# The Big, Big Picture (Bifurcations II) 

Reading for this lecture:
NDAC, Chapter 8 and Sec. I0.0-10.4.

## The Big, Big Picture (Bifurcations II) ...

## Beyond fixed points:

Bifurcation: Qualitative change in behavior as a control parameter is (slowly) varied.

Today: Bifurcations between time-dependent behaviors


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## Bifurcation Theory of ID Maps:

Logistic map: $x_{n+1}=r x_{n}\left(1-x_{n}\right)$
State space: $x_{n} \in[0,1]$
Parameter (height): $r \in[0,4]$

Maximum: $x=\frac{1}{2}$
Fixed points $x^{*}$ such that:

$$
x^{*}=f\left(x^{*}\right)
$$

Logistic map:

$$
x^{*}=0, \forall r
$$

Stable for $0 \leq r<1$ :


$$
\left|f^{\prime}\left(x^{*}\right)\right|<1
$$

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## Bifurcation Theory of ID Maps ...

Logistic map ...
But the fixed point at $x^{*}=0$ goes unstable:

$$
\begin{aligned}
f^{\prime}(x) & =r-2 r x \\
x^{*} & =0 \Rightarrow f^{\prime}\left(x^{*}\right)=r
\end{aligned}
$$

Bifurcation diagram view:

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## Bifurcation Theory of ID Maps ...

Logistic map ...
However, for $r>1$ there is another fixed point: $x^{*}=1-r^{-1}$
At what parameter value? Where the other loses stability

$$
\left|f^{\prime}\left(x^{*}\right)\right|=1
$$

$$
f^{\prime}(x)=r-2 r x
$$

$$
x^{*}=0 \Rightarrow f^{\prime}\left(x^{*}\right)=r
$$


$x^{*}$ is unstable when $r \geq 1$

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$$
\left|f^{\prime}\left(x^{*}\right)\right|<1,1<r<?
$$



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Bifurcation Theory of ID Maps ...
Logistic map ...
Fixed point (period-I) to period-2 limit cycle


Did period-I fixed point disappear?
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## Bifurcation Theory of ID Maps ...

Logistic map ...
At what bifurcation parameter value is P-2 orbit stable?
P-2 orbit: $\left\{x_{1}^{*}, x_{2}^{*}\right\}$

$$
x_{1}^{*}=f\left(x_{2}^{*}\right)=f \circ f\left(x_{1}^{*}\right)
$$

Fixed point: $x_{1}^{*}=f^{2}\left(x_{1}^{*}\right)$
Calculate: $x^{*}=r f\left(x^{*}\right)\left(1-f\left(x^{*}\right)\right)$

$$
x^{*}=r^{2} x^{*}\left(1-x^{*}\right)\left(1-r x^{*}\left(1-x^{*}\right)\right)
$$

Find parameter such that this quartic equation has solutions!

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## Bifurcation Theory of ID Maps ...

Logistic map ... Simpler:When does nontrivial P-I go unstable?

P-I: $x^{*}=1-r^{-1}$
Slope: $f^{\prime}(x)=r(1-2 x)$
Slope at fixed point: $f^{\prime}\left(x^{*}\right)=2-r$
Marginally stable: $\left|f^{\prime}\left(x^{*}\right)\right|=1$

$$
|2-r|=1
$$

Two solutions:
First, P-I to P-I bifurcation: $r=1$
What we're asking about: P-I to P-2 bifurcation: $r=3$

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## Bifurcation Theory of ID Maps ... <br> Logistic map ... Let's review:



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## Bifurcation Theory of ID Maps ... <br> Logistic map ... Review ...



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Bifurcation Theory of ID Maps ...
Logistic map ...
I. P-I to P-I: origin goes unstable
2. P-I to P-2: nontrivial fixed point goes unstable 3. ...

What's next as we increase $r$ ?

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## Bifurcation Theory of ID Maps ...

Logistic map ...
Limit cycle to limit cycle: Period-2 to Period-4


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Logistic map ...
What parameter value?
Way too messy ... solve numerically:
Period-p limit cycle: $x_{1} \rightarrow x_{2} \rightarrow \cdots x_{p} \rightarrow x_{1}$
Criteria:
Fixed points of p-iterate: $x_{i}=f^{p}\left(x_{i}\right), i=1, \ldots, p$
Onset of instability: $\left|\frac{d}{d x} f^{p}(x)\right|=1$
Stability along the orbit:

$$
\left|\frac{d f^{p}\left(x_{1}\right)}{d x}\right|=\left|f^{\prime}\left(x_{p}\right) \frac{d f^{p-1}\left(x_{1}\right)}{d x}\right|=\left|f^{\prime}\left(x_{1}\right) f^{\prime}\left(x_{2}\right) \ldots f^{\prime}\left(x_{p}\right)\right|
$$

Numerically: Search in $r$ to match this $=I$.

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Can find all periodic orbits with $p=2^{n}$ starting from $r=0$.
What else is there?

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## Bifurcation Theory of ID Maps ...

Logistic map ...
Route to chaos via period-doubling cascade


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What parameter values for band-merging?
Veils: Iterates $f^{n}\left(x_{c}\right)$ of map maximum $x_{c}=1 / 2$
Upper bound on attractor: $f\left(x_{c}\right)$
Lower bound on attractor: $f^{2}\left(x_{c}\right)$
Two bands merge to one band: $f^{k}\left(x_{c}\right)$ becomes P-I
Specifically: $f^{3}\left(x_{c}\right)=f^{4}\left(x_{c}\right)$
Solve numerically: $r_{2 B \rightarrow 1 B}=3.678 \ldots$
Generally: $2^{n}$ bands merge to $2^{n-1}$ bands: $f^{k}\left(x_{c}\right)$ is period $2^{n-1}$

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## Bifurcation Theory of ID Maps ... <br> Logistic map ... Periodic windows



Entire period-doubling cascade inside window: $P=3 \times 2^{n}$
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## Bifurcation Theory of ID Maps ...

Logistic map ... Periodic windows ... How to locate:

Superstable periodic orbits: $x_{i}=x_{c}=\frac{1}{2}$
Why? $f^{\prime}\left(x_{c}\right)=0$
Period-3: $f^{3}\left(x_{c}\right)=x_{c}$
Solve numerically: $r_{P-3}=3.83 \ldots$

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## Bifurcation Theory of ID Maps ...

Logistic map ... Simulation demos:
Animation as a function of parameter (ds)
B: nSteps $=10 ; r$ in [2.5,3.55]: nSteps $=10000 ; n$ Trans $=800 ;$ nlts $=500$
B: nSteps $=10 ; r$ in $[3.4,4]: n$ nteps $=10000 ; n$ Trans $=10000 ;$ nlts $=1000 ;$ color $=0$

## Bifurcation diagrams (bifn Id)

See usage

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## Bifurcations of 3D Flows: <br> Simulation demos of Rössler: (ds) Hopf bifurcation: <br> Fixed point to limit cycle: $c \in[0.1,2.0]$ <br> Period-doubling route: $c \in[1.0,6.0]$

(2D Projection; \#B; nSteps $=1 ; c$ is parameter 2; nSteps $=400 ; n$ Trans $=60000 ;$ nlts $=4000)$

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## Bifurcations of 3D Flows: <br> Simulation demo of driven van der Pol: (ds)

$$
\ddot{x}+\mu\left(x^{2}-1\right) \dot{x}+x=A \sin (\omega t)
$$

Limit cycle to torus
Limit cycle to chaos
Torus to chaos
Chaos to chaos

All of these in one sequence:

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A = 3.0,w = I.5,mu=2.0:
    2D proj; B; nSteps = I ; vary parameter I (A) in [0.I,5]; nSteps = 800; nTrans=40000; nlts = 3000
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Next:
Chaotic mechanisms
Quantify the degree of chaos and unpredictability
Now:
A preview: Sounds of chaos
Rössler and Lorenz chaotic attractors
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Rössler chaotic attractor ...

$$
\begin{aligned}
\dot{x} & =-y-z \\
\dot{y} & =x+a y \\
\dot{z} & =b+z(x-c) \\
& (a, b, c)=(0.2,0.2,5.7)
\end{aligned}
$$

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## Lorenz chaotic attractor ...

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \dot{x}=\sigma(y-x) \\
& \dot{y}=r x-y-x z \\
& \dot{z}=x y-b z \\
& \quad(\sigma, r, b)=(10,8 / 3,28)
\end{aligned}
$$



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Reading for next lecture:

NDAC, Sec. I2.0-I2.3, 9.3, and I0.5.

