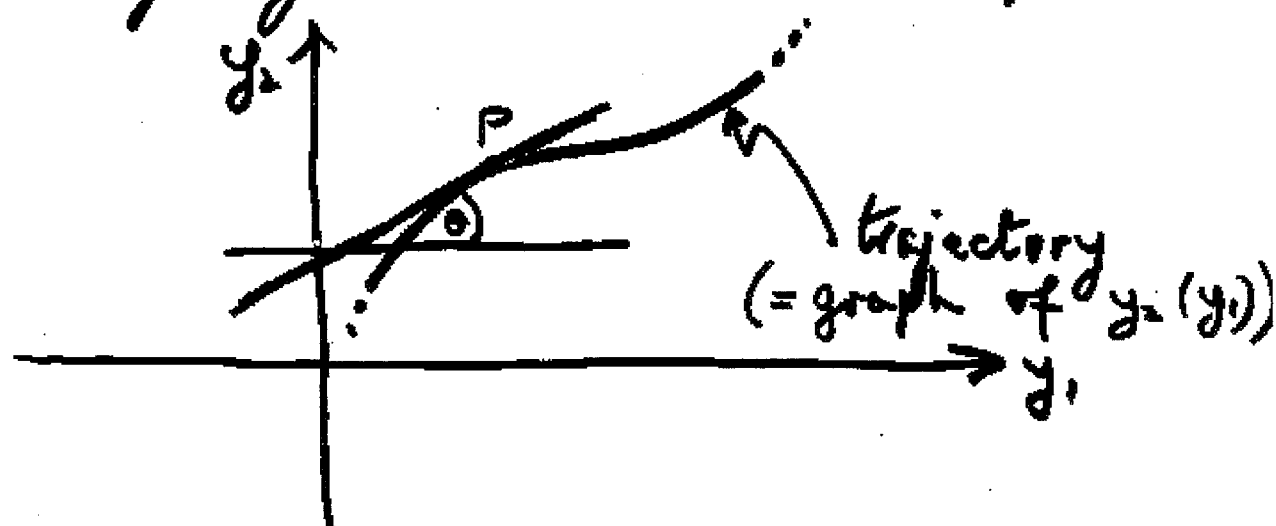


Expanding argument on bottom of p.5.5:



On trajectory (red), we have $(y_1(t), y_2(t))$ as coordinates of moving point P.

We can think of y_2 as a function of y_1 on the trajectory: $y_2(y_1)$ [$\Rightarrow y_2(t) = y_2(y_1(t))$]. The slope of the curve at the general point P ($= \tan \theta$) is given as usual by $\frac{dy_2}{dy_1}$.

By the chain rule, $\frac{dy_2}{dt} = \frac{dy_2}{dy_1} \frac{dy_1}{dt}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy_2}{dt} = \frac{dy_2/dt}{dy_1/dt} \quad \left(\frac{\text{bottom ODE}}{\text{top ODE}} \right)$$

(6.2)

Finally, we look at general solution again

$$\underline{y}(t) = A \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} e^t + B \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{2t}$$

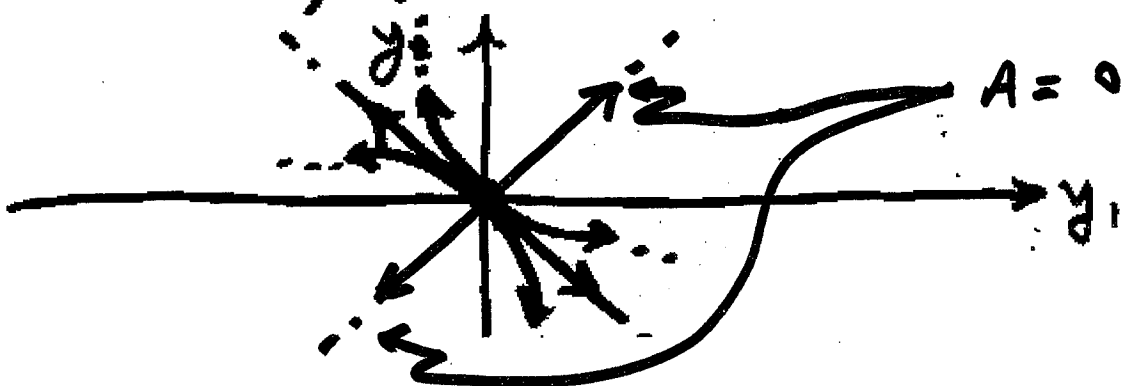
and see that, as $t \rightarrow -\infty$, $\underline{y}(t) \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$, and also that, when t is large and negative, $e^{2t} \ll e^t$

So

$$(\text{if } A \neq 0) \quad \underline{y}(t) \approx A \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} e^t$$

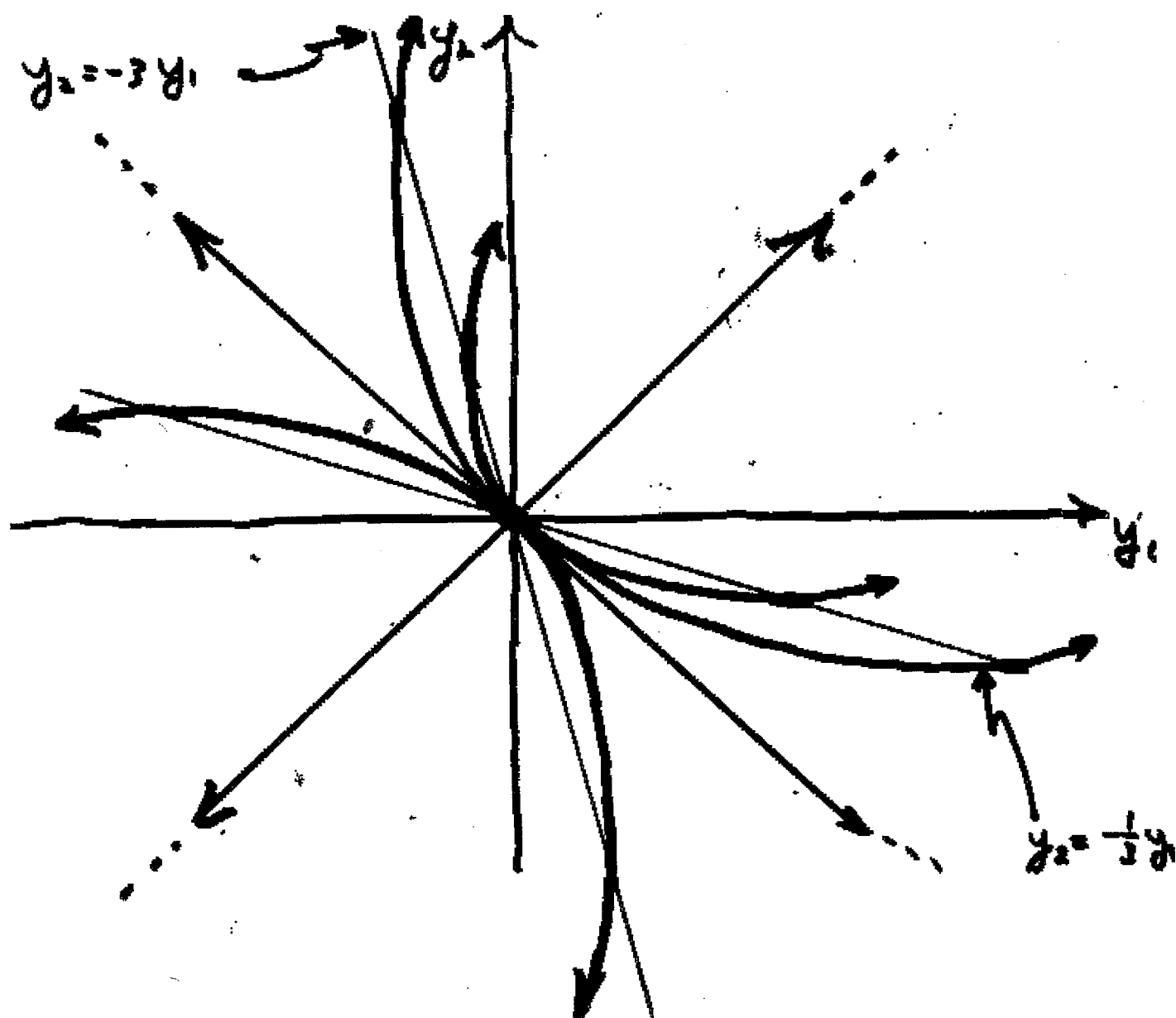
$$\Rightarrow y_2(t) \approx -y_1(t)$$

From this we can see that all trajectories "start" at origin O at $t = -\infty$, and near O , we have:—



6.3

Now put whole thing together and get our phase-portrait for system (5.1):

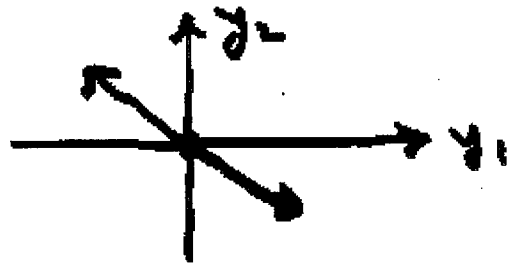


Improper node (repulsive)

and those along line $y_2 = y_1$ (6.4)

Note: i) Every trajectory (except $y=0$) is tangential to $y_2 = -y_1$ ($y_1 > 0$ or $y_1 < 0$) as $t \rightarrow -\infty$ (i.e. at origin)

So: two limiting directions for all trajectories (except $y=0$) as $t \rightarrow -\infty$.
and those along $y_2 = y_1$



i) Trajectories never cross. (they meet at $y=0$ as $t \rightarrow -\infty$).

$y' = Ay \Rightarrow$ a definite (unique) direction for the one (unique) trajectory through any given point (except origin).

(6.5)

3) Can also have an attractive improper node, with all trajectories meeting at origin as $t \rightarrow +\infty$.
This is the case where both e-values of A are real and negative.

(See K p. ~~141~~ Ex. 1 Fig. ~~78~~ 81)

Improper nodes characterized by:-

{ Two real e-values, same sign
{(Only) two limiting directions near origin 0.

We say that origin 0 is a critical (or equilibrium) point of the system $\underline{y}'(t) = A \underline{y}(t)$, or that

$\underline{y}(t) = \underline{0}$ is a critical/equilibrium solution.

(For any matrix A).

6.6

TYPE 2 : Proper Node

$$\text{Here } A = \mu I = \begin{bmatrix} \mu & 0 \\ 0 & \mu \end{bmatrix} \quad (\mu = \text{const.})$$

$$\text{Then } Ax = \lambda x$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu I x = \lambda x$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu x = \lambda x$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \mu \text{ if } x \neq 0$$

See every nonzero x is an e'vector, with e'value μ .

Choose any two linearly independent e'vectors, such as

$$x^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad x^{(2)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

General solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{y}(t) &= A x^{(1)} e^{\mu t} + B x^{(2)} e^{\mu t} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} A \\ B \end{pmatrix} e^{\mu t} \end{aligned}$$

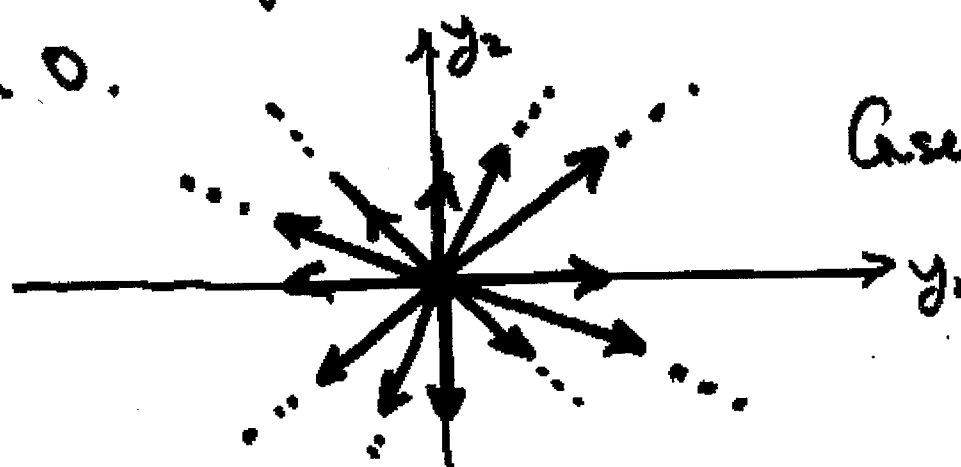
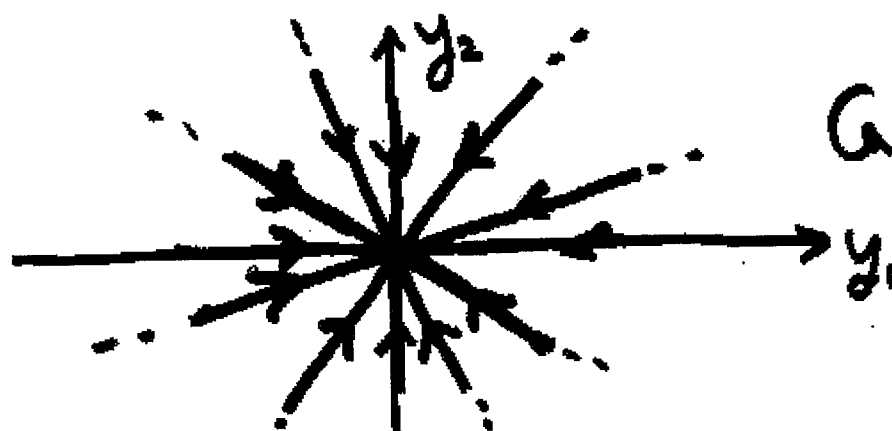
(6.7)

So $y_1(t) = Ae^{\mu t}$ $y_2(t) = Be^{\mu t}$
 and $y_2 = \frac{B}{A} y_1$ (if $A \neq 0$)

or $y_1 = \frac{A}{B} y_2$ (if $B \neq 0$)

or $\underline{y} = \underline{0}$ (if $A = 0 = B$)

See that (apart from critical solution $\underline{y} = \underline{0}$) all trajectories are st. lines through origin O .

Case $\mu > 0$ Case $\mu < 0$

Proper node: Characterized by trajectories in every possible direction at critical point.

(6.8)

TYPE 3: Saddle Point

Two real e' values of opposite sign.

Ex: $\underline{\tilde{y}}'(t) = A \underline{\tilde{y}}(t)$ $A = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -8 \\ 4 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$ (6.1)

E' value condition: $(\det(A - \lambda I) = 0)$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \begin{vmatrix} 7-\lambda & -8 \\ 4 & -5-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (7-\lambda)(-5-\lambda) + 32 \\ &= \lambda^2 - 2\lambda - 3 \\ &= (\lambda - 3)(\lambda + 1) \end{aligned}$$

E' values are: $\lambda_1 = 3$, $\lambda_2 = -1$

Finding e' vectors: $\lambda_1 = 3$: $((A - \lambda I)\underline{x} = \underline{0})$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 7-3 & -8 \\ 4 & -5-3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u \\ v \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} 4u - 8v = 0 \\ 4u - 8v = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow v = \frac{1}{2}u$$

choosing $u = 1$, we get $\underline{x}^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$

(6.9)

$\lambda_2 = -1$:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 7+1 & -8 \\ 4 & -5+1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u \\ v \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} 8u - 8v = 0 \\ 4u - 4v = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow v = u$$

Choosing $u=1$, we get $\underline{x}^{(2)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

So, general solution of (6.1) is

$$\underline{\tilde{y}}(t) = c_1 \underline{\tilde{x}}^{(1)} e^{3t} + c_2 \underline{\tilde{x}}^{(2)} e^{-t}$$

$$= c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1/2 \end{pmatrix} e^{3t} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-t}$$

With $c_2 = 0$: two outgoing trajectories
(two halves of line $y_2 = \frac{1}{2}y_1$)

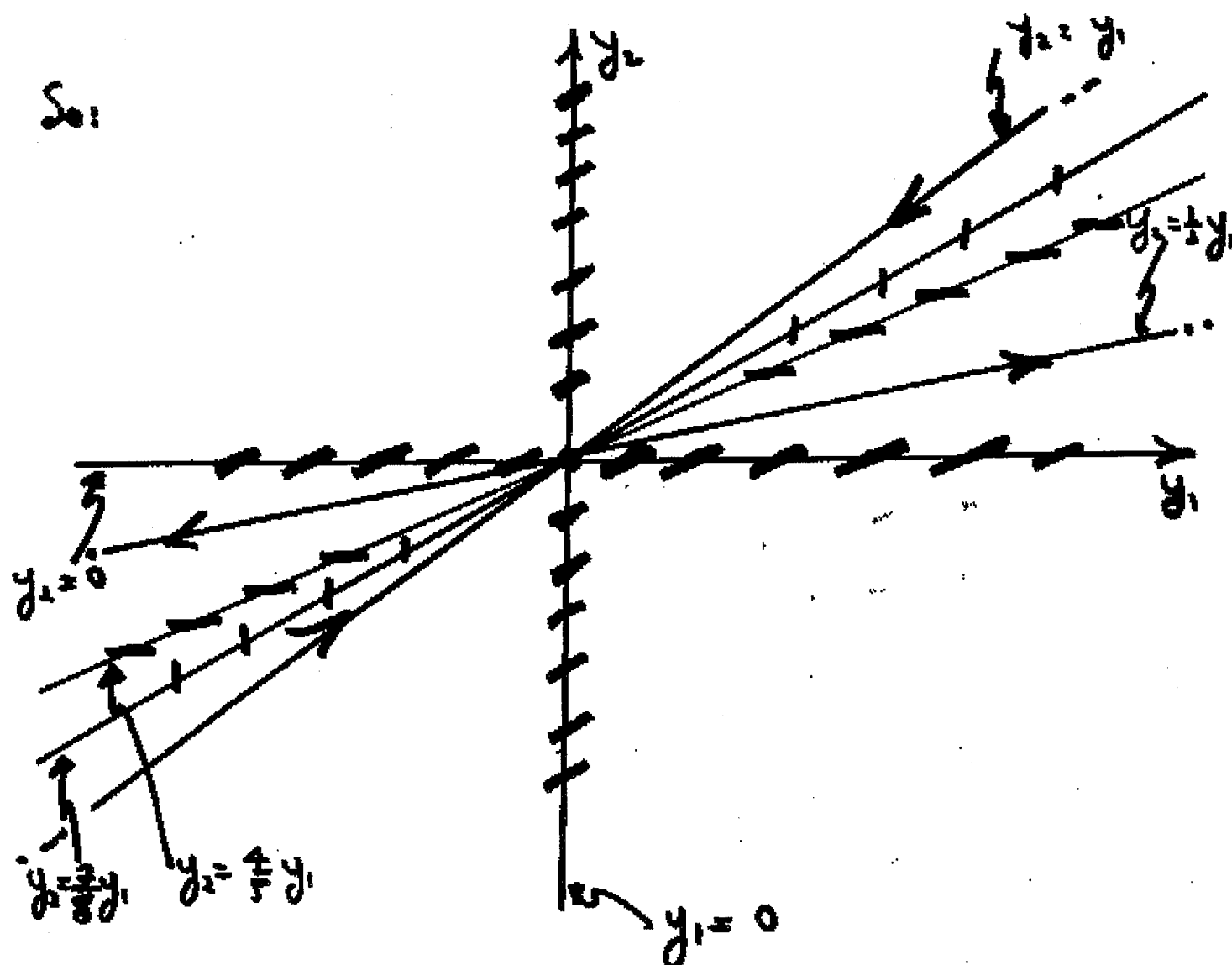
With $c_1 = 0$: two incoming trajectories
(two halves of line $y_2 = y_1$)

(6-10)

Also: $\frac{dy_2}{dy_1} = \frac{dy_2/dt}{dy_1/dt} = \frac{4y_1 - 5y_2}{7y_1 - 8y_2}$

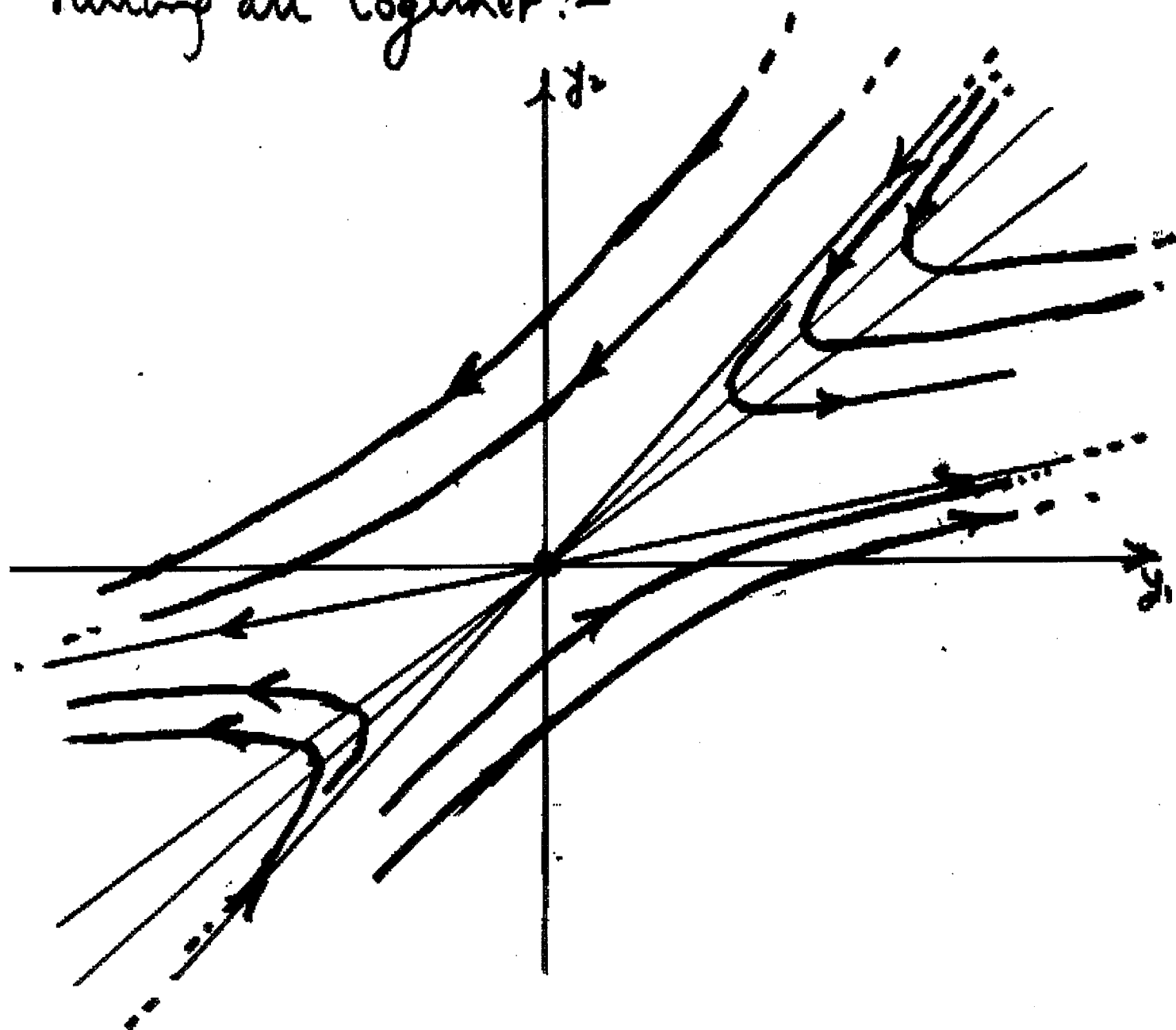
$$= \begin{cases} 0 & \text{on line} & y_2 = \frac{4}{5}y_1 \\ \pm\infty & \text{on line} & y_2 = \frac{7}{8}y_1 \\ \frac{5}{8} & \text{on line} & y_1 = 0 \\ \frac{4}{7} & \text{on line} & y_2 = 0 \end{cases}$$

So:



(6.11)

Putting all together:-



For another example of a saddle, see

K p. ¹⁴³ 165 Ex. 3 Fig. 8p3

Saddle point characterized by two real
eigenvalues of opposite sign. Get two incoming
trajectories, + two outgoing trajectories. Rest
by-pass origin 0.

6.12

Summary:

- 1) Understand meaning and use of $\frac{dy_2}{dy_1}$ to help draw trajectories.
- 2) Understand how to find phase-portraits for improper node, proper node and saddle pt.

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