# Further and More on Equilibria of 3D Autonomous Chaotic Systems

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# **Lorenz System**

$$
\begin{cases} \n\dot{x} = a(y - x) \\
\dot{y} = cx - xz - y \\
\dot{z} = xy - bz\n\end{cases}
$$



 $a=10, b=8/3, c=28$ 

E. N. Lorenz, "Deterministic non-periodic flow," J. Atmos. Sci., 20: 130-141, 1963.

### **Main Characteristics**

**"Simple" Autonomous 3D Quadratic (smooth) 3 Equilibria (two saddles) Hyperbolic (Jacobian eigenvalues ( - , 0, + ) )**

**After all, it is chaotic**

# 3D Autonomous Chaotic Systems

State of the Art: with

- $\checkmark$  No equilibrium points
- $\checkmark$  One equilibrium point
- $\checkmark$  Two equilibrium points
- $\checkmark$  Three equilibrium points
- $\checkmark$  Any number of equilibrium points
- $\checkmark$  Infinitely many equilibrium points

### **Chaotic system with no equilibrium points**



X Wang and G Chen: Constructing a chaotic system with any number of equilibria, Nonl Dynam 2013

#### More: Chaotic systems with no equilibrium (1/2)





S. Jafaria, J.C. Sprott, S. M. R. H. Golpayegani, Elementary quadratic chaotic flows with no equilibria, Phys. Lett. A 377, 699-702 (2013)



Chaotic systems with no equilibrium (2/2)

S. Jafaria, J.C. Sprott, S. M. R. H. Golpayegani, Elementary quadratic chaotic flows with no equilibria, Phys. Lett. A 377, 699-702 (2013)

### **Chaotic system with one stable equilibrium**



 $a = +0.05$ 

 $(-0.60746, -0.19627 \pm 0.61076i)$ 

X Wang and G Chen: A chaotic system with only one stable equilibrium, Comm in Nonl Sci and Numer Simul, 2012

### **More: chaotic systems with one equilibrium**



Table 1. 23 simple chaotic flows with one stable equilibrium.



M. Molaie, S. Jafari, J. C. Sprott, and S. M. R. H. Golpayegani, Simple chaotic flows with one stable equilibrium, Int. J. Bifur. Chaos, 23(11), 1350188, 2013.

### **Chaotic systems with two equilibrium points**





### **2 Stable Foci**



 $\lambda_{2,3} = -0.1111 \pm 9.7635i$ 

Q. Yang, Z. Wei and G. Chen, IJBC (2010)

#### **Chaotic systems with three equilibrium points**



### **1 Saddle + 2 Stable Foci**



### **Chaotic systems with any number of equilibrium points**



X Wang and G Chen: Constructing a chaotic system with any number

# Symmetry



# **Example**

$$
\mathbb{R}_y(\pi) \begin{cases} u = x^2 - z^2 \\ v = y \\ w = 2xz \end{cases}
$$
local diffeomorphism

$$
\begin{cases}\n\dot{u} = vw + a \\
\dot{v} = u^2 - v \\
\dot{w} = 1 - 4u.\n\end{cases}\n\longrightarrow\n\begin{cases}\n\dot{x} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{z + 2yx^2 z + xa - 4x^2 z + 4z^3}{x^2 + z^2} \\
\dot{y} = (x^2 - z^2)^2 - y \\
\dot{z} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{2yxz^2 + za - 4xz^2 - x + 4x^3}{x^2 + z^2}.\n\end{cases}
$$

One equilibrium Two equilibria

### **Stability of the two equilibrium points**

- Two symmetrical equilibrium points (independent of parameter *a* )  $P1(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{16}, 0)$  and  $P1(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{16}, 0)$
- Eigenvalue of Jacobian:

$$
\lambda_1 = -1 < 0,
$$
\n
$$
\lambda_2 = -2a + 0.5i,
$$
\n
$$
\lambda_3 = -2a - 0.5i.
$$

• So, *a* > 0 (stable); *a* < 0 (unstable)

# **Simulation**



stable equilibrium points  $a = 0.005 > 0$ 

# **Simulation**



unstable equilibrium points  $a = -0.01 < 0$ 

# **Example**

$$
\mathbb{R}_y(\frac{2}{3}\pi) \quad \begin{cases} u = x^3 - 3xz^2 \\ v = y \end{cases}
$$
 local diffeomorphism  

$$
\begin{cases} \dot{u} = vw + a \\ \dot{v} = u^2 - v \\ \dot{w} = 1 - 4u. \end{cases}
$$

$$
\begin{cases} \dot{x} = \frac{1}{3} \frac{3 x^4 z y - 4 x^2 z^3 y + x^2 a - 8 x^4 z + 2 z x + 24 x^2 z^3 + z^5 y - z^2 a}{2 x^2 z^2 + x^4 + z^4} \\ \dot{y} = (x^3 - 3xz^2)^2 - y \\ \dot{z} = -\frac{1}{3} \frac{6 z^2 x^3 y - 2 z^4 xy + 2 z x a + 4 x^5 - x^2 - 16 z^2 x^3 + z^2 + 12 z^4 x}{2 x^2 z^2 + x^4 + z^4}. \end{cases}
$$



# **Simulation**



 $a = 0.005 > 0$  (stable)

### **Simulation**



 $a = -0.01 < 0$  (unstable)

# One more example:



# **Now, theoretically one can create any number of equilibrium points**



Existence of Chaotic Attractors

#### **Shilnikov Theorem** (1967):

If a 3D autonomous system has two distinct saddle equilibrium points and there exists a heteroclinic orbit connecting them, and if the eigenvalues of the Jacobin of the system at these fixed points are

 $\alpha_k$ ,  $\beta_k \pm j\omega_k$  ( $k = 1,2$ )

Satisfying  $|\alpha_k| > |\beta_k| > 0$  ( $k = 1,2$ ) and  $\beta_1\beta_2 > 0$  or  $\omega_1\omega_2 > 0$ 

then the system has infinitely many Smale horseshoes and hence has horseshoe chaos.







**(a)** Multiple heteroclinic orbit



**(b)** Multi-scroll attractors

### Multi-Equilibrium/Multi-Scroll Attractors in Nature



# -Thank You!

