

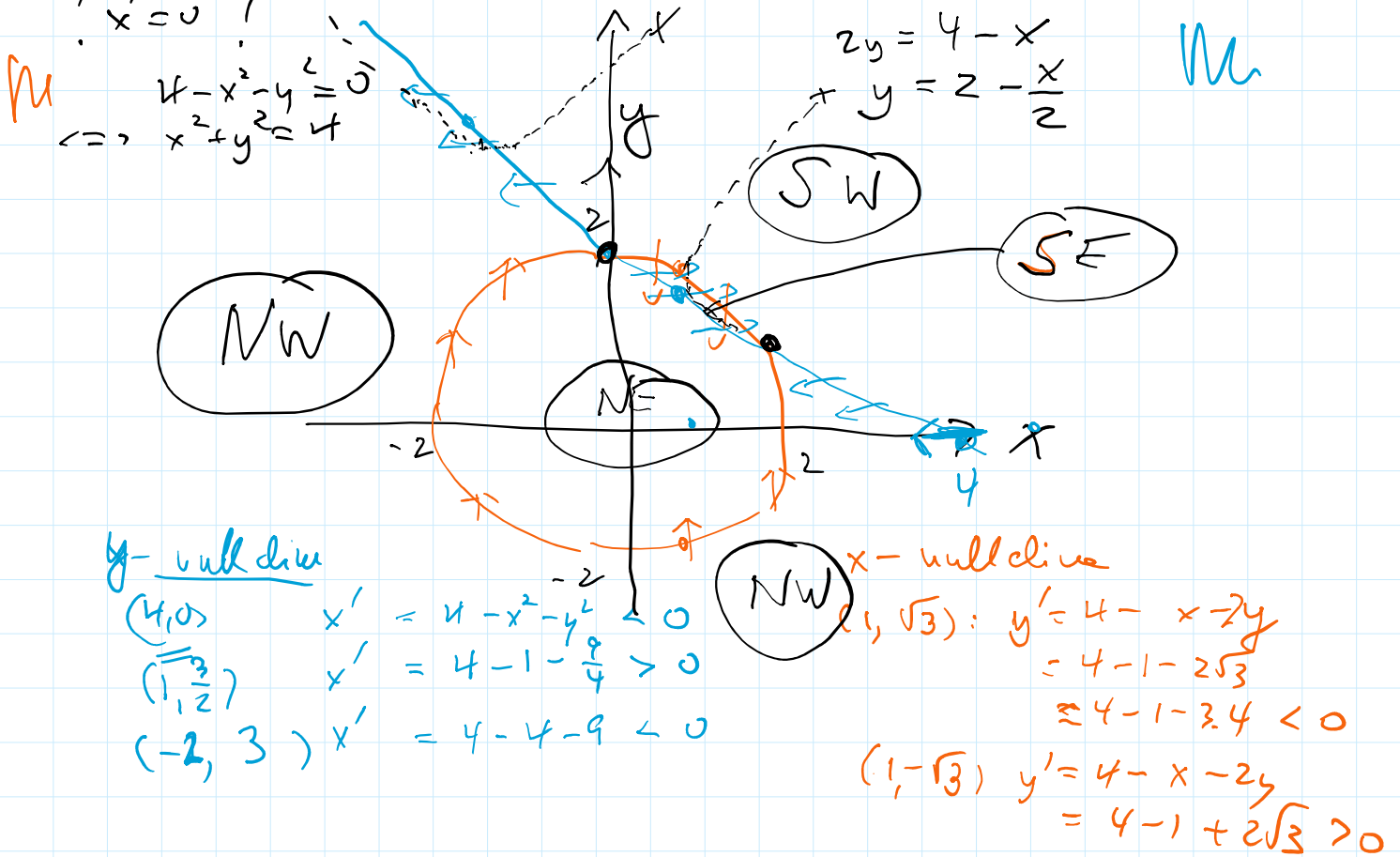
Another example of a nullcline-analysis

$$x' = 4 - x^2 - y^2$$

$$y' = 4 - x - 2y$$

x-nullcline
 $x' = 0$
 $4 - x^2 - y^2 = 0$
 $\Leftrightarrow x^2 + y^2 = 4$

y-nullcline
 $y' = 0$
 $2y = 4 - x$
 $y = 2 - \frac{x}{2}$



y-nullcline

$(4, 0)$ $x' = 4 - x^2 - y^2 < 0$

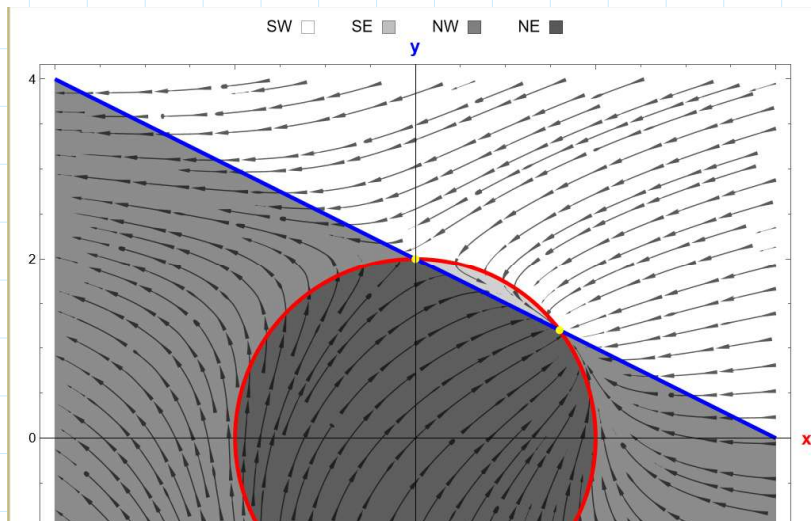
$(1, \frac{3}{2})$ $x' = 4 - 1 - \frac{9}{4} > 0$

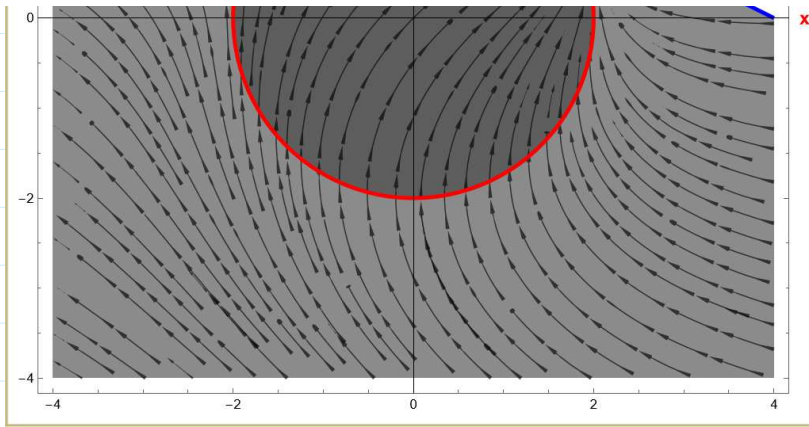
$(-2, 3)$ $x' = 4 - 4 - 9 < 0$

x-nullcline

$(1, \sqrt{3})$: $y' = 4 - x - 2y$
 $= 4 - 1 - 2\sqrt{3}$
 $\approx 4 - 1 - 3.4 < 0$

$(1, -\sqrt{3})$: $y' = 4 - x - 2y$
 $= 4 - 1 + 2\sqrt{3} > 0$





the Laplace Transform

→ solve IVP only

→ Invented by Euler

Given a function $f(t)$ we compute
a new function $Y(s)$, the Laplace
transform

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

Example: $f(t) = 1$

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

$$= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} dt$$

$$= \left(-\frac{1}{s} e^{-st} \right) \Bigg|_{t=0}^{t=\infty}$$

Don't worry

← $- \frac{1}{s} (1 - e^{-st})$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \left(-\frac{1}{s} e^{-st} \right) - \left(-\frac{1}{s} \right) \Big|_{t=0}$$

$$= 0 - \left(-\frac{1}{s} \right) = \frac{1}{s}$$

$y(t)$	$Y(s)$
1	$\frac{1}{s}$
$e^{\alpha t}$	$\frac{1}{s-\alpha}$
t	$\frac{1}{s^2}$

Ex 2 $y(t) = e^{\alpha t}$

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

$$= \int_0^{\infty} e^{(\alpha-s)t} dt$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{\alpha-s} e^{(\alpha-s)t} \right) \Big|_{t=0}^{t=\infty}$$

$$= 0 - \frac{1}{\alpha-s} = \frac{1}{s-\alpha}$$

Ex 3 $y(t) = t$

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

I b P $u = t$ $dv = e^{-st} dt$
 $du = dt$ $v = \frac{1}{s} e^{-st}$

$$= -\frac{1}{s} t e^{-st} \Big|_{t=0}^{t=\infty} - \int_0^{\infty} \left(-\frac{1}{s} \right) e^{-st} dt$$

$$= (0 - 0) + \frac{1}{s} \left(-\frac{1}{s} e^{-st} \right) \Big|_{t=0}^{t=\infty}$$

$$= \frac{1}{s} \left(0 - \left(-\frac{1}{s} \cdot 1 \right) \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{s^2}$$

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Instead of $Y(s)$ people write also

$$Y(s) = \mathcal{L}(f(t))(s) \quad \mathcal{L}(1)(s) = \frac{1}{s}$$
$$\mathcal{L}(e^{\alpha t})(s) = \frac{1}{s-\alpha}$$

\mathcal{L} is called the Laplace operator
input: $f(t)$
output: $\int_0^{\infty} f(t) e^{-st} dt$

\mathcal{L} is linear

$$\mathcal{L}(f(t) + g(t))(s) = \mathcal{L}(f(t))(s) + \mathcal{L}(g(t))(s)$$

$$\mathcal{L}(c \cdot f(t))(s) = c \cdot \mathcal{L}(f(t))(s)$$

Ex

$$\mathcal{L}(5 + 3t)(s)$$
$$= 5\mathcal{L}(1)(s) + 3\mathcal{L}(t)(s)$$
$$= 5 \cdot \frac{1}{s} + 3 \cdot \frac{1}{s^2}$$
$$= \frac{5}{s} + \frac{3}{s^2}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(2e^{-2t} + 3e^{4t})(s)$$
$$= 2\mathcal{L}(e^{-2t})(s) + 3\mathcal{L}(e^{4t})(s)$$
$$= 2 \cdot \frac{1}{s+2} + 3 \cdot \frac{1}{s-4}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 2 \cdot \frac{1}{s+2} + 3 \frac{1}{s-4} \\
 &= \frac{2}{s+2} + \frac{3}{s-4}
 \end{aligned}$$

given a fct. $y(t)$

what is the Laplace transform of $y'(t)$?

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{L}(y'(t))(s) &= \int_0^{\infty} y'(t) e^{-st} dt
 \end{aligned}$$

we'll use I b. P

$$\begin{aligned}
 u &= e^{-st} & dv &= y'(t) dt \\
 du &= -s e^{-st} dt & v &= y(t)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \left(y(t) e^{-st} \right) \Big|_{t=0}^{t=\infty} \\
 &\quad + s \int_0^{\infty} y(t) e^{-st} dt \\
 &= (0 - y(0)) + s \cdot \mathcal{L}(y(t))(s)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{\mathcal{L}(y'(t))(s) = s \cdot \mathcal{L}(y(t))(s) - y(0)}$$

Example

$$\left| \begin{aligned}
 y' &= 4y \\
 y(0) &= 2
 \end{aligned} \right.$$

$$| \quad y(0) = 2$$

$$y' = 4y$$

apply \mathcal{L} on both sides

$$\mathcal{L}(y'(t))(s) = \mathcal{L}(4y(t))(s)$$

$$s \mathcal{L}(y(t))(s) - y(0) = 4 \mathcal{L}(y(t))(s)$$

$$\text{so } (s-4) \mathcal{L}(y(t))(s) = 2$$

$$\mathcal{L}(y(t))(s) = \frac{2}{s-4}$$

$$\text{table: } \mathcal{L}(e^{4t})(s) = \frac{1}{s-4}$$

$$\text{so } \mathcal{L}(2e^{4t})(s) = \frac{2}{s-4}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(y(t))(s) = \mathcal{L}(2e^{4t})(s)$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = 2e^{4t}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(y''(t))(s) = \mathcal{L}((y')'(t))(s)$$

$$= s \mathcal{L}(y'(t))(s) - y'(0)$$

$$= s (s \mathcal{L}(y(t))(s) - y(0)) - y'(0)$$

$$= s^2 \mathcal{L}(y(t)) - s \cdot y(0) - y'(0)$$

$$\mathcal{L}(y'') = s^2 \mathcal{L}(y) - s \cdot y(0) - y'(0)$$