## FINAL EXAM MATH 565 KFUPM

**Problem 1**: Consider the sytem

$$\begin{cases} x' = -x^3 \\ y' = -y(x^2 + y^2 + 1) \\ z' = -\sin z \end{cases}$$

- (a) Find the equilibrium points.
- (b) What can you say about the stability of the origin?
- (c) Find some invariant sets
- (d) Linearize around the origin and decide about the stability of the origin.
- (e) Using a Lyapunov functional, is the origin asymptotically stable?

**Problem 2**: For the system

$$\begin{cases} x' = -2y + yz \\ y' = x - xz \\ z' = xy \end{cases}$$

(a) Linearize around the origin and conclude

(b) Find a Lyapunov function in the form  $V(x) = C_1 x^2 + C_2 y^2 + C_3 z^2$  and conclude.

Problem 3: Let

$$\left\{\begin{array}{l} x' = x - y - x^3 - xy^2\\ y' = x + y - x^2y - y^3\\ z' = \beta z, \ \beta \in R\end{array}\right.$$

(a) Linearize around the solution  $(\cos t, \sin t, 0)^T$  and check that

$$\Phi(t) = \begin{pmatrix} e^{-2t} \cos t & -\sin t & 0\\ e^{-2t} \sin t & \cos t & 0\\ 0 & 0 & e^{\beta t} \end{pmatrix}$$

is the fundamental matrix.

(b) Apply Floquet theorem.

Problem 4: Does the system below have periodic solutions?

$$\begin{cases} x_1' = x_2 + x_2 x_1^2 \\ x_2' = 2 + x_1 x_2 \end{cases}$$

**Problem 5**: For the system

$$\begin{cases} x' = x + y - x^3 - xy^2 \\ y' = -x + y - x^2y - y^3 \\ z' = -z \end{cases}$$

- (a) Demonstrate the existence of a limit cycle  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ , z = 0
- (b) After linearizing, what can you sat about the stability of the origin?
- (c) Use cylindrical coordinates to establish the stability of the limit cycle.

Problem 6: Consider the system

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} x' = -y - x\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \\ y' = x - y\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \end{array} \right.$$

(a) Show that the origin is a center of the linearized system, however in fact it is a spiral (using polar coordinates).

(b) Find a Lyapunov function and conclude.