

Semi-complete vector fields of saddle-node type in dimension 3

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Complex Differential Equations

Given a holomorphic vector field X , we consider the differential equation

$$\dot{x} = X(x)$$

It defines a 1-dimensional foliation.

The existence Theorem of solutions guarantees a local solution for the differential equation for each initial condition.

Case $T \in \mathbb{R}$ - It is possible to define a maximal solution: constructed by analytic continuation.

U_x - maximal domain of definition of the solution

$$\Omega = \{(T, x) : T \in U_x\}$$

Flow of X :

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi : \Omega &\rightarrow \mathbb{C}^n \\ (t, x) &\mapsto (\phi_1^x(t), \dots, \phi_n^x(t)) \end{aligned}$$

Case $T \in \mathbb{C}$ - In general, this is not possible

Semi-complete vector fields

Definition

M - complex manifold

X - holomorphic vector field defined on U , $U \subseteq M$.

We say that X is semi-complete in U if there exists

$$\Phi : \Omega \subseteq \mathbb{C} \times U \rightarrow U$$

holomorphic, $\{0\} \times U \subseteq \Omega$, such that

- a) $\Phi(0, x) = x \quad \forall x \in M$
- b) $X(x) = \frac{d}{dT} \Big|_{T=0} \Phi(T, x)$
- c) $\Phi(T_1 + T_2, x) = \Phi(T_2, \Phi(T_1, x))$, when both members are defined
- d) $(T_i, x) \in \Omega$ e $(T_i, x) \rightarrow \partial\Omega \Rightarrow \Phi(T_i, x)$ escapes from any compact subset of U

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$\forall c : [0, 1] \rightarrow L$, L regular leaf, $c(0) \neq c(1)$, $\int_c dT_L \neq 0$

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- $X = x^3 \frac{\partial}{\partial x}$ is not semi-complete
 $c(t) = e^{\pi it}, t \in [0, 1],$
 $\int_c dT = \int_c \frac{dx}{x^3} = \left[-\frac{1}{x^2}\right]_1^{-1} = 0$

Lemma (Rebelo)

X 1-dimensional meromorphic vector field $X = f(x)\partial/\partial x$

X semi-complete $\Rightarrow X$ admits a holomorphic extension to the origin and

$$J_0^2 X \neq 0.$$

$f(0) = f'(0) = 0 \Rightarrow X$ analytically conjugated to $x^2\partial/\partial x$

Theorem (Rebelo)

X holomorphic vector field on \mathbb{C}^2

p isolated singularity of X

X semi-complete $\Rightarrow J_p^2 X \neq 0$

Camacho/Sad's Theorem allows us to reduce the problem in dimension 2 to the 1-dimensional case.

Conjecture (Ghys)

X holomorphic vector field on $(\mathbb{C}^3, 0)$

$0 \in \mathbb{C}^3$ isolated singularity

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The semi-complete vector fields in dimension 2, with an isolated singularity, were completely classified by **Ghys** and **Rebelo**.

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- Irreducible cases:
 - exactly 3 eigenvalues different from zero
 - exactly 2 eigenvalues different from zero
 - exactly 1 eigenvalues different from zero

The are no acceptable normal forms for the last case.

Semi-complete vector fields in dimension 3

Saddle-node

All results presented here are valid for higher dimension since $(\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_{n-1})$ belongs to the Poincaré domain.

\mathcal{F} - saddle-node foliation

normal form

$$X : \begin{cases} \dot{x} = x^{p+1} \\ \dot{y} = y\lambda_1 + xA(x, y, z) \\ \dot{z} = z\lambda_2 + xB(x, y, z) \end{cases}$$

formal normal form

$$Y : \begin{cases} \dot{x} = x^{p+1} \\ \dot{y} = y(\lambda_1 + \alpha_1 x) \\ \dot{z} = z(\lambda_2 + \alpha_2 x) \end{cases}$$

Proposition

\mathcal{F} admits a semi-complete representative $\Rightarrow p = 1$

Proof.

Let L be a regular leaf, $L \not\subseteq \{x = 0\}$

$$dT = \frac{dx}{x^{p+1}}, \quad c(t) = (re^{2\pi it/p}, 0, 0) \Rightarrow \int_{c_L} dT = 0$$

where c_L is the lift of c to L .

$p \geq 2 \Rightarrow c_L$ is an embedded curve $\Rightarrow X$ cannot be semi-complete.

For fX , the time form is given by $dT = \frac{dx}{x^{p+1}f(x,y,z)}$. It is sufficient to restrict to a sector of amplitude greater than $2\pi/p$ but less than 2π . The problem is reduced to the 1-dimensional case since in such sector $y = y(x)$ and $z = z(x)$.



Theorem

Let \mathcal{F} be a saddle-node foliation on $(\mathbb{C}^3, 0)$, 0 isolated singularity. \mathcal{F} is associated to a semi-complete vector field iff it admits

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = x^2 \\ \dot{y} = y(\lambda_1 + \alpha_1 x) \\ \dot{z} = z(\lambda_2 + \alpha_2 x) \end{cases}$$

as normal form, with $(\alpha_1, \alpha_2) \in \mathbb{Z}^{n-1}$.

The proof is divided in two steps:

Proposition

X semi-complete, then

1. *X* has holomorphic central manifold (hcm)
2. the holonomy relative to the hcm is trivial

The reciprocal is also valid.

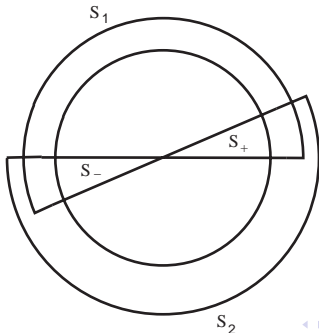
Proposition

X has hcm and the holonomy is trivial iff *X* is analytically conjugated to its formal normal form and $(\alpha_1, \alpha_2) \in \mathbb{Z}^2$.

Theorem (Theorem of Malmquist)

Let \hat{H} be the unique formal transformation conjugating X and its formal normal form. There exist holomorphic transformations $H_{1,2}$ defined on sectors $S_{1,2} \times (\mathbb{C}^{n-1}, 0)$, covering a neighborhood of the origin, such that

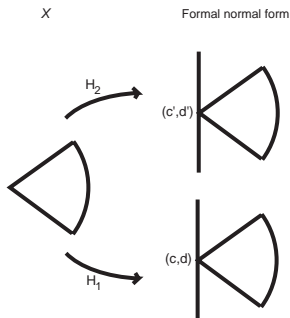
- $H_{1,2}$ is a holomorphic conjugation between X and its formal normal form
- $H_{1,2} \xrightarrow{\sim} \hat{H}$ in $S_{1,2}$, as $x \rightarrow 0$



Solution of the formal normal form:

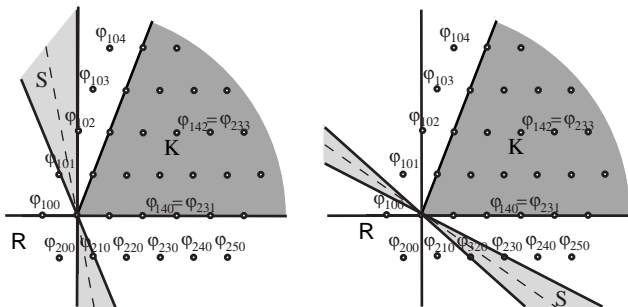
$$\begin{cases} y(x) = cx^{\alpha_1} e^{-\frac{\lambda_1}{x}} \\ z(x) = dx^{\alpha_2} e^{-\frac{\lambda_2}{x}} \end{cases}$$

(c, d) works like a parametrization of the leaf



Let $g_+ = (H_2 \circ H_1^{-1})|_{S_+}$ and $g_- = (H_2 \circ H_1^{-1})|_{S_-}$

Let $\varphi_{i,Q} = (Q, \lambda) - \lambda_i$



on the left case

$$g_+ : \{(c, d) \mapsto (c + a_{100} + a_{101}d, d + a_{200})\}$$

while on the right one

$$g_+ : \{(c, d) \mapsto (c + a_{100}, d + a_{300} + a_{210}c + a_{220}c^2)\}.$$

In the first case

$$g_- : \{(c, d) \mapsto (c + \sum_{\substack{Q \neq (1,0) \\ Q \neq (0,0) \\ Q \neq (0,1)}} a_{1ij} c^i d^j, d + \sum_{\substack{Q \neq (0,1) \\ Q \neq (0,0)}} a_{2ij} c^i d^j)\}.$$

Proposition

\mathcal{F} admits a hcm iff $a_{100} = a_{200} = 0$.

Lemma

X , as above, is semi-complete in a neighbourhood of the origin \Rightarrow there is no translation, i.e., $a_{100} = a_{200} = 0$.

Proof.

$\{y = 0, z = 0\}$ - hcm for the formal normal form

$L \supset H_1^{-1}(\{y = 0, z = 0\})$

$c(t) = (re^{2\pi it}, 0, 0)$, $t \in [0, 1]$, c_L - the lift of c to L

$$\int_{c_L} dT_L = \int_{re^{2\pi it}} \frac{dx}{x^2} = 0$$

X is semi-complete $\Rightarrow c_L$ is closed $\Rightarrow (a_{100}, a_{200}) = (0, 0) \Rightarrow X$ has hcm □

Lemma

X semi-complete \Rightarrow holonomy relative to the hcm is trivial.

Proof.

L_0 - hcm

c_0 - lift of c to L_0 , which is closed

L regular leaf, $L \not\subseteq \{x = 0\}$

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$$\int_{c_L} dT_L = \int_{e^{2\pi it}} \frac{dx}{x^2} = 0$$

X semi-complete $\Rightarrow c_L$ is closed for all $L \Rightarrow$ the holonomy is trivial



Other representatives must be considered, but conclusions are the same.

- Assume there is no holomorphic central manifold/ holonomy is not trivial
- The curve c_L cannot be closed
- It is possible to continue the curve. The new curve is embedded and the integral over the new curve vanishes.

Proposition

X has hcm and the holonomy is trivial iff X is analytically conjugated to its formal normal form and $(\alpha_1, \alpha_2) \in \mathbb{Z}^2$.

The idea of the proof is to use induction over $|Q|$:

$$a_{iQ} = 0, \quad \forall Q : |Q| \leq q : a_{iQ} \text{ in } g_+$$

$$\Rightarrow a_{iQ} = 0, \quad \forall Q : |Q| = q + 1 : a_{iQ} \text{ in } g_+$$

The hypothesis is verified for $|Q| = 0$

g_+ is polynomial \Rightarrow the induction stops in a finite number of steps.

By the appearance of the terms expressions x^{α_i} in the solutions of the formal normal form

$$\text{trivial holonomy} \Rightarrow (\alpha_1, \alpha_2) \in \mathbb{Z}^2$$

In the 3-dimensional case

$$g_+ : \{(c, d) \mapsto (c + a_{100} + a_{101}d, d + a_{200})\}$$

$$g_- \circ g_+ = id \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} ((c + a_{101}d) + \sum_{\substack{Q \neq (1,0) \\ Q \neq (0,0) \\ Q \neq (0,1)}} a_{1ij}(c + a_{101}d)^i d^j) e^{2\pi i \alpha_1} = c \\ ((d + \sum_{\substack{Q \neq (0,1) \\ Q \neq (0,0)}} a_{2ij}(c + a_{101}d)^i d^j) e^{2\pi i \alpha_2} = d \end{cases}$$

$$g_- \circ g_+ = id \quad \leftrightarrow \quad n - 1 \text{ equations}$$

Assume $a_{iQ} = 0, \forall Q : |Q| \leq q$ such that $a_{iQ} \in g_+$

Fix Q_0 such that $|Q_0| = q + 1$ and $a_{iQ_0} \in g_+$ for some i

Assume $\{i : (Q_0, \gamma) - \gamma_i \in R\} = \{1, \dots, k\}$

$\Rightarrow c^{Q_0}$ can appear only on the i^{th} equation when $Q = e_j$ is allowed in the i^{th} component of g_- , for some $j = 1, \dots, k - 1$.

Thus we get the system

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & a_{1e_2} & a_{1e_3} & \dots & a_{1e_k} \\ a_{2e_1} & 1 & a_{2e_3} & \dots & a_{2e_k} \\ a_{3e_1} & a_{3e_2} & 1 & \dots & a_{3e_k} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{ke_1} & a_{ke_2} & a_{ke_3} & \dots & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} a_{1Q_0} \\ a_{2Q_0} \\ a_{3Q_0} \\ \vdots \\ a_{kQ_0} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Property

a_{iQ} in $g_- \Leftrightarrow (Q, \lambda) - \lambda_i \notin R$

$$a_{ie_j} : (e_j, \lambda) - \lambda_i = \lambda_j - \lambda_i$$

$$a_{je_i} : (e_i, \lambda) - \lambda_j = \lambda_i - \lambda_j$$

$$\lambda_j - \lambda_i \notin R \Rightarrow \lambda_i - \lambda_j \in R$$

It is possible to rearrange the variable in order that

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & a_{1e_2} & a_{1e_3} & \dots & a_{1e_k} \\ 0 & 1 & a_{2e_3} & \dots & a_{2e_k} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \dots & a_{3e_k} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Thus, by induction $g_+ = id \Rightarrow g_- = id$ also.

Proposition

Up to analytic conjugation, two vector fields of saddle-node type, with hcm, are analytically equivalent iff the holonomies relatively to the hcm are analytically conjugated.