

Theorem 0.1 *If there is a pair (μ^*, x^*) for which*

$$f(x^*, \mu^*) = 0 \quad (4)$$

$$f_x(x^*, \mu^*) = 0 \quad (5)$$

$$f_\mu(x^*, \mu^*) \neq 0 \quad (6)$$

$$f_{xx}(x^*, \mu^*) \neq 0 \quad (7)$$

then $\dot{x} = f(x, \mu)$ has a saddle-node bifurcation with quadratic tangency at (μ^, x^*) .*

Transcritical (2-branch)

Theorem 0.2 *If there is a pair (μ^*, x^*) for which*

$$f(x^*, \mu^*) = 0 \quad (8)$$

$$f_x(x^*, \mu^*) = 0 \quad (9)$$

$$f_\mu(x^*, \mu^*) = 0 \quad (10)$$

$$f_{x\mu}(x^*, \mu^*) \neq 0 \quad (11)$$

$$f_{xx}(x^*, \mu^*) \neq 0 \quad (12)$$

then $\dot{x} = f(x, \mu)$ has a (2 branch) transcritical bifurcation at (μ^, x^*) .*

Pitchfork (Quadratic Tangency)

Theorem 0.3 *If there is a pair (μ^*, x^*) for which*

$$f(x^*, \mu^*) = 0 \quad (13)$$

$$f_x(x^*, \mu^*) = 0 \quad (14)$$

$$f_\mu(x^*, \mu^*) = 0 \quad (15)$$

$$f_{xx}(x^*, \mu^*) = 0 \quad (16)$$

$$f_{x\mu}(x^*, \mu^*) \neq 0 \quad (17)$$

$$f_{xxx}(x^*, \mu^*) \neq 0 \quad (18)$$

then $\dot{x} = f(x, \mu)$ has a pitchfork bifurcation with quadratic tangency at (μ^, x^*) .*