

F-K Equation:

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = u(1-u) + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$$

$$U(\xi) = u(x,t), \quad \xi \equiv x - ct$$

$$U'' + cU' + U(1-U) = 0$$

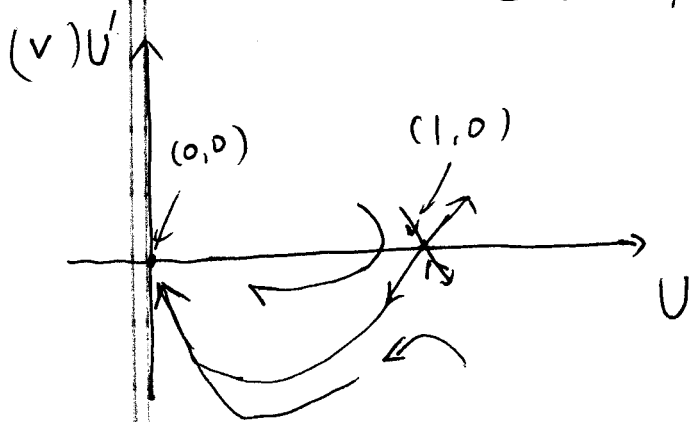
boundary condition  $U(-\infty) = 1$   
 $U(\infty) = 0$

$$U' = V$$

$$V' = -cV - U(1-U)$$

$$\frac{dV}{dU} = \frac{-cV - U(1-U)}{V}$$

$(U, V) = (0, 0) \quad (1, 0)$ 
 $\lambda_{\pm} = \frac{1}{2} [-c \pm (c^2 + 4)^{1/2}]$  saddle  
 $\lambda_{\pm} = \frac{1}{2} [-c \pm (c^2 - 4)^{1/2}]$   
 saddle node if  $c^2 > 4$   
 stable spiral if  $c^2 < 4$



$$U(\xi) = g(\zeta) \quad \xi = \frac{\zeta}{c} = \varepsilon^{1/2} \zeta$$

$$\frac{dU}{d\xi} = \frac{dg}{d\zeta} \frac{d\zeta}{d\xi} = \varepsilon^{1/2} \frac{dg}{d\zeta}$$

$$\varepsilon g'' + c \cdot \varepsilon^{1/2} g' + g(1-g) = 0$$

$$c = \frac{1}{\varepsilon^{1/2}}$$

$$\boxed{\varepsilon g'' + g' + g(1-g) = 0}$$

multiplying  $e^{-\ln g_0'}$

$$\left( \frac{dg_1}{d\xi} - \frac{g_0''}{g_0'} \cdot g_1 \right) e^{-\ln g_0'} = -g_0'' e^{-\ln g_0'}$$

$$g_1' e^{-\ln g_0'} - \frac{g_0''}{g_0'} e^{-\ln g_0'} g_1 = \left( g_1 e^{-\ln g_0'} \right)' = -g_0'' e^{-\ln g_0'}$$

$$= -\frac{g_0''}{g_0'}$$

$$g_1 \cdot e^{-\ln g_0'} \Big|_{-\infty}^{\xi} = -\ln g_0' \Big|_{-\infty}^{\xi}$$

$$g_1(\xi) \cdot e^{-\ln g_0'(\xi)} - 0 = -\ln g_0'(\xi) + \ln g_0'(-\infty)$$

$$g_1(\xi) = \left[ -\ln g_0'(\xi) + \ln g_0'(-\infty) \right] e^{\ln g_0'(\xi)}$$

$$= -g_0' \cdot \ln \left( 4 |g_0'| \right)$$

$$U(\xi; \varepsilon) = \left( 1 + e^{\xi/c} \right)^{-1} + \frac{1}{c^2} \cdot e^{\xi/c} \left( 1 + e^{\xi/c} \right)^{-2} \ln \frac{4e^{\xi/c}}{(1+e^{\xi/c})^2}$$

for  $c \geq c_{\min} = 2$

inflection pt. where  $U'' = 0$

$$g_0''(\xi) + \varepsilon \cdot g_1''(\xi) + O(\varepsilon^2) = 0$$

for the soln. of  $g_0$  &  $g_1$

$$\xi = 0$$

$$\varepsilon \frac{d^2 g}{d\xi^2} + \frac{dg}{d\xi} + g(1-g) = 0$$

$$g(-\infty) = 1 \quad g(\infty) = 0 \quad 0 < \varepsilon \leq \frac{1}{C_{min}} = 0.25$$

$$g(0) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$g(\xi; \varepsilon) = g_0(\xi) + \varepsilon g_1(\xi) + \dots$$

$$g(0; \varepsilon) = \frac{1}{2} \text{ for all } \varepsilon$$

$$g_0(-\infty) = 1 \quad g_0(\infty) = 0 \quad g_0(0) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$g_i(\pm\infty) = 0 \quad g_i(0) = 0 \quad \text{for } i = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

at leading order:  $\frac{dg_0}{d\xi} = -g_0(1-g_0) \quad g_0 = \frac{1}{1+e^\xi}$

$$O(1) : \quad \frac{d^2 g_0}{d\xi^2} + \frac{dg_1}{d\xi} + g_1(1-2g_0) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^2 g_0}{d\xi^2} &= -\frac{dg_0}{d\xi}(1-g_0) - g_0\left(-\frac{dg_0}{d\xi}\right) \\ &= -\frac{dg_0}{d\xi}(1-2g_0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dg_1}{d\xi} &= -g_1(1-2g_0) + \frac{dg_0}{d\xi}(1-2g_0) \\ &= (1-2g_0)\left(-g_1 + \frac{dg_0}{d\xi}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{dg_1}{d\xi} - \left(\frac{g_0''}{g_0'}\right)g_1 = -g_0''}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 U'(0) &= \frac{-\frac{1}{c}}{(1+e^{0/c})^2} + \frac{1}{c^3} e^{\frac{0}{c}} (1+e^{0/c})^{-2} \ln \frac{4}{1} \\
 &\quad + \frac{1}{c^2} \cdot e^{\frac{0}{c}} \frac{-2/c}{(1+e^{0/c})^3} \ln \frac{4}{1} \\
 &\quad + \frac{1}{c^2} \cdot e^{\frac{0}{c}} \cdot (1+e^{0/c})^{-2} \cdot \left[ \frac{1}{c} - \frac{2/c}{1+e^{0/c}} \right] \\
 &= -\frac{1}{4c}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$-U'(0) \equiv S = \frac{1}{4c}$$

the faster the wave moves  
the less steep is the wave front

stability

$$\begin{cases} z = x - ct \\ t = t \end{cases}$$

$$U_t = u(1-u) + U_{xx} \rightarrow U_t = u(1-u) + cU_z + U_{zz}$$

$U_c$  is the traveling wave soln. s.t.

$$U_c(1-U_c) + c \cdot U_{cz} + U_{czz} = 0$$

$$U = U_c + w \cdot v(z, t)$$

$$v_t = (1-2U_c)v + cv_z + v_{zz}$$

$U_c$  is stable if  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} v(z, t) = 0$

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} v(z, t) = \frac{dU_c}{dz}$$

$$v(z, t) = g(z) \cdot e^{-\lambda t}$$

$$g'' + cg' + (\lambda + 1 - 2u_c)g = 0$$

if  $\lambda = 0$ ,  $g(z) = \frac{du_c}{dz}$  is a soln. of this eq.

$\Rightarrow$  the traveling wave is invariant under translation along the  $z$ -axis.

write  $g(z) = h(z)e^{-cz/2}$

$$h'' + \left[ \lambda - \left\{ 2u_c(z) + \frac{c^2}{4} - 1 \right\} \right] h = 0$$

$$\downarrow \quad 2u_c + \frac{c^2}{4} - 1 \geq 2u_c(z) > 0 \quad \text{for } c \geq 2$$

and  $u_c > 0$

all eigenvalues must be real & positive

$\Rightarrow v(z,t) \rightarrow 0$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$

$\Rightarrow u_c$  is stable to all small finite domain perturbations

effect of convection & nonlinear convection

$$U_t + kUU_x = U(1-U) + U_{xx}$$

$$U(x,t) = U(z), \quad z = x - ct$$

$$U'' + (c - kU)U' + U(1-U) = 0$$

$$U(-\infty) = 1 \quad U(\infty) = 0$$

$$V \equiv U'$$

$$\frac{dV}{dU} = \frac{-(c - kU)V - U(1-U)}{V}$$