

Final Exam Solutions

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \begin{cases} \epsilon y'' + y' = 2x, & 0 < x < 1, \quad 0 < \epsilon \ll 1 \\ y(0) = 1, \quad y(1) = 1 \end{cases}$$

We will assume there is a boundary layer @ $x=0$ and will use singular perturbation theory to approximate the solution to this BVP to the 1st order of accuracy (1-term approximation).

→ Denote $\tilde{y}(x)$ the outer solution satisfying

$$\begin{cases} \epsilon \tilde{y}'' + \tilde{y}' = 2x \\ \tilde{y}(1) = 1 \end{cases}$$

Use regular perturbation to approximate $\tilde{y}(x)$ outside of the boundary layer:

$$\tilde{y} \sim \tilde{y}_0 + \epsilon \tilde{y}_1 + \dots$$

$$O(1): \quad \epsilon \tilde{y}_0'' + \tilde{y}_0' = 2x \quad \text{leads to} \quad \begin{cases} \tilde{y}_0' = 2x \\ \tilde{y}_0(1) = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{y}_0 = x^2 + C$$

$$\tilde{y}_0(1) = 1 + C = 1 \Rightarrow C = 0$$

$$\text{So } \boxed{\tilde{y}_0(x) = x^2}$$

→ Denote $Y(x)$ the inner solution, i.e. solution in the boundary layer. By singular perturbation argument, let $x \sim \epsilon^\delta \bar{x} \Rightarrow$ after the change of variables $\underline{\epsilon^{1-2\delta} Y''} + \underline{\epsilon^{-\delta} Y'} = 2 \underline{\epsilon^\delta \bar{x}}$

$$\text{if } O(\epsilon^{1-2\delta}) = O(\epsilon^{-\delta}) \Rightarrow \boxed{\delta=1} \quad \text{and } O(\epsilon^\delta) \text{ is}$$

$$1-2\delta = -\delta$$

higher order $\Rightarrow$ than $\epsilon^{1-2\delta}$ & $\epsilon^{-\delta}$ terms $\Rightarrow$ all works out.

Hence for $\bar{x} = \frac{x}{\epsilon}$ we have

$$\epsilon^{-1} Y'' + \epsilon^{-1} Y' = 2 \epsilon \bar{x}$$

$$\begin{cases} Y'' + Y' = 2 \epsilon^2 \bar{x} \\ Y(0) = 1 \end{cases}$$

By regular perturbation: $Y(\bar{x}) \sim Y_0 + \epsilon Y_1 + \dots$

So $\begin{cases} y_0'' + y' = 0 \\ y_0(0) = 1 \end{cases}$ is the ^{1-term} ~~1st order~~ approx.

$$\Rightarrow y_0 = C_1 + C_2 e^{-\bar{x}}$$

$$y_0(0) = C_1 + C_2 = 1 \Rightarrow \begin{cases} y_0 = C_1 + (1 - C_1)e^{-\bar{x}} \\ y_0 = C_1 + (1 - C_1)e^{-x/\varepsilon} \end{cases}$$

Matching the 2 parts of the solution:

$$0 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \tilde{y}_0(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} y_0(x) = C_1 \Rightarrow C_1 = 0 \text{ and } y_0 = e^{-x/\varepsilon}$$

Composite solution: $y(x) = x^2 + e^{-x/\varepsilon}$

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$$\begin{cases} u_{tt} = c^2 u_{xx} \\ u(x, 0) = \varphi(x), u_t(x, 0) = \psi(x) \end{cases} \quad \begin{matrix} -\infty < x < \infty \\ t > 0 \end{matrix}$$

By Fourier transform method (in x -variable):

$$\mathcal{F}[u_{tt}] = c^2 \mathcal{F}[u_{xx}]$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 F(k, t)}{\partial t^2} = -k^2 F(k, t), \text{ where } F(k, t) = \mathcal{F}(u(x, t))$$

Here we assume $\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} |u(x, t)| dx < \infty$ for $t \geq 0$

and $u(x, t) \rightarrow 0$ as $x \rightarrow \pm\infty$, for $t \geq 0$.
 $u_x(x, t) \rightarrow 0$

We get $F_{tt} + c^2 k^2 F = 0$

General solution: $F(k, t) = A(k) \cos(ckt) + B(k) \sin(ckt)$

Apply Fourier transform to initial conditions:

$$\mathcal{F}[u(x, 0)] = \mathcal{F}(\varphi(x)) = \Phi(k)$$

$$\mathcal{F}(u_t(x, 0)) = \mathcal{F}(\psi(x)) = \Psi(k)$$

$$\Rightarrow F(k, 0) = [A(k) = \Phi(k)]$$

$$F_t(k, t) = -A(k)(ck) \sin(ckt) + B(k)(ck) \cos(ckt)$$

$$F_t(k, 0) = B(k)(ck) = \Psi(k) \Rightarrow [B(k) = \frac{1}{ck} \Psi(k)]$$

Hence: $F(k, t) = \Phi(k) \cdot \cos(ckt) + \frac{1}{ck} \Psi(k) \cdot \sin(ckt)$

Define $\chi(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x \psi(s) ds$, so that $\chi'(x) = \psi(x)$

and $\mathcal{F}(\psi(x)) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \tilde{\psi}(k) = ik \mathcal{F}(\chi(x)) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} ik X(k)$

This gives $F(k, t) = \Phi(k) \cos(ckt) + \frac{i}{c} X(k) \sin(ckt) =$

$$= \Phi(k) \cdot \frac{e^{ickt} + e^{-ickt}}{2} + \frac{i}{2c} X(k) (e^{ickt} - e^{-ickt})$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (\Phi(k) e^{ickt} + \Phi(k) e^{-ickt}) + \frac{i}{2c} (X(k) e^{ickt} - X(k) e^{-ickt})$$

Recognizing the fact that $\Phi(k) e^{ickt} = \mathcal{F}(\psi(x+ct))$

$$\Phi(k) e^{-ickt} = \mathcal{F}(\psi(x-ct))$$

$$X(k) e^{ickt} = \mathcal{F}(\chi(x+ct))$$

$$X(k) e^{-ickt} = \mathcal{F}(\chi(x-ct))$$

We get: $u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2} (\psi(x+ct) + \psi(x-ct)) +$

$$+ \frac{1}{2c} (\chi(x+ct) - \chi(x-ct))$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{since } \chi(x+ct) - \chi(x-ct) = \int_{-\infty}^{x+ct} \psi(s) ds - \int_{-\infty}^{x-ct} \psi(s) ds$$

$$= \int_{x-ct}^{x+ct} \psi(s) ds \Rightarrow$$

$$\left[u(x, t) = \frac{\psi(x+ct) + \psi(x-ct)}{2} + \frac{1}{2c} \int_{x-ct}^{x+ct} \psi(s) ds \right] \text{ QED. }$$

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$$\begin{cases} \frac{ds_1}{dt} = \nu_1 - k_1 s_1 x_1 + k_{-1} x_2 \\ \frac{ds_2}{dt} = k_2 x_2 - k_3 s_2 e + k_{-3} x_1 - \delta_2 s_2 \\ \frac{dx_1}{dt} = -k_1 s_1 x_1 + (k_{-1} + k_2) x_2 + k_3 s_2 e - k_{-3} x_1 \\ \frac{dx_2}{dt} = k_1 s_1 x_1 - (k_{-1} + k_2) x_2 \end{cases}$$

with conservation law $x_1 + x_2 + e = e_0$.

(a) Nondimensionalization using scaling:

$$\sigma_1 = \frac{\kappa_1 s_1}{\kappa_2 + \kappa_{-1}}, \quad \sigma_2 = \left(\frac{\kappa_3}{\kappa_{-3}} \right)^{1/\delta} s_2$$

$$u_1 = \frac{x_1}{\ell_0}, \quad u_2 = \frac{x_2}{\ell_0}, \quad \tau = \frac{\kappa_2 + \kappa_{-1}}{\ell_0 \kappa_1 \kappa_2} \tau$$

yields $\frac{d}{d\tau} = \frac{\ell_0 \kappa_1 \kappa_2}{\kappa_2 + \kappa_{-1}} \frac{d}{d\tau}$ etc $\Rightarrow$

$$\frac{\ell_0 \kappa_1 \kappa_2}{\kappa_2 + \kappa_{-1}} \cdot \frac{\kappa_2 + \kappa_{-1}}{\kappa_1} \left(\frac{d\sigma_1}{d\tau} \right) = \nu_1 - (\kappa_2 + \kappa_{-1}) \sigma_1 \ell_0 u_1 + \ell_0 \kappa_{-1} u_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d\sigma_1}{d\tau} = \underbrace{\frac{1}{\kappa_2 \ell_0} \nu_1}_{\text{III def}} - \frac{\kappa_2 + \kappa_{-1}}{\kappa_2} \sigma_1 u_1 + \frac{\kappa_{-1}}{\kappa_2} u_2$$

So that $\boxed{\frac{d\sigma_1}{d\tau} = \nu - \frac{\kappa_2 + \kappa_{-1}}{\kappa_2} \sigma_1 u_1 + \frac{\kappa_{-1}}{\kappa_2} u_2}$, with $\boxed{\nu = \frac{\nu_1}{\kappa_2 \ell_0}}$

Same way, and noticing $e = \ell_0 - x_1 - x_2$, we get

$$\frac{d\sigma_2}{d\tau} = \frac{\kappa_2 + \kappa_{-1}}{\ell_0 \kappa_1 \kappa_2} \left(\frac{\kappa_3}{\kappa_{-3}} \right)^{1/\delta} \left[\kappa_2 \ell_0 u_2 - \kappa_3 \sigma_2^\delta (\ell_0 - \ell_0 u_1 - \ell_0 u_2) + \kappa_3 \ell_0 u_1 - \delta_2 \cdot \left(\frac{\kappa_{-3}}{\kappa_3} \right)^{1/\delta} \sigma_2 \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{d\sigma_2}{d\tau} = \alpha \left[u_2 - \frac{\kappa_{-3}}{\kappa_2} \sigma_2^\delta (1 - u_1 - u_2) + \frac{\kappa_{-3}}{\kappa_2} u_1 \right] - \eta \sigma_2}$$

with $\boxed{\alpha = \frac{\kappa_2 + \kappa_{-1}}{\kappa_1} \left(\frac{\kappa_3}{\kappa_{-3}} \right)^{1/\delta}}$
 $\boxed{\eta = \frac{\delta_2 (\kappa_2 + \kappa_{-1})}{\ell_0 \kappa_1 \kappa_2}}$

$$\frac{\ell_0 \kappa_1 \kappa_2}{(\kappa_2 + \kappa_{-1})^2} \frac{du_1}{d\tau} = -\sigma_1 u_1 + u_2 + \frac{\kappa_{-3}}{\kappa_2 + \kappa_{-1}} \left[\sigma_2^\delta (1 - u_1 - u_2) - u_1 \right]$$

$$\frac{\ell_0 \kappa_1 \kappa_2}{(\kappa_2 + \kappa_{-1})^2} \frac{du_2}{d\tau} = \sigma_1 u_1 - u_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \varepsilon \frac{du_1}{d\tau} = -\sigma_1 u_1 + u_2 + \frac{\kappa_{-3}}{\kappa_2 + \kappa_{-1}} \left[\sigma_2^\delta (1 - u_1 - u_2) - u_1 \right] \\ \varepsilon \frac{du_2}{d\tau} = \sigma_1 u_1 - u_2 \end{array} \right. \quad \text{with } \varepsilon = \frac{\ell_0 \kappa_1 \kappa_2}{(\kappa_2 + \kappa_{-1})^2} \ll 1$$

(b) If $\varepsilon \ll 1$ we get the QSSA

$$\begin{cases} -\sigma_1 u_1 + u_2 + \frac{\kappa_{-3}}{\kappa_2 + \kappa_{-1}} (\sigma_2^\delta (1 - u_1 - u_2) - u_1) = 0 \\ \sigma_1 u_1 - u_2 = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \sigma_2^\delta (1 - u_1 - u_2) = u_1 \\ u_2 = \sigma_1 u_1 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} u_1 = \frac{\sigma_2^\delta}{1 + \sigma_1 \sigma_2^\delta + \sigma_2^\delta} \\ u_2 = \frac{\sigma_1 \sigma_2^\delta}{1 + \sigma_1 \sigma_2^\delta + \sigma_2^\delta} \equiv f(\sigma_1, \sigma_2) \end{cases} \quad \text{def}$$

In terms of the remaining equations, the system becomes

$$\frac{d\sigma_1}{dt} = \nu - \frac{K_2 + K_{-1}}{K_2} u_2 + \frac{K_{-1}}{K_2} u_2 = \nu - u_2 = \nu - f(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\sigma_2}{dt} &= \alpha \left[\sigma_1 u_1 - \frac{K_{-3}}{K_2} \sigma_2^\theta (1 - u_1 - \sigma_1 u_1) + \frac{K_{-3}}{K_2} u_1 \right] - \eta \sigma_2 \\ &= \alpha \left[u_1 \left(\sigma_1 + \frac{K_{-3}}{K_2} \sigma_2^\theta + \frac{K_{-3}}{K_2} \sigma_2^\theta \sigma_1 + \frac{K_{-3}}{K_2} \right) - \frac{K_{-3}}{K_2} \sigma_2^\theta \right] - \eta \sigma_2 \\ &= \alpha \left[\frac{\sigma_2^\theta}{1 + \sigma_1 \sigma_2^\theta + \sigma_2^\theta} \left(\sigma_1 + \frac{K_{-3}}{K_2} (\sigma_2^\theta \sigma_1 + \sigma_2^\theta + 1) \right) - \frac{K_{-3}}{K_2} \sigma_2^\theta \right] - \eta \sigma_2 \\ &= \alpha \left[\underbrace{\frac{\sigma_1 \sigma_2^\theta}{1 + \sigma_1 \sigma_2^\theta + \sigma_2^\theta}}_{u_2} + \frac{K_{-3}}{K_2} \sigma_2^\theta - \frac{K_{-3}}{K_2} \sigma_2^\theta \right] - \eta \sigma_2 \\ &= \alpha f(\sigma_1, \sigma_2) - \eta \sigma_2 \end{aligned}$$

Hence: $\begin{cases} \frac{d\sigma_1}{dt} = \nu - f(\sigma_1, \sigma_2) \\ \frac{d\sigma_2}{dt} = \alpha f(\sigma_1, \sigma_2) - \eta \sigma_2 \end{cases}$ is the QSSA

(c) Steady state: $\begin{cases} f(\sigma_1, \sigma_2) = \nu \\ \alpha f(\sigma_1, \sigma_2) = \eta \sigma_2 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \sigma_2 = \frac{\alpha \nu}{\eta}$

$$\frac{\sigma_1 \sigma_2^\theta}{1 + \sigma_1 \sigma_2^\theta + \sigma_2^\theta} = \nu$$

$$\sigma_1 \sigma_2^\theta = \nu (1 + \sigma_1 \sigma_2^\theta + \sigma_2^\theta) = \nu (\sigma_1 \sigma_2^\theta) + \nu (1 + \sigma_2^\theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\sigma_1 = \frac{\nu (1 + \sigma_2^\theta)}{\sigma_2^\theta (1 - \nu)}} \text{ where } \sigma_2 = \frac{\alpha \nu}{\eta} \text{ is the unique steady state.}$$

(d) Jacobian $(J) = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{\partial f}{\partial \sigma_1} & -\frac{\partial f}{\partial \sigma_2} \\ \alpha \frac{\partial f}{\partial \sigma_1} & \alpha \frac{\partial f}{\partial \sigma_2} - \eta \end{bmatrix}$

Let $f_1 \equiv \frac{\partial f}{\partial \sigma_1}$, $f_2 \equiv \frac{\partial f}{\partial \sigma_2} \Rightarrow J = \begin{bmatrix} -f_1 & -f_2 \\ \alpha f_1 & \alpha f_2 - \eta \end{bmatrix}$

Char. polynomial: $\lambda^2 - (\alpha f_2 - \eta - f_1) \lambda + f_1 \eta = 0$

Notice that $f_1 = \frac{\sigma_2^\theta + \sigma_2^{2\theta}}{(1 + \sigma_1 \sigma_2^\theta + \sigma_2^\theta)^2} \geq 0$

Recall that if $\lambda^2 - a\lambda + b = 0$

then $\lambda_1 \lambda_2 = b$ for the roots λ_1, λ_2 .
 $\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = a$

If $\lambda_1 \lambda_2 = f_1 \eta \geq 0 \Rightarrow$ both eigenvalues are of the same sign
Since $\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = d f_2 - \eta - f_1$, we see that

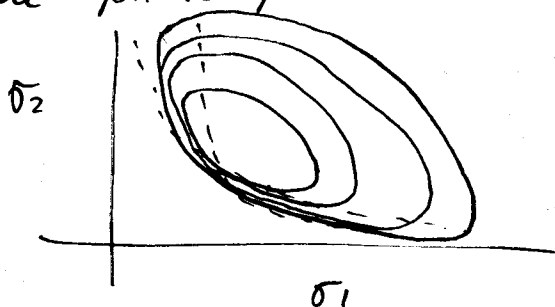
if $d \frac{\partial f}{\partial \sigma_2} - \eta - \frac{\partial f}{\partial \sigma_1} < 0 \Rightarrow \text{Re}(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2) < 0 \Rightarrow \text{Re}(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) < 0$

if $d \frac{\partial f}{\partial \sigma_2} - \eta - \frac{\partial f}{\partial \sigma_1} > 0 \Rightarrow \text{Re}(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2) > 0 \Rightarrow \text{Re}(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) > 0$.

Notice that even if the roots are complex, the condition $d \frac{\partial f}{\partial \sigma_2} - \eta - \frac{\partial f}{\partial \sigma_1} < 0$ guarantees stability ($\text{Re}(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) < 0$) and otherwise the equilibrium is unstable.

It can be shown that $a = d \frac{\partial f}{\partial \sigma_2} - \eta - \frac{\partial f}{\partial \sigma_1} = 0$ gives rise to Hopf bifurcations leading to periodic solutions.

(e) When $V = 0.0285$, $\eta = 0.1$, $d = 1.0$, $\tau = 2$ the phase portrait looks like a limit cycle:



Notice that this periodic orbit exists only in a small region of parameter space and will collapse if the values are perturbed.