

Example Consider the ODE

$$\begin{cases} x' = 33 - 10x - 3y + x^2 \\ y' = -18 + 6x + 2y - xy \end{cases}$$

The eqⁿ has an equilibrium at $(4, 3) = (x_0, y_0)$.
Determine its type!

(No need to draw the phase diagram.)

Solⁿ

$$\begin{aligned} f &= 33 - 10x - 3y + x^2 \\ g &= -18 + 6x + 2y - xy \end{aligned}$$

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial g}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -10 + 2x & -3 \\ 6 - y & 2 - x \end{bmatrix}$$

Insert $x=4$ & $y=3$: $J = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -3 \\ 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$

Find evcls of J !

$$0 = P_J(\lambda) = \det \begin{bmatrix} -2-\lambda & -3 \\ 3 & -2-\lambda \end{bmatrix} = (-2-\lambda)(-2-\lambda) + 9 = \lambda^2 + 4\lambda + 13$$

Evcls are $\lambda_{1,2} = -2 \pm \sqrt{(-2)^2 - 13} = -2 \pm \sqrt{-9} = -2 \pm 3i$

Answer $(4, 3)$ is a stable spiral point!

Example $\dot{x} = y - x^3$
 $\dot{y} = -x - y^3$

What does linear analysis say about the equilibrium at $(0,0)$?

Solⁿ

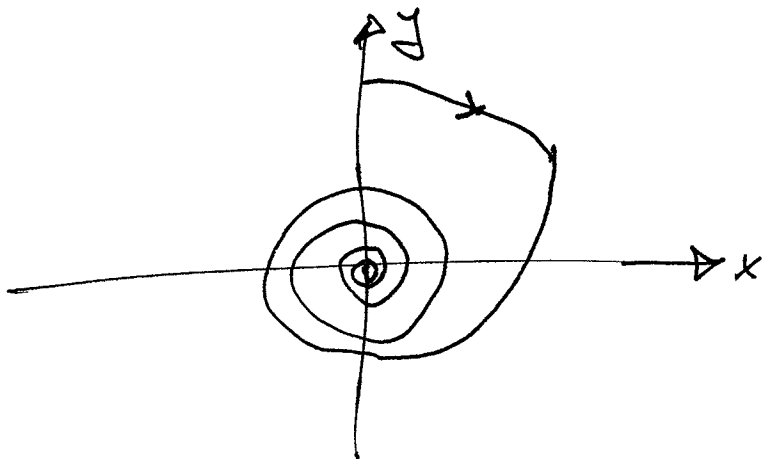
$$J = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P_J(\lambda) = \det \begin{bmatrix} -\lambda & 1 \\ -1 & -\lambda \end{bmatrix} = \lambda^2 + 1$$

so $\lambda = \pm i$

Linear analysis cannot tell!

(The answer is that it is an asymptotically stable spiral point)

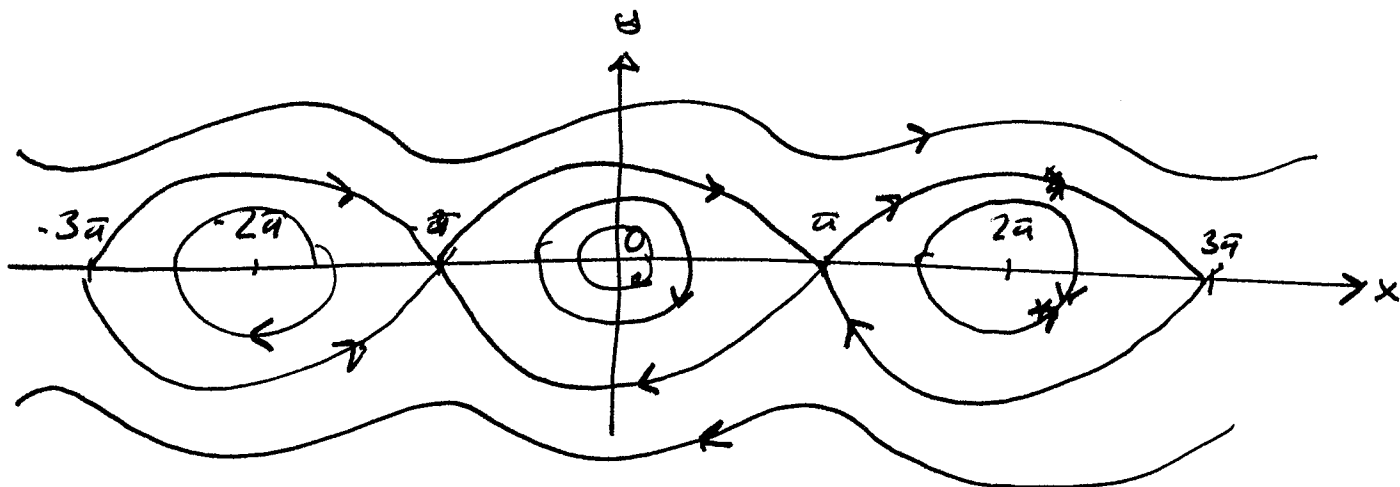


Example First review the phase diagram of

$$\Theta'' + \sin \Theta = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} x = \Theta &\Rightarrow x' = \Theta' = y \\ y = \Theta' &\Rightarrow y' = \Theta'' = -\sin \Theta = -\sin x \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y \\ -\sin x \end{bmatrix}$$



Now consider $\Theta'' + \Theta' + \sin \Theta = 0$
⤴ Damping!

$$\begin{aligned} x = \Theta \\ y = \Theta' \end{aligned} \quad \begin{cases} x' = \Theta' = y = f \\ y' = \Theta'' = -\Theta' - \sin \Theta = -y - \sin x = g \end{cases}$$

$$f = 0 \Rightarrow y = 0$$

$$g = 0 \Rightarrow \sin x = 0 \Rightarrow x = n\pi$$

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\cos x & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -(-1)^n & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

IF n is even: $J = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$0 = -\lambda(-1-\lambda) + 1 = \lambda^2 + \lambda + 1 \Rightarrow \lambda = -\frac{1}{2} \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{4} - 1} = \frac{-1 \pm i\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

~~Sp~~ Stable spiral point

IF n is odd: $J = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$0 = -\lambda(-1-\lambda) - 1 = \lambda^2 + \lambda - 1 \Rightarrow \lambda = -\frac{1}{2} \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{4} + 1} = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

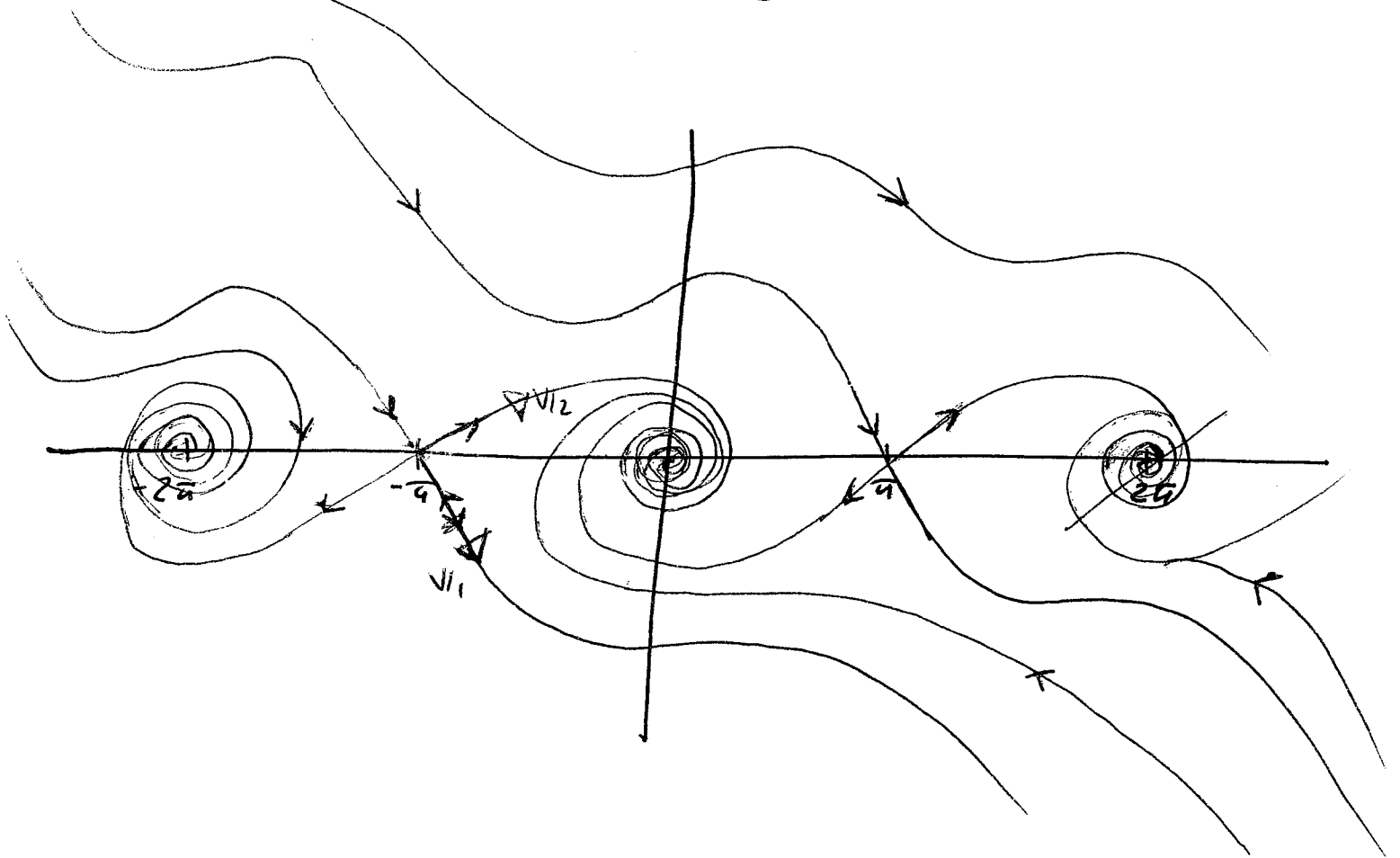
$$\lambda_1 = \frac{-1 - \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$\lambda_2 = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$V_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 + \sqrt{5} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$V_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 + \sqrt{5} \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$1 + \sqrt{5} \approx 3.2$$



Sometimes we can construct exact formulas for the trajectories without actually solving the ODE!

Note that if $\frac{dx}{dt} = f(x,y)$ and $\frac{dy}{dt} = g(x,y)$,

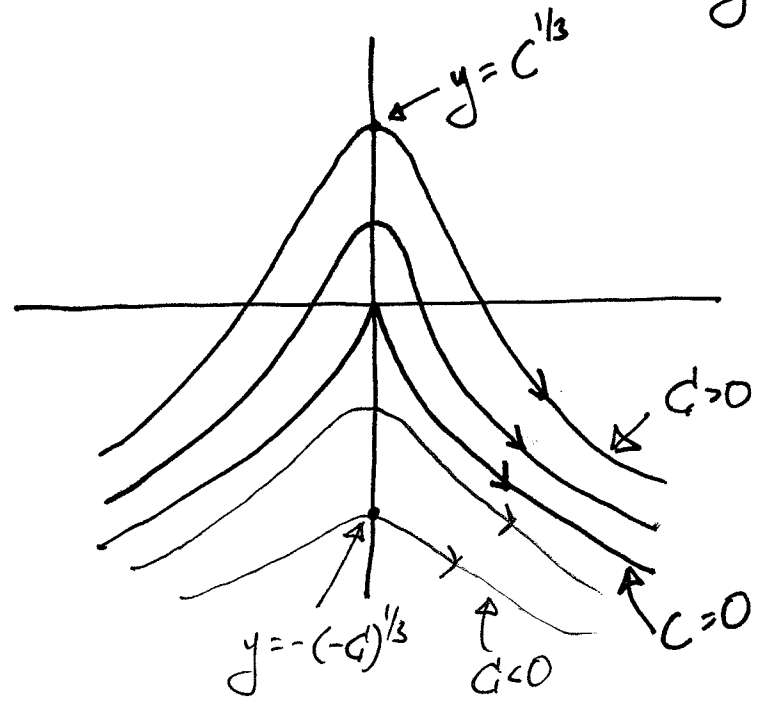
then $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy/dt}{dx/dt} = \frac{g(x,y)}{f(x,y)}$ \rightarrow ODE we can solve for $y=y(x)$!

Example $\begin{cases} x' = y^2 \\ y' = -x \end{cases}$ Determine a formula for the trajectories!

Solⁿ $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{x}{y^2} \Rightarrow y^2 dy = -x dx$
 $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{3} y^3 = -\frac{1}{2} x^2 + C$

We get one trajectory for each value of C!

For instance: $C=0 \Rightarrow y^3 = -\frac{1}{2} x^2 \Rightarrow y = -\frac{1}{2} |x|^{2/3}$



Would linearization around $(x_0, y_0) = (0,0)$ work?
 $J = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2y \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
J is singular! $\det(J) = 0$
Linear analysis is useless!

Example

$$\begin{cases} x' = y \\ y' = -x \end{cases}$$

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$p(\lambda) = \lambda^2 + 1 \Rightarrow \lambda = \pm i$$

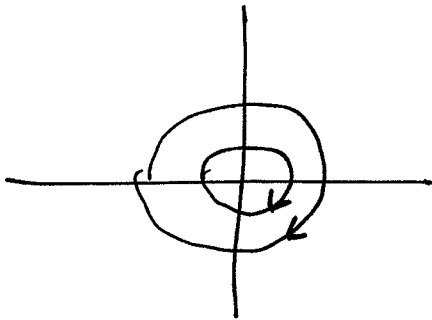
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$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-x}{y}$$

$$y dy = -x dx \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} y^2 = -\frac{1}{2} x^2 + C$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 = 2C \Rightarrow \text{circles!}$$

Linear analysis
does not work!



Example

$$\begin{cases} x' = y \\ y' = x \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x}{y}$$

$$\Rightarrow y dy = x dx$$

$$\frac{1}{2} y^2 = \frac{1}{2} x^2 + C$$

\Rightarrow

$$\frac{1}{2} y^2 - \frac{1}{2} x^2 = 2C'$$

hyperbolas!

