

**NATIONAL NETWORK FOR MATHEMATICAL AND COMPUTATIONAL BIOLOGY  
(NNMCB-DELHI CHAPTER)**

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**IN TUTORIALS-2, PLOTTING NULLCLINES AND DIRECTION FIELDS OF 1 and 2D ODE WILL BE COVERED.**

%-----**PROBLEM-1**-----

%% Consider the differential equation  $y'(x) = xy$

%% Use the in-built MATLAB function `dsolve` to get closed form solution of the 1D ODE.

```
>> y = dsolve('Dy = x*y ', 'x')
```

You should get the output as  $y = C2 \cdot \exp(x^2/2)$

%%-----**PROBLEM-2**-----

%% To solve the initial value problem, say the above equation with  $y(1) = 1$ ;

%% You should get the solution as  $y = \exp(-1/2) \cdot \exp(x^2/2)$

%%-----**PROBLEM-3**-----

```
>> x = linspace(0,1,20);
```

```
>> z = eval(vectorize(y));
```

```
>> plot(x,z)
```

%%-----**PROBLEM-4**-----

% Let us consider second order equation of the form  $y$

$y''(x) + 8y'(x) + 2y(x) = \cos(x)$ ;  $y(0) = 0$ ;  $y'(0) = 1$

% Type in the command line

```
>> eqn2 = 'D2y + 8*Dy + 2*y = cos(x)'; % This gives the equation.
```

```
>> inits2 = 'y(0)=0, Dy(0)=1'; % This gives the initial condition.
```

```
>> y=dsolve(eqn2,inits2,'x')
```

% The solution output from MATLAB should be

```
y = (14^(1/2)*exp(4*x - 14^(1/2)*x)*exp(x*(14^(1/2) - 4))*(sin(x) - cos(x)*(14^(1/2) - 4)))/(28*((14^(1/2) - 4)^2 + 1)) - (14^(1/2)*exp(4*x + 14^(1/2)*x)*exp(-x*(14^(1/2) + 4))*(sin(x) + cos(x)*(14^(1/2) + 4)))/(28*((14^(1/2) + 4)^2 + 1)) - (14^(1/2)*exp(-x*(14^(1/2) + 4))*(7*14^(1/2) + 27))/(28*(8*14^(1/2) + 31)) - (14^(1/2)*exp(x*(14^(1/2) - 4))*(393*14^(1/2) + 1531))/(28*(8*14^(1/2) - 31)*(8*14^(1/2) + 31)^2).
```

```
%% -----PROBLEM-5-----
```

```
%% Plotting direction field.
```

```
%% Consider the ODE,  $dy/dx = x + \sin(y)$ 
```

```
>> [x,y]=meshgrid(-3:.3:3,-2:.3:2);
```

```
>> dy = x + sin(y);
```

```
>> dx = ones(size(dy)); %% Think of ODE as  $dy/dx = (x + \sin(y))/1$ 
```

```
>> quiver(x,y,dx,dy,0.5)
```

```
%% In the plot the arrows are of different length. Since we are concerned only with the %%  
direction, we can make all the vectors unit length.
```

```
>> dyu = dy./sqrt(dx.^2+dy.^2); % Normalized by the norm;
```

```
>> dxu = dx./sqrt(dx.^2+dy.^2);
```

```
>> quiver(x,y,dxu,dyu,0.5)
```

```
%% -----EXERCISE-1-----
```

```
%% Plot the direction field for the ODE  $dy/dx = x^2 - y$ 
```

```
%% -----PROBLEM-6-----
```

```
%% Plotting the phase diagrams and nullclines using MATLAB command quiver and ezplot
```

```
%% Equations of the pendulum where  $dx/dt = y$ , and  $dy/dt = -g/l \sin(x)$ ;  $g = 9.81\text{m/s}^2$ .
```

```
>> ncfun1 = @(x,y) y;
```

```
>> ncfun2 = @(x,y) -9.81*sin(x);
```

```
>> figure(1); hold on
```

```
>> ezplot(@(x,y) ncfun1(x,y), [-6 6 -10 10]);
```

```
>> ezplot(@(x,y) ncfun2(x,y), [-6 6 -10 10]);
```

```
>> [x,y]=meshgrid(-5:.4:5,-10:.51:10);
```

```
>> [x,y]=meshgrid(-5:.4:5,-10:.51:10);
```

```
>> dy = -9.81*sin(x)./y;
```

```
>> dx = ones(size(dy));
```

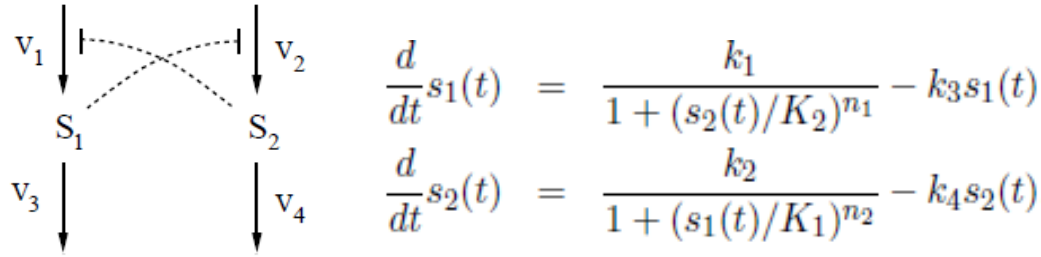
```
>> dxu=dx./sqrt(dx.^2+dy.^2);
```

```
>> dyu=dy./sqrt(dx.^2+dy.^2);
```

```
>> quiver(x,y,dxu,dyu,0.5)
```

%% -----PROBLEM-7-----

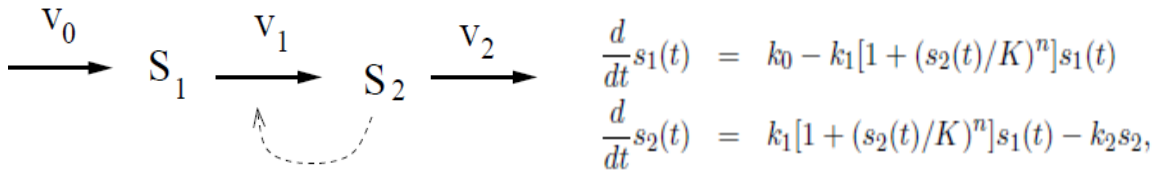
**Allosteric inhibition of symmetric biochemical network.**



Choose parameter values  $k_1 = k_2 = 20$ ;  $K_1 = K_2 = 1$ ;  $n_1 = 4$ ,  $n_2 = 1$ .  $k_3 = k_4 = 5$ ; Determine the dimensions of  $k$ 's. Using MATLAB simulate the phase plot and numerically simulate the time series of  $S_1$  and  $S_2$ .

%% -----PROBLEM-8-----

**Autocatalytic biochemical reaction network. Species  $S_2$  activates its own production.**



Choose parameter values  $k_0 = 8$ ;  $k_1 = 1$ ;  $K = 1$ ,  $k_2 = 5$ ,  $n = 2$ ; Determine the dimensions of  $k$ 's. Using MATLAB simulate the phase plot and numerically simulate the time series of  $S_1$  and  $S_2$ . Why the network with positive feedback generates oscillations (damped/limit-cycle)? What dynamics you expect if the Hill's coefficient of  $n$  increased from 2 to 2.5? Do you still get oscillations? Use phase plane to illustrate your answer.

%% -----PROBLEM-9-----

Write the system of ODE equations for each of the following wiring diagrams (a-d). Identify the type of feedback loops in each of the circuit. Draw the nullclines, direction fields and phase plane diagrams. Identify the type of dynamics.

