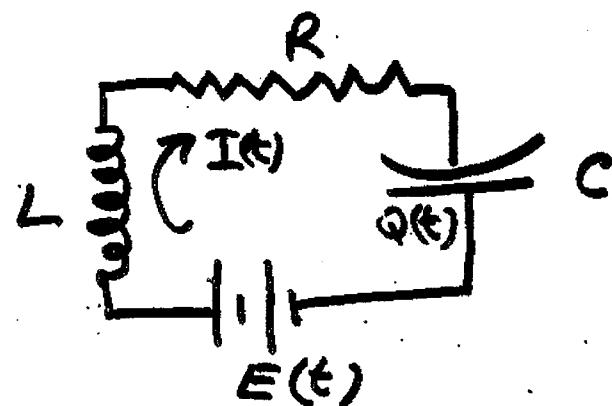


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Sometimes can get path equation directly from "slope equation"  $\frac{dy_2}{dx_1} = \dots$

EX:

(As on pp 1.8, 1.9)



$$\left. \begin{aligned} L \frac{dI(t)}{dt} + RI(t) + \frac{Q(t)}{C} &= E(t) \\ \frac{dQ(t)}{dt} &= I(t) \end{aligned} \right\}$$

Case when  $E(t) = 0$  :-

$$\begin{pmatrix} Q'(t) \\ I'(t) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\frac{1}{LC} & -\frac{R}{L} \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} Q(t) \\ I(t) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad p = -\frac{R}{L} \leq 0, \quad q = \frac{1}{LC} > 0, \quad \Delta = \frac{R^2}{L^2} - \frac{4}{LC}$$

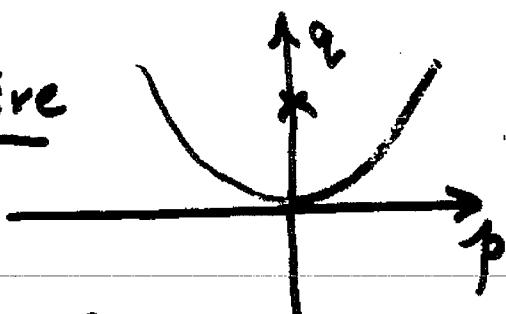
See mathematically is like mass-spring-damper system.

If  $L, C$  fixed,  $R$  plays role of 'damper.'

Mechanical oscillator  $\leftrightarrow$  electrical oscillator

Suppose  $R=0$ . Then  $\dot{p}=0$ ,  $\ddot{q}=\frac{1}{LC}>0$ ,  $\Delta=-\frac{4}{LC}$

$\Rightarrow$  centre : stable, not attractive



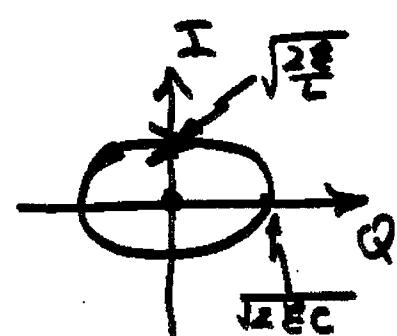
In that case:  $\begin{pmatrix} Q'(t) \\ I'(t) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\frac{1}{LC} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} Q(t) \\ I(t) \end{pmatrix}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dI}{dQ} = \frac{dI/dt}{dQ/dt} = -\frac{1}{LC} \frac{Q}{I} \quad \text{"slope equation"}$$

$$\Rightarrow I dI = -\frac{1}{LC} Q dQ$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} I^2 = -\frac{1}{LC} \frac{1}{2} Q^2 + D$$

OR  $\frac{1}{2} \frac{Q^2}{C} + \frac{1}{2} L I^2 = E \quad (\text{const.})$   
- ellipse in  $QI$ -plane



## Modelling an epidemic

Population of  $n$  individuals ( $\approx$  constant).

$x(t)$  = no. susceptible at time  $t$

$y(t)$  = no. infectious at time  $t$

$z(t)$  = no. immune at time  $t$

$$x(t) + y(t) + z(t) = n$$

Suppose  $x, y, z$  large - smoothly-varying functions of  $t$ . (Only non-negative values are meaningful.)

Model: 
$$\left. \begin{array}{l} x'(t) = -\beta x(t)y(t) \\ y'(t) = \beta x(t)y(t) - \gamma y(t) \\ z'(t) = \gamma y(t) \end{array} \right\} \quad (12.1)$$

$\beta, \gamma$  positive constants

Really only two dependent variables, as

$$z(t) = n - x(t) - y(t)$$

[Check:  $z'(t) = 0 - x'(t) - y'(t) \quad \checkmark$ ]

So:  $x'(t) = -\beta x(t) y(t) = F_1(x(t), y(t))$   
 $y'(t) = \beta x(t) y(t) - \delta y(t) = F_2(x(t), y(t))$

Critical points:  $F_1(x, y) = 0 = F_2(x, y)$

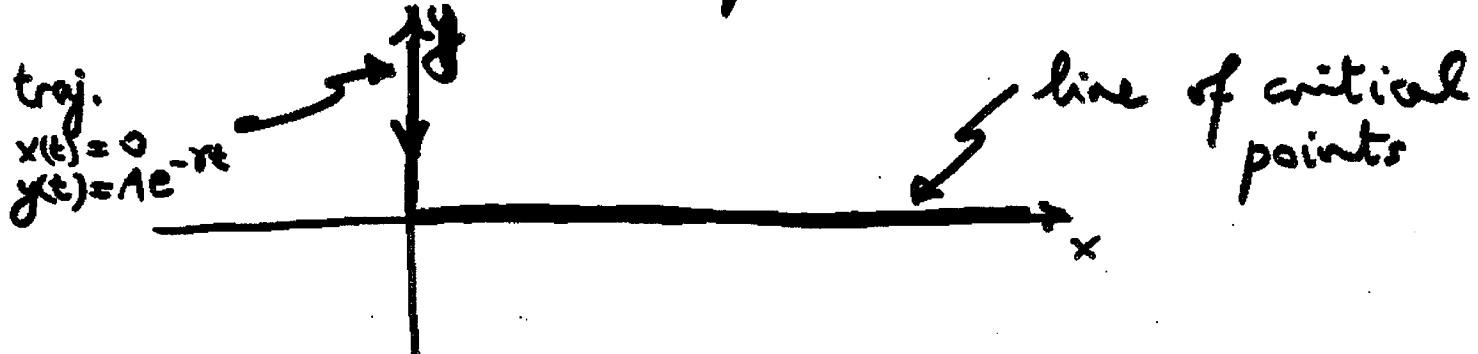
$$\Rightarrow -\beta x y = 0 \text{ and } \beta x y - \delta y = 0$$

Add:  $\Rightarrow -\delta y = 0 \Rightarrow y = 0$

Then  $x$  is arbitrary.

So:  $(x_0, 0)$  is a critical point for  
every  $x_0$ .

[Meaning: No infections, any no. of susceptibles]  
 $\Rightarrow$  equilibrium.



12.5

## Linearization:

$$F_{11}(x, y) = \frac{\partial F_1(x, y)}{\partial x} = -\beta y$$

$$F_{12}(x, y) = \frac{\partial F_1(x, y)}{\partial y} = -\beta x$$

$$F_{21}(x, y) = \frac{\partial F_2(x, y)}{\partial x} = \beta y$$

$$F_{22}(x, y) = \frac{\partial F_2(x, y)}{\partial y} = \beta x - \gamma$$

Then, at  $(x_0, 0)$ ,

$$F = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\beta x_0 \\ 0 & \beta x_0 - \gamma \end{bmatrix}$$

See  $g=0$  : doesn't belong to Types 1-6

Linearized system is

$$\begin{pmatrix} x'(t) \\ y'(t) \end{pmatrix} = F \begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{pmatrix}, \quad \begin{aligned} x(t) &= x(t) - x_0 \\ y(t) &= y(t) \end{aligned}$$

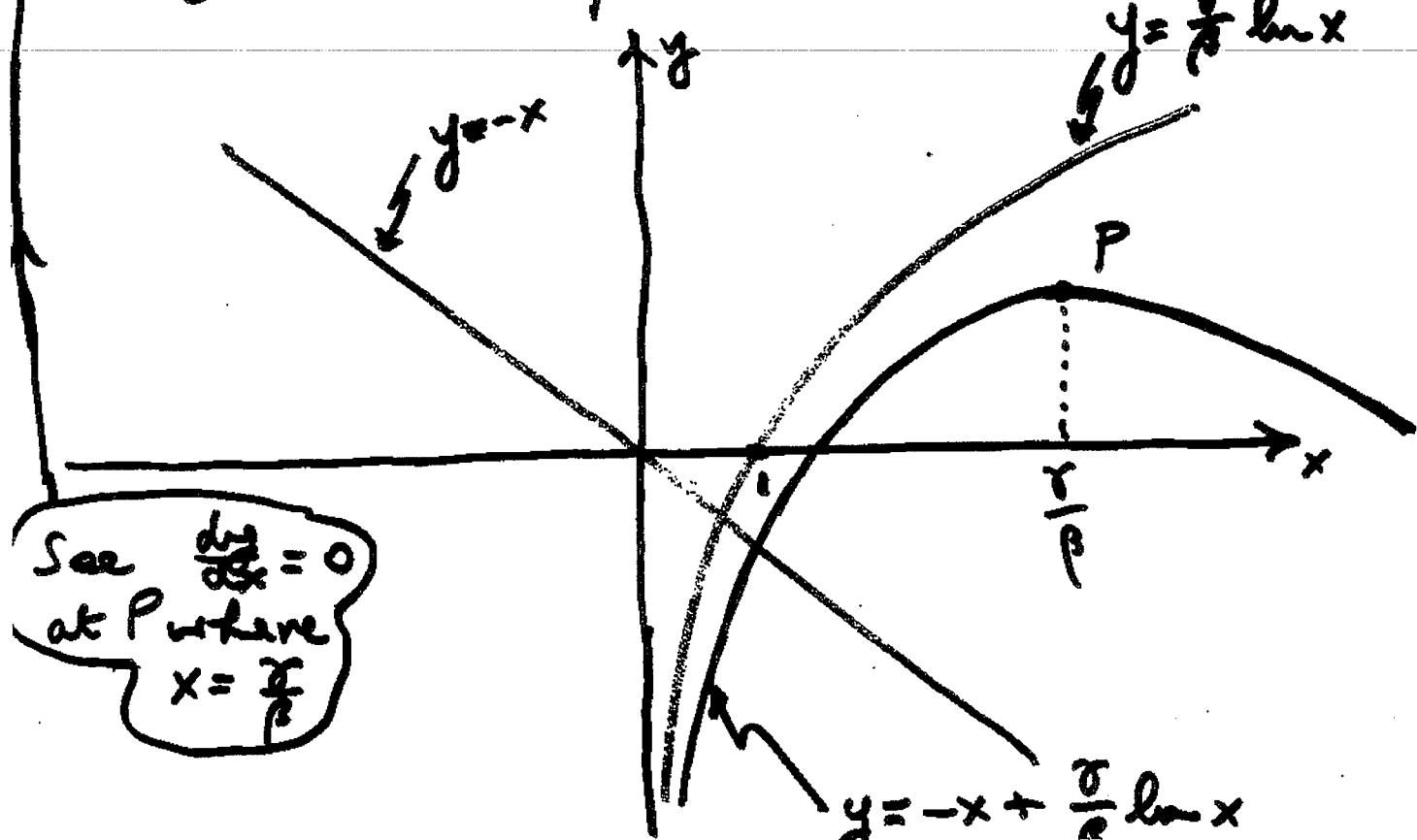
12.6

It is easy to solve the linearized equations (try it!), but in this case better to find path equation from slope equation for original system (12.2):-

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy/dt}{dx/dt} = \frac{\beta xy - \gamma y}{-\beta xy} = \frac{\beta x - \gamma}{-\beta x}$$

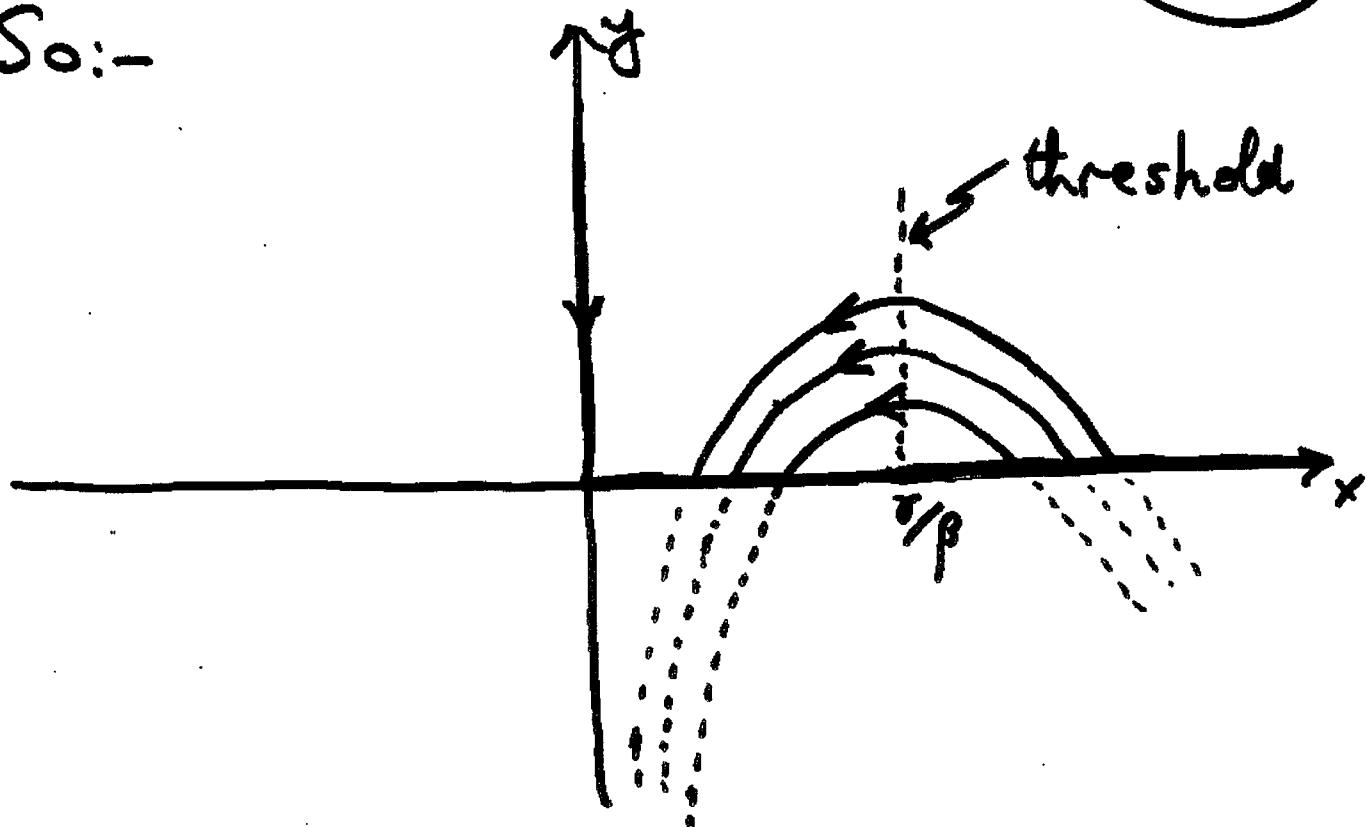
i.e.  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -1 + \frac{\gamma}{\beta x} \quad (x \neq 0, y \neq 0)$

$\Rightarrow y(x) = -x + \frac{\gamma}{\beta} \ln x + C$  - path equation



12.7

So:-



To get arrows: use  $\frac{dx}{dt} = -\beta xy$   
 $\Rightarrow x$  decreasing for  $x > 0, y > 0$ .

See if  $x > \frac{r}{p}$ , a small perturbation (= intro. of a small no. of infections) leads to epidemic, which peaks, then dies out.

If  $x < \frac{r}{p}$ , small perturbation does not lead to epidemic.

So  $x = \frac{r}{p}$  is a threshold value of susceptibles.

Note: None of critical points ( $x_0$ ) is stable and attractive

## TOPIC 2: Laplace Transforms

[K: Chapter 5]

Given one function  $f(t)$ ,  $t \geq 0$ ,  
we define another function

$$F(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} f(t) dt$$

[if integral exists !!]

We call  $F(s)$  the Laplace Transform  
of  $f(t)$ , and we write

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}(f(t)) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} f(t) dt$$

Ex1:  $f(t) = K$  (constant)

$$\text{Then } F(s) = \int_0^\infty e^{-st} K dt$$

$$= \left[ \frac{e^{-st}}{-s} K \right]_{t=0}^{t=\infty}$$

$$= \frac{K}{s}$$

(assuming that  $e^{-st} \rightarrow 0$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ .  
OK if  $s > 0$ )

(or even  $s$  complex, with  $\operatorname{Re}(s) > 0$ )

∴

$$\boxed{\mathcal{L}(K) = \frac{K}{s}}$$

Ex2:  $f(t) = t$

Then

$$\mathcal{L}(t) = F(s) = \int_0^\infty t e^{-st} dt$$

12.10

Integrate by parts:

$$\begin{aligned}
 F(s) &= \left[ \frac{e^{-st}}{-s} t \right]_{t=0}^{t=\infty} + \frac{1}{s} \int_0^\infty e^{-st} dt \\
 &= 0 + \frac{1}{s} \mathcal{L}(1) \\
 &= \frac{1}{s^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

So:

$$\mathcal{L}(t) = \frac{1}{s^2}$$

Ex3:  $\mathcal{L}(t^n) = \int_0^\infty e^{-st} t^n dt \quad (n > 0, \text{ integer})$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \left[ \frac{e^{-st}}{-s} t^n \right]_{t=0}^{t=\infty} + n \int_0^\infty e^{-st} t^{n-1} dt \\
 &= 0 + \frac{n}{s} \mathcal{L}(t^{n-1}) \\
 &= \frac{n(n-1)}{s^2} \mathcal{L}(t^{n-2}) \text{ etc.}
 \end{aligned}$$

So, by induction:-

$$\mathcal{L}(t^n) = \frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}$$

[ $n$  positive integer. See OK also for  $n=0$ ]

Ex 4:  $f(t) = e^{at}$   $a = \text{constant}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 F(s) &= \int_0^\infty e^{-st} e^{at} dt \\
 &= \int_0^\infty e^{(a-s)t} dt \\
 &= \left[ \frac{e^{(a-s)t}}{a-s} \right]_{t=0}^{t=\infty} \\
 &= \frac{-1}{a-s} \quad (\text{provided } s > a \\
 &\quad - \text{or at least } \operatorname{Re}(s) > \operatorname{Re}(a))
 \end{aligned}$$

∴  $\boxed{\mathcal{L}(e^{at}) = \frac{1}{s-a}}$

Important that this is true even for  $a = b+ic$  complex — provided  $s > b$   
    — or even  $s$  complex  
    with  $\operatorname{Re}(s) > b$

Summary:

- 1) Sometimes easy to get path equation for trajectories by integrating the slope equation  $\frac{dy_2}{dy_1} = \dots$
- 2) LRC-circuit is electrical analogue of mass-spring-damper system
- 3) Systems with  $g = \det(F) = 0$  at a critical point can be interesting (e.g. in epidemic model).
- 4) Understand definition of Laplace Transform and learn  $\mathcal{L}(t^n)$ ,  $\mathcal{L}(e^{at})$

K § ~~4.5~~<sup>4.5</sup> esp. pp ~~10-11~~<sup>156</sup>.      § 6.1