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7. Bifurcation

Die Bifurkationstheorie untersucht, technisch gesprochen, was passiert, wenn der Satz über implizite Funktionen scheitert. Thematisch geht es vor allem um das Studium dyn. Systeme

$$\dot{x} = f(\lambda, x), \quad x_{n+1} = F(\lambda, x_n) \quad (\lambda = \text{const})$$

die von einem oder mehreren Parametern $\lambda \in L = \text{Banach}, \mathbb{R}^m, \mathbb{R}$ abhängen.

Parameter: alles woran man drehen kann (oder möchte, oder leider nicht kann ...)

7.1 Lyapunov-Schmidt Reduction

Goal: Solve $F(w) = 0$ nahe $F(0) = 0$ for

$$F: W^{\text{Banach}} \rightarrow Z^{\text{Banach}}, \quad C^k, \quad k \geq 1$$

Assumption: Let $\mathcal{L} = F'(0): W \rightarrow Z$, bounded, lin., be quasi-Fredholm

Definition: $\mathcal{L}$ beschr., lin., is called quasi-Fredholm if $\mathcal{L}^{-1}(0) = \text{Ker } \mathcal{L}$ and $\text{Range } \mathcal{L}$ are both closed with closed complement:

$$W = \text{Ker } \mathcal{L} \oplus (\text{Ker } \mathcal{L})^{\text{complement}}, \quad Z = \text{Range } \mathcal{L}$$

We call $\mathcal{L}$ Fredholm if $\oplus (\text{Range } \mathcal{L})^c$
 $\dim \text{Ker } \mathcal{L}, \text{codim Range } \mathcal{L} = \dim (\text{Range } \mathcal{L})^c$ are both finite Fredholm-index

$$\text{ind}(\mathcal{L}) := \dim \text{Ker } \mathcal{L} - \text{codim Range } \mathcal{L} \\ = \text{"deficiency"} - \text{"corank"}$$

Proposition (see [Kato])

(i) The set of Fredholm operators $\mathcal{L}$ of

index $i \in \mathbb{Z}$ is open in the set of bd. lin. operators $W \rightarrow Z$, for any fixed i ;

(ii) $\mathcal{L}$ Fredholm, $\mathcal{K}: W \rightarrow W$ compact

(i.e. $\mathcal{K}$ (unit ball) = rel. cpt.) $\Rightarrow \mathcal{L} + \mathcal{K}$ Fredholm
 $\text{ind}(\mathcal{L} + \mathcal{K}) = \text{ind}(\mathcal{L})$

(iii) $\mathcal{L}_j: W_j \rightarrow W_{j+1}$ Fredh

$\Rightarrow \mathcal{L}_2 \circ \mathcal{L}_1: W_1 \rightarrow W_3$ Fredholm,

$\text{ind}(\mathcal{L}_2 \circ \mathcal{L}_1) = \text{ind}(\mathcal{L}_2) + \text{ind}(\mathcal{L}_1)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{id}: W &\rightarrow W \\ Z &:= W \oplus \mathbb{R}^m \\ i: W &\rightarrow Z = W \oplus \mathbb{R}^m \\ w &\mapsto w \\ \text{ind}(i) &= -m \end{aligned}$$

Remarks:

① $\text{id}: W \rightarrow W$ has $\text{ind}(\text{id}) = 0$

$\text{id} + \mathcal{K}^{\text{cpt}}: W \rightarrow W$ has $\text{ind}(\text{id} + \mathcal{K}) = 0$

Fredholm: $\underbrace{x(t)}_{(\text{id} \cdot x)(t)} = \underbrace{\int_0^t k(t,s) x(s) ds}_{(\mathcal{K} x)(t)} + g(t)$

$\Leftrightarrow (\text{id} - \mathcal{K})x = g$

"Fredholm alternative"

solution x ex. for all $g \Leftrightarrow g = 0$ has only trivial solution $x = 0$

On suitable Banach space $\text{id} - \mathcal{K}: W \rightarrow W$

this is clear:

$\text{ind}(\text{id} - \mathcal{K}) = \text{ind}(\text{id}) = 0$, hence $\text{id} - \mathcal{K}$ surjective $\Leftrightarrow \text{id} - \mathcal{K}$ injective

② For $W = \mathbb{R}^m$, $Z = \mathbb{R}^n$ finite-dimensional, all linear operators are bd., cpt. and Fredholm:

$\text{ind}(L) = \text{ind}(0) = m - n$

③ $\text{Ker } \mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}^{-1}(0)$ is always closed, by continuity of $\mathcal{L}$. Closedness of Range $\mathcal{L}$ is a serious assumption.

Finite-dimensional: subspaces $V = \text{span}\{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$ of Banach spaces X always possess a

closed complement

([Hahn-Banach] Thm. of F.A.:

for $v \in X$ ex. $f \in X^*$ s.th. $f(v) \neq 0$.Take $\ker(f)$ as complement to $\langle v \rangle$ $\ker f_1 \cap \dots \cap \ker f_n$ as complement to $\langle v_1, \dots, v_n \rangle$ $\square$ To solve $\mathcal{F}(w) = 0$ for quasi-Fredholm $\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{F}'(0)$ we decompose

$$w = u \oplus v = (u, v) \quad \text{via } W = \underbrace{\ker \mathcal{L}}_u \oplus \underbrace{\ker \mathcal{L}^\perp}_v$$

by abuse

Similarly let $P, Q := \text{id} - P$ denote cont. projections onto $\text{Range } \mathcal{L}, (\text{Range } \mathcal{L})^\perp$, respectively, according to $Z = \underbrace{\text{Range } \mathcal{L}}_{\text{Range } P} \oplus \underbrace{(\text{Range } \mathcal{L})^\perp}_{\text{Range } Q}$

Note: $\mathcal{F}(w) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} 0 = P\mathcal{F}(w) = P\mathcal{F}(u, v) \\ 0 = Q\mathcal{F}(w) = Q\mathcal{F}(u, v) \end{cases} \quad \mathcal{L} = \begin{pmatrix} P\mathcal{L} & P\mathcal{L}^\perp \\ Q\mathcal{L} & Q\mathcal{L}^\perp \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & * \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$P^2 = P$
 $\Rightarrow Q^2 = Q$
 $QP = PQ = 0$

Study $G(u, v) = 0$ We know $G(0, 0) = 0$ We also know $D_v G(0, 0) : (\ker \mathcal{L})^\perp \rightarrow PZ$

partial derivative

& bd., lin., injective, surjective

$$v \mapsto P\mathcal{L}(v) = \mathcal{L}(v)$$

By "closed graph theorem" aka "open mapping principle" aka "theorem of the bounded inverse" from F.A.

($\rightarrow$ [keto]) bd. + (in. + bij. $\Rightarrow$ the inverse B also bd. (in

By usual implicit function theorem applied to G , we get unique solution $v = V(u)$ for $G(u, v) = 0$ (locally, in $(u, v) \approx (0, 0)$). Moreover $V \in C^k$

$$V(\sigma) = \sigma \text{ and } V'(\sigma) = -(\mathcal{D}_V G)^{-1} \underbrace{\mathcal{D}_u G}_{\substack{=0 \\ \text{by definition of } Q}} \Big|_{u=v=\sigma} = \sigma$$

$$\mathcal{F}(w) = \sigma \iff_{\text{loc.}} v = V(u), V(\sigma) = \sigma, V'(\sigma) = \sigma$$

$$V: \ker \mathcal{L} \rightarrow (\ker \mathcal{L})^c, \mathbb{C}^k$$

and $\Phi(u) := Q \mathcal{F}(u, V(u)) = \sigma, \Phi: \ker \mathcal{L} \rightarrow (\text{Range } \mathcal{L})^c$

The rhs. is called Lyapunov-Schmidt-reduction (LS)
with the LS reduced equation $\Phi(u) = \sigma$.

The $\mathcal{F}$:

Theorem: Let $\mathcal{F}: W \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ be $\mathbb{C}^k, k \geq 1, \mathcal{F}(\sigma) = \sigma$,
 $\mathcal{L} := \mathcal{F}'(\sigma)$ quasi-Fredholm. Then there ex. a
hbhd. of $w = \sigma$ in W , where $\mathcal{F}(w) = \sigma$ is equivalent
to the LS-reduced equation $\Phi(u) := Q \mathcal{F}(u, V(u)) = \sigma$
with $V(u)$ defined as above.

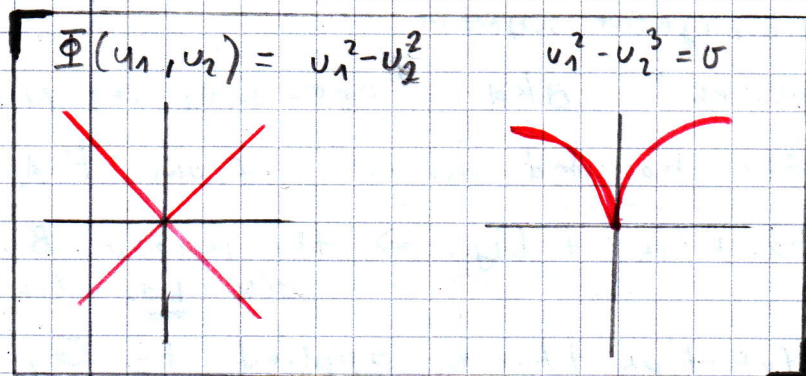
Moreover $V(\sigma) = \sigma, V'(\sigma) = \sigma$
 $\Phi(\sigma) = \sigma, \Phi'(\sigma) = \sigma$.

Proof: It remains to check the claims on Φ

$$\Phi(\sigma) = Q \mathcal{F}(u, V(u)) \Big|_{u=\sigma} = Q \underbrace{\mathcal{F}(\sigma, V(\sigma))}_{=\sigma} = \sigma$$

$$\Phi'(\sigma) = Q \underbrace{\mathcal{D} \mathcal{F}(\dots)}_{\mathcal{L}} \Big|_{u=v=\sigma} = \sigma \quad \text{by definition of } Q$$

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7.2 Stationary bifurcation

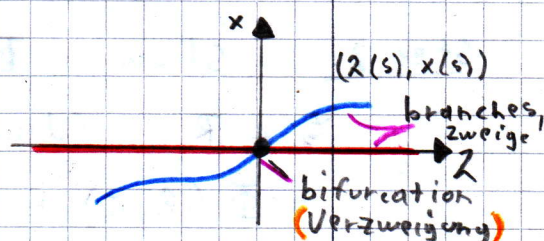
Consider $\sigma = f(\lambda, x)$, $x \in X^{\text{Banach}}$, $f: \mathbb{R} \times X \rightarrow Y^{\text{Banach}}$
and assume $f \in C^k$, $k \geq 2$ $(\lambda, x) \mapsto f(\lambda, x)$

Let $f(0, 0) = 0$ and assume $L := D_x f(0, 0): X \rightarrow Y$
is Fredholm of index σ . [Crandall, Rabinowitz] (1971)

Case 1: $\text{Ker } D_x f(0, 0) = \{0\}$, trivial kernel.

The usual IFT provides solutions $x = x(\lambda)$,
locally. Indeed $\text{ind}(L) = \sigma$, $\text{Ker } L = \{0\} \Rightarrow$
 $\text{Range}(L) = Y$ and bd. inverse L^{-1} exists.

Case 2: $\text{Ker } L \neq \{0\}$, "nontrivial"



Theorem:

For f as above assume a trivial solution $f(\lambda, 0) = 0$
for all λ . Further suppose

- (i) $\dim \text{Ker } D_x f(0, 0) = 1$ and
- (ii) $D_\lambda D_x f(0, 0)|_{\text{Ker } L} \notin \text{Range } L$ (i.e. not a subspace)

Then the zero set of f near $(0, 0)$
consists of the trivial branch $(\lambda, 0)$ and a nontrivial
 C^{k-1} -branch $\mathbb{R} \ni s \mapsto (\lambda(s), x(s))$ through $\lambda(0) = 0$, $x(0) = 0$,
 $\dot{x}(0) \neq 0$. The two branches are each unique up to
re-parametrization.

Proof-Plan:

- ① LS-reduction of $f=0$ to $\Phi(\lambda, \xi) = 0$
 $\xi \in \text{Ker } L$, $\Phi \in C^k$
- ② $\Phi(\lambda, \xi) = \xi \cdot \gamma(\lambda, \xi)$, $\gamma \in C^{k-1}$
- ③ $\gamma(0, 0) = 0$ (Here we use $\dim \xi = \dim \Phi = \dim \gamma = 1$)
- ④ $D_\lambda \gamma(0, 0) \neq 0$ $\lambda = \lambda(\xi)$

Then we are done by IFT for $\gamma(\lambda, \xi=0)$

Proof:

$$f(\lambda, \sigma) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow D_\lambda f(0,0) = 0$$

Step 1: $W := \mathbb{R} \times X, Z := Y,$

$$F(w) := f(\lambda, x)$$

$$\mathcal{L} := F'(0) = (D_\lambda f, D_x f)|_{\lambda=0, x=0}$$

$$= (0, L), \text{ Fredholm,}$$

$$\text{index } \mathcal{L} = 1 + \text{index } L = 1$$

Therefore $F(\lambda, x) = 0 \iff x = \xi \oplus V(\lambda, \xi)$ and

$$\Phi(\lambda, \xi) = Q f(\lambda, \xi + V(\lambda, \xi))$$

$\text{Ker } \mathcal{L}$

$$QL = 0$$

$$\xi \in \text{Ker } L$$

Step 2: Show $\Phi(\lambda, 0) = 0 \quad (\forall \lambda)$ then indeed

$$\xi \in \mathbb{R} \quad (\dim \text{Ker } L = 1) \quad \text{we have } \Phi(\lambda, \xi)$$

$$= \underbrace{\Phi(\lambda, 0)} + \int_0^1 \frac{d}{d\lambda} \Phi(\lambda, \lambda \xi) d\lambda$$

$$= 0 + \left(\int_0^1 D_\lambda \Phi(\lambda, \lambda \xi) d\lambda \right) \xi$$

To show $\Phi(\lambda, 0) = 0$

$$\varphi(\lambda, \xi)$$

C^{k-1}
for $\Phi \in C^k$

observe that $F(\lambda, \sigma) = 0 \Rightarrow G(\lambda, 0, 0) = 0$

$$\underbrace{(\xi, 0)}$$

$$\underbrace{V(\lambda, 0) = 0}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Phi(\lambda, 0) = Q F(\lambda, 0, V(\lambda, 0)) = Q f(\lambda, 0) = 0$$

Step 3: $\varphi(\lambda, \sigma) = D_\xi|_{\xi=0} \Phi(\lambda, \sigma) = 0$ at $\lambda=0$ by LS

Step 4: $D_\lambda \varphi(0, 0) = D_\lambda D_\xi|_{\lambda=0, \xi=0} \Phi(\lambda, \xi)$

$$= D_\lambda D_\xi Q F(0) = D_\lambda D_\xi Q f(0, 0)$$

$$= Q \underbrace{D_\lambda D_x f(0, 0)}_{\notin \text{Range } L}|_{\text{Ker } L} \neq 0$$

$\notin \text{Range } L$

Q "kills" Range L , only.

Remark 1: Meaning of condition (ii)

Consider $X=Y=\mathbb{R}^N$. Then $f(\lambda, x) = L(\lambda)x + \dots$

$$L(\lambda) := D_x f(\lambda, 0)$$

and L has 1-dim kernel span $\langle \xi \rangle$.

Assume, in addition, that $\mu_0 = 0$ is a alg. simple eigenvalue of $L(0) =: L$.

(Note: e-vector = ξ_0)

Then μ_0 continues to eigenvalue $\mu(\lambda)$ and ξ_0 to eigenvector $\xi(\lambda)$ for small $\lambda \neq 0$.

$$\mu(\lambda) \xi(\lambda) = L(\lambda) \xi(\lambda) \quad \text{all } C^{k-1} \text{ in } \lambda$$

$$\frac{d}{d\lambda} \Big|_{\lambda=0}: \quad \mu' \cdot \xi_0 \cdot \mu_0 \xi'_0 = L(0) \xi'_0 + L'(0) \xi_0$$

Let Q be the eigenprojection of L onto $\langle \xi_0 \rangle$
 then $Q L = 0 \quad (\mathbb{R}^N = \langle \xi_0 \rangle \oplus \text{Range } L(0))$

$$\begin{aligned} \mu'(\sigma) \cdot \underbrace{Q \xi_0}_{\xi_0} &= \underbrace{Q L}_{=0} \xi'_0 + Q L'(0) \xi_0 \\ &= Q D_\lambda D_x f(0, 0) \Big|_{\ker L(0)} \end{aligned}$$

is equivalent to $\mu' \Big|_{\lambda=0} \neq 0$

Condition (ii) (p.) therefore means that the eigenvalue $\lambda \mapsto \mu(\lambda)$ crosses $\mu_0 = \mu(0) = 0$ with non vanishing speed $\mu'(0)$, as λ increases through $\lambda = 0$.

$\Rightarrow$ Transverse crossing condition.

$$\lambda=0, x=0$$

Remark 2: Compare situation of Remark 1 with center mf./ normal form reduction, for $\dot{x} = f(\lambda, x)$.

Trick: add $\dot{\lambda} = 0$. Assume $\mu_0 = 0$ is the only pure imaginary eigenvalue of L . Then cmf.

has $\dim = 2$, tangent space $\mathbb{R} \times \text{span}(\xi_0) \ni (\lambda, \xi)$

and reduced flow

$$\dot{\varphi}_3 = \tilde{\Phi}(\lambda, \varphi_3), \quad \dot{\lambda} = 0$$

Again $\tilde{\Phi}(\lambda, 0) = 0$ (equilibria in cmf.), hence

$$\tilde{\Phi}(\lambda, \varphi_3) = \varphi_3 \cdot \tilde{\varphi}(\lambda, \varphi_3),$$

$$\dot{\varphi}_3 = \varphi_3 \tilde{\varphi}(\lambda, \varphi_3)$$

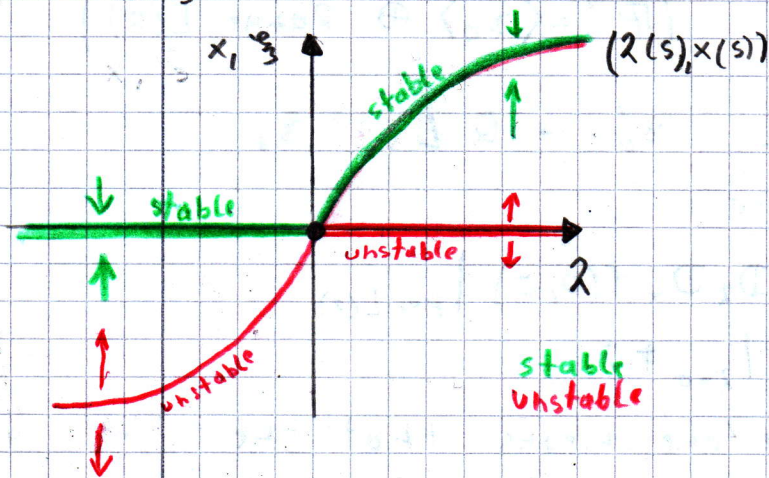
Normal form? All is kernel here, $L = 0$, $\dim L^T = 0$
 $\Rightarrow$ RATS

But we know all equilibria, through LS:

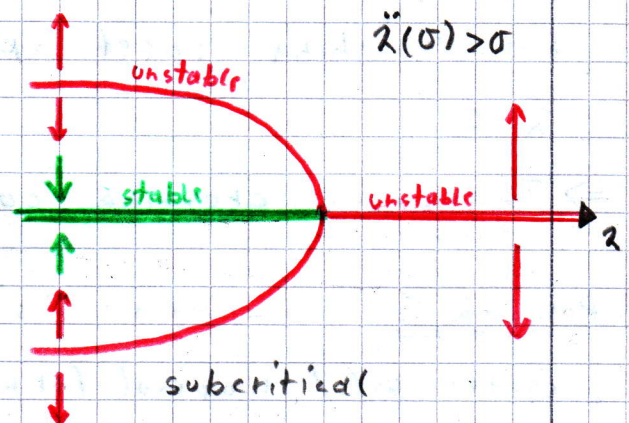
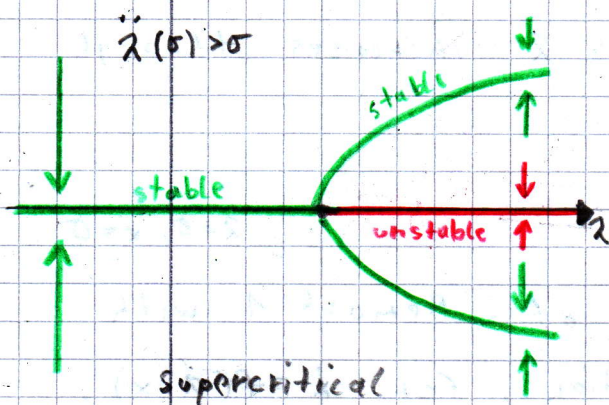
$$\tilde{\varphi}(\lambda, \varphi_3) = 0, \varphi_3 \neq 0 \iff \varphi(\lambda, \varphi_3) = 0, \varphi_3 \neq 0$$

Because $\dim \varphi_3 = 1$ we can now draw dynamic conclusions concerning stability of equilibria (if $\text{spec } L \subseteq \{\text{Re} < 0\} \cup \{0\}$ from cmf.

E.g. we arrive at the following bifurcation diagrams



e.g. for $\mu'(\sigma) > 0$



pitchfork bifurcation (for $\dot{\lambda}(\sigma) = 0, \ddot{\lambda}(\sigma) \neq 0$)