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Change of Stability

and

Branching of Periodic Orbits

in Reversible Systems

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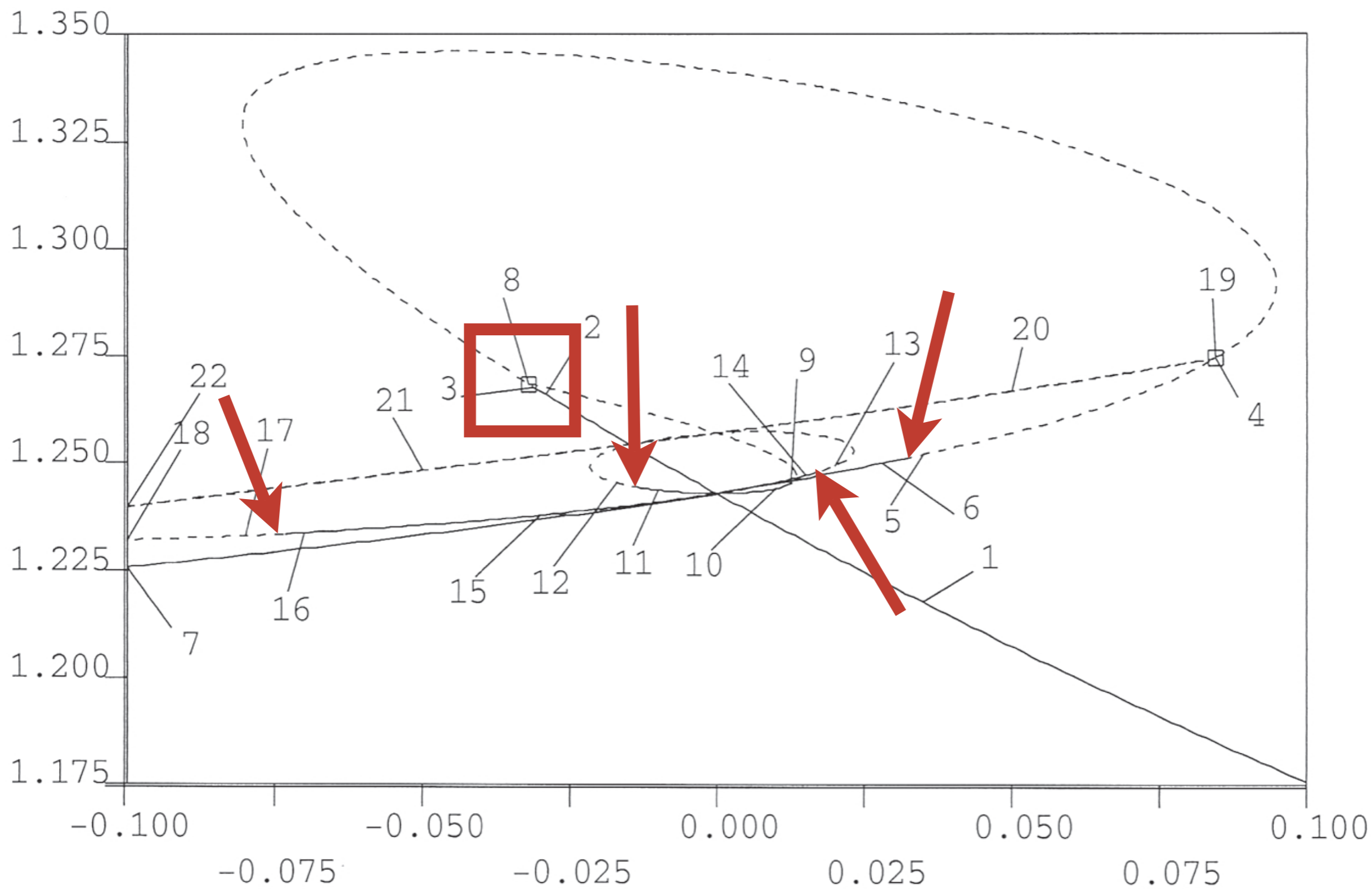
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from bifurcation theory...

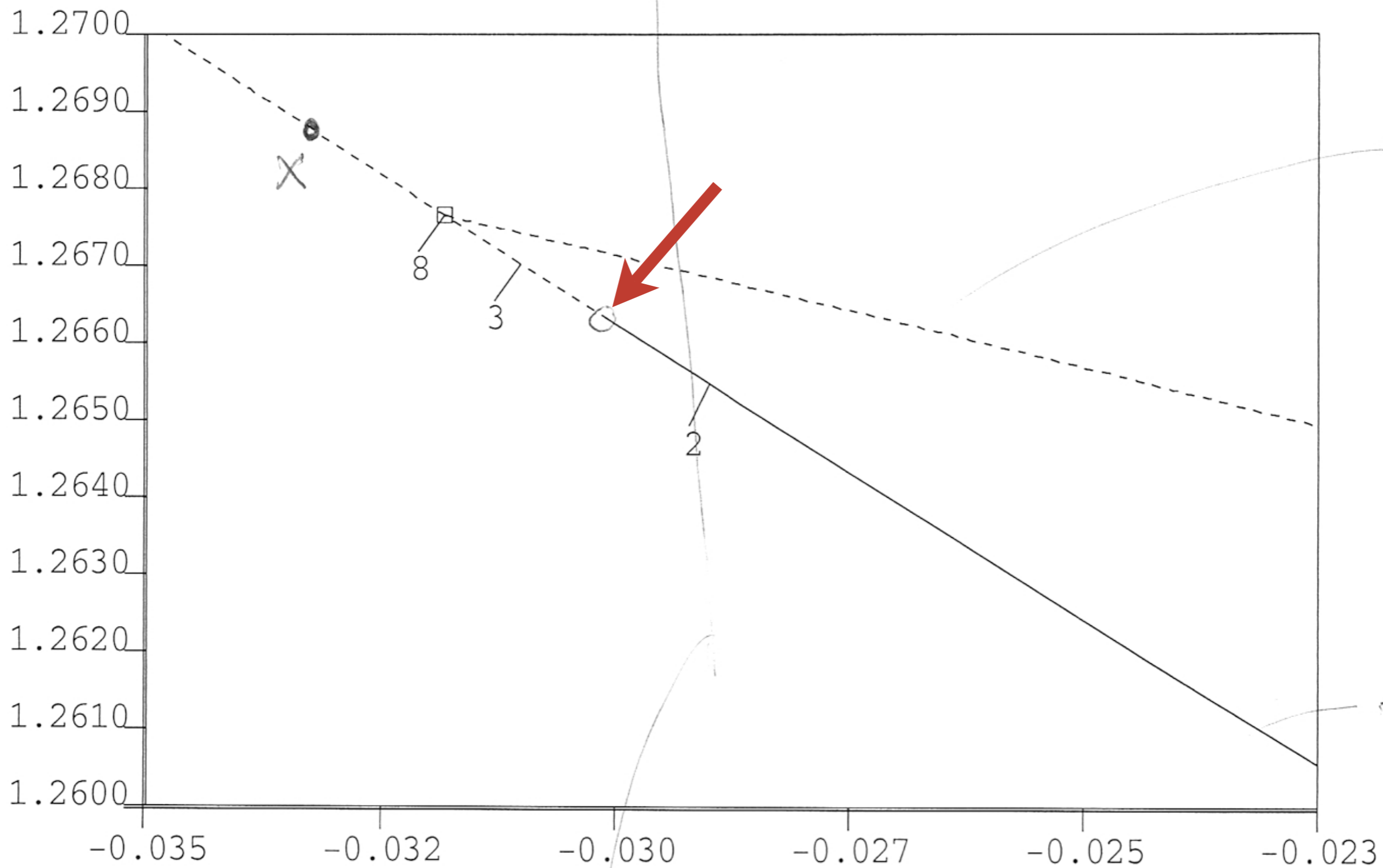
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implies


Bifurcation



Numerical calculations by Sebius Doedel



How can this be explained?



The system studied by Sebius forms a special case of

Discrete Non-Linear
Schroedinger Equations

DNLSE

The system is Hamiltonian:

$$\dot{\psi}_k = i \frac{\partial H}{\partial \bar{\psi}_k}, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}_N = \mathbb{Z}/N\mathbb{Z},$$

with

$$\begin{aligned} H &= H(\psi_k, \bar{\psi}_k) \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^N \left(|\psi_k - \psi_{k+1}|^2 \right. \\ &\quad \left. - |\psi_k|^4 - \delta_k |\psi_k|^2 \right). \end{aligned}$$

Explicitly the equations take the form:

$$\dot{\psi}_k = -i \left[(\psi_{k-1} + \psi_{k+1} - 2\psi_k) + 2|\psi_k|^2\psi_k + \delta_k\psi_k \right],$$

with

$$\psi_k \in \mathbb{C}$$

and

$$k \in \mathbb{Z}_N.$$

The system is equivariant with respect to the S^1 -action defined by

$$(\theta, \psi_k) \mapsto e^{i\theta} \psi_k, \quad \forall \theta \in S^1, \quad \forall k.$$

There is a corresponding first integral (Noether's theorem):

$$F = F(\psi_k, \bar{\psi}_k) = \sum_{k=1}^N |\psi_k|^2.$$

This S^1 -equivariance allows us to consider **relative equilibria**, that is, special periodic solutions of the form

$$\psi_k(t) = e^{i\omega t} \hat{\psi}_k,$$
$$(\omega \in \mathbb{R}, \hat{\psi}_k \in \mathbb{C}, k \in \mathbb{Z}_N).$$

The problem then reduces to a set of algebraic equations, namely:

$$(\omega + \delta_k + 2|\hat{\psi}_k|^2)\hat{\psi}_k$$
$$+ (\hat{\psi}_{k-1} + \hat{\psi}_{k+1} - 2\hat{\psi}_k) = 0,$$
$$(k \in \mathbb{Z}_N).$$

The system is also **reversible**, with reversor given by

$$R(\psi_1, \psi_2, \dots, \psi_N) = (\bar{\psi}_1, \bar{\psi}_2, \dots, \bar{\psi}_N).$$

A special case

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$$\delta_k = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{for } k \neq m \pmod{N}, \\ \delta & \text{for } k = m \pmod{N}, \end{cases}$$

then there is an additional \mathbb{Z}_2 -equivariance, generated by

$$\begin{aligned} & S(\psi_1, \dots, \psi_{m-1}, \psi_m, \psi_{m+1}, \dots, \psi_N) \\ &= (\psi_{2m-1}, \dots, \psi_{m+1}, \psi_m, \psi_{m-1}, \dots, \psi_{2m}). \end{aligned}$$

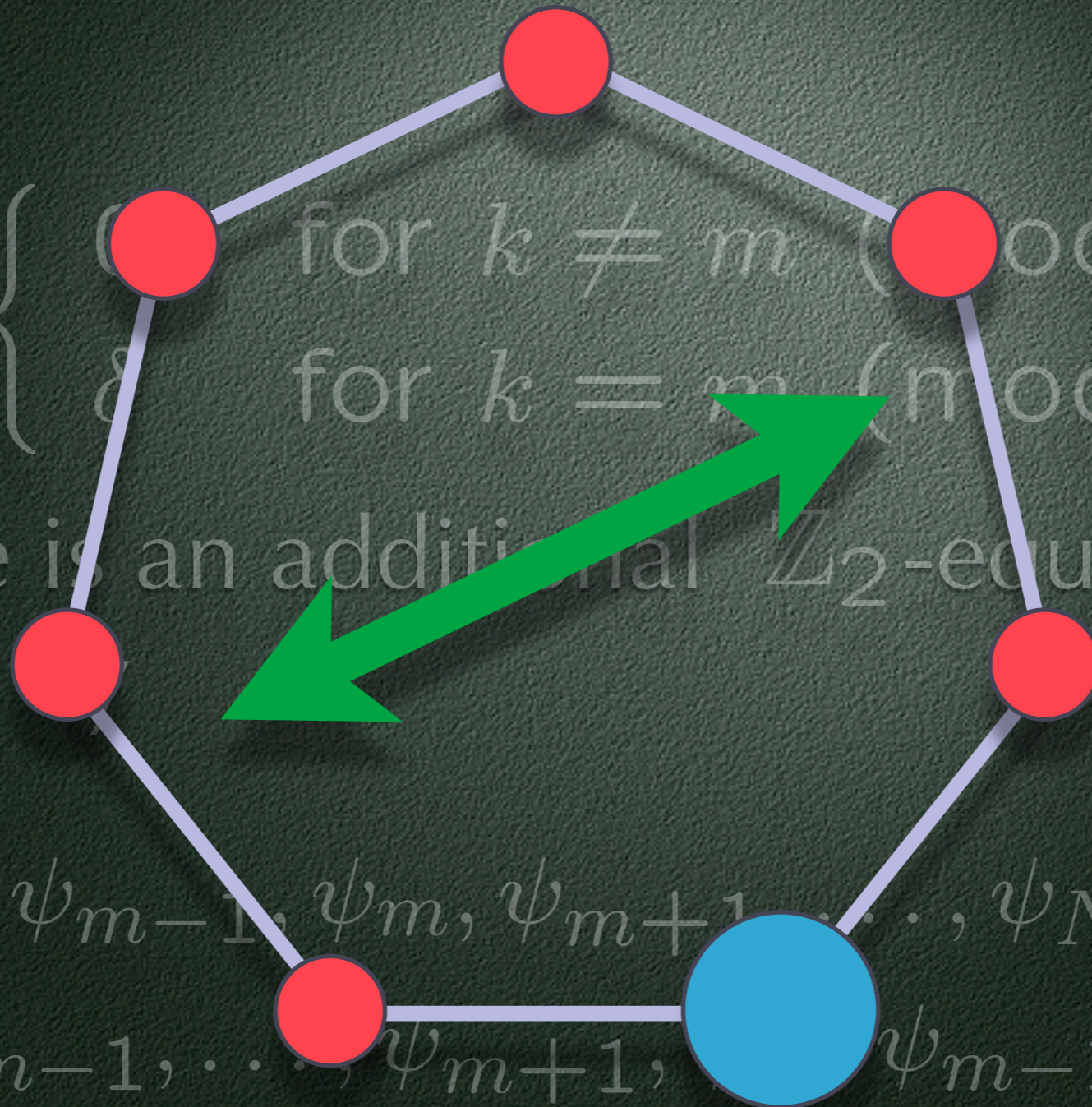
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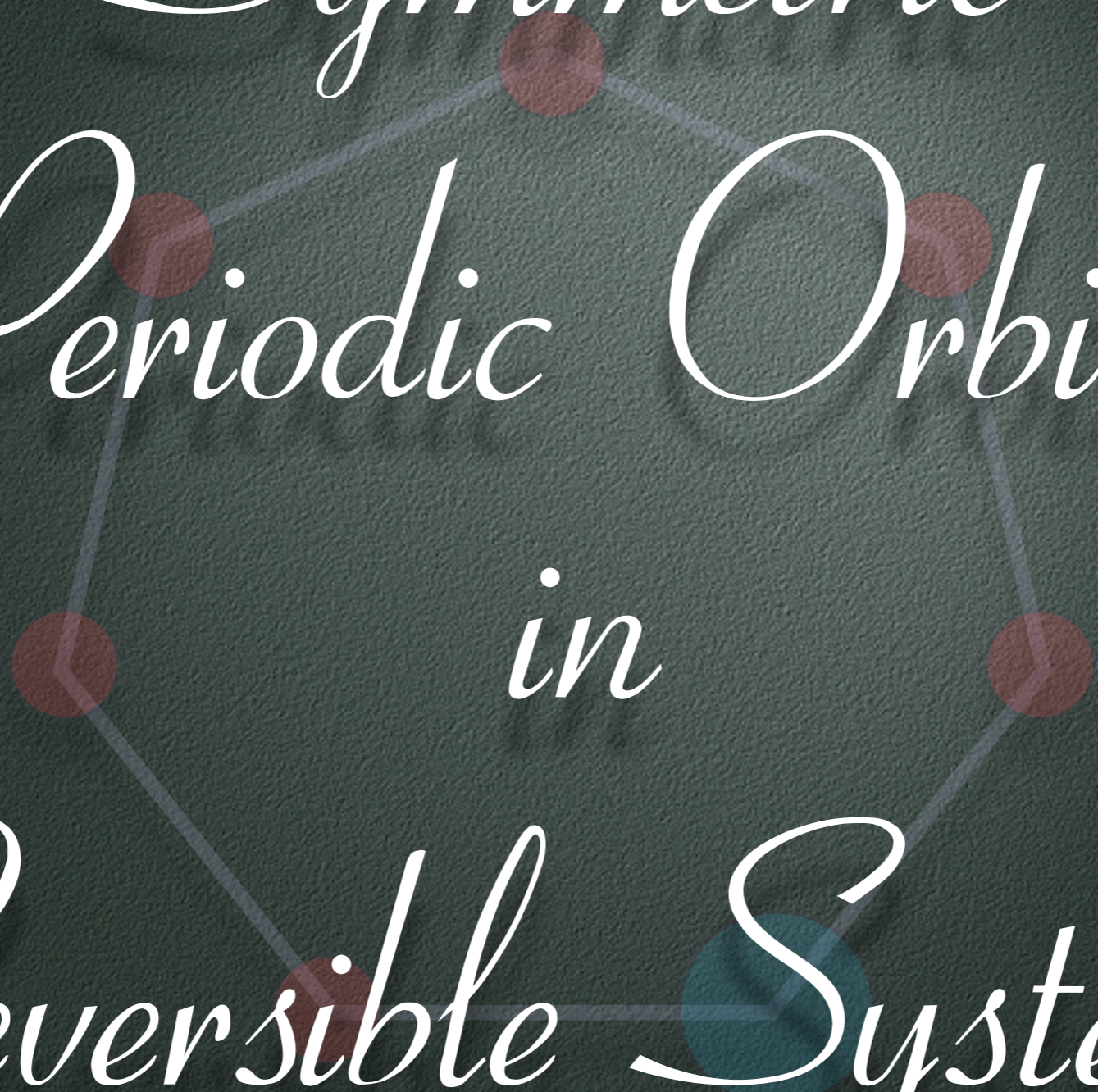
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*Symmetric
Periodic Orbits
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Reversible Systems*

Consider a (smooth) $2N$ -dimensional system

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

with flow $\tilde{x}(t, x)$.

Suppose there is a linear operator R such that

$$R^2 = Id, \quad \dim(\text{Fix}(R)) = N,$$

and

$$X(Rx) = -RX(x).$$

Then

$$\tilde{x}(t, Rx) = R\tilde{x}(-t, x).$$

A solution $\tilde{x}(t, x)$ is **symmetric** (or more precisely: **R -symmetric**) if the corresponding orbit

$$\gamma = \{\tilde{x}(t, x) \mid t \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

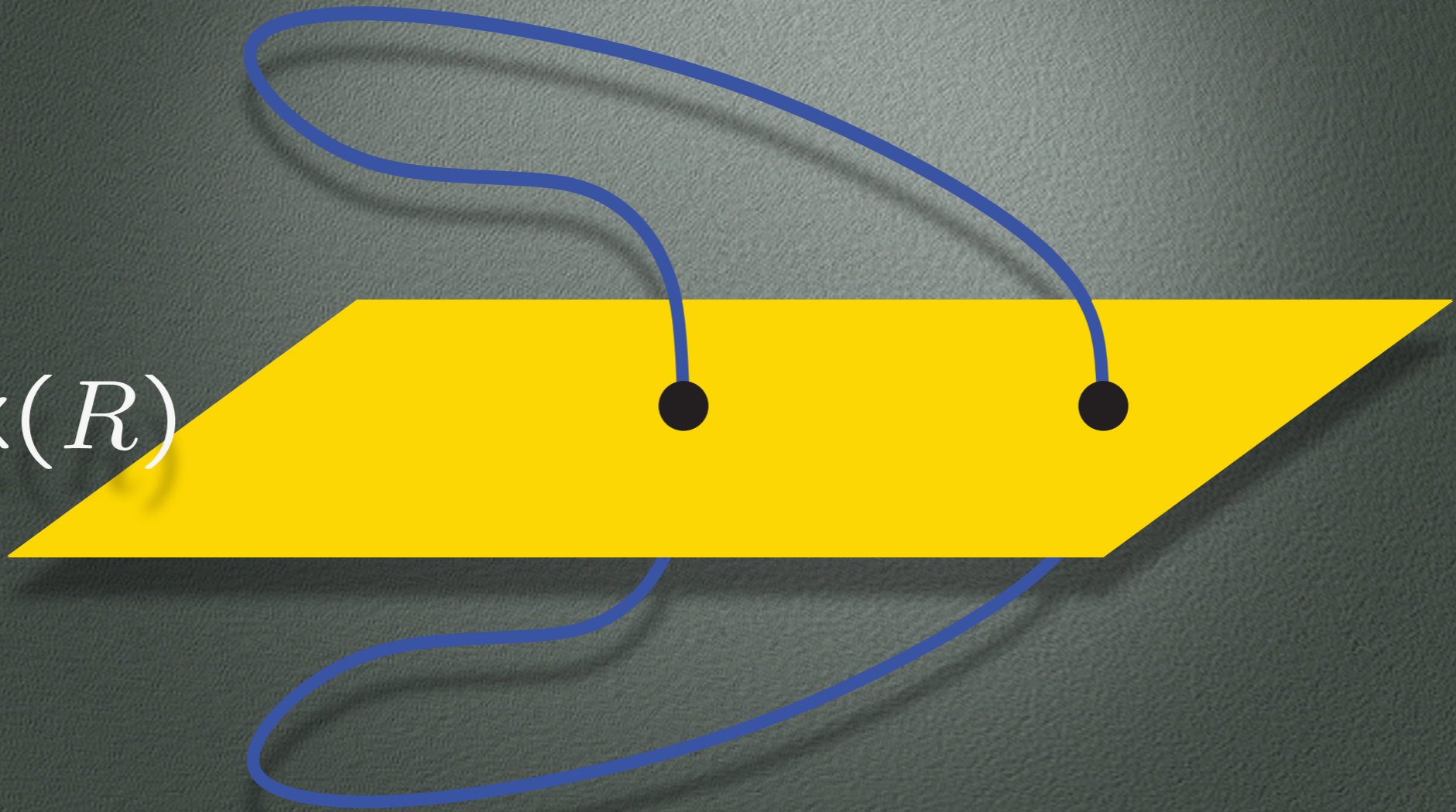
is R -invariant:

$$R(\gamma) = \gamma.$$

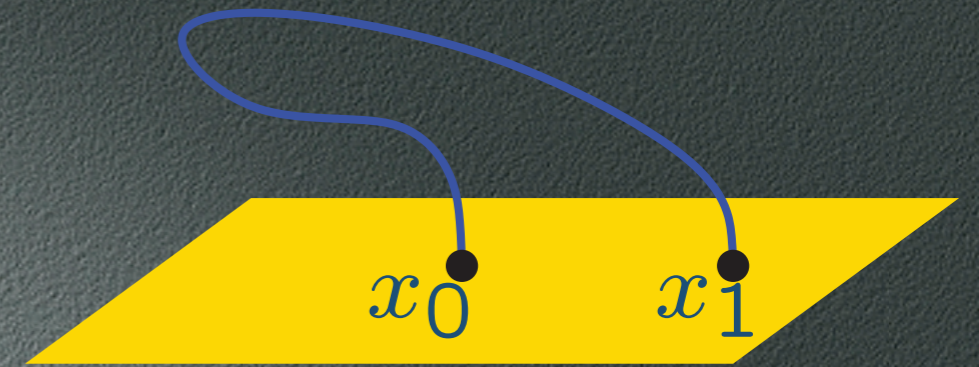
A solution is symmetric if and only if its orbit has at least one intersection point with $\text{Fix}(R)$.

A non-equilibrium solution is **symmetric and periodic** if and only if its orbit has exactly two intersection points with $\text{Fix}(R)$; the shortest time between these two intersections is one half of the minimal period.

$\text{Fix}(R)$



Now suppose that $x_0 \in \text{Fix}(R)$ generates such symmetric periodic solution, with minimal period $T_0 > 0$, and let $x_1 = \tilde{x}(T_0/2, x_0) \in \text{Fix}(R)$.



Then

$$x_1 \in \tilde{x}(T_0/2, \text{Fix}(R)) \cap \text{Fix}(R).$$

Both $\tilde{x}(T_0/2, \text{Fix}(R))$ and $\text{Fix}(R)$ are N -dimensional.

If the intersection of these two N -dimensional submanifolds is **transversal** at x_1 then the intersection point persists when we replace T_0 by any nearby T , i.e. we obtain a **one-parameter** family of symmetric periodic orbits parametrized by the period.

Even if $\tilde{x}(T_0/2, \text{Fix}(R))$ and $\text{fix}(R)$ do not intersect transversally at x_1 it may still be that the $(N + 1)$ -dimensional manifold $\{\tilde{x}(t, x) \mid t \in \mathbb{R}, x \in \text{Fix}(R)\}$ and the N -dimensional manifold $\text{Fix}(R)$ intersect transversally at x_1 .

Also in this case we have a **one-dimensional family** of symmetric periodic orbits; only, this time the family can not be parametrized by the period.

Conclusion

Typically in reversible systems symmetric periodic orbits belong to one-parameter families of such symmetric periodic orbits.



Is it possible to have along such one-parameter family of symmetric periodic orbits a change of stability without any further branching?

Characteristic multipliers of symmetric periodic orbits

The monodromy matrix M_0 of a symmetric periodic orbit $\tilde{x}(t, x_0)$ (with $x_0 \in \text{Fix}(R)$ and $x_1 = \tilde{x}(T_0/2, x_0) \in \text{Fix}(R)$) satisfies the relation

$$RM_0R = M_0^{-1}.$$

As a consequence, if $\mu \in \mathbb{C}$ is a multiplier, then so are μ^{-1} , $\bar{\mu}$ and $\bar{\mu}^{-1}$.

Characteristic multipliers of symmetric periodic orbits

$\mu = 1$ is always a multiplier, with
even algebraic multiplicity ≥ 2

if $\mu = -1$ is a multiplier, then its
algebraic multiplicity is even

all other multipliers come in pairs
 $\{\mu, \bar{\mu}\}$ with $|\mu| = 1$, or in quadru-
ples $\{\mu, \bar{\mu}, \mu^{-1}, \bar{\mu}^{-1}\}$ with $|\mu| \neq 1$

Characteristic multipliers of symmetric periodic orbits

The same rules apply to the eigenvalues of $DP(x_0)$, where P is any Poincaré-map at x_0 , except that $\mu = 1$ is always an eigenvalue, with odd multiplicity $m_a \geq 1$.

A change of stability is only possible (and will typically happen) if $m_a \geq 3$.

Now suppose that — as in our DNLS example — the system has also a first integral $H : \mathbb{R}^{2N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$.

Let $\Sigma = X(x_0)^\perp$ and consider the corresponding Poincaré-map $P : x_0 + \Sigma \rightarrow x_0 + \Sigma$. Let H_Σ be the restriction of H to $x_0 + \Sigma$. Then

$$H_\Sigma(P(x)) = H_\Sigma(x), \quad \forall x \in x_0 + \Sigma.$$

Differentiating this relation at $x_0 = P(x_0)$ gives us

$$DH_\Sigma(x_0) \cdot DP(x_0) = DH_\Sigma(x_0),$$

in other words:

$$\text{Im}\left(DP(x_0) - \text{Id}_\Sigma\right) \subset \nabla H_\Sigma(x_0)^\perp.$$

From the other side, if we assume that the symmetric periodic solution $\tilde{x}(t, x_0)$ belongs to a one-parameter family of such solutions, then P must have a one-dimensional curve of fixed points passing through x_0 :

$$P(\hat{x}(s)) = \hat{x}(s), \quad \text{with } \hat{x}(s) \in x_0 + \Sigma \text{ and } \hat{x}(0) = x_0.$$

Differentiating at $s = 0$ shows that

$$DP(x_0) \cdot \hat{x}'(0) = \hat{x}'(0),$$

that is:

$$\hat{x}'(0) \in \text{Ker}\left(DP(x_0) - \text{Id}_\Sigma\right).$$

So, our assumptions imply

$$\hat{x}'(0) \in \text{Ker}\left(DP(x_0) - \text{Id}_\Sigma\right)$$

and

$$\text{Im}\left(DP(x_0) - \text{Id}_\Sigma\right) \subset \nabla H_\Sigma(x_0)^\perp.$$

We assume that both $\hat{x}'(0)$ and $\nabla H_\Sigma(x_0)$ are non-zero.

If moreover 1 is a **simple eigenvalue** of $DP(x_0)$ then we have also that

$$\Sigma = \text{Ker}\left(DP(x_0) - \text{Id}_\Sigma\right) \oplus \text{Im}\left(DP(x_0) - \text{Id}_\Sigma\right).$$

Therefore, if 1 is a simple eigenvalue of $DP(x_0)$:

$$\text{Im}\left(DP(x_0) - \text{Id}_\Sigma\right) = \nabla H_\Sigma(x_0)^\perp$$

and

$$DH(x_0) \cdot \hat{x}'(0) \neq 0.$$

In particular, if

$$DH(x_0) \cdot \hat{x}'(0) = 0,$$

— for example when H reaches a local maximum or minimum along the given branch of symmetric periodic orbits — then we have necessarily

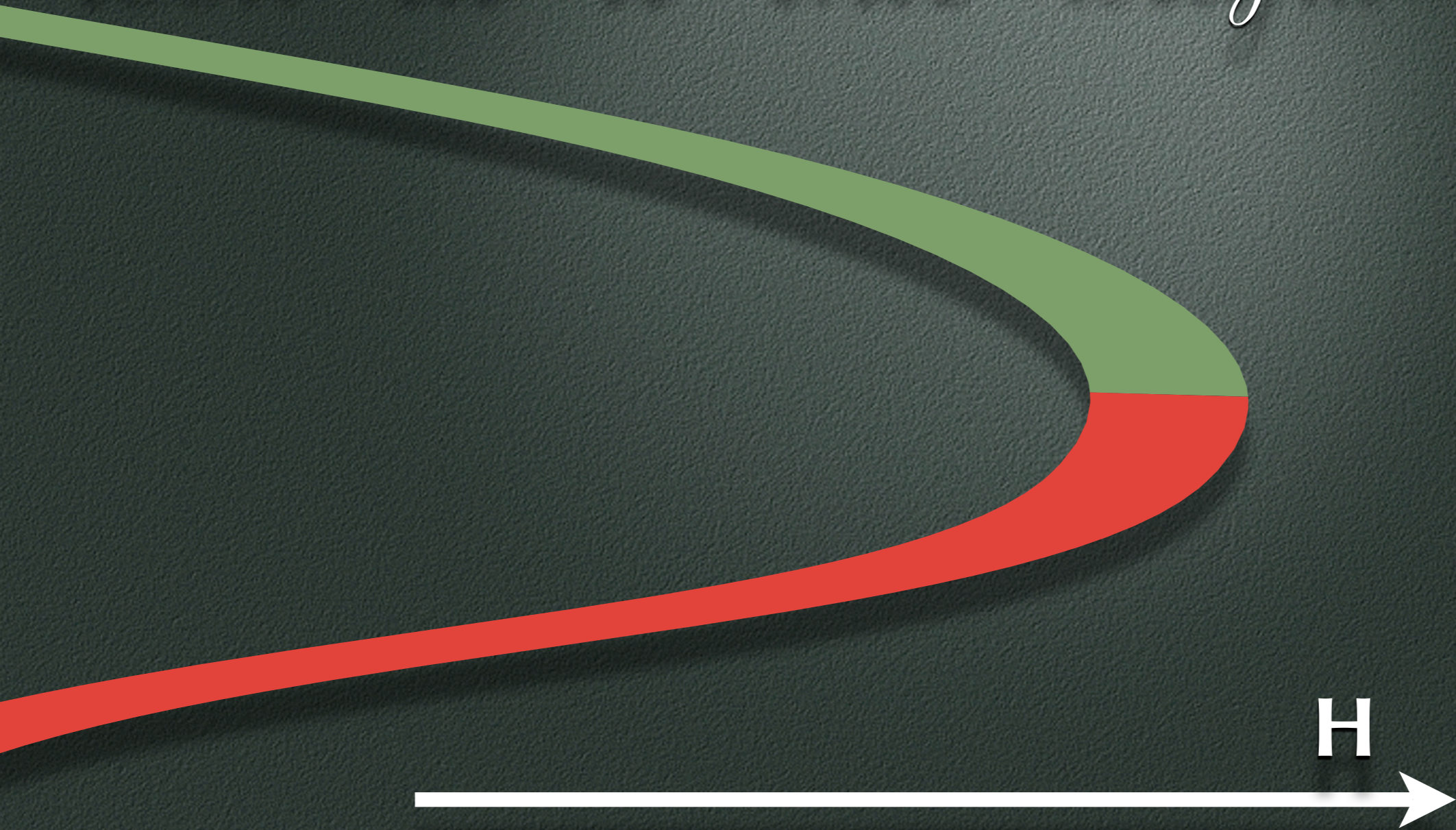
$$m_a \geq 3,$$

and typically there will be a change of stability.

*A change of stability
without branching!*



*Of course we could also
look at it this way...*



However, in our example, there is no reason why at each of the indicated transition points the Hamiltonian should reach a maximum or a minimum!

Therefore, in order to obtain some more convincing results, we have to make a more detailed analysis of the Poincaré-map.

We start with a symmetric periodic orbit in a reversible system.

We assume that the linearization of a Poincaré-map at this symmetric periodic orbit has 1 as an eigenvalue with algebraic multiplicity $m_a = 3$.

We then explore the different possibilities...

Let the symmetric periodic orbit be given by

$$\gamma_0 = \{\tilde{x}(t, x_0) \mid t \in \mathbb{R}\},$$

with $x_0 \in \text{Fix}(R)$, and with minimal period $T_0 > 0$.

To define a Poincaré map we consider at x_0 a section

$$x_0 + \Sigma$$

transversal to γ_0 , and such that the subspace Σ of \mathbb{R}^{2N} is R -invariant. For example, we can assume that R is orthogonal, and take $\Sigma = X(x_0)^\perp$.

Since $X(x_0) \in \text{Fix}(-R)$ this implies that

$$\dim(\text{Fix}(R) \cap \Sigma) = N.$$

We define the Poincaré-map $P : \Sigma \rightarrow \Sigma$ by

$$P(y) := \tilde{x}(\tau(y), x_0 + y) - x_0,$$

where $\tau : \Sigma \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is the (unique) function which is smooth near the origin and such that

$$\tilde{x}(\tau(y), x_0 + y) \in x_0 + \Sigma \quad \text{and} \quad \tau(0) = T_0.$$

Then

$$R \circ P \circ R = P^{-1}.$$

Also

$$P(0) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \dim(\ker(A_s - I_\Sigma)) = 3,$$

where A_s is the semisimple part of $A := DP(0)$.



We look then for **fixed points** of P near x_0 .

The simple answer:

That is what Sebius did...

The more complicated answer:

For each $k \geq 2$ there are a finite number of conditions on the eigenvalues of $DP(x_0)$ which ensure that all q -periodic points of P in a sufficiently small neighborhood of x_0 and with $q \leq k$ are fixed points of P .

So we are interested in the small fixed points $y \in \Sigma$ of the Poincaré-map P .

To describe these fixed points we can use a Lyapunov-Schmidt reduction; this reduction involves the 3-dimensional and R -invariant subspace

$$U := \ker(A_s - I_\Sigma).$$

Observe that

$$\dim(U \cap \text{Fix}(R)) = 2$$

and

$$\dim(U \cap \text{Fix}(-R)) = 1$$

The Lyapunov-Schmidt reduction tells us that there is a smooth 1-1-relation between the small fixed points of P and the small fixed points of a smooth mapping $P_0 : U \rightarrow U$ which has the following properties:

- (1) $P_0(0) = 0$ and $DP_0(0) = DP(0)|_U$;
- (2) $R_0 \circ P_0 \circ R_0 = P_0^{-1}$, where $R_0 = R|_U$.

Moreover, the small fixed points of P_0 coincide with the solutions of the equation

$$B(u) := P_0(u) - P_0^{-1}(u) = 0.$$

Observe that

$$B(R_0u) = -R_0B(u), \quad \forall u \in U.$$

Moreover, $B(0) = 0$ and $DB(0) = 2A_0$, where A_0 is a nilpotent linear operator on U defined by

$$DP_0(0) = e^{A_0}$$

and satisfying

$$R_0A_0 = -A_0R_0.$$

Using normal forms we can approximate $P_0(u)$ and $B(u)$ up to any order; these normal forms give also information on the stability of the fixed points.

Taking into account that

$$\dim(\text{Fix}(R_0)) = 2 \quad \text{and} \quad \dim(\text{Fix}(-R_0)) = 1,$$

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The singularity which we want to study should appear along one-parameter families of symmetric periodic orbits

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The codimension condition implies that $A_0 \neq 0$.

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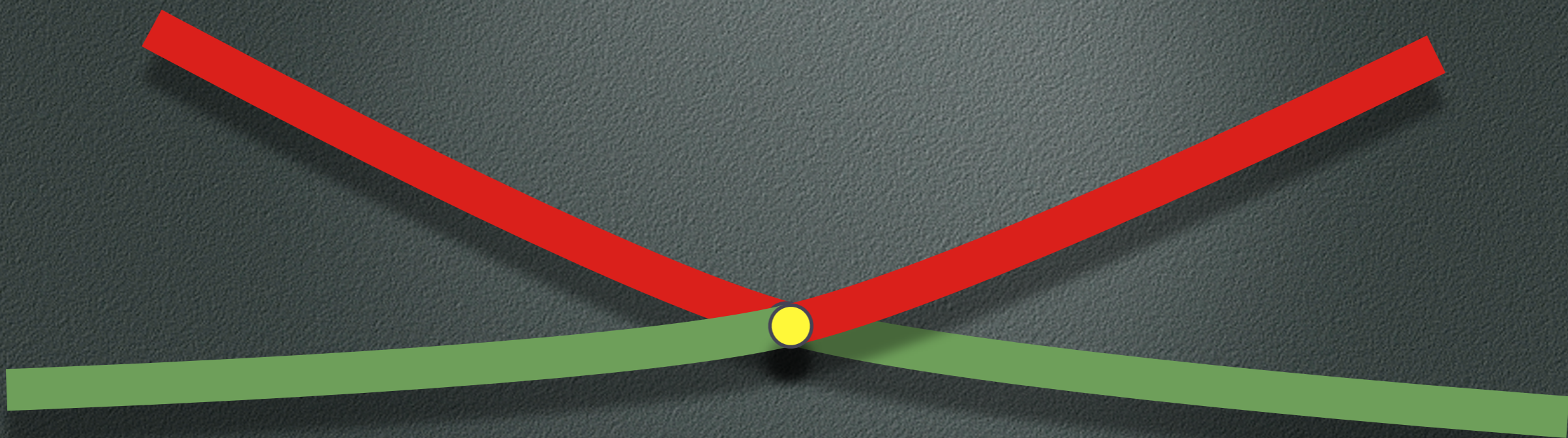
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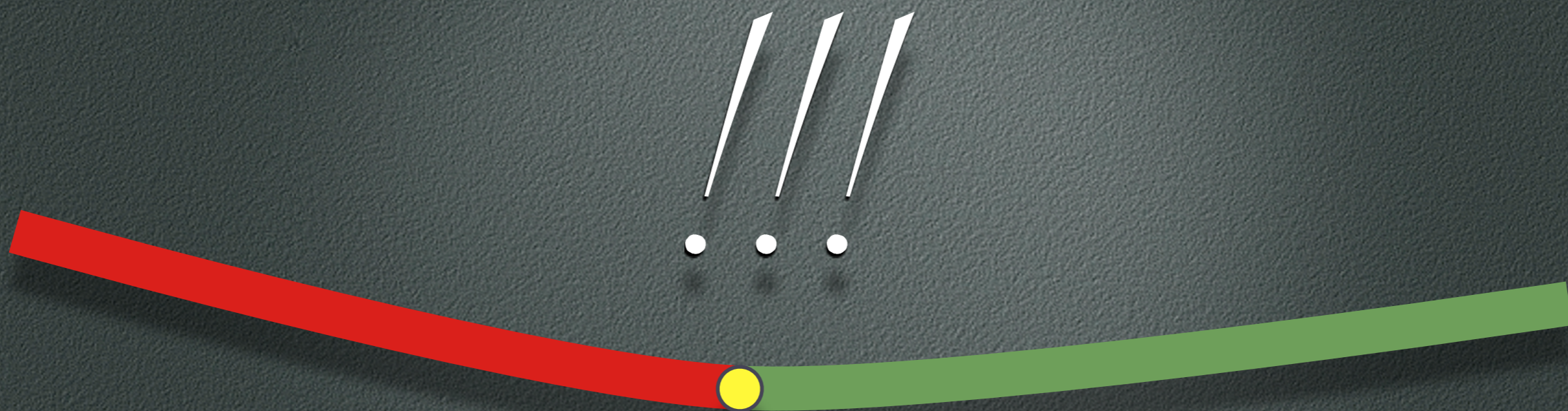
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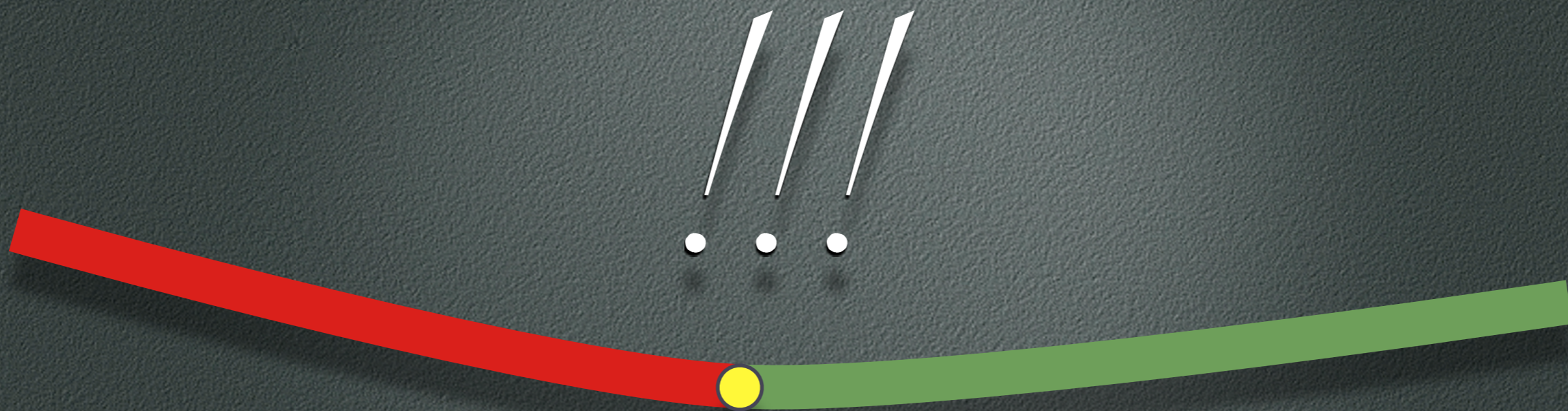
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When we turn to the case where our reversible system has an additional $S^1 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ -symmetry and when we suppose that γ_0 is a symmetric relative equilibrium which is also symmetric under the \mathbb{Z}_2 -symmetry, then the Poincaré-map has a special structure and some further possibilities arise.

First we have to clarify the set-up for this particular case.

We consider again a smooth system

$$\dot{x} = X(x), \quad (\text{with } x \in \mathbb{R}^{2N}),$$

and assume that there exist orthogonal linear operators J_0 , S and R such that the following holds:

(1) $J_0^2 = -\text{Id}$, $S^2 = \text{Id}$ and $R^2 = \text{Id}$;

(2) $J_0S = SJ_0$, $J_0R = -RJ_0$ and $SR = RS$;

(3) $\dim(\text{Fix}(R)) = N$ and $\dim(\text{Fix}(RS)) = N$;

(4) $X(e^{J_0\theta}x) = e^{J_0\theta}X(x)$ for all $\theta \in S^1 = \mathbb{Z}/2\pi\mathbb{Z}$;

(5) $X(Sx) = SX(x)$;

(6) $X(Rx) = -RX(x)$.

Observe: there are lots of reversors:

$$R, \quad RS, \quad Re^{J_0\theta}, \quad RSe^{J_0\theta}.$$

Now let $x_0 \in \mathbb{R}^{2N}$ be such that

$$Rx_0 = Sx_0 = x_0$$

and

$$X(x_0) = \Omega_0 J_0 x_0, \quad (\Omega_0 \neq 0).$$

Then x_0 generates a relative equilibrium

$$\tilde{x}(t, x_0) = e^{\Omega_0 J_0 t} x_0,$$

with an orbit γ_0 which is invariant under both the reversors R and RS , and with minimal period $T_0 = 2\pi/\Omega_0$ (by replacing J_0 by $-J_0$ when necessary we may w.l.o.g. assume that $\Omega_0 > 0$).

To study bifurcations near γ_0 we construct a Poincaré-map, as follows.

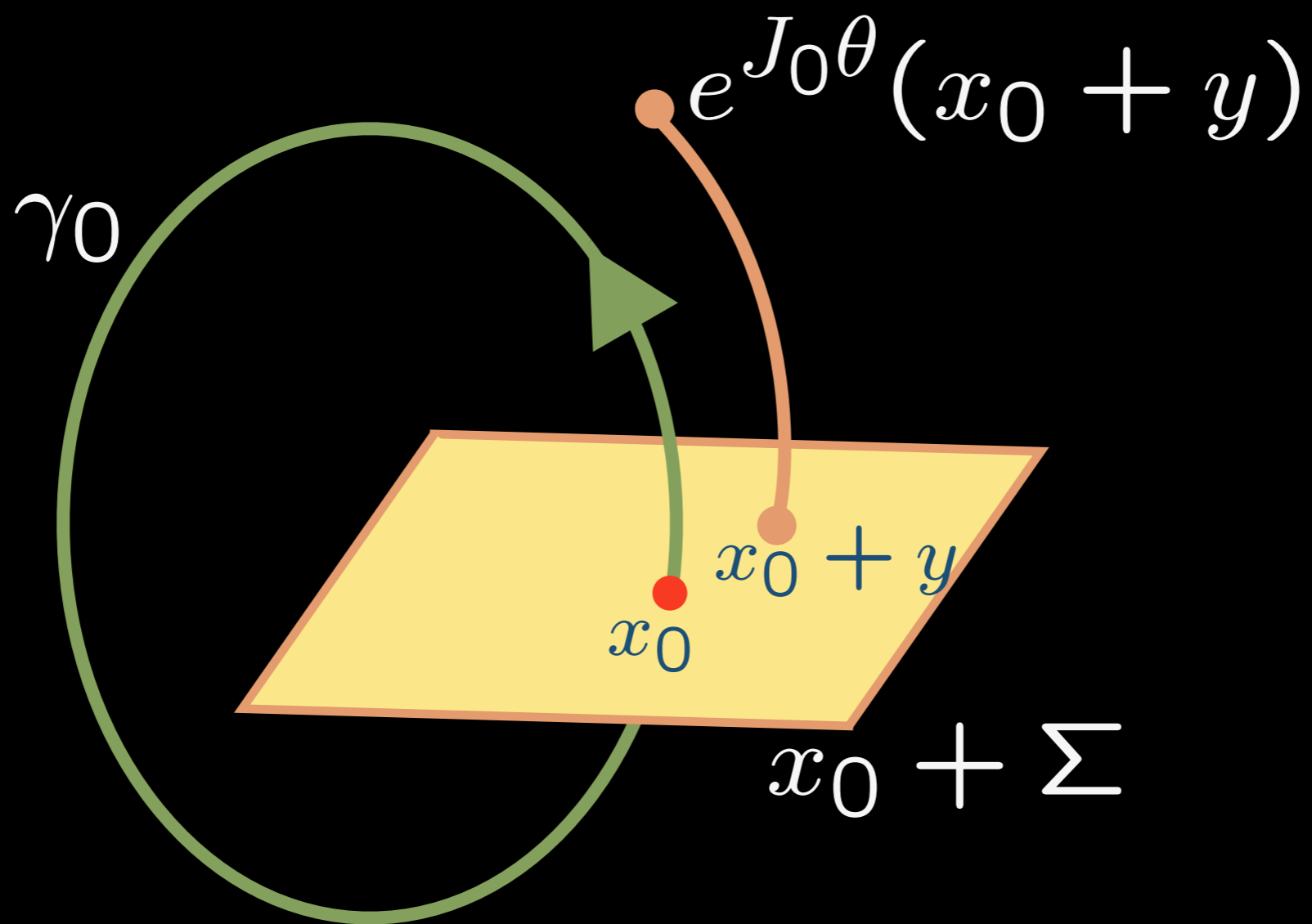
We set $\Sigma = (J_0 x_0)^\perp$ and observe that (by the orthogonality of J_0 , R and S) the transversal section $x_0 + \Sigma$ is invariant under R , S and RS .

We have

$$\dim(\text{Fix}(R) \cap \Sigma) = \dim(\text{Fix}(RS) \cap \Sigma) = N.$$

All points in a sufficiently small tubular neighborhood of γ_0 have a unique representation of the form

$$e^{J_0 \theta} (x_0 + y), \quad \text{with } (\theta, y) \in S^1 \times \Sigma.$$



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We have

$$\mathbb{R}^{2N} = \mathbb{R}(J_0 x_0) \oplus \Sigma,$$

and therefore, by continuity and for $y \in \Sigma$ sufficiently small,

$$\mathbb{R}^{2N} = \mathbb{R}(J_0(x_0 + y)) \oplus \Sigma.$$

Therefore, for $y \in \Sigma$ sufficiently small, we have

$$X(x_0 + y) = \Omega(y)J_0(x_0 + y) + Y(y),$$

with $\Omega : \Sigma \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $Y : \Sigma \rightarrow \Sigma$ such that:

(1) $\Omega(0) = \Omega_0$ and $Y(0) = 0$;

(2) $\Omega(Ry) = \Omega(Sy) = \Omega(y)$;

(3) $Y(Ry) = -RY(y)$ and $Y(Sy) = SY(y)$.

As a consequence, it is not hard to prove that

$$\tilde{x}(t, x_0 + y) = e^{J_0 \Omega(y)t} (x_0 + \tilde{y}(t, y)),$$

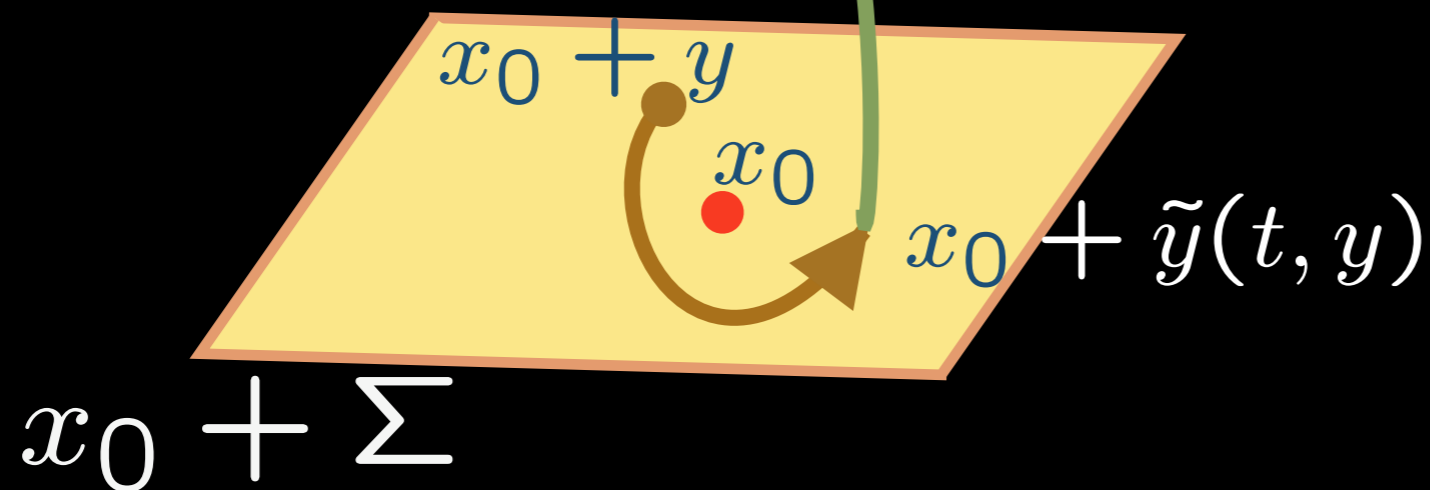
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It follows that the Poincaré-map $P : \Sigma \rightarrow \Sigma$ is given by

$$P(y) = \tilde{y}(2\pi\Omega(y)^{-1}, y).$$

Also $P(0) = 0$ and

$$DP(0) = \exp\left(2\pi\Omega_0^{-1}A\right), \quad \text{with } A = DY(0).$$

We assume (as before):

$DP(0)$ has the eigenvalue 1
with algebraic multiplicity $m_a = 3$.

We look then for **small fixed points** of P .

Due to the relation

$$P(y) = \tilde{y}(2\pi\Omega(y)^{-1}, y)$$

a fixed point $y \in \Sigma$ of P is

- either an **equilibrium** of the system

$$\dot{y} = Y(y);$$

- or a point belonging to a **periodic orbit** of the same system with minimal period of the form

$$\frac{2\pi}{m\Omega(y)}, \quad (m \geq 1).$$

So we have to study (small) equilibria and periodic orbits (with minimal period near $2\pi(m\Omega_0)^{-1}$) of the reversible and \mathbb{Z}_2 -equivariant system

$$\dot{y} = Y(y),$$

under the further condition that

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Again we use a **Lyapunov-Schmidt reduction**.

We set

$$U = \ker \left((DP(0) - \text{Id})^3 \right).$$

This subspace of Σ is 3-dimensional and invariant under A , R and S .

Setting

$$A_0 = A|_U, \quad R_0 = R|_U \quad \text{and} \quad S_0 = S|_U,$$

we have the following properties:

- (1) $\left(\exp(2\pi\Omega_0^{-1}A_0) - \text{Id}_U \right)^3 = 0$, $R_0^2 = \text{Id}_U$ and $S_0^2 = \text{Id}_U$;
- (2) $A_0R_0 = -R_0A_0$, $A_0S_0 = S_0A_0$ and $R_0S_0 = S_0R_0$;
- (3) $\dim(\text{Fix}(R_0)) = \dim(\text{Fix}(R_0S_0)) = 2$.

Appropriate versions of Lyapunov-Schmidt tell us that it is sufficient to study equilibria and periodic orbits of a reduced system

$$\dot{u} = Z(u),$$

where the reduced vectorfield $Z : U \rightarrow U$ has the following properties:

- (1) $Z(0) = 0$ and $DZ(0) = A_0$;
- (2) Z commutes with the semi-simple part of A_0 ;
- (3) $Z(R_0 u) = -R_0 Z(u)$ and $Z(S_0 u) = S_0 Z(u)$.

With these ingredients we can start a detailed study, exploring the different possibilities for A_0 , R_0 and S_0 .

Assuming a number of generic conditions on higher order coefficients in the Taylor expansion of $Z(z)$, imposing again our “codimension 1” condition, and possibly interchanging R and RS the problem boils down to **5 cases**; 3 of these correspond to the 3 cases which we found in the general case, but there are also 2 new situations which depend on the additional symmetries.

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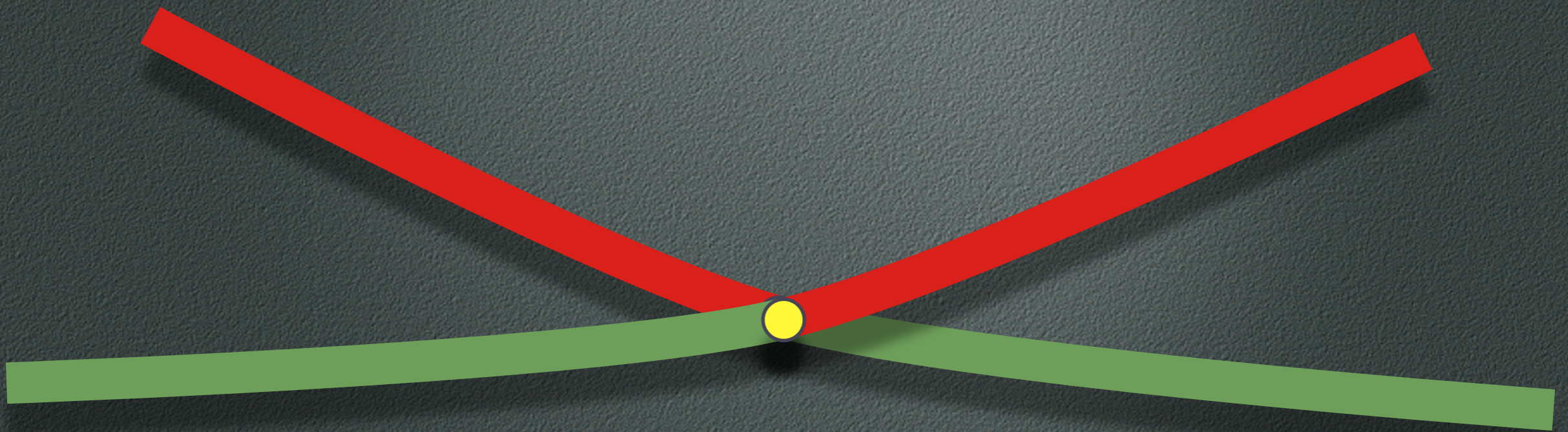
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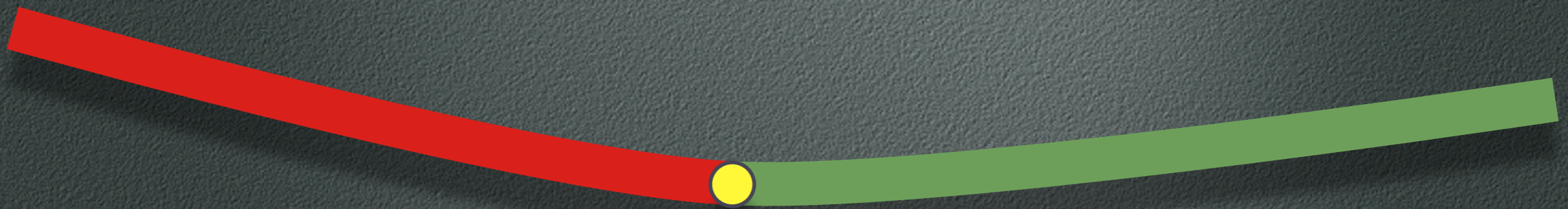
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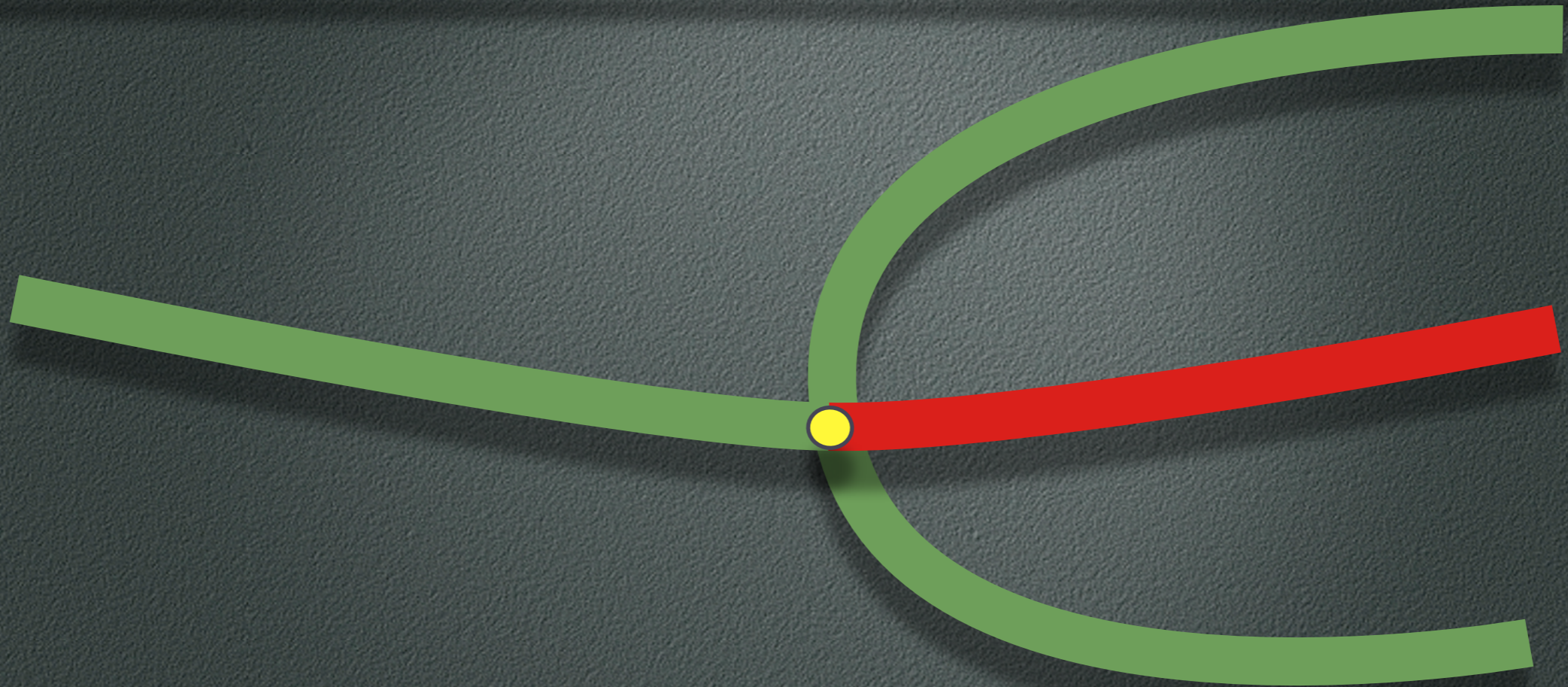
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A pitchfork bifurcation of relative equilibria, with the usual exchange of stability and symmetry-breaking. Central branch is symmetric w.r.t. both R and RS , the bifurcating branch is only symmetric w.r.t. R .

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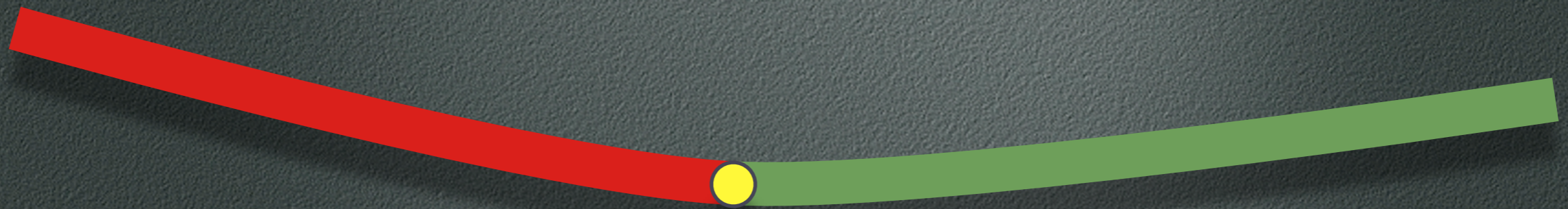
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A single branch of relative equilibria, symmetric w.r.t. both R and RS . A change of stability, and no bifurcation.

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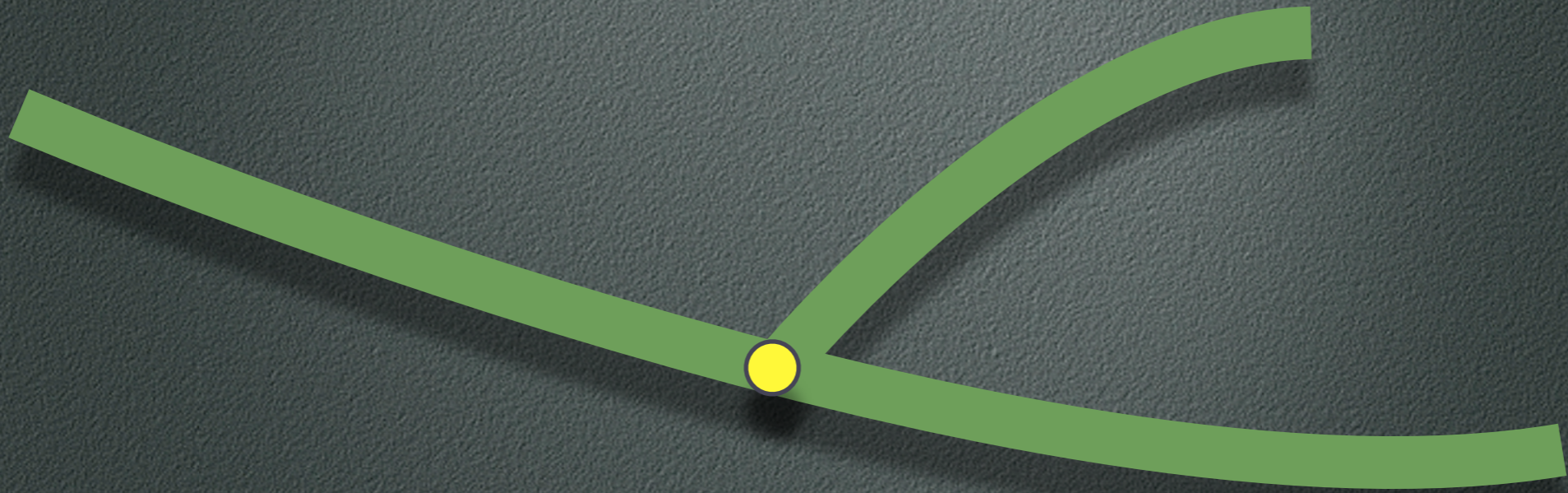
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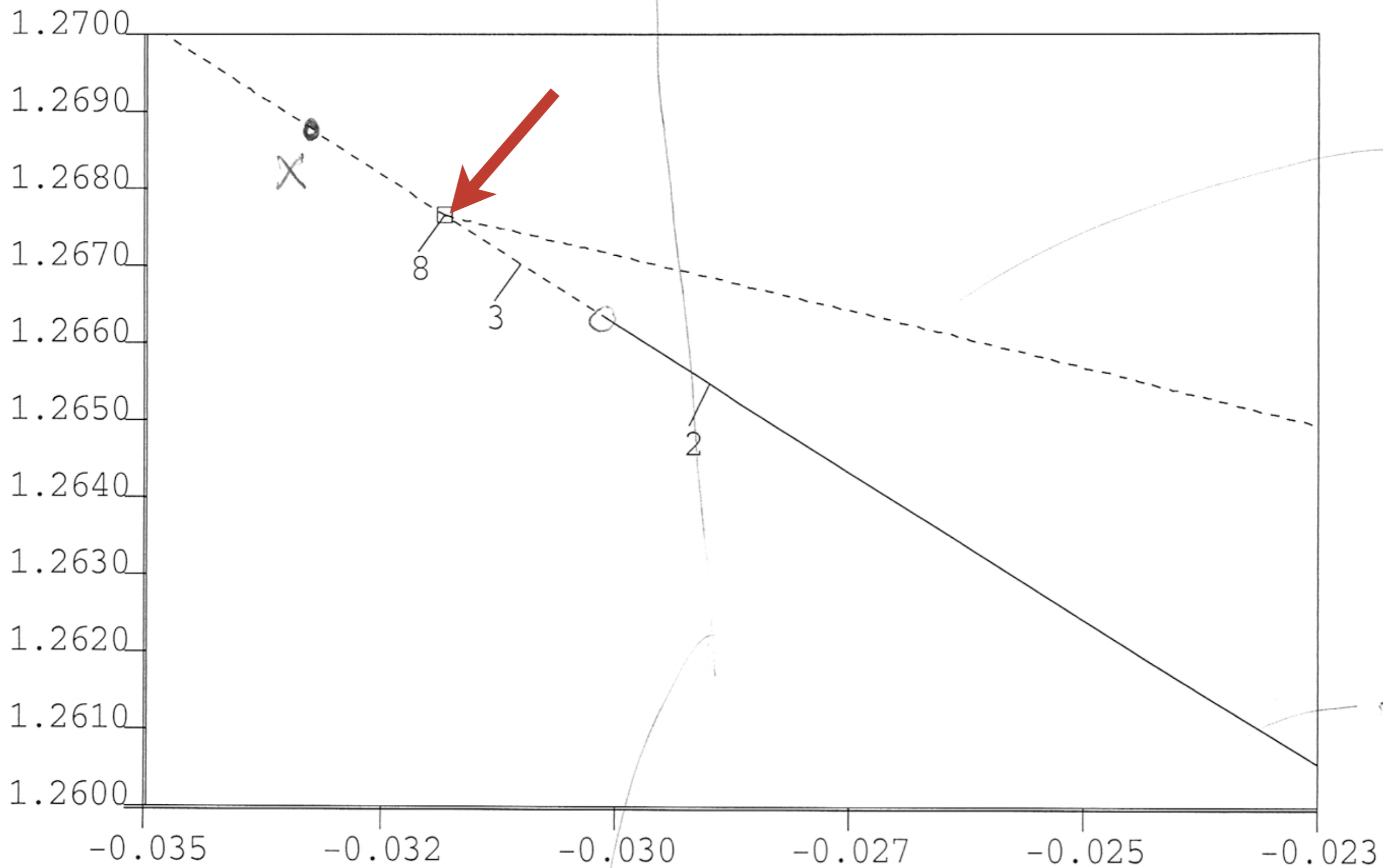
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$$\dim \text{Ker}(A_0) = 1$$



A branch of relative equilibria, symmetric w.r.t. both R and RS , and a bifurcating (half-)branch of 2-tori filled with periodic orbits; the symmetry of these depend on the case. No change of stability.



Branching without...

...Change of Stability!

Muchas Gracias!

