

Bifurcation in 1D differential equation.

$$x' = f(\mu, x) \quad \mu \text{ is a parameter}$$

Equilibrium x_0 s.t. $f(\mu, x_0) = 0$.

Stable if $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(\mu, x_0) < 0$ unstable if $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(\mu, x_0) > 0$

bifurcation $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(\mu, x_0) = 0$.

① Fishery model. $u(t) = \text{population of fish}$

$$\frac{du}{dt} = ku \left(1 - \frac{u}{N}\right) - M \quad (\text{homework 3})$$

Nondimensionalized equation $\left(v = \frac{u}{N}, s = kt\right)$

$$\frac{dv}{ds} = v(1-v) - \mu \quad \mu = \frac{M}{kN}$$

Equilibrium $v - v^2 - \mu = 0 \Rightarrow v^2 - v + \mu = 0$

$$v = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1-4\mu}}{2} \quad \text{So } \mu \leq \frac{1}{4}$$

when $0 \leq \mu < \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow 2$ equilibria $x_+ = \frac{1 + \sqrt{1-4\mu}}{2}$ and $x_- = \frac{1 - \sqrt{1-4\mu}}{2}$

$\mu = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow 1$ equilibrium $x_+ = \frac{1}{2}$

$\mu > \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow 0$ equilibrium.

$\mu = \frac{1}{4}$ bifurcation point!



$$f(u, v) = v - v^2 - u \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial v} = 1 - 2v$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial v}(u, x_+) = 1 - 2\left(\frac{1 + \sqrt{1 - 4u}}{2}\right) = -\sqrt{1 - 4u} < 0 \Rightarrow x_+ \text{ is stable}$$

if $0 \leq u < \frac{1}{4}$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial v}(u, x_-) = 1 - 2\left(\frac{1 - \sqrt{1 - 4u}}{2}\right) = \sqrt{1 - 4u} > 0 \Rightarrow x_- \text{ is unstable}$$

if $0 \leq u < \frac{1}{4}$

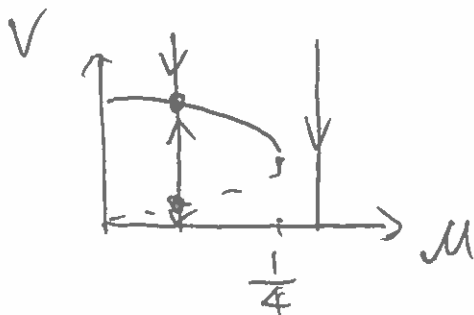
When $u = \frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{\partial f}{\partial v}(u, x_+) = 0$ bifurcation point!

This is a saddle-node bifurcation point $2 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 0$
 \xrightarrow{u} # of equilibria

biological meaning when u (harvesting) $> \frac{1}{4}$, the fish population goes to extinction.

\Rightarrow original model $u = \frac{M}{KN} \Rightarrow \frac{M}{KN} > \frac{1}{4}$

bifurcation value $M = \frac{1}{4}KN$



$M = \frac{1}{4}KN$ is the maximum

sustainable yield (MSY).

For fish population to sustain, the harvesting should not be over $M = \frac{1}{4}KN$ ($k = \text{growth}$, $N = \text{carrying capacity}$)

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Nonlinear Differential Equation Models

$$x' = f(x) \quad \text{or} \quad \begin{cases} x' = f(x, y) \\ y' = g(x, y) \end{cases}$$

Growth Model (for one species)

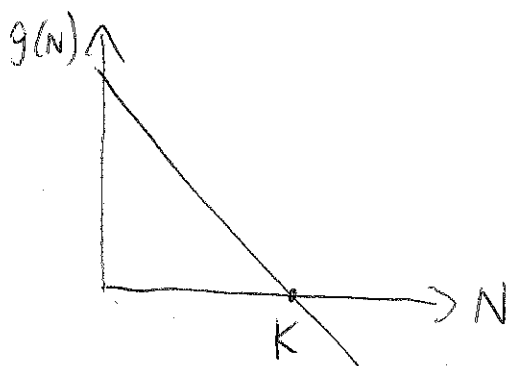
$$\frac{dN}{dt} = N \cdot g(N)$$

$g(N)$ = growth rate per capita
dimension ($g(N)$) = T^{-1}

(Malthus, 1798) $g(N) = r$ (constant) $N(t) = N_0 e^{rt}$

(Verhulst, 1838) $g(N) = r(1 - \frac{N}{K})$ (~~dep~~ density dependent, logistic)

Negative dependence (Crowding effect) $g(N)$ decreasing



K = carrying capacity

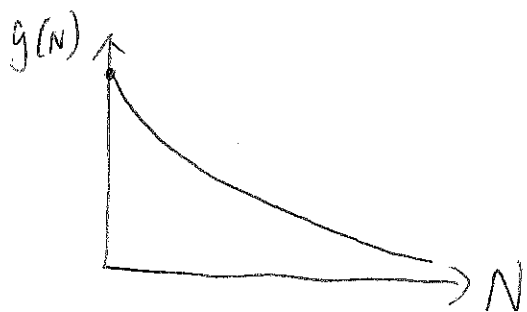
Other negative dependence growth

$$g(N) = r e^{-\beta N} \quad (\text{Ricker model})$$

$$g(N) = \frac{r}{\alpha + N} \quad (\text{Beverton - Holt})$$

(do not have a carrying capacity)

Fisheries Ecology



$$\frac{dN}{dt} = N \cdot \frac{r}{\alpha + N} \quad \int \frac{(\alpha + N) dN}{N} = \int r dt$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha \ln N + N = rt + C$$

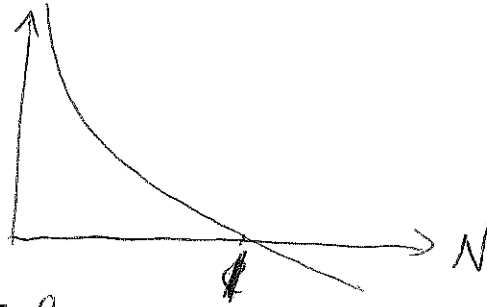
$$\Rightarrow e^{N(t)} \cdot (N(t))^\alpha = e^{N_0} N_0^\alpha e^{rt}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^N \cdot N^\alpha = C e^{rt}$$

Gompertz growth (Tumor model)

$$g(N) = -k \ln N$$

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} g(N) = \infty$$



$$\frac{dN}{dt} = -kN \ln N$$

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} N \ln N = 0$$

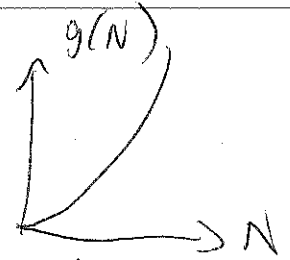
(Solve it homework)

~~Another~~ Another explanation of $\frac{dN}{dt} = rN - \frac{rN^2}{k}$
 growth intraspecific competition
 probability of encounter between individuals

$$N \cdot N \quad (\text{mass action})$$

Positive dependence

$g(N)$ increasing

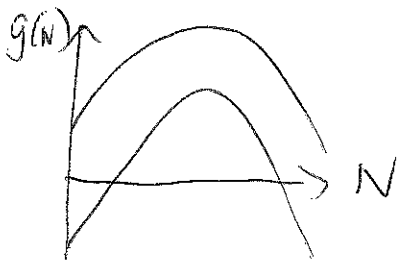


rarely happen (von Foerster, 1960) $g(N) = rN$

\Rightarrow solution blows up at a finite time.

Allee effect

$g(N)$ initially increasing then decreasing



$$g(N) = a_1 + a_2 N + a_3 N^2$$

$$a_2 > 0, a_3 < 0$$

$a_1 < 0$ strong Allee effect

$a_1 > 0$ weak Allee effect.



strong Allee effect (bistable)

Interaction between species (2 species)

$$x' = f(x, y) = \underbrace{f_1(x)}_{\text{growth}} + \underbrace{g_1(x, y)}_{\text{interaction}}$$

$$y' = g(x, y) = \underbrace{f_2(y)}_{\text{growth}} + \underbrace{g_2(x, y)}_{\text{interaction}}$$

$$J = \begin{pmatrix} f_x & f_y \\ g_x & g_y \end{pmatrix}$$

f_x : feedback from x to x

f_y : feedback from y to x

g_x : x to y

g_y : y to y

Competition = $g_x < 0$ and $f_y < 0$ (or $g_1 < 0, g_2 < 0$)

Mutualism (Cooperation): $g_x > 0$ and $f_y > 0$ (or $g_1 > 0, g_2 > 0$)

predator-prey (ecology) = $g_x > 0$ and $f_y < 0$ (or $g_1 > 0, g_2 < 0$)

Consumer-resource

Competition Model ~~Lotka~~, 1

$(x(t), y(t))$: ① two biological species competing for same resource

② two companies competing for market

(Coke and Pepsi) (Nike and UA)

③ two armies fighting each other.

possible outcomes: ① one wins, one loses (Competition exclusion)

② Neither wins or loses (coexistence)

Lotka - Volterra Competition Model

Lotka (American chemist/insurance company) Volterra (Italian mathematician)

1925

1920

Gause (Russian biologist)

$$\frac{dN_1}{dt} = r_1 N_1 \cdot \frac{K_1 - N_1 - \beta_{12} N_2}{K_1}$$

$$\frac{dN_2}{dt} = r_2 N_2 \cdot \frac{K_2 - N_2 - \beta_{21} N_1}{K_2}$$

variable	meaning	dimension	parameter	meaning	dimension
t	time	T	r_1	growth rate per capita N_1	T^{-1}
N_1	species species 1	M_1	r_2	————— N_2	T^{-1}
N_2	species 2	M_2	K_1	Carry capacity N_1	M_1
			K_2	————— N_2	M_2
			β_{12}	impact of N_2 on N_1	M_1/M_2
			β_{21}	————— N_1 on N_2	M_2/M_1

$$s = r_1 t, \quad u = \frac{N_1}{K_1}, \quad v = \frac{N_2}{K_2}$$

$$\frac{dN_1}{dt} = \frac{dN_1}{du} \frac{du}{ds} \frac{ds}{dt} = K_1 \frac{du}{ds} r_1 = r_1 K_1 u \frac{K_1 - K_1 u - \beta_{12} K_2 v}{K_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{du}{ds} = u \left(1 - u - \frac{\beta_{12} K_2}{K_1} v \right)$$

$$\frac{dN_2}{dt} = \frac{dN_2}{dv} \frac{dv}{ds} \frac{ds}{dt} = K_2 \frac{dv}{ds} r_2 = r_2 K_2 v \frac{K_2 - K_2 v - \beta_{21} K_1 u}{K_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dv}{ds} = \frac{r_2}{r_1} v \left(1 - v - \frac{\beta_{21} K_1}{K_2} u \right)$$

Define $a = \frac{r_2}{r_1}$, $b = \frac{\beta_{12} K_2}{K_1}$, $c = \frac{\beta_{21} K_1}{K_2}$

New system

$$u' = u(1-u-bv)$$

$$v' = av(1-v-cu)$$

x-nullcline : $u=0$ or $1-u-bv=0$ ($v = \frac{1-u}{b}$)

y-nullcline : $v=0$ or $1-v-cu=0$ ($v = 1-cu$)

Equilibrium: $(0,0)$, $(0,1)$, $(1,0)$

$$v = \frac{1-u}{b} \text{ and } v = 1-cu \Rightarrow \frac{1-u}{b} = 1-cu$$

$$\Rightarrow 1-u = b - bcu \Rightarrow (bc-1)u = b-1 \Rightarrow u = \frac{b-1}{bc-1}$$

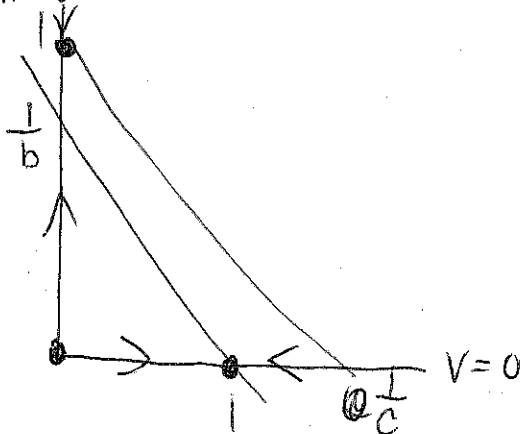
$$v = 1 - c \cdot \frac{b-1}{bc-1} = \frac{(bc-1) - (bc-c)}{bc-1} = \frac{c-1}{bc-1}$$

So $\left(\frac{b-1}{bc-1}, \frac{c-1}{bc-1} \right) = (u^*, v^*)$

$(0,0)$ extinction $(0,1)$, $(1,0)$ one wins and one loses

$\left(\frac{b-1}{bc-1}, \frac{c-1}{bc-1} \right)$ coexistence.

graph $u=0$



$1 > \frac{1}{b}$ and $\frac{1}{c} > 1$ (or $b > 1$ and $c < 1$)

Case 1 $b < 1$ and $c > 1$

Case 2 $b > 1$ and $c < 1$

Case 3 $b < 1$ and $c < 1$

Case 4 $b > 1$ and $c > 1$

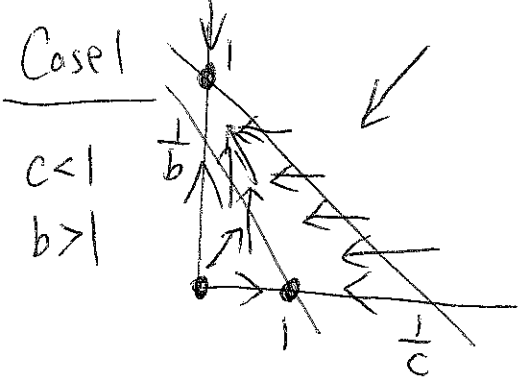
Jacobian

$$J = \begin{pmatrix} 1-2u-bv & -bu \\ -acv & a-2v-acu \end{pmatrix}$$

$J(0,0) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & a \end{pmatrix}$ $T = 1+a > 0$ unstable node
 $D = a > 0$

$J(1,0) = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -b \\ 0 & a(1-c) \end{pmatrix}$ $T = -1+a(1-c)$
 $D = -a(1-c)$

$J(0,1) = \begin{pmatrix} 1-b & 0 \\ -ac & -a \end{pmatrix}$ $T = 1-a-b$
 $D = -a(1-b)$



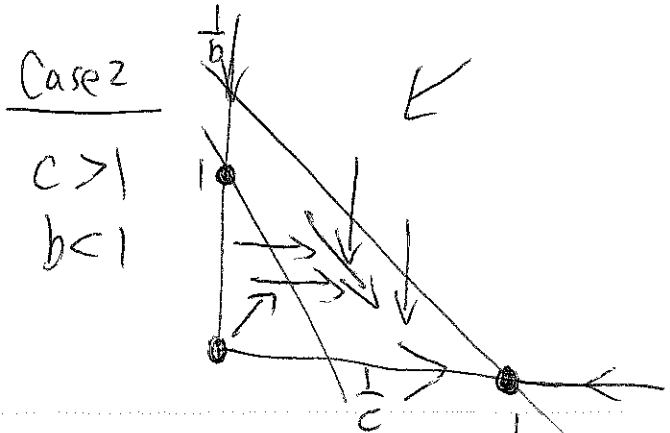
$$1-u-bv: u'=0, v'=av(1-v-cu)$$

$$1-v-cu: v'=0, u'=1-u-bv$$

$(1,0) : D < 0$ saddle

$(0,1) : D > 0, T < 0$ stable node

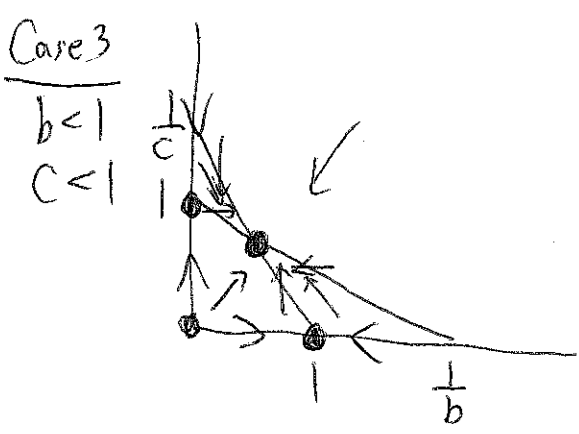
$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} (u(t), v(t)) = (0,1)$$



$(1,0) : D > 0, T < 0$ stable node

$(0,1) : D < 0$ saddle

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} (u(t), v(t)) = (1,0)$$

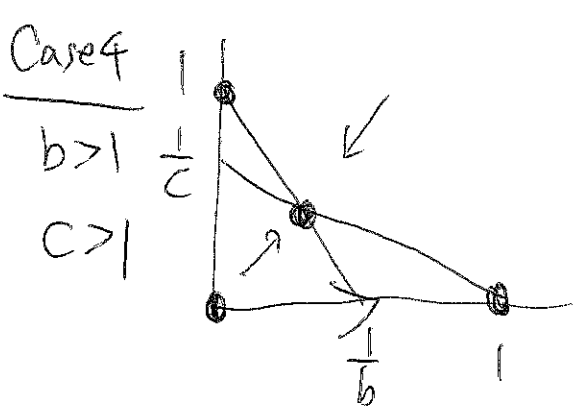


$(1,0)$ saddle

$(0,1)$ saddle

(u^*, v^*) stable node

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} (u(t), v(t)) = (u^*, v^*) \quad \underline{\text{Coexistence}}$$



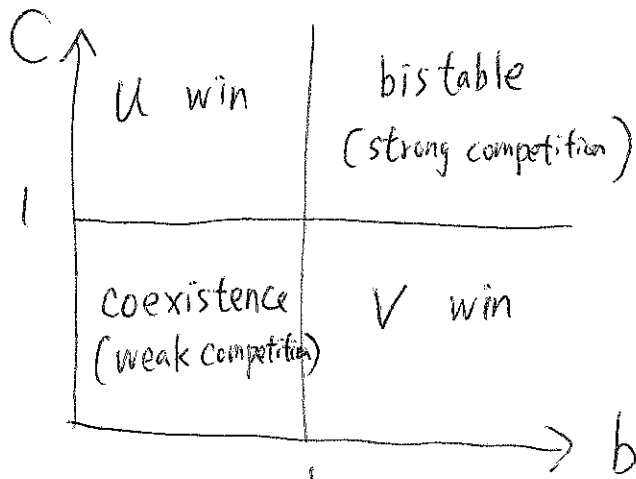
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(u^*, v^*) saddle

bistable!

Bifurcation Diagram



Principle of Competition exclusion

When competition is intense, only one species will win.

How do species achieve ~~coexistence~~ coexistence in nature?

① Coexistence is achieved when strength of competition is small ($b < 1$ and $C < 1$)

② One competitor wins exclusively when the competition does more harm to the other competitor ($b > 1 > C$ or $C > 1 > b$)

③ When competition is strong ($b > 1, C > 1$) the outcome depends on initial condition. One competitor eventually wins.

① space. Different species occupy different spatial regions.

(biological invasion, foreign species invade new territory)

② biodiversity. The result here only work for TWO species.

When there are more species, the ecosystem appears to be more stable ~~(less)~~ v.