

## ON 4-DIM DUCK SOLUTIONS WITH RELATIVE STABILITY

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ABSTRACT. This paper gives the existence of a relatively stable duck solution in a slow-fast system in  $R^{2+2}$  with an invariant manifold. It has a 4-dimensional duck solution having a relatively stable region when there exist the invariant manifold near the pseudo singular node point.

### 1. INTRODUCTION

In a previous paper [5], H.Nishino, H.Miki and the author have constructed 2-dimensional duck solutions in Goodwin's economic model modifying the effective function. In another one [6], we got 4-dimensional ducks in a trading economic model using two symmetric Goodwin's models. These results lead us a new point of view to analyze the stability for the ducks. In the  $R^{2+2}$  slow-fast system with an invariant manifold, we first assume that this manifold describing limit cycle has a duck solution in a projected  $R^2$  space. If there exists pseudo singular node point near the invariant manifold, the system has a duck solution with a relatively stable region in  $R^4$ . This fact gives a global behavior in  $R^4$ , because it satisfies the condition including the invariant manifold at around the pseudo singular point. In other words, we can observe a center manifold for the slow-fast system in  $R^4$ .

### 2. SLOW-FAST SYSTEM IN $R^2$

In this section, we shall review some results in Zvonkin and Shubin[9]. Let us consider the following system of differential equations

$$(2.1) \quad \begin{aligned} \epsilon dx/dt &= w - f(x), \\ dw/dt &= a - x, \end{aligned}$$

where  $f$  is defined in  $R^1$  and  $\epsilon$  is infinitesimal. For the system (2.1), the graph  $w = f(x)$  is called the *slow curve*. We consider the extremum point  $x_0$  that separates the attracting part and the repelling part.

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**Definition 2.1.** A solution  $(x(t), w(t))$  of the system (2.1) is called a *duck solution* if there exist standard numbers  $t_1, t_0, t_2$  ( $t_1 < t_0 < t_2$ ) such that

(1)  $^*[x(t_0)] = x_0$ , where  $^*[X]$  denotes the standard part of  $X$ , (2) for  $t \in (t_1, t_0)$  the segment of the trajectory  $(x(t), w(t))$  is infinitesimally close to the attracting part of the slow curve, (3) for  $t \in (t_0, t_2)$ , it is infinitesimally close to the repelling part of the slow curve, and (4) the attracting and repelling parts of the trajectory are not infinitesimal.

We give a necessary condition for the existence of a duck solution close to the extremum point  $x_0$  of  $f(x)$ .

**Proposition 2.1.** If there is a duck solution of the system (2.1) close to the extremum point  $x_0$ , then  $a \approx x_0$ .

We finally obtain the following proposition concerning the existence of duck solutions.

**Proposition 2.2.** Suppose that  $f$  has a nondegenerate extremum point  $x_0$ , that is,  $f'(x_0) = 0$  and  $f''(x_0) > 0$ . Then there are the corresponding values of the parameter  $a$  satisfying Proposition 2.1 for which there exist duck solutions in the system (2.1).

### 3. SLOW-FAST SYSTEM IN $R^4$

Now, let us consider a slow-fast system (3.1):

$$(3.1) \quad \begin{aligned} \epsilon dx_1/dt &= h_1(x_1, x_2, y_1, y_2, \epsilon), \\ \epsilon dx_2/dt &= h_2(x_1, x_2, y_1, y_2, \epsilon), \\ dy_1/dt &= f_1(x_1, x_2, y_1, y_2, \epsilon), \\ dy_2/dt &= f_2(x_1, x_2, y_1, y_2, \epsilon), \end{aligned}$$

where  $f = (f_1, f_2)$  and  $h = (h_1, h_2)$  are standard defined on  $R^4 \times R^1$  and  $\epsilon$  is infinitesimal.

First, we assume the following condition (A1) to get an explicit solution.

(A1)  $f$  is of class  $C^1$  and  $h$  is of class  $C^2$ .

Furthermore, we assume that the system (3.1) satisfies the following generic conditions (A2) – (A5):

(A2) The set  $S_2 = \{(x, y) \in R^4 | h(x, y, 0) = 0\}$  is a 2-dimensional differentiable manifold and the set  $S_2$  intersects the set  $T_2 = \{(x, y) \in R^4 | \det[\partial h(x, y, 0)/\partial x] = 0\}$ , which is a 3-dimensional differentiable manifold, transversely so that the generalized pli set  $GPL = \{(x, y) \in S_2 \cap T_2\}$  is a 1-dimensional differentiable manifold.

(A3) The value of  $f$  is nonzero at any point  $p \in GPL$ .

(A4) The  $\text{rank}[\partial h(x, y, 0)/\partial x] = 2$  for any  $(x, y) \in S_2 \setminus GPL$ , and the  $\text{rank}[\partial h(x, y, 0)/\partial y] = 2$  for any  $(x, y) \in S_2$ . Then, the surface  $S_2$  can be expressed as  $y = \varphi(x)$  in the neighborhood of  $GPL$ .

Assume  $y = \varphi(x)$ . On the set  $S_2$ , differentiating both sides of  $h(x, \varphi(x), 0) = 0$  with respect to  $x$ ,

$$(3.2) \quad [h_x] + [h_y]D\varphi = 0,$$

where  $D\varphi$  is a derivative with respect to  $x$ , thus the following is established:

$$(3.3) \quad D\varphi(x) = -[h_y]^{-1}[h_x].$$

On the other hand,

$$(3.4) \quad dy/dt = D\varphi(x)dx/dt,$$

because of  $y = \varphi(x)$ . We can reduce the slow system to the following:

$$(3.5) \quad D\varphi(x)dx/dt = f(x, \varphi(x)).$$

Using(3.3), the system (3.5) is described by

$$(3.6) \quad [h_x]dx/dt = -[h_y]f(x, \varphi(x)).$$

Put  $A = [h_x] = [h_{ij}]$  simply, then

$$(3.7) \quad dx/dt = -B[h_y]f(x, \varphi(x)),$$

where  $B$  is a cofactor matrix of  $A$ , that is,  $B = [A_{ji}]$ .  $A_{ij}$  is a *cofactor* of  $h_{ij}$ .

(A5)The system(3.7) is the time scaled reduced system projected into  $R^2$ . Again, we assume the set  $T_2 = \{(x, y) \in R^4 | \det A = 0\} \neq \emptyset$ . All the singular points of the system(3.7) are nondegenerate, that is, the matrix induced from the linearized system of (3.7) at a singular point has distinct nonzero eigenvalues.

**Remark.** All these points are contained in the set  $GPS = \{(x, y) \in GPL | \det A = 0\}$ , which is called the set of *generalized pseudo singular points*.

As this approach transforms the original system to the time scaled reduced system directly, it is called a *direct method*.

**Definition3.1.** Let  $p \in GPS$  and  $\mu_1, \mu_2$  be two eigenvalues of the matrix associated with the linearized system of (3.7) at  $p \in R^4$ . The point  $p$  is called *generalized pseudo singular saddle* if  $\mu_1 < 0 < \mu_2$  and called *generalized pseudo singular node* if  $\mu_1 < \mu_2 < 0$  or  $\mu_1 > \mu_2 > 0$ . It is called *generalized pseudo singular focus* if they are complex conjugate.

Now, we have to give a description on the definition of the duck solution in  $R^4$  along the direct method.

**Definition3.2.** Let a point  $p$  be in GPS. If a trajectory follows first the attractive surface before this point and the saddle one at the point  $p$ , and then it goes along the slow manifold, which is not infinitesimal, it is called a *duck solution in  $R^4$* .

Furthermore, we assume that the following.

(A6) The invariant manifold  $Inv(h(x, y))$  lying near the  $GPS$  has 2-dimension in  $R^4$ . It intersects  $GPL$  transversely.

#### 4.LOCAL MODELS

In this section, we shall give the following two theorems through a local model in  $R^{2+2}$ . See [7].

**Theorem4.1.** Let  $0 \in GPS$  be saddle or node. If the matrix  $[h_x(0, \phi(0))]$  has one zero eigenvalue and the other one has negative with a local model satisfying the conditions: (1)  $\partial h_1(0)/\partial x_2 = 0, \partial h_2(0)/\partial x_2 = 0$ , (2)  $f_1(0) \neq 0, f_2(0) \neq 0$ , there exists a duck solution in  $R^4$ .

(Proof) As only one of the eigenvalues of the matrix  $[h_x(x, \phi(x))]$  on the slow manifold takes zero on GPS, the assumptions (A2), (A4) ensure that two eigenvalues of  $[h_x(x, \phi(x))]$  are negative in the fast vector field before GPS. They are maybe it is meant negative, respectively positive after GPS. When each coefficient on GPS is limited, a local model shows a precise structure as an approximation of the original system. Then, the property on GPS reflects directly the whole system. It can be shown that the time scaled reduced system ( $\epsilon = 0$ ) is an approximated one with a singular solution of the whole system ( $\epsilon \neq 0$ ), because the corresponding solutions are very close each other under the only two conditions. Therefore, we can conclude that there exists a duck solution.

Let  $0 \in GPS$  be saddle or node. When changing the variables correspond to microscopes ( $\alpha \simeq 0$ ):  $x_1 = \alpha^p u_1, x_2 = \alpha^q u_2, y_1 = \alpha^r v_1, y_2 = \alpha^s v_2, p, q, r, s \in N$ , the original system is reduced to the system with variables  $u_1, u_2, v_1, v_2$ . Then there exist local models which describe the 4-dimensional duck solutions.

**Theorem4.2.** If the system has a square-linear solution in a local model, for any  $p, q, r, s \in N$ , there exist essentially two local models describing the explicit duck solutions, .

(Proof)

In the case  $p = 2, q = 1, r = 2, s = 2$ , changing variables:

$$(4.1) \quad x_1 = \alpha^2 u_1, x_2 = \alpha u_2, y_1 = \alpha^2 v_1, y_2 = \alpha^2 v_2,$$

we reduce the system as well in (4.2) as well in (4.3).

$$(4.2) \quad \begin{aligned} \epsilon du_1/dt &= h_1(\alpha^2 u_1, \alpha u_2, \alpha^2 v_1, \alpha^2 v_2, \epsilon)/\alpha^2, \\ \epsilon du_2/dt &= h_2(\alpha^2 u_1, \alpha u_2, \alpha^2 v_1, \alpha^2 v_2, \epsilon)/\alpha, \\ dv_1/dt &= f_1(\alpha^2 u_1, \alpha u_2, \alpha^2 v_1, \alpha^2 v_2, \epsilon)/\alpha^2, \\ dv_2/dt &= f_2(\alpha^2 u_1, \alpha u_2, \alpha^2 v_1, \alpha^2 v_2, \epsilon)/\alpha^2. \end{aligned}$$

Multiplying the right hand side of the system(3.2) by  $\alpha^2$ ,

$$(4.3) \quad \begin{aligned} (\epsilon/\alpha^2) du_1/dt &= h_1(\alpha^2 u_1, \alpha u_2, \alpha^2 v_1, \alpha^2 v_2, \epsilon)/\alpha^2 \\ (\epsilon/\alpha^2) du_2/dt &= h_2(\alpha^2 u_1, \alpha u_2, \alpha^2 v_1, \alpha^2 v_2, \epsilon)/\alpha, \\ dv_1/dt &= f_1(\alpha^2 u_1, \alpha u_2, \alpha^2 v_1, \alpha^2 v_2, \epsilon), \\ dv_2/dt &= f_2(\alpha^2 u_1, \alpha u_2, \alpha^2 v_1, \alpha^2 v_2, \epsilon). \end{aligned}$$

In fact, doing time scaling  $t = \alpha^2 \tau$ , then  $dt = \alpha^2 d\tau$ . It is easily shown that the formula(4.3) is equivalent to (4.2).

By using the assumptions (A1) and (A4), we construct a local model under the most simple conditions:

$$(4.4) \quad \begin{aligned} (1) \partial h_1(0)/\partial x_2 &= 0, \partial h_2(0)/\partial x_2 = 0, \\ (2) f_1(0) &\neq 0, f_2(0) \neq 0. \end{aligned}$$

Putting  $\epsilon/\alpha^2$  infinitesimal to  $\epsilon$  simply, the local model reduced from the system(3.1) is obtained.

$$(4.5) \quad \begin{aligned} \epsilon du_1/dt &= Au_1 + Bv_1 + Cv_2 + Du_2^2/2 + L(\epsilon), \\ \epsilon du_2/dt &= Eu_2 + L(\epsilon), \\ dv_1/dt &= f_1(0) + L(\epsilon), \\ dv_2/dt &= f_2(0) + L(\epsilon), \end{aligned}$$

where  $A = \partial h_1(0)/\partial x_1$ ,  $B = \partial h_1(0)/\partial y_1$ ,  $C = \partial h_1(0)/\partial y_2$ ,  $D = \partial^2 h_1(0)/\partial x_2^2$ ,  $E = \partial h_2(0)/\partial x_2$ .

Note that the conditions  $A = \partial h_1(0)/\partial x_1 < 0$  and  $E = \partial h_2(0)/\partial x_2 = 0$  imply that  $0 \in GPS$  is saddle. See Definition3.3. The corresponding solutions in the local model are as follows: when  $\epsilon = 0$ ,

$$(4.6) \quad \begin{aligned} u_1 &= -(Bf_1(0) + Cf_2(0))t/A - Dt^2/(2A), u_2 = t, \\ v_1 &= f_1(0)t, v_2 = f_2(0)t, \end{aligned}$$

when  $\epsilon \neq 0$ ,

$$(4.7) \quad \begin{aligned} u_1 &= -(Bf_1(0) + Cf_2(0))t/A - Dt^2/(2A) + L(\epsilon), u_2 = t + L(\epsilon), \\ v_1 &= f_1(0)t + L(\epsilon), v_2 = f_2(0)t + L(\epsilon). \end{aligned}$$

In the case  $p = 2$ ,  $q = 1$ ,  $r = 3$ ,  $s = 2$ , changing variables:

$$(4.8) \quad x_1 = \alpha^2 u_1, x_2 = \alpha u_2, y_1 = \alpha^3 v_1, y_2 = \alpha^2 v_2,$$

we construct a local model under the conditions:

$$(4.9) \quad \begin{aligned} (1) \partial h_1(0)/\partial x_2 &= 0, \partial h_2(0)/\partial x_2 = 0, \\ (2) f_1(0) &= 0, f_2(0) \neq 0. \end{aligned}$$

The corresponding local model is

$$(4.10) \quad \begin{aligned} \epsilon du_1/dt &= Au_1 + Bv_2 + Cu_2^2/2 + L(\epsilon), \\ \epsilon du_2/dt &= Du_2 + L(\epsilon), \\ dv_1/dt &= Eu_2 + L(\epsilon), \\ dv_2/dt &= f_2(0) + L(\epsilon), \end{aligned}$$

where  $A = \partial h_1(0)/\partial x_1$ ,  $B = \partial h_1(0)/\partial y_2$ ,  $C = \partial^2 h_1(0)/\partial x_2^2$ ,  $D = \partial h_2(0)/\partial x_2$ ,  $E = \partial f_1(0)/\partial x_2$ .

Notice that we assume again that  $A < 0$  and  $D = 0$ , because the fast vector field has one zero eigenvalue and the other one is negative.. The corresponding solutions in the local model are as follows: when  $\epsilon = 0$ ,

$$(4.11) \quad \begin{aligned} u_1 &= -Bf_2(0)t/A - Ct^2/(2A), u_2 = t, \\ v_1 &= Et^2/2, v_2 = f_2(0)t, \end{aligned}$$

when  $\epsilon \neq 0$ ,

$$(4.12) \quad \begin{aligned} u_1 &= -Bf_2(0)t/A - Ct^2/(2A) + L(\epsilon), u_2 = t + L(\epsilon), \\ v_1 &= Et^2/2 + L(\epsilon), v_2 = f_2(0)t + L(\epsilon). \end{aligned}$$

In another case, it is impossible to get an explicit solution with a square-linear one but a cubic-linear (or much higher order) one.

In this approach, an invertible affine transformation must be needed for a general point  $p \in GPS$ , because the conditions (4.4), (4.9) are assumed at only  $0 \in GPS$ . These conditions may not be satisfied at the general pseudo singular point. We have to change the coordinates from the point  $p$  to 0. Notice that we do not know if the corresponding affine transformation keeps the conditions(4.4). In many cases, however, it is feasible.

**Remark.** It is easily to find that any solutions  $(u_1, u_2, v_1, v_2)$  at the same time  $t$  in (4.6) and (4.7) are very near. This fact implies that the time scaled reduced system is an approximated one.

## 5. RELATIVE STABILITY

In what follows we shall show how to construct a 4-dimensional duck with relative stability[9]. In the system (3.1), we assume that the following: when (1) $h_1 = h_2, f_1 = f_2$ , and (2) $x_1 = x_2, y_1 = y_2$ , are satisfied, the system has a 2-dimensional duck on a projected space  $(x_1, y_1)$ . Notice that the corresponding invariant manifold  $Inv(h(x, y))$  is a limit cycle including the duck. In this state, the manifold intersects  $GPL$  transversely.

**Definition 5.1.** If the system (3.1) satisfies the above condition (1), it is said to be symmetric.

**Definition 5.2.** Let a compact set  $M$  and a set  $V$  be in  $R^4$ . The set  $M$  is said to be stable, relatively to the set  $V$ , if given an  $\epsilon > 0$  there exists  $\delta > 0$  such that  $\gamma(U(M, \delta) \cap V, t) \subset U(M, \epsilon)$  for any  $t \in R$ , where  $U(M, \epsilon)$  denotes  $\epsilon$ -neighborhood of the set  $M$ , and  $\gamma((x, y), t)$  denotes the trajectory.

**Theorem 5.1.** Let the system(3.1) be symmetric and have a 2-dimensional duck. If there exists a pseudo singular node point in the  $\epsilon^3$ -neighborhood of the invariant set  $Inv(h(x, y))$ , then there exists a 4-dimensional duck with relative stability.

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