

Singular behavior of solutions to reaction-diffusion-ODE systems

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Abstract

I shall review results, obtained jointly with Anna Marciniak-Czochra, Kanako Suzuki, and Szymon Cygan, on a certain class of reaction-diffusion systems from Mathematical Biology, where ordinary differential equations are coupled with one reaction-diffusion equation. Such systems may have regular (*i.e.* sufficiently smooth) stationary solutions, however, all of them are unstable. We showed that solutions to initial-boundary value problems for such reaction-diffusion-ODE systems may behave in a singular way for large values of time which means that they may blowup in a finite time or converge towards discontinuous stationary solutions.

These results are contained in our works:

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