

# Applying Snapback Repellers in Ecology

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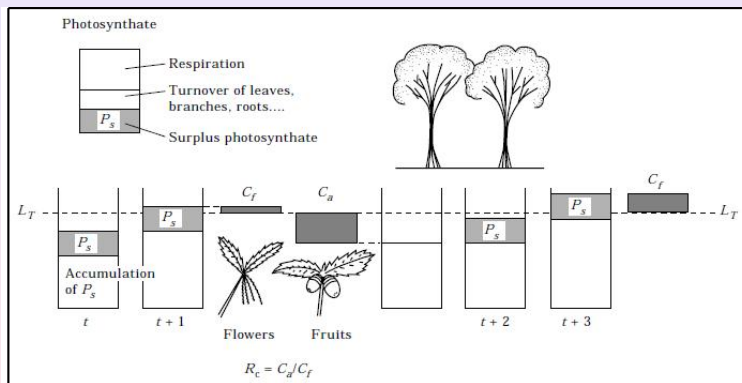
## Generalized Resource Budget Model

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## Resource Budget Model

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# Isagi's Resource Budget Model



- $S^{(t)}$ : Amount of energy at the beginning of year  $t$ .
- $P_s$ : Photosynthate (constant from year to year).
- $L_T$ : Resource threshold.
- $C_f$ : Flowering energy.
- $C_a$ : Fruiting energy.
- $R_c$ : The ratio of  $C_a/C_f$ .

# Satake's Generalized Resource Budget Model

## Main problem

$$Y^{(t+1)} = \begin{cases} Y^{(t)} + 1, & \text{if } Y^{(t)} \leq 0, \\ -kY^{(t)} + 1, & \text{if } Y^{(t)} > 0, \end{cases}$$

where  $k$ : depletion coefficient ( $k = a(R_c + 1) - 1$ ),

$t = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

# Non-dimensionalization

$S^{(t)}$ : energy reserved at the  $t$ -th year

## Isagi's Resource Budget Model

$$S^{(t+1)} = \begin{cases} S^{(t)} + P_s, & \text{if } S^{(t)} + P_s \leq L_T, \\ S^{(t)} + P_s - C_f - C_a, & \text{if } S^{(t)} + P_s > L_T. \end{cases}$$

Let  $a > 0$ ,  $C_f \equiv a(S^{(t)} + P_s - L_T)$

## Satake's Generalized Resource Budget Model

$$S^{(t+1)} = \begin{cases} S^{(t)} + P_s, \\ S^{(t)} + P_s - a(R_c + 1)(S^{(t)} + P_s - L_T). \end{cases}$$

# Non-dimensionalization

$$\begin{aligned}
 S^{(t+1)} &= \begin{cases} S^{(t)} + P_s, \\ S^{(t)} + P_s - a(R_c + 1)(S^{(t)} + P_s - L_T) \end{cases} \\
 &= \begin{cases} S^{(t)} + P_s, \\ S^{(t)} + P_s - L_T - a(R_c + 1)(S^{(t)} + P_s - L_T) + L_T \end{cases} \\
 &= \begin{cases} S^{(t)} + P_s, \\ (1 - a(R_c + 1))(S^{(t)} + P_s - L_T) + L_T. \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$

# Non-dimensionalization

$$S^{(t+1)} + P_s - L_T = \begin{cases} (S^{(t)} + P_s - L_T) + P_s, \\ (1 - a(R_c + 1)) (S^{(t)} + P_s - L_T) \\ \quad + L_T - L_T + P_s, \end{cases}$$

$$(S^{(t+1)} + P_s - L_T) / P_s = \begin{cases} (S^{(t)} + P_s - L_T) / P_s + 1, \\ (1 - a(R_c + 1)) (S^{(t)} + P_s - L_T) / P_s + 1. \end{cases}$$

Let  $Y^{(t)} = (S^{(t)} + P_s - L_T) / P_s$ ,  $k \equiv a(R_c + 1) - 1$ .



# Coupled Systems

$$Y_i^{(t+1)} = \begin{cases} Y_i^{(t)} + 1 & \text{if } Y_i^{(t)} \leq 0, \\ -\kappa P_i^{(t)} Y_i^{(t)} + 1 & \text{if } Y_i^{(t)} > 0, \end{cases}$$

where

$$P_i^{(t)} = \left\{ \frac{1}{N-1} \sum_{j \neq i} [Y_j^{(t)}]_+ \right\}^\beta.$$

- Satake and Iwasa proved by computing the positive Lyapunov exponent that if the depletion coefficient  $k$  is greater than one, then the generalized budget resource model is chaotic. However, a positive Lyapunov exponent means only sensitivity in Devaney's chaos.
- When the depletion coefficient  $k$  is a positive integer, Satake and Iwasa proved that the generalized budget resource model is periodic.



1. Snapback repeller method  $\Rightarrow$  Devaney's chaos.
2. Investigate the difference between odd depletion coefficients and even depletion coefficients.

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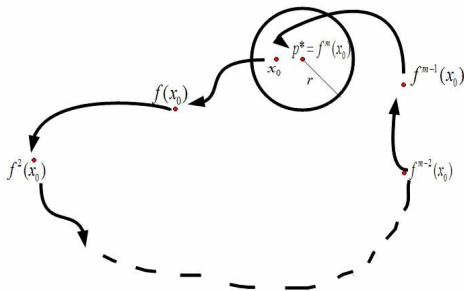
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## expanding fixed point

Let  $p^* \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , suppose  $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$  be diff. in  $B_r(p^*)$ , if  $f(p^*) = p^*$  and  $|\sigma(Df(x))| > 1 \quad \forall x \in B_r(p^*)$ .

## snapback repeller

Suppose  $p^*$  is an *expanding fixed point* of  $f$  in  $B_r(p^*)$  for some  $r > 0$  and  $\exists$  const.  $s > 0$  s.t.  $\|f(x) - f(y)\| > s\|x - y\| \quad \forall x, y \in B_r(p^*)$ , if  $\exists x_0 \in B_r(p^*)$  with  $x_0 \neq p^*$  and  $m \in \mathbb{N}$  s.t.  $f^m(x_0) = p^*$  and  $\det(Df^m(x_0)) \neq 0$ .



## Theorem

*Let snapback repeller  $p^*$ ,  $f$ ,  $m$ , and  $x_0$  be the same as above. If  $f$  is  $C^1$  in some neighborhood of  $x_j$ ,  $\det(Df(x_j)) \neq 0$ ,  $0 \leq j \leq m - 1$ , and  $f$  has a snapback repeller  $p^*$ , then  $f$  is chaotic in the sense of Devaney.*

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# Devaney's Chaos

Let  $X$  be a metric space,  $f: X \rightarrow X$  conti.

**sensitivity**  $\exists \delta > 0$  st.  $\forall x \in X$ , any  $\text{nbd}(x)$ ,  $\exists y \in \text{nbd}(x)$   
and  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $|f^n(x) - f^n(y)| > \delta$ ;

**transitivity** for any pair of nonempty open sets  
 $U, V \subset X$ ,  $\exists k > 0$  st.  $f^k(U) \cap V \neq \emptyset$ ;

**density** of periodic points

# Li & Yorke's Chaos

Let  $I$  be an interval,  $f: I \rightarrow I$  conti., if  $f$  has an uncountable scrambled set  $S \subset I$  which satisfies the following conditions:

(i)  $\forall p, q \in S$  with  $p \neq q$ ,

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} |f^n(p) - f^n(q)| > 0,$$

$$\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} |f^n(p) - f^n(q)| = 0;$$

(ii)  $\forall p \in S$  and periodic point  $q \in I$ ,

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} |f^n(p) - f^n(q)| > 0.$$

# Topological Entropy

$f: X \rightarrow X$  conti. with metric  $d$ .  $S \subset X$ :  $(n, \epsilon)$ -separated for  $f$  with  $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  and  $\epsilon > 0$  provided that for every pair of distinct points  $x, y \in S$ ,  $x \neq y$ , there is at least one  $k$  with  $0 \leq k < n$  st.  $d(f^k(x), f^k(y)) > \epsilon$ . The number of different orbits of length  $n$  (as measured by  $\epsilon$ ) is defined by

$$r(n, \epsilon, f) = \{ \#(S) : S \subset X \text{ is a } (n, \epsilon)\text{-separated set for } f \},$$

where  $\#(S)$  is the cardinality of elements in  $S$ . Let

$$h_{\text{top}}(\epsilon, f) = \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\log(r(n, \epsilon, f))}{n},$$

and define the **topological entropy** of  $f$  as

$$h_{\text{top}}(f) = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0, \epsilon > 0} h_{\text{top}}(\epsilon, f).$$



## Theorem

Assume  $f: X \rightarrow X$  is uniformly continuous or  $X$  is compact and  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $h_{\text{top}}(f^n) = n \cdot h_{\text{top}}(f)$ .

## C. Robinson

Dynamical Systems: Stability, Symbolic Dynamics, and Chaos, 2nd Ed., CRC, Boca Raton, Florida, 1998.

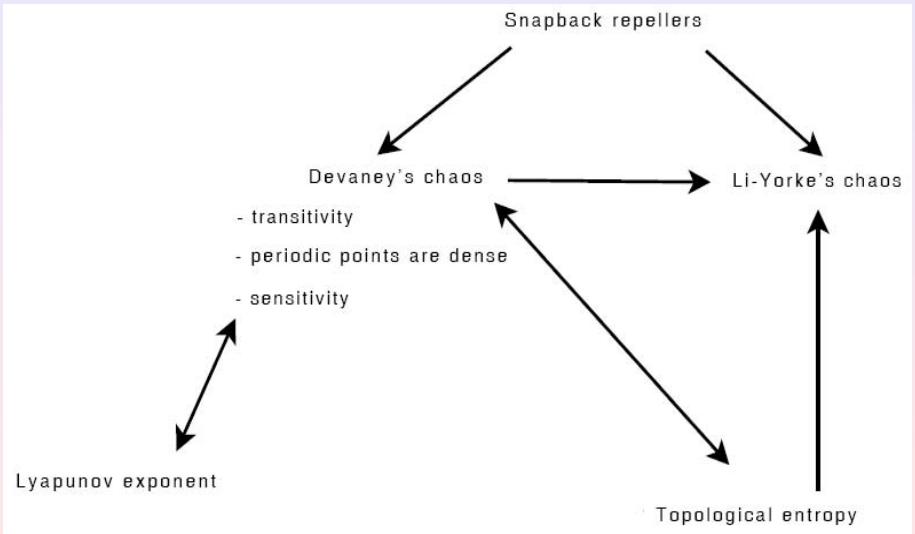
# Lyapunov Exponent

Let  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a  $\mathcal{C}^1$  function. For each point  $x_0$ , define the **Lyapunov exponent** of  $x_0$ ,  $\lambda(x_0)$ , as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda(x_0) &= \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \log(|(f^n)'(x_0)|) \\ &= \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \log(|f'(x_k)|), \end{aligned}$$

where  $x_j = f^j(x_0)$ .

# Important relations



$$Y^{(t+1)} = \begin{cases} Y^{(t)} + 1, & \text{if } Y^{(t)} \leq 0, \\ -kY^{(t)} + 1, & \text{if } Y^{(t)} > 0. \end{cases}$$

$$k \leq -1$$

$Y^{(t)}$  tends to infinity.

$$-1 < k < 1$$

$Y^{(t)}$  converges to the stable equilibrium  $\frac{1}{k+1}$ .

$$k = 1$$

$Y^{(t)}$  converges to a period 2.

# Main results

$$(I) \quad k > \left( \frac{1}{2} + \sqrt{\frac{23}{108}} \right)^{1/3} + \left( \frac{1}{2} - \sqrt{\frac{23}{108}} \right)^{1/3} \equiv k_1$$

the system is chaotic in Devaney's sense.

$$(II) \quad 1 < k \leq k_1 \approx 1.3247$$

the system is chaotic in Devaney's sense, too.

$$Y^n(x) = (Y \circ \dots \circ Y)(x)$$

$$p \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$$

$$Y^{2^p}(x) = \begin{cases} L_{2^p}(x), & x \in \left[ C_{p-3} \left( \frac{1}{k} \right), C_{p-2} \left( \frac{1}{k} \right) \right], \\ R_{2^p}(x), & x \in \left[ C_{p-2} \left( \frac{1}{k} \right), 1 \right], \end{cases}$$

$$L_1(x) = x + 1, \quad R_1(x) = -kx + 1,$$

$$R_{2^p}(x) = (L_{2^{p-1}} \circ R_{2^{p-1}})(x),$$

$$L_{2^p}(x) = \begin{cases} -kR_{2^p}(x) + k + 1, & p \in \text{odd}, \\ \frac{-R_{2^p}(x) + k + 1}{k}, & p \in \text{even}. \end{cases}$$

$j \in \mathbb{N}$ ,

$$C_j = \begin{cases} C_{j-1} \circ A \circ A \circ C_{j-1}, & j \in \text{odd}, \\ C_{j-1} \circ B \circ C_{j-1}, & j \in \text{even} \end{cases}$$

with

$$C_0(x) = B(x),$$

$$C_{-1}(x) = x, C_{-2} = 0, C_{-3} = -k + 1,$$

where

$$A(x) = \frac{1}{k}(1 - x), \quad B(x) = \frac{1}{k}(2 - x).$$

$$p = 0, 1$$

$$k_0 = \frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2} \approx 1.6180$$

$$Y(x) = \begin{cases} x + 1, & x \in [-k + 1, 0], \\ -kx + 1, & x \in [0, 1]; \end{cases}$$

$$k_1 \approx 1.3247$$

$$Y^2(x) = \begin{cases} k^2x - k + 1, & x \in \left[0, \frac{1}{k}\right], \\ -kx + 2, & x \in \left[\frac{1}{k}, 1\right]. \end{cases}$$

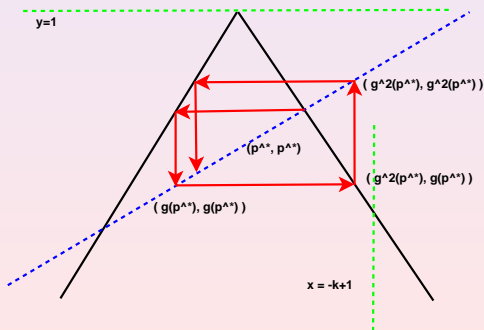


## Main Result (I)

**Proof:**

$$\text{Part I: } k > \left( \frac{1}{2} + \sqrt{\frac{23}{108}} \right)^{1/3} + \left( \frac{1}{2} - \sqrt{\frac{23}{108}} \right)^{1/3} \approx 1.3247.$$

$$\text{Let } p^* = \frac{1}{1+k}, g = Y^{-1}$$



## Main Result (I)

Since  $|g'(p^*)| < 1$ , there exists  $r > 0$  with  $U = (p^* - r, p^* + r)$ ,  $U \subset (0, 1)$  such that  $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} g^m(x) = p^*$  if  $x \in U$ . Choose

$$g(p^*) = \frac{-k}{1+k} < 0 \quad \text{and} \quad g^2(p^*) = \frac{2k+1}{k^2+k} > 0.$$

Solve  $g(p^*) > -k+1$  and  $g^2(p^*) < 1$ , choosing  $k > \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}$  allows  $j$  to be found such that

$$g^j(p^*) > 0 \quad \text{for all } j \geq 3$$

by the definition of  $Y$ . Computing  $|g^j(p^*) - p^*|$ , yield

$|g^j(p^*) - p^*| = \frac{1}{k^{j-1}} \rightarrow 0$  as  $j \rightarrow \infty$ . That is, for this  $r$ , there exists a natural number  $J > 0$  such that

$$g^j(p^*) \in U \quad \text{as } j \geq J.$$

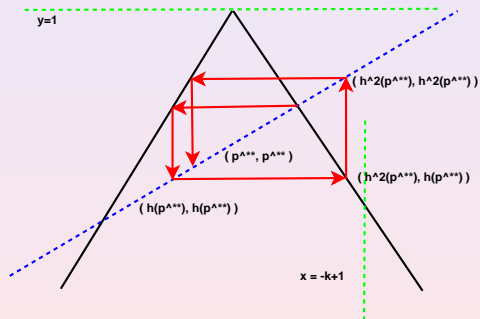
Fix  $J$  and let  $x_0 = g^J(p^*)$ , then  $x_0 \in U$  and  $Y^J(x_0) = p^*$ . Since

$|Y'(p)| = k > 1$  for all  $p \in U$ , and  $(Y^J)'(x_0) \neq 0$ ,  $p^*$  is a snapback

repeller of  $Y$ .

## Main Result (I)

$$\text{Let } p^{**} = \frac{2}{1+k}, \quad h = (Y^2)^{-1}$$



Since  $|h'(p^{**})| < 1$ , there exists  $r > 0$  with  $V = (p^{**} - r, p^{**} + r)$ ,  $V \subset (\frac{1}{k}, 1)$  such that  $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} h^m(x) = p^{**}$  if  $x \in V$ . Choose

$$h(p^{**}) < \frac{1}{k} \quad \text{and} \quad h^2(p^{**}) > \frac{1}{k}.$$

Solve  $h(p^{**}) > -k + 2$  and  $h^2(p^{**}) < 1$ , choosing

$$k > \left(\frac{1}{2} + \sqrt{\frac{23}{108}}\right)^{1/3} + \left(\frac{1}{2} - \sqrt{\frac{23}{108}}\right)^{1/3} \quad \text{allows } j \text{ to be found such that}$$

$$h^j(p^{**}) > \frac{1}{k} \quad \text{for all } j \geq 3$$

by the definition of  $Y^2$ .

## Main Result (I)

Computing  $|g^j(p^*) - p^*|$ , yield  $|h^j(p^{**}) - p^{**}| = \frac{k-1}{k^{j+1}} \rightarrow 0$  as  $j \rightarrow \infty$ .

That is, for this  $r$ , there exists a natural number  $J' > 0$  such that

$$h^j(p^{**}) \in V \quad \text{as } j \geq J'.$$

Fix this  $J'$ , let  $y_0 = h^{J'}(p^{**})$ , then  $y_0 \in V$  and  $(Y^2)^{J'}(y_0) = p^{**}$ . Since  $|(Y^2)'(p)| = k > 1$  for all  $p \in V$ , and  $[(Y^2)^{J'}]'(y_0) \neq 0$ ,  $p^{**}$  is a snapback repeller of  $Y^2$ .

- $Y^2$  is chaotic in the Devaney sense  $\Leftrightarrow h_{\text{top}}(Y^2) > 0$ .
- $h_{\text{top}}(Y^2) = 2 \cdot h_{\text{top}}(Y) > 0 \Leftrightarrow h_{\text{top}}(Y) > 0$ .
- $h_{\text{top}}(Y) > 0 \Leftrightarrow Y$  is chaotic in Devaney's sense as

$$k > \left( \frac{1}{2} + \sqrt{\frac{23}{108}} \right)^{1/3} + \left( \frac{1}{2} - \sqrt{\frac{23}{108}} \right)^{1/3}.$$

$$p = 2$$

$$Y^{2^2}(x) = \begin{cases} k^2x - 2k + 2, & x \in \left[ \frac{1}{k}, B\left(\frac{1}{k}\right) \right], \\ -k^3x + 2k^2 - k + 1, & x \in \left[ B\left(\frac{1}{k}\right), 1 \right]. \end{cases}$$

$$p = 3$$

$$Y^{2^3}(x) = \begin{cases} k^6 x - 2k^5 + k^4 - k^3 + 2k^2 - k + 1, & x \in \left[ B\left(\frac{1}{k}\right), \underbrace{BAAB}_{C_1}\left(\frac{1}{k}\right) \right], \\ -k^5 x + 2k^4 - k^3 + k^2 - 2k + 2, & x \in \left[ C_1\left(\frac{1}{k}\right), 1 \right]. \end{cases}$$

# MatLab

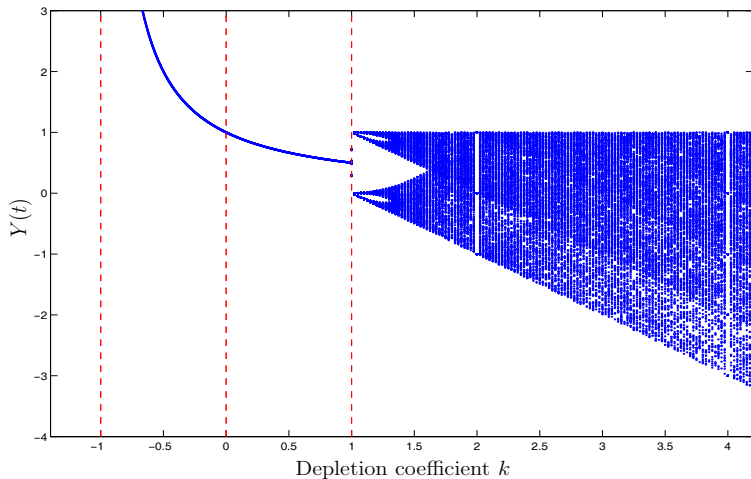
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2	<u>1.1347</u> 24138401520
3	<u>1.0682</u> 97188920740
4	<u>1.0327</u> 70966453956
5	<u>1.0164</u> 43864419055
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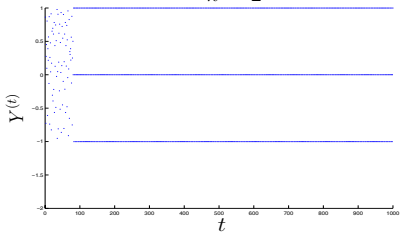
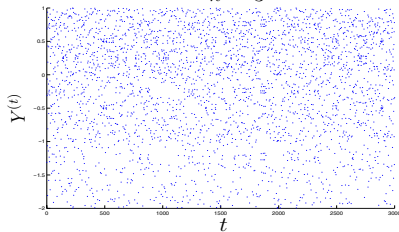
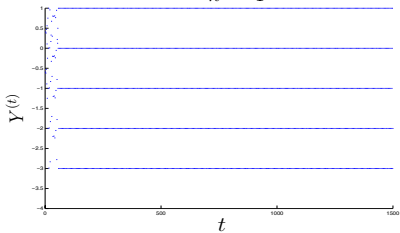
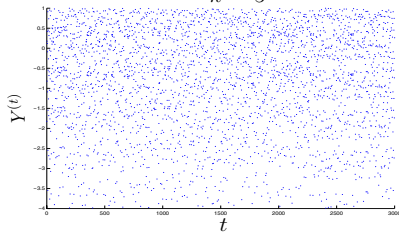
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$p$	$k_p$
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1	<u>1.3247</u> 179572447460259
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6	<u>1.0081</u> 400320211663423
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9	<u>1.0010</u> 161163502399878
10	<u>1.0005</u> 077430745001149
11	<u>1.0002</u> 538857993064976

$$Y^{(t+1)} = -kY^{(t)} + 1, Y^{(t)} > 0$$



$$Y^{(t+1)} = -kY^{(t)} + 1, Y^{(t)} > 0$$

 $k = 2$ 

 $k = 3$ 

 $k = 4$ 

 $k = 5$ 


What happen in  $Y^{(t)}$ ?

For any initial value  $x \in \mathbb{Q}$

$k \in \mathbb{N}$

$Y^{(t)}(x)$  is periodic **eventually**.

What happen in  $Y^{(t)}$ ?

# Binary representation with finite digits

$$k \in \mathbb{N} \setminus \{1\}$$

$k \in \text{even}$

$Y^{(t)}$  **always** converges to the periodic cycle

$$S \equiv \{-k + 1, -k + 2, \dots, 0, 1\}$$

with period  $k + 1$  for any initial value.

$k \in \text{odd}$

$Y^{(t)}$  **can not** converge to the periodic cycle

$$S \equiv \{-k + 1, -k + 2, \dots, 0, 1\}$$

as the initial value  $x \notin S$ .

Thank you for your attention!