

Assignment #5

Solutions

1. a)
$$\begin{cases} u_1' = u_2 \\ u_2' = -3u_2 + 4u_1 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} u_1'' = u_2' \\ u_2' = -3u_1' + 4u_1 \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore u_1'' = -3u_1' + 4u_1 \Leftrightarrow u_1'' + 3u_1' - 4u_1 = 0$$

As required.

b)
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 4 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvalues:

$$|A - \lambda I| = 0 \Leftrightarrow \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & 1 \\ 4 & -3-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Leftrightarrow \lambda^2 + 3\lambda - 4 = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \lambda = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{9+16}}{2} = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{25}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{-3 \pm 5}{2} = \frac{2}{2} \text{ or } \frac{-8}{2} = 1 \text{ or } -4$$

Eigenvectors:

$$\lambda_1 = 1$$

$$(A - \lambda_1 I) \vec{u}_1 = \vec{0} \Leftrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 4 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_{11} \\ u_{12} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} -u_{11} + u_{12} = 0 \\ 4u_{11} - 4u_{12} = 0 \end{cases}$$

The 2nd equation is redundant, so we are free to choose one of u_{11} or u_{12} . Let $u_{12} = 1$, then $u_{11} = 1$ and we have
$$\vec{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$\lambda_2 = -4$

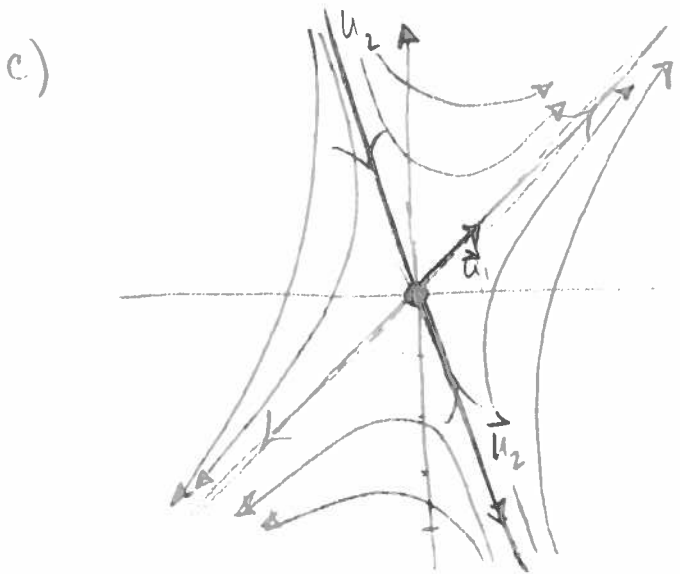
$(A - \lambda_2 I) \vec{u}_2 = \vec{0} \Leftrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_{21} \\ u_{22} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} 4u_{21} + u_{22} = 0 \\ 4u_{21} + u_{22} = 0 \end{cases}$

The second equation is redundant, so we are free to choose u_{21} or u_{22} . Let $u_{21} = 1$, then $u_{22} = -4$ and we have

$\vec{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$.

The solutions are thus

$\vec{u} = c_1 e^t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^{-4t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$.



$\because \lambda_1 > 0, \vec{u}_1$ is the unstable direction.

$\because \lambda_2 < 0, \vec{u}_2$ is the stable direction.

The origin is a saddle.

$$2. \begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt} = 2x - y \\ \frac{dy}{dt} = x^2 + 4y \end{cases}$$

Steady states occur at points where

$$\begin{cases} x' = 0 \\ y' = 0 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} 2x - y = 0 \\ x^2 + 4y = 0 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} 2x = y \\ x^2 + 4(2x) = 0 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} y = 2x \\ x(x + 8) = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} y = 0 \text{ or } y = -16 \\ x = 0 \text{ or } x = -8 \end{cases}$$

∴ The steady states are (0,0) and (-8,-16).

Stability:

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 2x & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{(0,0)}{J|_{(0,0)}} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}, \lambda_1 = 2 \text{ or } \lambda_2 = 4$$

Since both eigenvalues are positive, the steady state is unstable.

$(-8, -16)$

$$J|_{(-8, -16)} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -16 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

eigenvalues:

$$(2-\lambda)(4-\lambda) - 16 = 0 \Leftrightarrow \lambda^2 - 6\lambda + 8 - 16 = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \lambda^2 - 6\lambda - 8 = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \lambda = +3 \pm \sqrt{9+8}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \lambda = +3 \pm \sqrt{17}$$

$\therefore \sqrt{17} > 4$, we know that $\lambda_+ > 0$, $\lambda_- < 0$

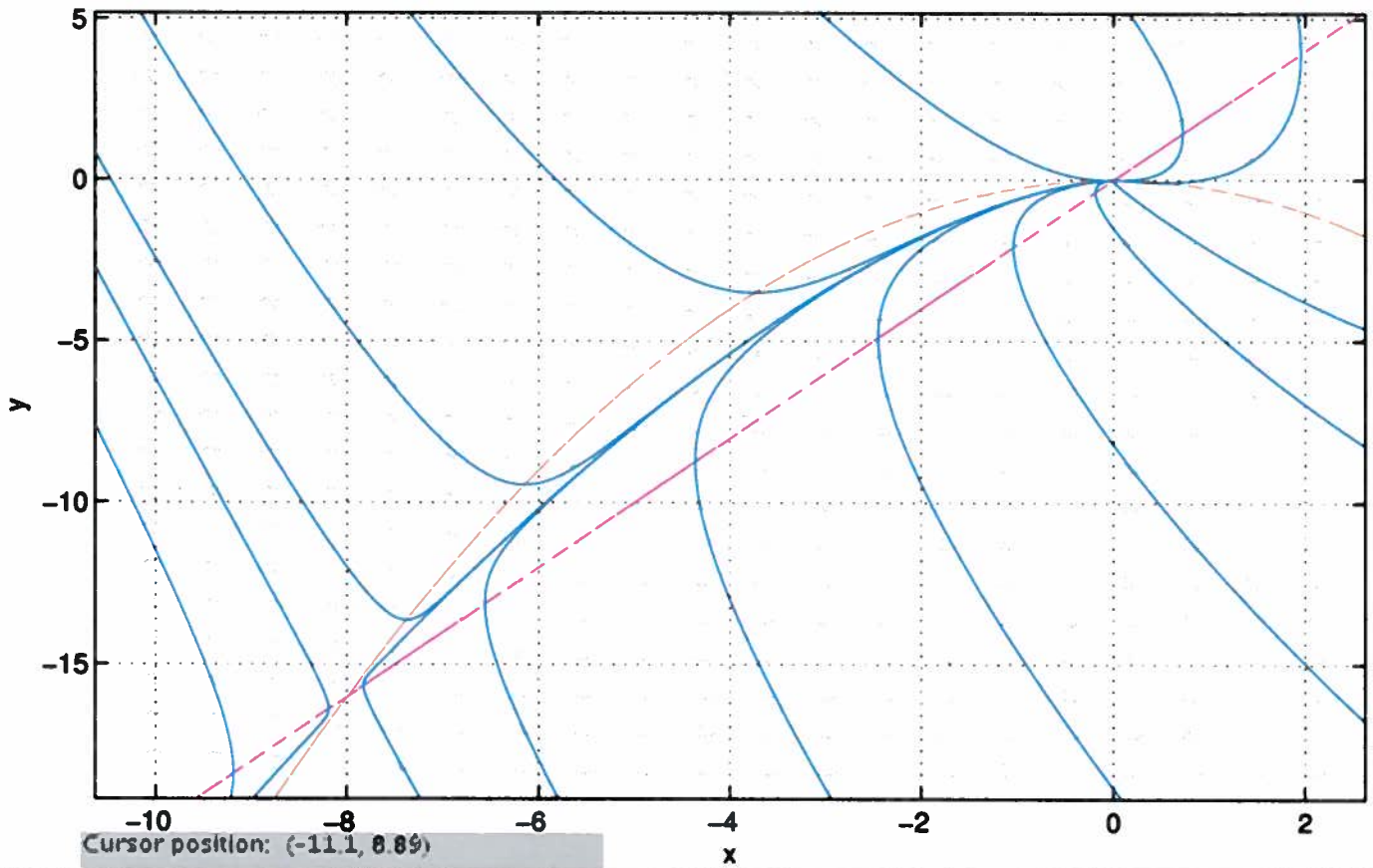
Because one of the eigenvalues is positive, the steady state $(8, 16)$ is unstable.

(Because the other eigenvalue is less than zero, the steady state $(-8, -16)$ is a saddle.)

Phase plane diagrams on next page.

$$x' = 2x - y$$

$$y' = x^2 + 4y$$



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The backward orbit from (1.8, -3.4) --> a possible eq. pt. near (6.6e-15, 1.3e-14).
 Ready.
 The forward orbit from (0.62, -11) left the computation window.
 The backward orbit from (0.62, -11) --> a possible eq. pt. near (6.3e-10, 1.3e-09).
 Ready.

3. 17.7

$$\vec{v} = A\vec{w} \text{ with } A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$$

$$f(\vec{v}) = \begin{bmatrix} av_1 + bv_2 \\ cv_1 + dv_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad f(\vec{w}) = \begin{bmatrix} aw_1 + bw_2 \\ cw_1 + dw_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

We seek L such that

$$|f(\vec{v}) - f(\vec{w})| \leq L |\vec{v} - \vec{w}| \Leftrightarrow |f(\vec{v}) - f(\vec{w})|^2 \leq L^2 |\vec{v} - \vec{w}|^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{lhs} &= |f(\vec{v}) - f(\vec{w})|^2 \\ &= (av_1 + bv_2 - aw_1 - bw_2)^2 + (cv_1 + dv_2 - cw_1 - dw_2)^2 \\ &= (a(v_1 - w_1) + b(v_2 - w_2))^2 + (c(v_1 - w_1) + d(v_2 - w_2))^2 \\ &= a^2(v_1 - w_1)^2 + b^2(v_2 - w_2)^2 + 2ab(v_1 - w_1)(v_2 - w_2) \\ &\quad + c^2(v_1 - w_1)^2 + d^2(v_2 - w_2)^2 + 2cd(v_1 - w_1)(v_2 - w_2) \\ &= (a^2 + c^2)(v_1 - w_1)^2 + (b^2 + d^2)(v_2 - w_2)^2 \\ &\quad + 2(ab + cd)(v_1 - w_1)(v_2 - w_2) \\ &\leq \max(a^2 + c^2, b^2 + d^2) |\vec{v} - \vec{w}|^2 + 2|ab + cd| |\vec{v} - \vec{w}|^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{lhs} \leq \left[\max(a^2 + c^2, b^2 + d^2) + 2|ab + cd| \right] |\vec{v} - \vec{w}|^2$$

Thus, we can choose

$$L = \sqrt{\max(a^2 + c^2, b^2 + d^2) + 2|ab + cd|}$$

and the function $A\vec{v}$ is Lipschitz.

4. 7.13

$$a) \begin{cases} x' = 3x(1-x) - xy \\ y' = 5y(1-y) - 2xy \end{cases}$$

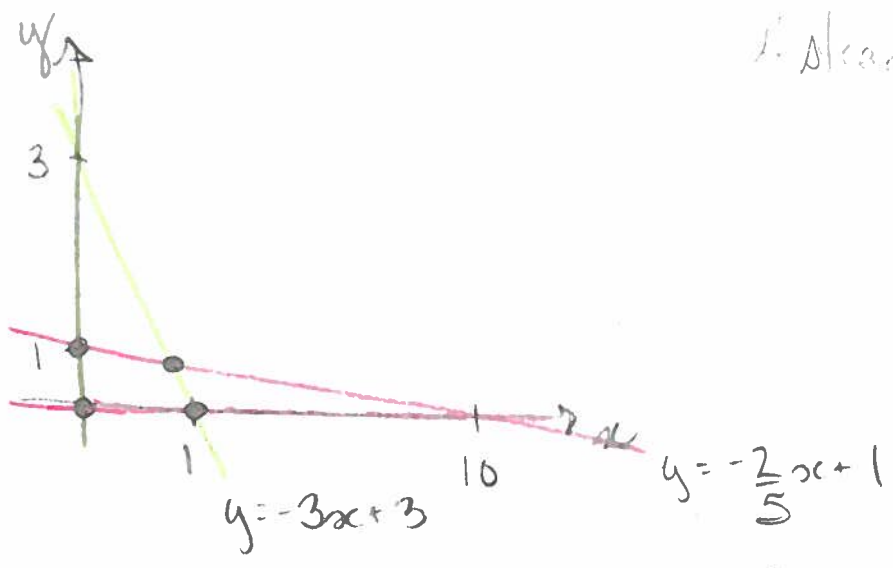
The nullclines are

$$\begin{cases} x' = 0 \\ y' = 0 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} 3x(1-x) - xy = 0 \\ 5y(1-y) - 2xy = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} x = 0 \text{ or } 3 - 3x - y = 0 \\ y = 0 \text{ or } 5 - 5y - 2x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} \underline{x = 0} \text{ or } \underline{y = -3x + 3} \\ \underline{y = 0} \text{ or } \underline{y = -\frac{2}{5}x + 1} \end{cases}$$

1. Steady state



b) Fixed points:

$(0,0)$; $(0,1)$; $(1,0)$

also the intersection of

$$\begin{cases} y = -3x + 3 \\ y = -\frac{2}{5}x + 1 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} y = -3x + 3 \\ -3x + 3 = -\frac{2}{5}x + 1 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow //$$

$$// \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} y = -3x + 3 \\ -\frac{13}{5}x = -2 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} y = -\frac{30}{13} + \frac{39}{13} = \frac{9}{13} \\ x = \frac{10}{13} \end{cases}$$

∴ the 4th fixed point is

$(\frac{10}{13}, \frac{9}{13})$

This is the coexistence steady state.

c) Stability

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 - 6x - y & -x \\ -2y & 5 - 10y - 2x \end{bmatrix}$$

at (0,0)

$$J|_{(0,0)} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_1 = 3, \lambda_2 = 5$$

This steady state is an unstable node.

at (1,0)

$$J|_{(1,0)} = \begin{bmatrix} 3-4 & -1 \\ 0 & 5-2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\lambda_1 = -3, \lambda_2 = 3$, \therefore This steady state is a saddle node (unstable).

at $(0, 1)$

$$J|_{(0,1)} = \begin{bmatrix} 3-1 & 0 \\ -2 & 5-10 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ -2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\therefore \lambda_1 = -2$ & $\lambda_2 = 5$, and this steady state is a saddle node (unstable).

at $\left(\frac{10}{13}, \frac{9}{13}\right)$

$$J|_{\left(\frac{10}{13}, \frac{9}{13}\right)} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 - \frac{6 \cdot 10}{13} - \frac{9}{13} & -\frac{10}{13} \\ -2 \cdot \frac{9}{13} & 5 - 10 \cdot \frac{9}{13} - 2 \cdot \frac{10}{13} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 3 - \frac{69}{13} & -\frac{10}{13} \\ -\frac{18}{13} & 5 - \frac{110}{13} \end{bmatrix}$$

Using Maple we obtain

$$\lambda_1 = -\frac{75}{26} + \frac{3\sqrt{105}}{26} = -1.7$$

$$\lambda_2 = -\frac{75}{26} - \frac{3\sqrt{105}}{26} = -4.1$$

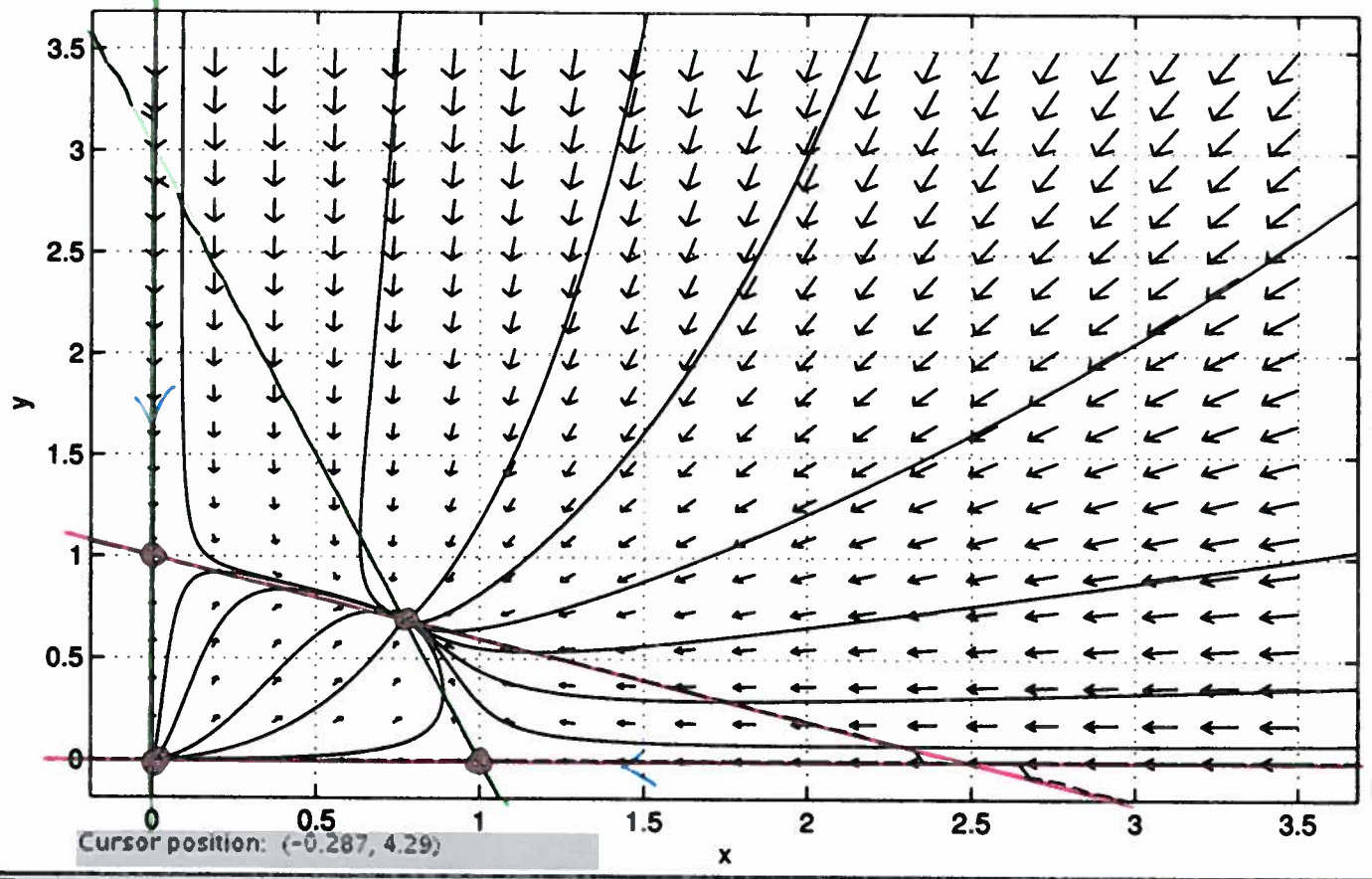
∴ both eigenvalues are negative, ∴ the steady state is stable.

Phase Plane on next page

d) We see that the trajectories all move away from the fixed points $(0,0)$, $(1,0)$, and $(0,1)$, and towards the coexistence state at $(\frac{10}{13}, \frac{9}{13})$. Thus, all initial conditions lead to coexistence, & this steady state is globally asymptotically stable (GAS).

$$x' = 3x(1-x) - xy$$

$$y' = 5y(1-y) - 2xy$$



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The backward orbit from $(0.07, 0.71)$ --> a possible eq. pt. near $(2.2e-16, 8.3e-18)$.
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 The forward orbit from $(0.51, 0.27)$ --> a possible eq. pt. near $(0.77, 0.69)$.
 The backward orbit from $(0.51, 0.27)$ --> a possible eq. pt. near $(3.1e-14, 2e-17)$.
 Ready.

e) ∵ The coexistence state is GAS, the outcome is coexistence.