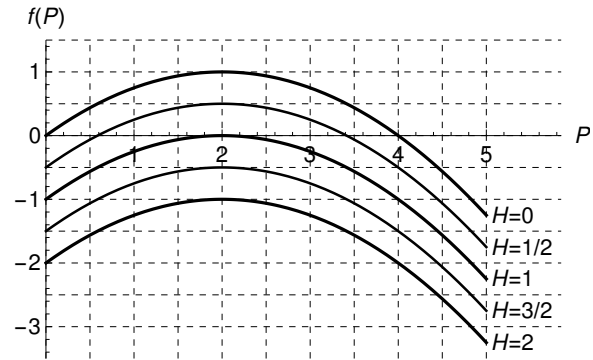


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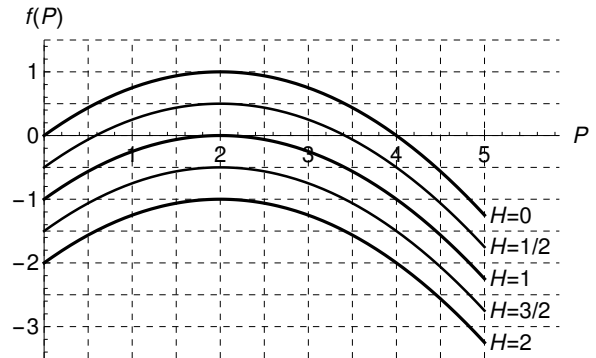
- a. [6 points] Plot phase lines for this equation when $H = 0$, $H = 1$ and $H = 2$. For each, identify all equilibrium solutions and their stability.



- b. [5 points] Sketch qualitatively accurate solution curves for the case $H = 0$. Include enough initial conditions to show all solution behaviors.

Problem 4, continued. Instructions are reproduced here:

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- c. [4 points] This problem and your work on it provide an example of a model with a bifurcation. Draw the bifurcation diagram for this on the axes provided below.



- d. [3 points] Explain what your work in the preceding indicates about the long-term survival of the harvested population (fish).