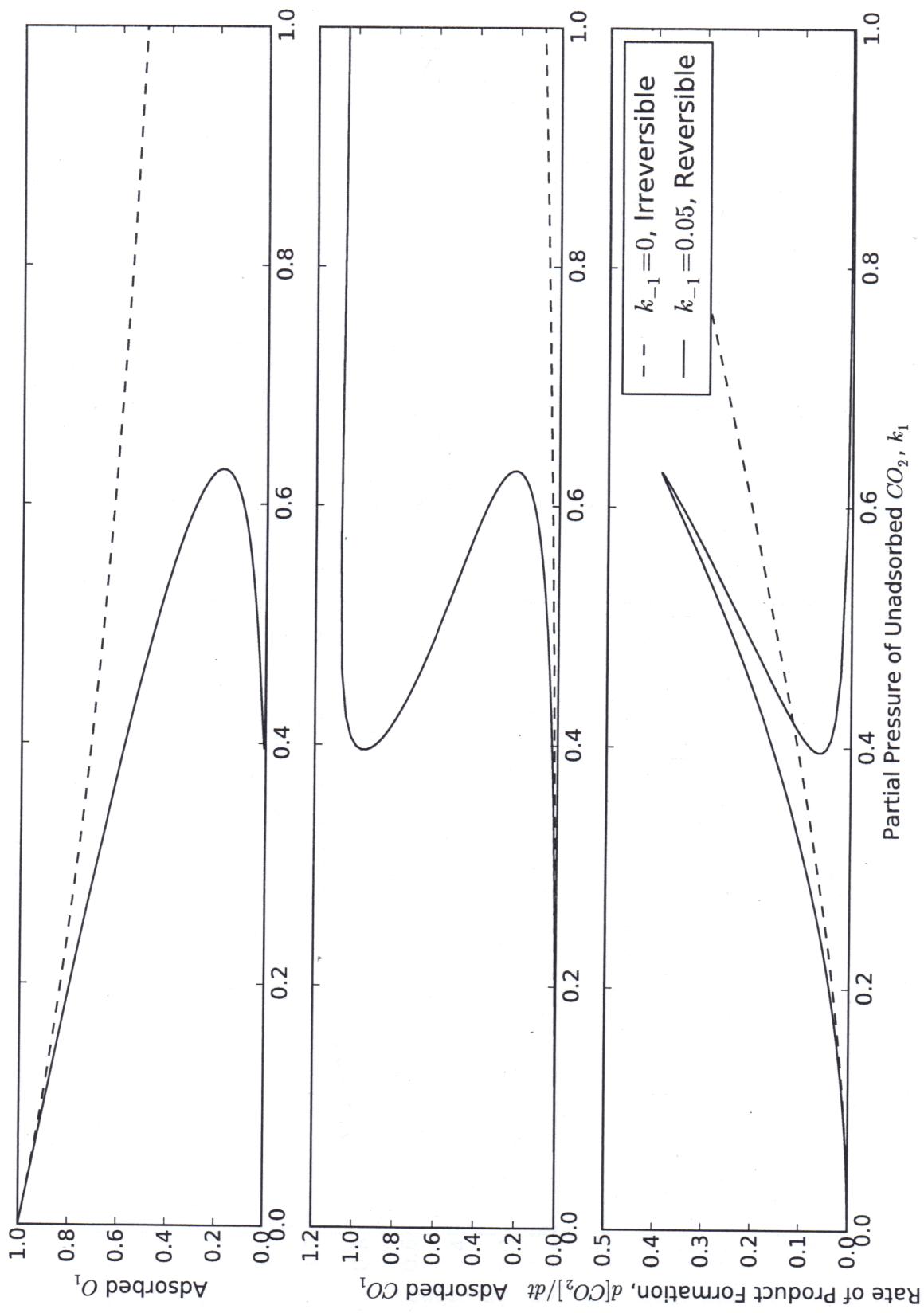
$$k_1 = (k_1 + k_3 y) \left(\sqrt{1 + 4 k_2 (1-y)/k_3 y} - 1 \right) / 2$$

$$x = k_1 (1-y) / (k_1 + k_2 + k_3 y)$$

} Use for
parametric
plotting

(equations from posted class notes)

Reversible vs. Irreversible Adsorption and Reaction
 $k_2 = 1.00$, $k_3 = 10.00$, $k_{-2} = 0$



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$$k_1(1-y) = (k_{-1} + k_3y + k_1)x$$

$$0 = k_1(1-x-y) - k_1x - k_3xy$$

$$\begin{aligned} x &= k_1(1-y)/(k_1 + k_{-1} + k_3y) \\ (1-x-y) &= x \cdot (k_{-1} + k_3y)/k_1 \end{aligned}$$

$$0 = k_2(1-x-y)^2 - k_3xy$$

$$= \frac{k_2}{k_1} x^2 (k_{-1} + k_3y)^2 - k_3y \frac{k_1(1-y)}{(k_1 + k_{-1} + k_3y)}$$

$$= \cancel{\frac{k_2}{k_1}} x^2 (1-y)^2 \frac{(k_{-1} + k_3y)^2}{(k_1 + k_{-1} + k_3y)^2} - k_3y \frac{k_1(1-y)}{(k_1 + k_{-1} + k_3y)}$$

$$= k_2(1-y)^2 (k_{-1} + k_3y)^2$$

$$- + - k_3y k_1(1-y)(k_1 + k_{-1} + k_3y)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= y^0 (-k_2 k_1^2) + y^1 (-k_3 k_1^2 - k_1 k_3 k_{-1} + 2k_2 k_3 k_{-1} - 2k_2 k_{-1}^2) \\ &\quad + y^2 (k_1^2 k_3 - k_1 k_3^2 + k_1 k_3 k_{-1} + k_2 k_3^2 - 4k_2 k_3 k_{-1} + k_2 k_{-1}^2) \\ &\quad + y^3 (k_1 k_3^2 - 2k_2 k_3^2 + 2k_1 k_3 k_{-1}) + y^4 (k_2 k_3^2) \end{aligned}$$

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13 Linear stability analysis

$$f_1(x, y) = \frac{dx}{dt} = k_1(1-x-y) - k_1 x - k_3 x y$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_2(x, y) &= \frac{dy}{dt} = k_2(1-x-y)^2 - k_3 x y \\ &= k_2(1-x-y-x+x^2+xy-y+xy+y^2) - k_3 x y \\ &= k_2(1-2x-2y+x^2+2xy+y^2) - k_3 x y \end{aligned}$$

Jacobian

$$\underline{A} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -k_1 - k_1 - k_3 y & -k_1 - k_3 x \\ -2k_2 + 2k_2 x + 2k_2 y - k_3 y & -2k_2 + 2k_2 x + 2k_2 y - k_3 x \end{bmatrix}$$

Steady States: $(0, 1)$, $(0.054, 0.451)$, $(0.522, 0.037)$, $(0.884, 0.001)$

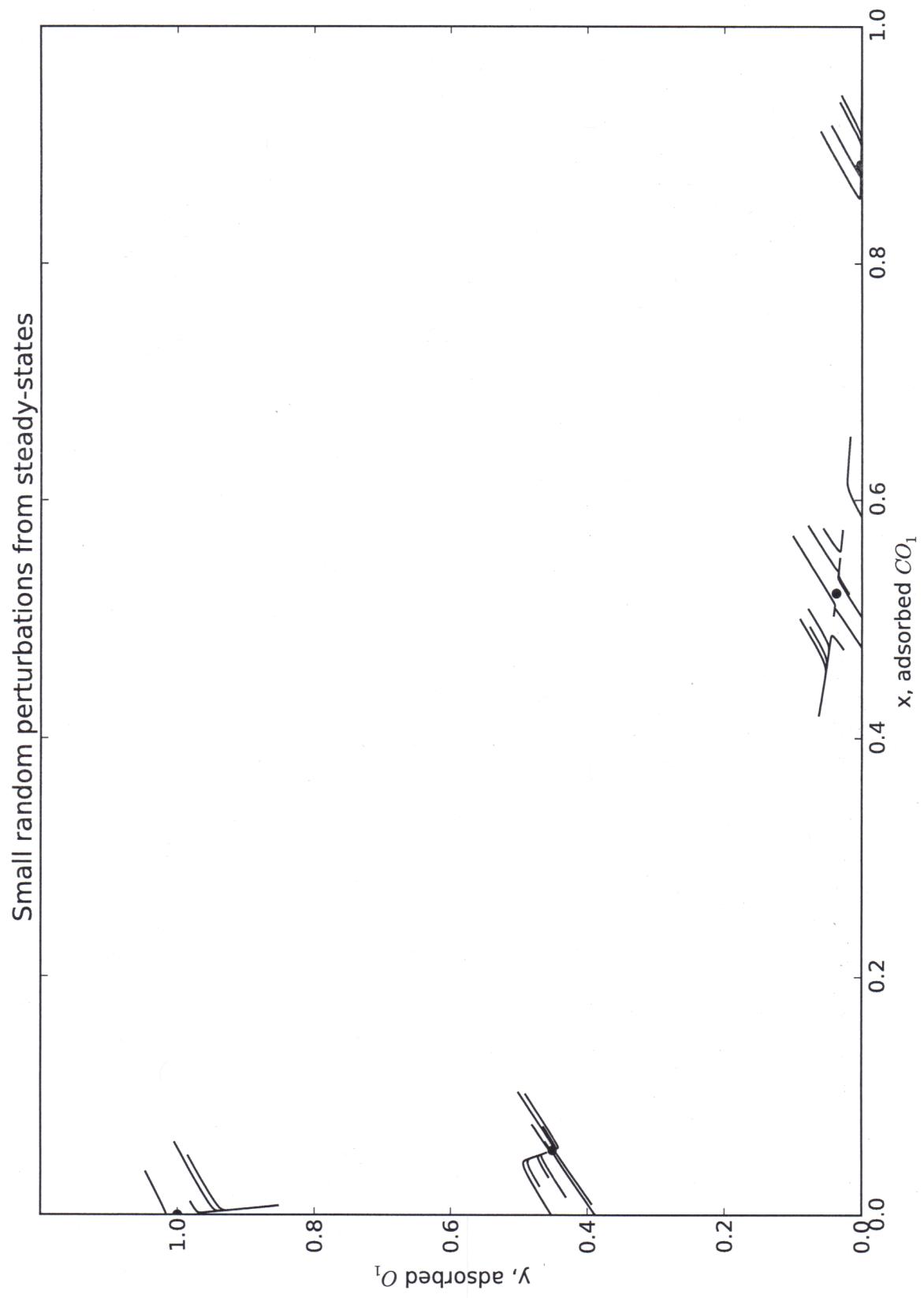
$$0 = |\underline{A} - \lambda \underline{I}| = \left(\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x} - \lambda \right) \cdot \left(\frac{\partial f_2}{\partial y} - \lambda \right) - \left(\frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x} \right) \left(\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial y} \right) \quad |_{SS}$$

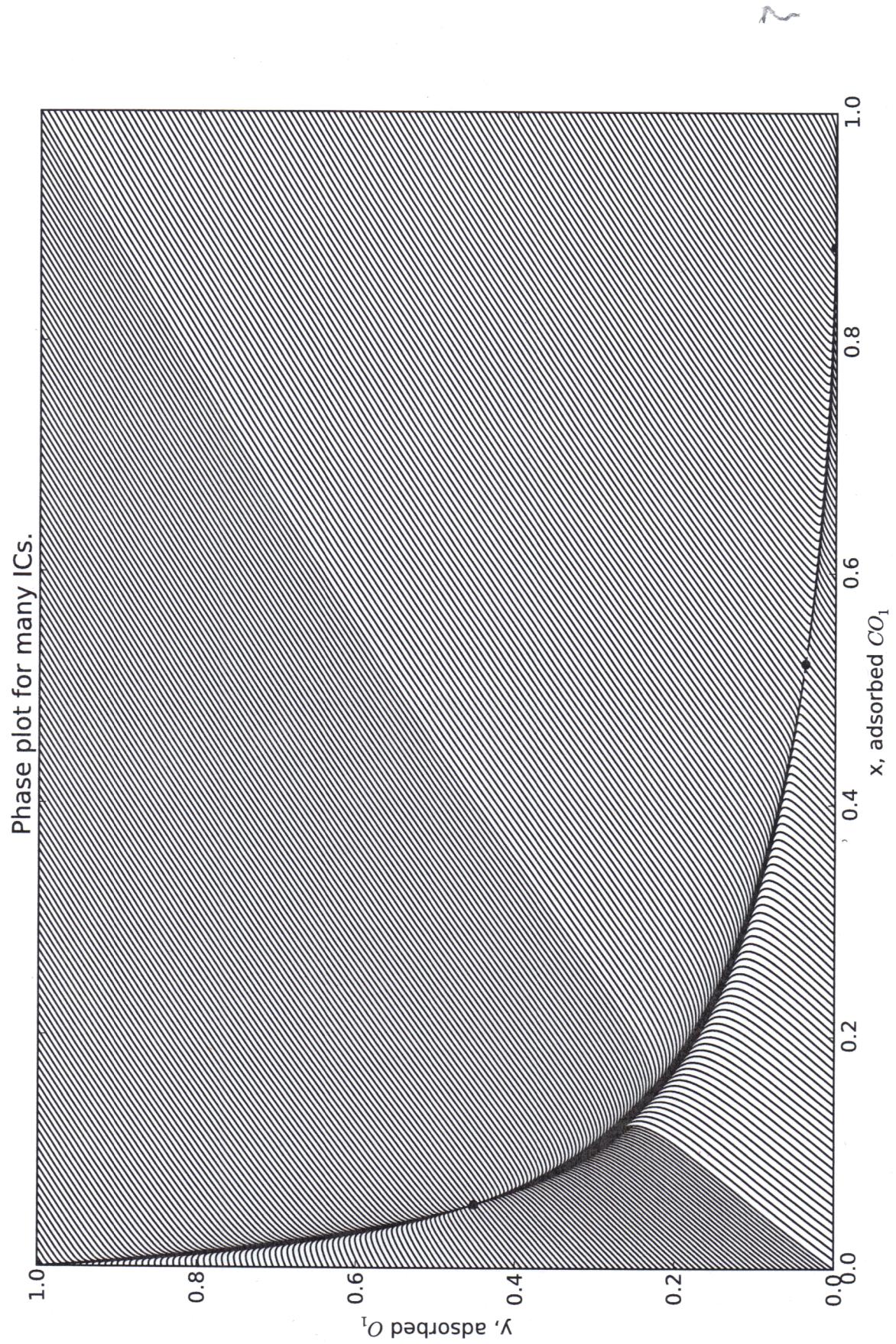
$$\underline{A} = \begin{bmatrix} -10.55 & -0.5 \\ -0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ OR } \begin{bmatrix} -5.06 & -1.04 \\ -5.50 & -1.53 \end{bmatrix} \text{ etc.}$$

$$\text{if } \underline{A} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \quad 0 = |\underline{A} - \lambda \underline{I}| = (a-\lambda)(d-\lambda) - cb = \lambda^2 + \lambda(-d-a) + (ad-cb)$$

eigenvalues:

$$\lambda = \begin{bmatrix} \textcircled{i} & (-11.0, 0.45) & + \\ \textcircled{ii} & (-6.27, -0.32) & \text{STABLE NODE} \\ \textcircled{iii} & (-7.52, 0.21) & + \\ \textcircled{iv} & (-9.32, -0.305) & \text{STABLE NODE} \end{bmatrix}$$






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67 xlist = []
68 k1list= []
69 rlist = []
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71 kn1 = 0.05
72 fk1n = lambda y: (kn1+k3*y)*(sqrt(1+4*k2*(1-y)/k3/y)-1)/2
73 fxn = lambda y: fk1n(y)*(1-y)/(fk1n(y)-kn1+k3*y)
74 frn = fr
75 ylistn = []
76 xlistn = []
77 k1listn= []
78 rlistn = []
79 for y in ylist:
80     x = fx(y)
81     xlist.append(x)
82     k1list.append(fk1(y))
83     rlist.append(frn(x,y))
84
85     ylistn.append(y)
86     xn = fxn(y)
87     xlistn.append(xn)
88     k1listn.append(fk1n(y))
89     rlistn.append(frn(xn,y))
90
91 # Make a plot comparing reversible and reversible
92 fig2b = plt.figure(22, figsize=(12, 8))
93
94 ax20 = fig2b.add_subplot(3,1,1)
95 ax20.set_xlim((0,1))
96 ax20.plot(k1list, ylist, 'k--')
97 ax20.plot(k1listn, ylistn, 'k-')
98 ax20.set_ylabel(r'Adsorbed $O_1$')
99
100 ax2C0 = fig2b.add_subplot(3,1,2)
101 ax2C0.set_xlim((0,1))
102 ax2C0.plot(k1list,xlist, 'k--')
103 ax2C0.plot(k1listn,xlistn, 'k-')
104 ax2C0.set_ylabel(r'Adsorbed $CO_1$')
105
106 ax2r = fig2b.add_subplot(3,1,3)
107 ax2r.set_xlim((0,1))
108 ax2r.set_ylim((0,.5))
109 ax2r.plot(k1list, rlist, 'k--')
110 ax2r.plot(k1listn, rlistn, 'k-')
111 ax2r.set_ylabel(r'Rate of Product Formation, ${d[CO_2]}/{dt}$')
112 ax2r.set_xlabel(r'Partial Pressure of Unadsorbed $CO_2$, $k_1$')
113
114 ax2r.legend([r'$k_{-1}=0$', 'Irreversible', r'$k_{-1}=.2f$', 'Reversible'%kn1])
115 plt.suptitle('Reversible vs. Irreversible Adsorption and Reaction\n'\
116               r'$k_2=.2f$', '$k_3=.2f$', '$k_{-2}=0$' % (k2, k3))
117 plt.savefig('hw4_2b.pdf')
118 #plt.show()
119
120 # Make a plot showing irreversible only, since it has
121 # qualitatively interesting large-k1 behavior that won't
122 # fit on the previous plot
123 fig2c = plt.figure(23, figsize=(12, 8))
124
125 ax20 = fig2c.add_subplot(3,1,1)
126 ax20.set_xlim((0,100))
127 ax20.plot(k1list, ylist, 'k--')
128 ax20.set_ylabel(r'Adsorbed $O_1$')
129
130 ax2C0 = fig2c.add_subplot(3,1,2)
131 ax2C0.set_xlim((0,100))
132 ax2C0.plot(k1list,xlist, 'k--')
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133 ax2C0.set_ylabel(r'Adsorbed $CO_1$')
134
135 ax2r = fig2c.add_subplot(3,1,3)
136 ax2r.set_xlim((0,100))
137 ax2r.plot(k1list, rlist, 'k--')
138 ax2r.set_ylabel(r'Rate of Product Formation, ${d[CO_2]}/{dt}$')
139 ax2r.set_xlabel(r'Partial Pressure of Unadsorbed $CO_2$, $k_1$')
140
141 ax2r.legend([r'$k_{-1}=0$', 'Irreversible'])
142 plt.suptitle('Irreversible Adsorption and Reaction\n'\
143                 r'$k_2=% .2f$', '$k_3=% .2f$', '$k_{-2}=0$' % (k2, k3))
144 plt.savefig('hw4_2c.pdf')
145 #plt.show()
146
147
148 # Problem 3 ##### #####
149 k1=.5
150 kn1=.05
151 k2=1
152 kn2=0
153 k3=10
154 # roots of the cubic polynomial in y that results from setting
155 #   dx/dt = 0 = dy/dt
156 # coefficients of said polynomial:
157
158 coeffs = [
159     k2*k3**2,
160     k1*k3**2 - 2*k2*k3**2 + 2*k2*k3*kn1,
161     k1**2*k3 - k1*k3**2 + k1*k3*kn1 + k2*k3**2 - 4*k2*k3*kn1 + k2*kn1**2,
162     -k3*k1**2 - k1*k3*kn1 + 2*k2*k3*kn1 - 2*k2*kn1**2,
163     k2*kn1**2
164 ]
165
166 yroots = np.roots(coeffs)
167 fx = lambda y: k1*(1-y)/(k1+kn1+k3*y)
168 xroots = map(fx, yroots)
169
170 fig3 = plt.figure(3, figsize=(12, 8))
171 ax3 = fig3.add_subplot(1,1,1)
172 ax3.set_xlim((0, 1))
173 ax3.set_ylim((0, 1.2))
174 ICs_ss = zip(xroots, yroots)
175 print '#### Problem 3, steady-states ####'
176 print "Steady-states (x, y) are:"
177 for (x, y) in ICs_ss:
178     print '(% .3f, % .3f)' % (x, y)
179 repeats = 12
180 for (x0,y0) in ICs_ss * repeats:
181     x0 = x0 + np.random.rand()*1/8. - 1/16.
182     y0 = y0 + np.random.rand()*1/8. - 1/16.
183     (tlist, xlist, ylist, plist) = do_IC(k1, kn1, k2, kn2, k3, x0, y0)
184     ax3.plot(xlist, ylist, 'k')
185 for (x0,y0) in ICs_ss:
186     ax3.scatter([x0], [y0], color='k')
187 ax3.set_title('Small random perturbations from steady-states')
188 ax3.set_xlabel(r'x, adsorbed $CO_1$')
189 ax3.set_ylabel(r'y, adsorbed $O_1$')
190 plt.savefig('hw4_3.pdf')
191
192 fig3b = plt.figure(32, figsize=(12, 8))
193 ax3b = fig3b.add_subplot(1,1,1)
194 ICs = make_ICs(resolution=128)
195
196 for (x0,y0) in ICs:
197     (tlist, xlist, ylist, plist) = do_IC(k1, kn1, k2, kn2, k3, x0, y0)
198     ax3b.plot(xlist, ylist, 'k')

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199     ax3b.set_xlim((0,1))
200     ax3b.set_ylim((0,1))
201 for (x0,y0) in ICs_ss:
202     ax3b.scatter([x0], [y0], color='k')
203 ax3b.set_xlim((0, 1))
204 ax3b.set_ylim((0, 1))
205 ax3b.set_title('Phase plot for many ICs.')
206 ax3b.set_xlabel(r'x, adsorbed $CO_1$')
207 ax3b.set_ylabel(r'y, adsorbed $O_1$')
208 plt.savefig('hw4_3b.pdf')
209
210 # Problem 3, Linear stability analysis ##### #####
211 f1x = lambda x,y: -k1 -kn1 - k3*y
212 f2x = lambda x,y: -2*k2+2*k2*x+2*k2*y-k3*y
213 f1y = lambda x,y: -k1-k3*x
214 f2y = lambda x,y: -2*k2+2*k2*x+2*k2*y-k3*x
215 print ''
216 print '#### Problem 3, Linear stability analysis ####'
217 for (x,y) in ICs_ss:
218     jacobian = np.array([[f1x(x,y), f1y(x,y)],
219                         [f2x(x,y), f2y(x,y)]])
220     print ''
221     print 'At (' , x, ', ' , y, ' ), the Jacobian is:'
222     print jacobian
223     [a,b,c,d] = jacobian.flatten().tolist()
224     coeffs = [1, -d-a, a*d-c*b]
225     eigv = np.roots(coeffs)
226     print 'Eigenvalues are:', eigv
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