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phaseR-package	Phase plane analysis of one- and two-dimensional autonomous ODE systems
	systems

#### **Description**

phaseR is an R package for the qualitative analysis of one- and two-dimensional autonomous ODE systems, using phase plane methods. Programs are available to identify and classify equilibrium points, plot the direction field, and plot trajectories for multiple initial conditions. In the one-dimensional case, a program is also available to plot the phase portrait. Whilst in the two-dimensional case, additionally programs are available to plot nullclines and stable/unstable manifolds of saddle points. Many example systems are provided for the user.

#### **Details**

Package: phaseR Type: Package Version: 2.1

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The package contains nine main functions for performing phase plane analyses:

- drawManifolds: Draws the stable and unstable manifolds of a saddle point in a two dimensional autonomous ODE system.
- findEquilibrium: Identifies a nearby equilibrium point of an autonomous ODE system based on a specified starting point.
- flowField: Plots the flow or velocity field of a one- or two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.
- nullclines: Plots the nullclines of a two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.
- numericalSolution: Numerically solves a two-dimensional autonomous ODE system in order to plot the two dependent variables against the independent variable.
- phasePlaneAnalysis: Provides a simple means of performing a phase plane analysis by typing only numbers in to the command line.
- phasePortrait: Plots the phase portrait of a one-dimensional autonomous ODE system, for use in classifying equilibria.
- stability: Performs stability, or perturbation, analysis in order to classify equilibria.
- trajectory: Numerically solves a one- or two-dimensional ODE system to plot trajectories in the phase plane.

In addition, the package contains over 25 derivative functions for example systems. Links to these can be found in the package index.

An accompanying vignette containing further information, examples, and exercises, can also be accessed with vignette("introduction", package = "phaseR").

This package makes use of the ode function in the package deSolve.

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.paramDummy

A function such that we can apply DRY in param documentation

## **Description**

A function such that we can apply DRY in param documentation

## Usage

```
.paramDummy(state.names)
```

## **Arguments**

state.names

The state names for ode functions that do not use positional states.

competition

The species competition model

#### **Description**

The derivative function of the species competition model, an example of a two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

## Usage

```
competition(t, y, parameters)
```

# Arguments

t	The value of $t$ , the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be
	a numeric vector of length one.

The values of x and y, the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

parameters The values of the parameters of the system. Should be a numeric vector with

parameters specified in the following order:  $r_1$ ,  $K_1$ ,  $\alpha_{12}$ ,  $r_2$ ,  $K_2$ ,  $\alpha_{21}$ .

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#### **Details**

competition evaluates the derivative of the following coupled ODE system at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = r_1 x (K_1 - x - \alpha_{12} y) / K_1, \frac{dy}{dt} = r_2 y (K_2 - y - \alpha_{21} x) / K_2.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

#### Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

## Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

ode

drawManifolds

Stable and unstable manifolds

## **Description**

Plots the stable and unstable manifolds of a saddle point. A search procedure is utilised to identify an equilibrium point, and if it is a saddle then its manifolds are added to the plot.

## Usage

```
drawManifolds(
  deriv,
  y0 = NULL,
  parameters = NULL,
  tstep = 0.1,
  tend = 100,
  col = c("green", "red"),
  add.legend = TRUE,
  state.names = c("x", "y"),
  method = "lsoda",
  ...
)
```

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#### **Arguments**

deriv A function computing the derivative at a point for the ODE system to be analysed. Discussion of the required structure of these functions can be found in the package vignette, or in the help file for the function ode. y0 The initial point from which a saddle will be searched for. This can either be a numeric vector of length two, reflecting the location of the two dependent variables, or alternatively this can be specified as NULL, and then locator can be used to specify the initial point on a plot. Defaults to NULL. Parameters of the ODE system, to be passed to deriv. Supplied as a numeric parameters vector; the order of the parameters can be found from the deriv file. Defaults to NULL. The step length of the independent variable, used in numerical integration. Detstep creasing the absolute magnitude of tstep theoretically makes the numerical integration more accurate, but increases computation time. Defaults to 0.01. tend The final time of the numerical integration performed to identify the manifolds. col Sets the colours used for the stable and unstable manifolds. Should be a character vector of length two. Will be reset accordingly if it is of the wrong length. Defaults to c("green", "red"). add.legend Logical. If TRUE, a legend is added to the plots. Defaults to TRUE.

The state names for ode functions that do not use positional states.

Passed to ode. See there for further details. Defaults to "lsoda".

Additional arguments to be passed to plot.

#### Value

state.names

method

## Returns a list with the following components:

add.legend As per input. col As per input, but with possible editing if a character vector of the wrong length was supplied. deriv As per input. method As per input. parameters As per input. stable.1 A numeric matrix whose columns are the numerically computed values of the dependent variables for part of the stable manifold. stable.2 A numeric matrix whose columns are the numerically computed values of the dependent variables for part of the stable manifold. tend As per input. unstable.1 A numeric matrix whose columns are the numerically computed values of the dependent variables for part of the unstable manifold. unstable.2 A numeric matrix whose columns are the numerically computed values of the dependent variables for part of the unstable manifold. y0 As per input. Location of the identified equilibrium point. ystar

#### Author(s)

Michael J Grayling, Stephen P Ellner, John M Guckenheimer

example1

Example ODE system 1

# Description

The derivative function of an example one-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

# Usage

```
example1(t, y, parameters)
```

## **Arguments**

The value of t, the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

The value of y, the dependent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

parameters The values of the parameters of the system. Not used here.

#### **Details**

example1 evaluates the derivative of the following ODE at the point (t, y):

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 4 - y^2.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

#### Value

Returns a list containing the value of the derivative at (t, y).

## Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

## See Also

ode

example10

Example ODE system 10

## **Description**

The derivative function of an example two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

# Usage

```
example10(t, y, parameters)
```

## **Arguments**

t The value of t, the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

The values of x and y, the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.

parameters The values of the parameters of the system. Not used here.

#### **Details**

example 10 evaluates the derivatives of the following coupled ODE system at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -x + x^3, \frac{dy}{dt} = -2y.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

# Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

#### Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

ode

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example11

Example ODE system 11

#### **Description**

The derivative function of an example two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

#### Usage

```
example11(t, y, parameters)
```

## **Arguments**

t The value of t, the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

The values of x and y, the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.

parameters The values of the parameters of the system. Not used here.

#### **Details**

example 11 evaluates the derivatives of the following coupled ODE system at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = x(3-x-2y), \frac{dy}{dt} = -y(2-x-y).$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

#### Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

## Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

# See Also

ode

#### **Examples**

```
<- matrix(c(4, 4, -1, -1,
y0
                                  -2, 1, 1, -1), 4, 2,
                                byrow = TRUE)
example11_nullclines <- nullclines(example11,
                                    xlim = c(-5, 5),
                                    ylim = c(-5, 5),
                                    points = 200)
example11_trajectory <- trajectory(example11,</pre>
                                    y0 = y0,
                                    tlim = c(0, 10)
# Determine the stability of the equilibrium points
example11_stability_1 <- stability(example11, ystar = c(0, 0))
example11_stability_2 <- stability(example11, ystar = c(0, 2))
example11_stability_3 <- stability(example11, ystar = c(1, 1))
example11_stability_4 <- stability(example11, ystar = c(3, 0))
```

example12

Example ODE system 12

## **Description**

The derivative function of an example two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

## Usage

```
example12(t, y, parameters)
```

#### **Arguments**

t The value of t, the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

y The values of x and y, the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.

The values of the parameters of the system. Not used here.

## **Details**

parameters

example 12 evaluates the derivatives of the following coupled ODE system at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = x - y, \frac{dy}{dt} = x^2 + y^2 - 2.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

#### Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

#### Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

ode

#### **Examples**

```
# Plot the velocity field, nullclines and several trajectories
example12_flowField <- flowField(example12,</pre>
                                    xlim = c(-4, 4),
                                    ylim = c(-4, 4),
                                    points = 17,
                                    add
                                           = FALSE)
y0
                      <- matrix(c(2, 2, -3, 0,
                                   0, 2, 0, -3), 4, 2,
                                 byrow = TRUE)
example12_nullclines <- nullclines(example12,</pre>
                                     xlim = c(-4, 4),
                                     ylim = c(-4, 4),
                                     points = 200)
example12_trajectory <- trajectory(example12,</pre>
                                     y0 = y0,
                                     tlim = c(0, 10)
# Determine the stability of the equilibrium points
example12_stability_1 <- stability(example12,</pre>
                                    ystar = c(1, 1)
example12_stability_2 <- stability(example12,</pre>
                                    ystar = c(-1, -1))
```

example13

Example ODE system 13

## **Description**

The derivative function of an example two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

#### Usage

```
example13(t, y, parameters)
```

## **Arguments**

t	The value of $t$ , the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.
У	The values of $x$ and $y$ , the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.
parameters	The values of the parameters of the system. Not used here.

#### **Details**

example 13 evaluates the derivatives of the following coupled ODE system at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 2 - x^2 - y^2, \frac{dy}{dt} = x^2 - y^2.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

#### Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

#### Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

ode

example14

Example ODE system 14

#### **Description**

The derivative function of an example two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

#### Usage

```
example14(t, y, parameters)
```

## **Arguments**

t The value of t, the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

The values of x and y, the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.

parameters The values of the parameters of the system. Not used here.

## **Details**

example 14 evaluates the derivatives of the following coupled ODE system at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = x^2 - y - 10, \frac{dy}{dt} = -3x^2 + xy.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

#### Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

#### Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

ode

example15

Example ODE system 15

## **Description**

The derivative function of an example two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

#### Usage

```
example15(t, y, parameters)
```

#### **Arguments**

t The value of t, the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

y The values of x and y, the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.

parameters The values of the parameters of the system. Not used here.

#### **Details**

example 15 evaluates the derivatives of the following coupled ODE system at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = x^2 - 3xy + 2x, \frac{dy}{dt} = x + y - 1.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

#### Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

#### Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

ode

example2

Example ODE system 2

## **Description**

The derivative function of an example one-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

#### Usage

```
example2(t, y, parameters)
```

## **Arguments**

t The value of t, the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

The value of y, the dependent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

parameters The values of the parameters of the system. Not used here.

#### **Details**

example 2 evaluates the derivative of the following ODE at the point (t, y):

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = y(1-y)(2-y).$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

## Value

Returns a list containing the value of the derivative at (t, y).

## Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

# See Also

ode

# Examples

```
xlab = "t")
example2_trajectory <- trajectory(example2,</pre>
                                      y0
                                           = c(-0.5, 0.5, 1.5, 2.5),
                                      tlim = c(0, 4),
                                      system = "one.dim")
# Plot the phase portrait
example2_phasePortrait <- phasePortrait(example2,</pre>
                                         ylim = c(-0.5, 2.5),
                                         frac = 0.5)
# Determine the stability of the equilibrium points
example2_stability_1 <- stability(example2,</pre>
                                     ystar = 0,
                                     system = "one.dim")
example2_stability_2 <- stability(example2,</pre>
                                     ystar = 1,
                                     system = "one.dim")
example2_stability_3 <- stability(example2,</pre>
                                     ystar = 2,
                                     system = "one.dim")
```

example3

Example ODE system 3

#### **Description**

The derivative function of an example two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

# Usage

```
example3(t, y, parameters)
```

## **Arguments**

t The value of t, the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

y The values of x and y, the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.

parameters The values of the parameters of the system. Not used here.

## **Details**

example 3 evaluates the derivatives of the following coupled ODE system at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -x, \frac{dy}{dt} = -4x.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

#### Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

#### Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

ode

example4

Example ODE system 4

#### **Description**

The derivative function of an example two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

## Usage

```
example4(t, y, parameters)
```

## **Arguments**

parameters

t The value of t, the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

y The values of x and y, the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.

The values of the parameters of the system. Not used here.

#### **Details**

example4 evaluates the derivatives of the following coupled ODE system at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -x, \frac{dy}{dt} = 4x.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

## Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

## Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

ode

#### **Examples**

```
# Plot the velocity field, nullclines and several trajectories
example4_flowField <- flowField(example4,</pre>
                                  xlim = c(-3, 3),
                                  ylim = c(-5, 5),
                                  points = 19,
                                  add
                                        = FALSE)
                     <- matrix(c(1, 0, -1, 0, 2, 2,
y0
                                 -2, 2, -3, -4), 5, 2,
                               byrow = TRUE)
example4_nullclines <- nullclines(example4,</pre>
                                   xlim = c(-3, 3),
                                   ylim = c(-5, 5)
example4_trajectory <- trajectory(example4,</pre>
                                   y0 = y0,
                                   tlim = c(0,10)
```

example5

Example ODE system 5

#### **Description**

The derivative function of an example two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

## Usage

```
example5(t, y, parameters)
```

#### **Arguments**

t The value of t, the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

The values of x and y, the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.

parameters The values of the parameters of the system. Not used here.

# **Details**

example 5 evaluates the derivatives of the following coupled ODE system at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 2x + y, \frac{dy}{dt} = 2x - y.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

#### Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

#### Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

ode

#### **Examples**

```
# Plot the velocity field, nullclines, manifolds and several trajectories
example5_flowField
                          <- flowField(example5,
                                        xlim = c(-3, 3),
                                        ylim = c(-3, 3),
                                        points = 19,
                                              = FALSE)
                                        add
y0
                           <- matrix(c(1, 0, -1, 0, 2, 2,
                                       -2, 2, 0, 3, 0, -3), 6, 2,
                                     byrow = TRUE)
example5_nullclines
                           <- nullclines(example5,
                                         xlim = c(-3, 3),
                                         ylim = c(-3, 3))
example5_trajectory
                           <- trajectory(example5,
                                         y0 = y0,
                                         tlim = c(0,10)
# Plot x and y against t
example5_numericalSolution <- numericalSolution(example5,</pre>
                                                y0 = c(0, 3),
                                                tlim = c(0, 3))
# Determine the stability of the equilibrium point
example5_stability
                          <- stability(example5,
                                        ystar = c(0, 0))
```

example6

Example ODE System 6

# Description

The derivative function of an example two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

# Usage

```
example6(t, y, parameters)
```

#### **Arguments**

t	The value of $t$ , the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.
У	The values of $x$ and $y$ , the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.
parameters	The values of the parameters of the system. Not used here.

## **Details**

example 6 evaluates the derivatives of the following coupled ODE system at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = x + 2y, \frac{dy}{dt} = -2x + y.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

#### Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

## Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

## See Also

ode

example7

Example ODE system 7

# Description

The derivative function of an example two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

# Usage

```
example7(t, y, parameters)
```

# Arguments

t	The value of $t$ , the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.
У	The values of $x$ and $y$ , the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.
parameters	The values of the parameters of the system. Not used here.

#### **Details**

example 7 evaluates the derivatives of the following coupled ODE system at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -x - y, \frac{dy}{dt} = 4x + y.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

#### Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

#### Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

ode

example8

Example ODE system 8

#### **Description**

The derivative function of an example two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

#### Usage

```
example8(t, y, parameters)
```

## **Arguments**

t The value of t, the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

The values of x and y, the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.

parameters The values of the parameters of the system. Not used here.

## **Details**

example8 evaluates the derivatives of the following coupled ODE system at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = y, \frac{dy}{dt} = -x - y.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

#### Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

#### Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

ode

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Example ODE system 9

# Description

The derivative function of an example two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

#### Usage

```
example9(t, y, parameters)
```

## **Arguments**

t The value of t, the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

y The values of x and y, the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.

parameters The values of the parameters of the system. Not used here.

#### **Details**

example evaluates the derivatives of the following coupled ODE system at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -2x + 3y, \frac{dy}{dt} = 7x + 6y.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

# Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

## Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

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#### See Also

ode

#### **Examples**

```
# Plot the velocity field, nullclines and several trajectories
example9_flowField <- flowField(example9,</pre>
                                  xlim
                                         = c(-3, 3),
                                  ylim
                                        = c(-3, 3),
                                  points = 19,
                                  add
                                        = FALSE)
                    <- matrix(c(1, 0, -3, 2,
y0
                                 2, -2, -2, -2), 4, 2,
                               byrow = TRUE)
example9_nullclines <- nullclines(example9,</pre>
                                   xlim = c(-3, 3),
                                   ylim = c(-3, 3))
example9_trajectory <- trajectory(example9,</pre>
                                   y0
                                       = y0,
                                   tlim = c(0, 10)
# Determine the stability of the equilibrium point
example9_stability <- stability(example9,</pre>
                                  ystar = c(0, 0))
```

exponential

The exponential growth model

## **Description**

The derivative function of the exponential growth model, an example of a one-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

## Usage

```
exponential(t, y, parameters)
```

#### **Arguments**

t	The value of $t$ , the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be
	a numeric vector of length one.

The value of y, the dependent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

parameters The values of the parameters of the system. Should be a numeric vector prescribing the value of  $\beta$ .

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#### **Details**

exponential evaluates the derivative of the following ODE at the point (t, y):

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \beta y.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

#### Value

Returns a list containing the value of the derivative at (t, y).

## Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

## See Also

ode

findEquilibrium

Equilibrium point identification

# Description

Searches for an equilibium point of a system, taking the starting point of the search as a user specified location. On identifying such a point, a classification is performed, and an informatively shaped point can be added to the plot.

#### Usage

```
findEquilibrium(
  deriv,
  y0 = NULL,
  parameters = NULL,
  system = "two.dim",
  tol = 1e-16,
  max.iter = 50,
  h = 1e-06,
  plot.it = FALSE,
  summary = TRUE,
  state.names = if (system == "two.dim") c("x", "y") else "y"
)
```

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#### **Arguments**

deriv A function computing the derivative at a point for the ODE system to be analysed. Discussion of the required structure of these functions can be found in the package vignette, or in the help file for the function ode. y0 The starting point of the search. In the case of a one-dimensional system, this should be a numeric vector of length one indicating the location of the dependent variable initially. In the case of a two-dimensional system, this should be a numeric vector of length two reflecting the location of the two dependent variables initially. Alternatively this can be specified as NULL, and then locator can be used to specify the initial point on a plot. Defaults to NULL. parameters Parameters of the ODE system, to be passed to deriv. Supplied as a numeric vector; the order of the parameters can be found from the deriv file. Defaults to NULL. system Set to either "one.dim" or "two.dim" to indicate the type of system being analysed. Defaults to "two.dim". tol The tolerance for the convergence of the search algorithm. Defaults to 1e-16. max.iter The maximum allowed number of iterations of the search algorithm. Defaults to 50. Step length used to approximate the derivative(s). Defaults to 1e-6. plot.it Logical. If TRUE, a point is plotted at the identified equilibrium point, with shape corresponding to its classification. Set to either TRUE or FALSE to determine whether a summary of the progress of summary the search procedure is returned. Defaults to TRUE. state.names The state names for ode functions that do not use positional states.

#### Value

Returns a list with the following components (the exact make up is dependent on the value of system):

classification The classification of the identified equilibrium point.

Delta In the two-dimensional system case, value of the Jacobian's determinant at the

equilibrium point.

deriv As per input.

discriminant In the one-dimensional system case, the value of the discriminant used in per-

turbation analysis to assess stability. In the two-dimensional system case, the

value of tr^2 - 4\*Delta.

eigenvalues In the two-dimensional system case, the value of the Jacobian's eigenvalues at

the equilibrium point.

eigenvectors In the two-dimensional system case, the value of the Jacobian's eigenvectors at

the equilibrium point.

jacobian In the two-dimensional system case, the Jacobian at the equilibrium point.

h As per input.

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max.iter	As per input.
parameters	As per input.
plot.it	As per input.
summary	As per input.
system	As per input.
tr	In the two-dimensional system case, the value of the Jacobian's trace at the equilibrium point.
tol	As per input.
y0	As per input.
ystar	The location of the identified equilibrium point.

#### Author(s)

Michael J Grayling, Stephen P Ellner, John M Guckenheimer

# Description

Plots the flow or velocity field for a one- or two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

# Usage

```
flowField(
 deriv,
 xlim,
 ylim,
 parameters = NULL,
  system = "two.dim",
  points = 21,
  col = "gray",
  arrow.type = "equal",
  arrow.head = 0.05,
  frac = 1,
  add = TRUE,
  state.names = if (system == "two.dim") c("x", "y") else "y",
 xlab = if (system == "two.dim") state.names[1] else "t",
 ylab = if (system == "two.dim") state.names[2] else state.names[1],
)
```

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#### **Arguments**

deriv A function computing the derivative at a point for the ODE system to be anal-

ysed. Discussion of the required format of these functions can be found in the

package vignette, or in the help file for the function ode.

xlim In the case of a two-dimensional system, this sets the limits of the first dependent variable in which gradient reflecting line segments should be plotted. In the case

of a one-dimensional system, this sets the limits of the independent variable in which these line segments should be plotted. Should be a numeric vector of

length two.

ylim In the case of a two-dimensional system this sets the limits of the second depen-

dent variable in which gradient reflecting line segments should be plotted. In the case of a one-dimensional system, this sets the limits of the dependent variable in which these line segments should be plotted. Should be a numeric vector of

length two.

parameters Parameters of the ODE system, to be passed to deriv. Supplied as a numeric

 ${\tt vector};$  the order of the parameters can be found from the  ${\tt deriv}$  file. Defaults

to NULL.

system Set to either "one.dim" or "two.dim" to indicate the type of system being anal-

ysed. Defaults to "two.dim".

points Sets the density of the line segments to be plotted; points segments will be

plotted in the x and y directions. Fine tuning here, by shifting points up and down, allows for the creation of more aesthetically pleasing plots. Defaults to

11.

col Sets the colour of the plotted line segments. Should be a character vector of

length one. Will be reset accordingly if it is of the wrong length. Defaults to

"gray".

arrow.type Sets the type of line segments plotted. If set to "proportional" the length of

the line segments reflects the magnitude of the derivative. If set to "equal" the line segments take equal lengths, simply reflecting the gradient of the deriva-

tive(s). Defaults to "equal".

arrow.head Sets the length of the arrow heads. Passed to arrows. Defaults to 0.05.

frac Sets the fraction of the theoretical maximum length line segments can take with-

out overlapping, that they can actually attain. In practice, frac can be set to greater than 1 without line segments overlapping. Fine tuning here assists the

creation of aesthetically pleasing plots. Defaults to 1.

add Logical. If TRUE, the flow field is added to an existing plot. If FALSE, a new plot

is created. Defaults to TRUE.

state.names The state names for ode functions that do not use positional states.

xlab Label for the x-axis of the resulting plot.

ylab Label for the y-axis of the resulting plot.

... Additional arguments to be passed to either plot or arrows.

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#### Value

Returns a list with the following components (the exact make up is dependent on the value of system):

add As per input.
arrow.head As per input.
arrow.type As per input.

col As per input, but with possible editing if a character vector of the wrong

length was supplied.

deriv As per input.

dx A numeric matrix. In the case of a two-dimensional system, the values of the

derivative of the first dependent derivative at all evaluated points.

dy A numeric matrix. In the case of a two-dimensional system, the values of the

derivative of the second dependent variable at all evaluated points. In the case of a one-dimensional system, the values of the derivative of the dependent variable

at all evaluated points.

frac As per input.
parameters As per input.
points As per input.
system As per input.

x A numeric vector. In the case of a two-dimensional system, the values of the

first dependent variable at which the derivatives were computed. In the case of a one-dimensional system, the values of the independent variable at which the

derivatives were computed.

xlab As per input. xlim As per input.

y A numeric vector. In the case of a two-dimensional system, the values of the

second dependent variable at which the derivatives were computed. In the case of a one-dimensional system, the values of the dependent variable at which the

derivatives were computed.

ylab As per input. ylim As per input.

## Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

arrows, plot

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#### **Examples**

```
# Plot the flow field, nullclines and several trajectories for the
# one-dimensional autonomous ODE system logistic
logistic_flowField <- flowField(logistic,</pre>
                                               = c(0, 5),
                                               = c(-1, 3),
                                   vlim
                                   parameters = c(1, 2),
                                               = 21,
                                   points
                                               = "one.dim",
                                   system
                                   add
                                               = FALSE)
logistic_nullclines <- nullclines(logistic,</pre>
                                                = c(0, 5),
                                    xlim
                                    ylim
                                               = c(-1, 3),
                                    parameters = c(1, 2),
                                               = "one.dim")
                                    system
logistic_trajectory <- trajectory(logistic,</pre>
                                                = c(-0.5, 0.5, 1.5, 2.5),
                                                = c(0, 5),
                                    tlim
                                    parameters = c(1, 2),
                                                = "one.dim")
                                    system
# Plot the velocity field, nullclines and several trajectories for the
# two-dimensional autonomous ODE system simplePendulum
simplePendulum_flowField <- flowField(simplePendulum,</pre>
                                                     = c(-7, 7),
                                         xlim
                                         ylim
                                                     = c(-7, 7),
                                         parameters = 5,
                                                     = 19,
                                         points
                                         add
                                                     = FALSE)
y0
                           \leftarrow matrix(c(0, 1, 0, 4, -6, 1, 5, 0.5, 0, -3),
                                      5, 2, byrow = TRUE)
simplePendulum_nullclines <- nullclines(simplePendulum,</pre>
                                                      = c(-7, 7),
                                          xlim
                                          ylim
                                                      = c(-7, 7),
                                          parameters = 5,
                                          points
                                                      = 500)
simplePendulum_trajectory <- trajectory(simplePendulum,</pre>
                                          y0
                                                      = y0,
                                          tlim
                                                      = c(0, 10),
                                          parameters = 5)
```

lindemannMechanism

The Lindemann mechanism

#### **Description**

The derivative function of the non-dimensional version of the Lindemann mechanism, an example of a two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

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## Usage

lindemannMechanism(t, y, parameters)

# Arguments

t	The value of $t$ , the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be
	a numeric vector of length one.

y The values of x and y, the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.

parameters The values of the parameters of the system. Should be a numeric vector prescribing the value of  $\alpha$ .

#### **Details**

lindemannMechanism evaluates the derivative of the following ODE at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -x^2 + \alpha xy, \frac{dy}{dt} = x^2 - \alpha xy - y.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

#### Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

# Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

ode

logistic

The logistic growth model

## **Description**

The derivative function of the logistic growth model, an example of a two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

## Usage

```
logistic(t, y, parameters)
```

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#### **Arguments**

t	The value of $t$ , the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.
У	The value of $y$ , the dependent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.
parameters	The values of the parameters of the system. Should be a numeric vector with parameters specified in the following order: $\beta$ , $K$ .

#### **Details**

logistic evaluates the derivative of the following ODE at the point (t, y):

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \beta y (1 - y/K).$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

#### Value

Returns a list containing the value of the derivative at (t, y).

#### Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

ode

## **Examples**

```
# Plot the velocity field, nullclines and several trajectories
logistic_flowField
                    <- flowField(logistic,</pre>
                                    xlim
                                               = c(0, 5),
                                    ylim
                                               = c(-1, 3),
                                    parameters = c(1, 2),
                                    points
                                              = 21,
                                               = "one.dim",
                                    system
                                    add
                                               = FALSE)
logistic_nullclines <- nullclines(logistic,</pre>
                                     xlim
                                                = c(0, 5),
                                                = c(-1, 3),
                                     ylim
                                     parameters = c(1, 2),
                                                = "one.dim")
                                     system
logistic_trajectory
                       <- trajectory(logistic,
                                                = c(-0.5, 0.5, 1.5, 2.5),
                                     y0
                                     tlim
                                                = c(0, 5),
                                     parameters = c(1, 2),
                                     system = "one.dim")
# Plot the phase portrait
```

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```
logistic_phasePortrait <- phasePortrait(logistic,</pre>
                                                    = c(-0.5, 2.5),
                                         parameters = c(1, 2),
                                         points = 10,
                                         frac
                                                     = 0.5)
# Determine the stability of the equilibrium points
logistic_stability_1 <- stability(logistic,</pre>
                                     parameters = c(1, 2),
                                                = "one.dim")
                                     system
logistic_stability_2 <- stability(logistic,</pre>
                                                 = 2,
                                     ystar
                                     parameters = c(1, 2),
                                                = "one.dim")
                                     system
```

lotkaVolterra

The Lotka-Volterra model

#### **Description**

The derivative function of the Lotka-Volterra model, an example of a two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

## Usage

lotkaVolterra(t, y, parameters)

# Arguments

t	The value of $t$ , the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.
У	The values of $x$ and $y$ , the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.
parameters	The values of the parameters of the system. Should be a numeric vector with parameters specified in the following order: $\lambda$ , $\epsilon$ , $\eta$ , $\delta$ .

## **Details**

lotkaVolterra evaluates the derivative of the following ODE at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = \lambda x - \epsilon xy, \frac{dy}{dt} = \eta xy - \delta y.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

## Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

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#### Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

ode

monomolecular

The monomolecular growth model

## **Description**

The derivative function of the monomolecular growth model, an example of a one-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

## Usage

```
monomolecular(t, y, parameters)
```

## **Arguments**

The value of t, the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

Y The value of y, the dependent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be

a numeric vector of length one.

parameters The values of the parameters of the system. Should be a numeric vector with

parameters specified in the following order:  $\beta$ , K.

#### **Details**

monomolecular evaluates the derivative of the following ODE at the point (t, y):

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \beta(K - y).$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

## Value

Returns a list containing the value of the derivative at (t, y).

# Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

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morrisLecar

The Morris-Lecar model

#### **Description**

The derivative function of the Morris-Lecar model, an example of a two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

### Usage

```
morrisLecar(t, y, parameters)
```

#### **Arguments**

t The value of t, the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

y The values of x and y, the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.

parameters The values of the parameters of the system. Should be a numeric vector with parameters specified in the following order:  $g_{\text{Ca}}$ ,  $\phi$ .

#### **Details**

morrisLecar evaluates the derivative of the following ODE at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 0.05(90 - 0.5g_{Ca}(1 + \tanh(x + 1.2)/18))(x - 120) - 8y(x + 84) - 2(x + 60),$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \phi(0.5\left[1 + \tanh\left(\frac{x - 2}{30}\right)\right] - y)\cosh(\frac{x - 2}{60}).$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

#### Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

## Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

## See Also

ode

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nullclines Nullclines

## **Description**

Plots nullclines for two-dimensional autonomous ODE systems. Can also be used to plot horizontal lines at equilibrium points for one-dimensional autonomous ODE systems.

## Usage

```
nullclines(
  deriv,
  xlim,
  ylim,
  parameters = NULL,
  system = "two.dim",
  points = 101,
  col = c("blue", "cyan"),
  add = TRUE,
  add.legend = TRUE,
  state.names = if (system == "two.dim") c("x", "y") else "y",
  ...
)
```

#### **Arguments**

deriv	A function computing the derivative at a point for the ODE system to be anal-
	vsed. Discussion of the required structure of these functions can be found in the

package vignette, or in the help file for the function ode.

xlim In the case of a two-dimensional system, this sets the limits of the first dependent

variable in which gradient reflecting line segments should be plotted. In the case of a one-dimensional system, this sets the limits of the independent variable in which these line segments should be plotted. Should be a numeric vector of

length two.

ylim In the case of a two-dimensional system this sets the limits of the second depen-

dent variable in which gradient reflecting line segments should be plotted. In the case of a one-dimensional system, this sets the limits of the dependent variable in which these line segments should be plotted. Should be a numeric vector of

length two.

parameters Parameters of the ODE system, to be passed to deriv. Supplied as a numeric

vector; the order of the parameters can be found from the deriv file. Defaults

to NULL.

system Set to either "one.dim" or "two.dim" to indicate the type of system being anal-

ysed. Defaults to "two.dim".

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points Sets the density at which derivatives are computed; points x points deriva-

tives will be computed. Levels of zero gradient are identified using these computations and the function contour. Increasing the value of points improves identification of nullclines, but increases computation time. Defaults to 101.

col In the case of a two-dimensional system, sets the colours used for the x- and

y-nullclines. In the case of a one-dimensional system, sets the colour of the lines plotted horizontally along the equilibria. Should be a character vector of length two. Will be reset accordingly if it is of the wrong length. Defaults

to c("blue", "cyan").

add Logical. If TRUE, the nullclines are added to an existing plot. If FALSE, a new

plot is created. Defaults to TRUE.

add.legend Logical. If TRUE, a legend is added to the plots. Defaults to TRUE. state.names

The state names for ode functions that do not use positional states.

... Additional arguments to be passed to either plot or contour.

#### Value

Returns a list with the following components (the exact make up is dependent on the value of system):

add As per input.
add.legend As per input.

col As per input, but with possible editing if a character vector of the wrong

length was supplied.

deriv As per input.

dx A numeric matrix. In the case of a two-dimensional system, the values of the

derivative of the first dependent derivative at all evaluated points.

dy A numeric matrix. In the case of a two-dimensional system, the values of the

derivative of the second dependent variable at all evaluated points. In the case of a one-dimensional system, the values of the derivative of the dependent variable

at all evaluated points.

parameters As per input.
points As per input.
system As per input.

A numeric vector. In the case of a two-dimensional system, the values of the

first dependent variable at which the derivatives were computed. In the case of a one-dimensional system, the values of the independent variable at which the

derivatives were computed.

xlim As per input.

y A numeric vector. In the case of a two-dimensional system, the of values of

the second dependent variable at which the derivatives were computed. In the case of a one-dimensional system, the values of the dependent variable at which

the derivatives were computed.

ylim As per input.

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#### Note

In order to ensure a nullcline is plotted, set xlim and ylim strictly enclosing its location. For example, to ensure a nullcline is plotted along x = 0, set ylim to, e.g., begin at -1.

#### Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

contour, plot

## **Examples**

```
# Plot the flow field, nullclines and several trajectories for the
# one-dimensional autonomous ODE system logistic.
logistic_flowField <- flowField(logistic,</pre>
                                              = c(0, 5),
                                              = c(-1, 3),
                                  ylim
                                  parameters = c(1, 2),
                                  points
                                              = 21,
                                              = "one.dim",
                                   system
                                  add
                                              = FALSE)
logistic_nullclines <- nullclines(logistic,</pre>
                                   {\tt xlim}
                                               = c(0, 5),
                                   ylim
                                               = c(-1, 3),
                                   parameters = c(1, 2),
                                               = "one.dim")
                                    system
logistic_trajectory <- trajectory(logistic,</pre>
                                   y0
                                               = c(-0.5, 0.5, 1.5, 2.5),
                                               = c(0, 5),
                                    tlim
                                    parameters = c(1, 2),
                                               = "one.dim")
                                    system
# Plot the velocity field, nullclines and several trajectories for the
# two-dimensional autonomous ODE system simplePendulum.
simplePendulum_flowField <- flowField(simplePendulum,</pre>
                                         xlim
                                                    = c(-7, 7),
                                                    = c(-7, 7),
                                         ylim
                                         parameters = 5,
                                                    = 19,
                                         points
                                                    = FALSE)
                                         add
y0
                           <- matrix(c(0, 1, 0, 4, -6, 1, 5, 0.5, 0, -3),
                                      5, 2, byrow = TRUE)
simplePendulum_nullclines <- nullclines(simplePendulum,</pre>
                                          xlim
                                                      = c(-7, 7),
                                          ylim
                                                     = c(-7, 7),
                                          parameters = 5,
                                          points
                                                     = 500)
```

simplePendulum\_trajectory <- trajectory(simplePendulum,</pre>

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```
y0 = y0,

tlim = c(0, 10),

parameters = 5)
```

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Numerical solution and plotting

# Description

Numerically solves a two-dimensional autonomous ODE system for a given initial condition, using ode from the package deSolve. It then plots the dependent variables against the independent variable.

# Usage

```
numericalSolution(
  deriv,
  y0 = NULL,
  tlim,
  tstep = 0.01,
  parameters = NULL,
  type = "one",
  col = c("red", "blue"),
  add.grid = TRUE,
  add.legend = TRUE,
  state.names = c("x", "y"),
  xlab = "t",
  ylab = state.names,
  method = "ode45",
  ...
)
```

deriv	A function computing the derivative at a point for the ODE system to be analysed. Discussion of the required structure of these functions can be found in the package vignette, or in the help file for the function ode.
y0	The initial condition. Should be a numeric vector of length two reflecting the location of the two dependent variables initially.
tlim	Sets the limits of the independent variable for which the solution should be plotted. Should be a numeric vector of length two. If tlim[2] > tlim[1], then tstep should be negative to indicate a backwards trajectory.
tstep	The step length of the independent variable, used in numerical integration. Decreasing the absolute magnitude of tstep theoretically makes the numerical integration more accurate, but increases computation time. Defaults to 0.01.

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parameters Parameters of the ODE system, to be passed to deriv. Supplied as a numeric

vector; the order of the parameters can be found from the deriv file. Defaults

to NULL.

type If set to "one" the trajectories are plotted on the same graph. If set to "two"

they are plotted on separate graphs. Defaults to "one".

col Sets the colours of the trajectories of the two dependent variables. Should be

a character vector of length two. Will be reset accordingly if it is of the

wrong length. Defaults to c("red", "blue").

add.grid Logical. If TRUE, grids are added to the plots. Defaults to TRUE.

add.legend Logical. If TRUE, a legend is added to the plots. Defaults to TRUE.

The state names for ode functions that do not use positional states.

xlab Label for the x-axis of the resulting plot.
ylab Label for the y-axis of the resulting plot.

method Passed to ode. See there for further details. Defaults to "ode45".

... Additional arguments to be passed to plot.

#### Value

Returns a list with the following components:

add.grid As per input.
add.legend As per input.

col As per input, but with possible editing if a character vector of the wrong

length was supplied.

deriv As per input.
method As per input.
parameters As per input.

t A numeric vector containing the values of the independent variable at each

integration step.

tlim As per input. tstep As per input.

x A numeric vector containing the numerically computed values of the first de-

pendent variable at each integration step.

y A numeric vector containing the numerically computed values of the second

dependent variable at each integration step.

y0 As per input.

#### Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

## See Also

ode, plot

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## **Examples**

```
# A two-dimensional autonomous ODE system, vanDerPol. vanDerPol_numericalSolution <- numericalSolution(vanDerPol, y0 = c(4, 2), \\ tlim = c(0, 100), \\ parameters = 3)
```

 ${\tt phasePlaneAnalysis}$ 

Phase plane analysis

## **Description**

Allows the user to perform a basic phase plane analysis and produce a simple plot without the need to use the other functions directly. Specifically, a range of options are provided and the user inputs a value to the console to decide what is added to the plot.

## Usage

```
phasePlaneAnalysis(
  deriv,
  xlim,
  ylim,
  tend = 100,
  parameters = NULL,
  system = "two.dim",
  add = FALSE,
  state.names = if (system == "two.dim") c("x", "y") else "y"
)
```

deriv	A function computing the derivative at a point for the ODE system to be analysed. Discussion of the required structure of these functions can be found in the package vignette, or in the help file for the function ode.
xlim	In the case of a two-dimensional system, this sets the limits of the first dependent variable in any subsequent plot. In the case of a one-dimensional system, this sets the limits of the independent variable. Should be a numeric vector of length two.
ylim	In the case of a two-dimensional system this sets the limits of the second dependent variable in any subsequent plot. In the case of a one-dimensional system, this sets the limits of the dependent variable. Should be a numeric vector of length two.
tend	The value of the independent variable to end any subsequent numerical integrations at.

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parameters	Parameters of the ODE system, to be passed to deriv. Supplied as a numeric vector; the order of the parameters can be found from the deriv file. Defaults to NULL.
system	Set to either "one.dim" or "two.dim" to indicate the type of system being analysed. Defaults to "two.dim".
add	Logical. If TRUE, the chosen features are added to an existing plot. If FALSE, a new plot is created. Defaults to FALSE.
state.names	The state names for ode functions that do not use positional states.

#### **Details**

The user designates the derivative file and other arguments as per the above. Then the following ten options are available for execution:

- 1. Flow field: Plots the flow field of the system. See flowField.
- 2. Nullclines: Plots the nullclines of the system. See nullclines.
- 3. Find fixed point (click on plot): Searches for an equilibrium point of the system, taking the starting point of the search as where the user clicks on the plot. See findEquilibrium.
- 4. Start forward trajectory (click on plot): Plots a trajectory, i.e., a solution, forward in time with the starting point taken as where the user clicks on the plot. See trajectory.
- 5. Start backward trajectory (click on plot): Plots a trajectory, i.e., a solution, backward in time with the starting point taken as where the user clicks on the plot. See trajectory.
- 6. Extend Current trajectory (a trajectory must already be plotted): Extends already plotted trajectories further on in time. See trajectory.
- 7. Local stable/unstable manifolds of a saddle (two-dimensional systems only) (click on plot): Plots the stable and unstable manifolds of a saddle point. The user clicks on the plot and an equilibrium point is identified see (3) above, if this point is a saddle then the manifolds are plotted. See drawManifolds.
- 8. Grid of trajectories: Plots a set of trajectories, with the starting points defined on an equally spaced grid over the designated plotting range for the dependent variable(s). See trajectory.
- 9. Exit: Exits the current call to phasePlaneAnalysis().
- 10. Save plot as PDF: Saves the produced plot as "phasePlaneAnalysis.pdf" in the current working directory.

#### Author(s)

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## **Description**

For a one-dimensional autonomous ODE, it plots the phase portrait, i.e., the derivative against the dependent variable. In addition, along the dependent variable axis it plots arrows pointing in the direction of dependent variable change with increasing value of the independent variable. From this stability of equilibrium points (i.e., locations where the horizontal axis is crossed) can be determined.

# Usage

```
phasePortrait(
  deriv,
  ylim,
  ystep = 0.01,
  parameters = NULL,
  points = 10,
  frac = 0.75,
  arrow.head = 0.075,
  col = "black",
  add.grid = TRUE,
  state.names = "y",
  xlab = state.names,
  ylab = paste0("d", state.names),
  ...
)
```

deriv	A function computing the derivative at a point for the ODE system to be analysed. Discussion of the required structure of these functions can be found in the package vignette, or in the help file for the function ode.
ylim	Sets the limits of the dependent variable for which the derivative should be computed and plotted. Should be a numeric vector of length two.
ystep	Sets the step length of the dependent variable vector for which derivatives are computed and plotted. Decreasing ystep makes the resulting plot more accurate, but comes at a small cost to computation time. Defaults to 0.01.
parameters	Parameters of the ODE system, to be passed to deriv. Supplied as a numeric vector; the order of the parameters can be found from the deriv file. Defaults to NULL.
points	Sets the density at which arrows are plotted along the horizontal axis; points arrows will be plotted. Fine tuning here, by shifting points up and down, allows for the creation of more aesthetically pleasing plots. Defaults to 10.

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frac Sets the fraction of the theoretical maximum length line segments can take with-

out overlapping, that they actually attain. Fine tuning here assists the creation of

aesthetically pleasing plots. Defaults to 0.75.

arrow.head Sets the length of the arrow heads. Passed to arrows. Defaults to 0.075.

col Sets the colour of the line in the plot, as well as the arrows. Should be a

character vector of length one. Will be reset accordingly if it is of the wrong

length. Defaults to "black".

add.grid Logical. If TRUE, a grid is added to the plot. Defaults to TRUE.

state.names The state names for ode functions that do not use positional states.

xlab Label for the x-axis of the resulting plot.
ylab Label for the y-axis of the resulting plot.

... Additional arguments to be passed to either plot or arrows.

#### Value

Returns a list with the following components:

add.grid As per input.
arrow.head As per input.

col As per input, but with possible editing if a character vector of the wrong

length was supplied.

deriv As per input.

dy A numeric vector containing the value of the derivative at each evaluated point.

frac As per input.
parameters As per input.
points As per input.
xlab As per input.

y A numeric vector containing the values of the dependent variable for which

the derivative was evaluated.

ylab As per input.
ylim As per input.
ystep As per input.

# Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

arrows, plot

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## **Examples**

```
# A one-dimensional autonomous ODE system, example2. example2_phasePortrait <- phasePortrait(example2, ylim = c(-0.5, \ 2.5), \\ points = 10, \\ frac = 0.5)
```

simplePendulum

The simple pendulum model

## **Description**

The derivative function of the simple pendulum model, an example of a two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

## Usage

```
simplePendulum(t, y, parameters)
```

#### **Arguments**

t	The value of $t$ , the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.
У	The values of $x$ and $y$ , the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.
parameters	The values of the parameters of the system. Should be a $\operatorname{numeric}$ vector prescribing the value of $l$ .

# Details

simplePendulum evaluates the derivative of the following ODE at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = y, \frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{-g\sin(x)}{l}.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

#### Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

## Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

## See Also

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#### **Examples**

```
# Plot the velocity field, nullclines and several trajectories
simplePendulum_flowField <- flowField(simplePendulum,</pre>
                                          xlim
                                                     = c(-7, 7),
                                         ylim
                                                     = c(-7, 7),
                                         parameters = 5,
                                                     = 19,
                                         points
                                                     = FALSE)
                                         add
y0
                            <- matrix(c(0, 1, 0, 4, -6,
                                         1, 5, 0.5, 0, -3), 5, 2,
                                       byrow = TRUE)
simplePendulum_nullclines <- nullclines(simplePendulum,</pre>
                                           xlim
                                                      = c(-7, 7),
                                           ylim
                                                      = c(-7, 7),
                                           parameters = 5,
                                           points
simplePendulum_trajectory <- trajectory(simplePendulum,</pre>
                                           y0
                                                      = y0,
                                                      = c(0, 10),
                                           tlim
                                           parameters = 5)
# Determine the stability of two equilibrium points
simplePendulum_stability_1 <- stability(simplePendulum,</pre>
                                          ystar
                                                     = c(0, 0),
                                          parameters = 5)
simplePendulum_stability_2 <- stability(simplePendulum,</pre>
                                                     = c(pi, 0),
                                          ystar
                                          parameters = 5)
```

SIR

The SIR epidemic model

## **Description**

The derivative function of the SIR epidemic model, an example of a two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

# Usage

```
SIR(t, y, parameters)
```

t	The value of $t$ , the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be	
	a numeric vector of length one.	
У	The values of $x$ and $y$ , the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.	
parameters	The values of the parameters of the system. Should be a numeric vector with parameters specified in the following order: $\beta$ , $\nu$ .	

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#### **Details**

SIR evaluates the derivative of the following ODE at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -\beta xy, \frac{dy}{dt} = \beta xy - \nu y.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

## Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

## Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

ode

stability

Stability analysis

# Description

Uses stability analysis to classify equilibrium points. Uses the Taylor Series approach (also known as perturbation analysis) to classify equilibrium points of a one -imensional autonomous ODE system, or the Jacobian approach to classify equilibrium points of a two-dimensional autonomous ODE system. In addition, it can be used to return the Jacobian at any point of a two-dimensional system.

## Usage

```
stability(
  deriv,
  ystar = NULL,
  parameters = NULL,
  system = "two.dim",
  h = 1e-07,
  summary = TRUE,
  state.names = if (system == "two.dim") c("x", "y") else "y"
)
```

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#### **Arguments**

deriv A function computing the derivative at a point for the ODE system to be anal-

ysed. Discussion of the required structure of these functions can be found in the

package vignette, or in the help file for the function ode.

ystar The point at which to perform stability analysis. For a one-dimensional system

this should be a numeric vector of length one, for a two-dimensional system this should be a numeric vector of length two (i.e., presently only one equilibrium point's stability can be evaluated at a time). Alternatively this can be specified as NULL, and then locator can be used to choose a point to perform the analysis for. However, given you are unlikely to locate exactly the equilibrium

rium point, if possible enter ystar yourself. Defaults to NULL.

parameters Parameters of the ODE system, to be passed to deriv. Supplied as a numeric

vector; the order of the parameters can be found from the deriv file. Defaults

to NULL.

system Set to either "one.dim" or "two.dim" to indicate the type of system being anal-

ysed. Defaults to "two.dim".

h Step length used to approximate the derivative(s). Defaults to 1e-7.

summary Set to either TRUE or FALSE to determine whether a summary of the stability

analysis is returned. Defaults to TRUE.

state.names The state names for ode functions that do not use positional states.

#### Value

Returns a list with the following components (the exact make up is dependent upon the value of system):

classification The classification of ystar.

Delta In the two-dimensional system case, the value of the Jacobian's determinant at

ystar.

deriv As per input.

discriminant In the one-dimensional system case, the value of the discriminant used in per-

turbation analysis to assess stability. In the two-dimensional system case, the

value of tr^2 - 4\*Delta.

eigenvalues In the two-dimensional system case, the value of the Jacobian's eigenvalues at

ystar.

eigenvectors In the two-dimensional system case, the value of the Jacobian's eigenvectors at

ystar.

jacobian In the two-dimensional system case, the Jacobian at ystar.

h As per input.
parameters As per input.
summary As per input.
system As per input.

tr In the two-dimensional system case, the value of the Jacobian's trace at ystar.

ystar As per input.

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#### Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### **Examples**

```
# Determine the stability of the equilibrium points of the one-dimensional # autonomous ODE system example2 example2_stability_1 <- stability(example2, ystar = 0, system = "one.dim") example2_stability_2 <- stability(example2, ystar = 1, system = "one.dim") example2_stability_3 <- stability(example2, ystar = 2, system = "one.dim") # Determine the stability of the equilibrium points of the two-dimensional # autonomous ODE system example11 example11_stability_1 <- stability(example11, ystar = c(0, 0)) example11_stability_2 <- stability(example11, ystar = c(0, 2)) example11_stability_3 <- stability(example11, ystar = c(1, 1)) example11_stability_4 <- stability(example11, ystar = c(3, 0))
```

toggle

The genetic toggle switch model

## **Description**

The derivative function of a simple genetic toggle switch model, an example of a two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

## Usage

```
toggle(t, y, parameters)
```

## **Arguments**

t The value of t, the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.

The values of x and y, the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.

parameters The values of the parameters of the system. Should be a numeric vector with parameters specified in the following order:  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$ .

#### **Details**

toggle evaluates the derivative of the following ODE at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -x + \alpha(1+y^{\beta}), \frac{dy}{dt} = -y + \alpha(1+x^{\gamma}).$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

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#### Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

#### Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

ode

trajectory

Phase plane trajectory plotting

## **Description**

Performs numerical integration of the chosen ODE system, for a user specified set of initial conditions. Plots the resulting solution(s) in the phase plane.

## Usage

```
trajectory(
  deriv,
  y0 = NULL,
  n = NULL,
  tlim,
  tstep = 0.01,
  parameters = NULL,
  system = "two.dim",
  col = "black",
  add = TRUE,
  state.names = if (system == "two.dim") c("x", "y") else "y",
  method = "ode45",
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

deriv

A function computing the derivative at a point for the ODE system to be analysed. Discussion of the required structure of these functions can be found in the package vignette, or in the help file for the function ode.

y0

The initial condition(s). In the case of a one-dimensional system, this can either be a numeric vector of length one, indicating the location of the dependent variable initially, or a numeric vector indicating multiple initial locations of the independent variable. In the case of a two-dimensional system, this can either be a numeric vector of length two, reflecting the location of the two dependent variables initially, or it can be numeric matrix where each row reflects a

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different initial condition. Alternatively this can be specified as NULL, and then locator can be used to specify initial condition(s) on a plot. In this case, for one-dimensional systems, all initial conditions are taken at tlim[1], even if not selected so on the graph. Defaults to NULL.

If yo is left NULL, such initial conditions can be specified using locator, n sets

the number of initial conditions to be chosen. Defaults to NULL.

tlim Sets the limits of the independent variable for which the solution should be plot-

ted. Should be a numeric vector of length two. If tlim[2] > tlim[1], then

tstep should be negative to indicate a backwards trajectory.

tstep The step length of the independent variable, used in numerical integration. De-

creasing the absolute magnitude of tstep theoretically makes the numerical integration more accurate, but increases computation time. Defaults to 0.01.

parameters Parameters of the ODE system, to be passed to deriv. Supplied as a numeric

vector; the order of the parameters can be found from the deriv file. Defaults

to NULL.

system Set to either "one.dim" or "two.dim" to indicate the type of system being anal-

ysed. Defaults to "two.dim".

col The colour(s) to plot the trajectories in. Should be a character vector. Will

be reset accordingly if it is not of the length of the number of initial conditions.

Defaults to "black".

add Logical. If TRUE, the trajectories added to an existing plot. If FALSE, a new plot

is created. Defaults to TRUE.

state.names The state names for ode functions that do not use positional states.

method Passed to ode. See there for further details. Defaults to "ode45".

... Additional arguments to be passed to plot.

#### Value

n

Returns a list with the following components (the exact make up is dependent on the value of system):

add As per input.

col As per input, but with possible editing if a character vector of the wrong

length was supplied.

deriv As per input.

n As per input.

method As per input.

parameters As per input.

system As per input.

tlim As per input.

tstep As per input.

t A numeric vector containing the values of the independent variable at each

integration step.

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x In the two-dimensional system case, a numeric matrix whose columns are the numerically computed values of the first dependent variable for each initial condition.

In the two-dimensional system case, a numeric matrix whose columns are the numerically computed values of the second dependent variable for each initial condition. In the one-dimensional system case, a numeric matrix whose columns are the numerically computed values of the dependent variable for each initial condition.

y0 As per input, but converted to a numeric matrix if supplied as a vector initially.

#### Author(s)

У

Michael J Grayling

#### See Also

ode, plot

#### **Examples**

```
# Plot the flow field, nullclines and several trajectories for the
# one-dimensional autonomous ODE system logistic
logistic_flowField <- flowField(logistic,</pre>
                                  xlim
                                              = c(0, 5),
                                  ylim
                                              = c(-1, 3),
                                  parameters = c(1, 2),
                                              = 21,
                                  points
                                              = "one.dim",
                                  system
                                              = FALSE)
                                  add
logistic_nullclines <- nullclines(logistic,</pre>
                                   xlim
                                               = c(0, 5),
                                   ylim
                                               = c(-1, 3),
                                   parameters = c(1, 2),
                                               = "one.dim")
                                   system
logistic_trajectory <- trajectory(logistic,</pre>
                                   y0
                                               = c(-0.5, 0.5, 1.5, 2.5),
                                   tlim
                                               = c(0, 5),
                                   parameters = c(1, 2),
                                   system
                                               = "one.dim")
# Plot the velocity field, nullclines and several trajectories for the
# two-dimensional autonomous ODE system simplePendulum
simplePendulum_flowField <- flowField(simplePendulum,</pre>
                                                    = c(-7, 7),
                                        xlim
                                                    = c(-7, 7),
                                        ylim
                                        parameters = 5,
                                                    = 19,
                                        points
                                                    = FALSE)
                                        add
y0
                           <- matrix(c(0, 1, 0, 4, -6, 1, 5, 0.5, 0, -3),
                                     5, 2, byrow = TRUE)
```

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```
\label{eq:simplePendulum_nullclines} simplePendulum, \\ xlim &= c(-7, 7), \\ ylim &= c(-7, 7), \\ parameters &= 5, \\ points &= 500) \\ \\ simplePendulum\_trajectory <- trajectory(simplePendulum, \\ y0 &= y0, \\ tlim &= c(0, 10), \\ parameters &= 5) \\ \\
```

vanDerPol

The Van der Pol oscillator

## **Description**

The derivative function of the Van der Pol Oscillator, an example of a two-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

## Usage

```
vanDerPol(t, y, parameters)
```

## **Arguments**

t	The value of $t$ , the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.
У	The values of $x$ and $y$ , the dependent variables, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length two.
parameters	The values of the parameters of the system. Should be a numeric vector prescribing the value of $\mu$ .

## **Details**

vanDerPol evaluates the derivative of the following ODE at the point (t, x, y):

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = y, \frac{dy}{dt} = \mu(1 - x^2)y - x.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

## Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

## Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

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#### See Also

ode

## **Examples**

```
# Plot the velocity field, nullclines and several trajectories.
vanDerPol_flowField
                            <- flowField(vanDerPol,</pre>
                                           xlim
                                                      = c(-5, 5),
                                                      = c(-5, 5),
                                           ylim
                                           parameters = 3,
                                           points
                                                     = 15,
                                                      = FALSE)
                                           add
                             <- matrix(c(2, 0, 0, 2, 0.5, 0.5), 3, 2,
y0
                                       byrow = TRUE)
                             <- nullclines(vanDerPol,
vanDerPol_nullclines
                                            xlim
                                                       = c(-5, 5),
                                            ylim
                                                       = c(-5, 5),
                                            parameters = 3,
                                            points
                             <- trajectory(vanDerPol,</pre>
vanDerPol_trajectory
                                           y0
                                                       = y0,
                                                       = c(0, 10),
                                            tlim
                                            parameters = 3)
# Plot x and y against t
vanDerPol_numericalSolution <- numericalSolution(vanDerPol,</pre>
                                                   y0
                                                              = c(4, 2),
                                                   tlim
                                                              = c(0, 100),
                                                   parameters = 3)
# Determine the stability of the equilibrium point
vanDerPol_stability
                             <- stability(vanDerPol,</pre>
                                           ystar
                                                      = c(0, 0),
                                           parameters = 3)
```

vonBertalanffy

The von Bertalanffy growth model

# Description

The derivative function of the von Bertalanffy growth model, an example of a one-dimensional autonomous ODE system.

## Usage

```
vonBertalanffy(t, y, parameters)
```

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# Arguments

t	The value of $t$ , the independent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.
У	The value of $y$ , the dependent variable, to evaluate the derivative at. Should be a numeric vector of length one.
parameters	The values of the parameters of the system. Should be a numeric vector with parameters specified in the following order: $\alpha$ , $\beta$ .

# **Details**

vonBertalanffy evaluates the derivative of the following ODE at the point (t, y):

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \alpha y^{2/3} - \beta y.$$

Its format is designed to be compatible with ode from the deSolve package.

# Value

Returns a list containing the values of the two derivatives at (t, x, y).

# Author(s)

Michael J Grayling

## See Also

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