

# Multiplicity results for the assigned Gauss curvature problem in $\mathbb{R}^2$ (1 / 5)

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Note that all computations are done for the nonlinearity:  $e^u$

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Off[NDSolve::"mxst"]
Off[NDSolve::"nlnum"]
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η = 10^-4;
ε[a_, ξ_] := Min[ξ e^-a, 10^-6]
rmax = 40;

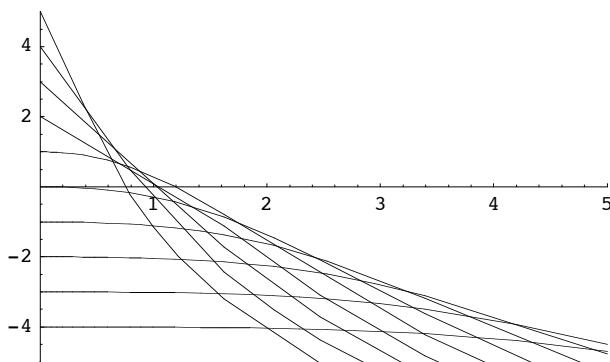
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■ Plot of the solution as a function of  $r$  for various values of  $a$  and  $N$

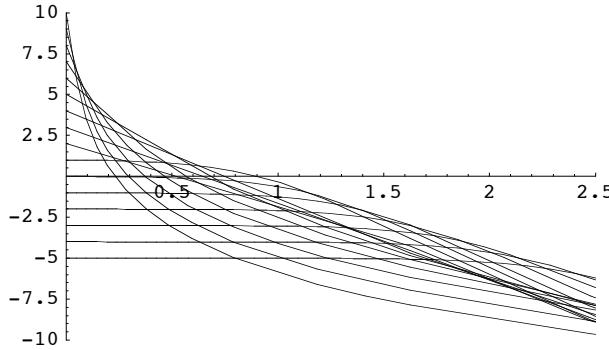
```

Pltu[a_, N_, DF_] := Module[{δ = ε [a, η]}, 
  Plot[u[s] /. NDSolve[{u'[r] == v[r], u[δ] == a - 1/4 e^a δ^2, v'[r] == -u'[r]/r - (1 + r^2)^N e^{u[r]}, 
    v[δ] == -1/2 e^a δ, m'[r] == r (1 + r^2)^N e^{u[r]}, m[δ] == 1/2 e^a δ^2}, {u, v, m}, {r, δ, rmax}], {s, δ, rmax}, DisplayFunction → DF]]
  Show[Table[Pltu[a, 1, Identity], {a, -5, 5}], 
  DisplayFunction → $DisplayFunction, PlotRange → {{0, 5}, {-5, 5}}];

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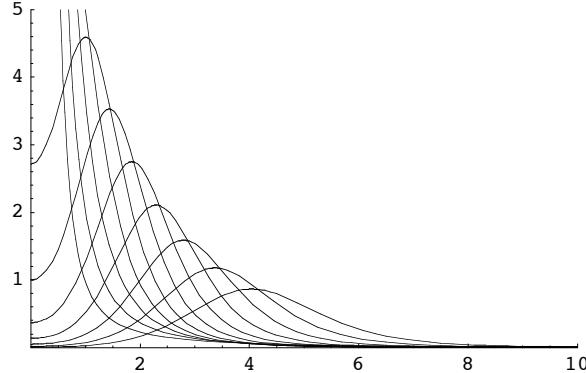
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Show[Table[Pltu[a, 4, Identity], {a, -5, 10}],
  DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> {{0, 2.5}, {-10, 10}}];
```



### ■ Plot of the density as a function of r for various values of a and N

```
PltDensity[a_, N_, DF_] := Module[{δ = ε [a, η]}, Plot[(1 + s²)⁹ e^u[s] /.
  NDSolve[{u'[r] == v[r], u[δ] == a - 1/4 e^a δ², v'[r] == -u'[r]/r - (1 + r²)⁹ e^u[r],
    v[δ] == -1/2 e^a δ, m'[r] == r (1 + r²)⁹ e^u[r], m[δ] == 1/2 e^a δ²}, {u, v, m}, {r, δ, rmax}],
  {s, δ, rmax}, DisplayFunction -> DF, PlotPoints -> 100]]
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Show[Table[PltDensity[a, 2, Identity], {a, -5, 5}],
  DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> {{0, 10}, {0, 5}}];
```

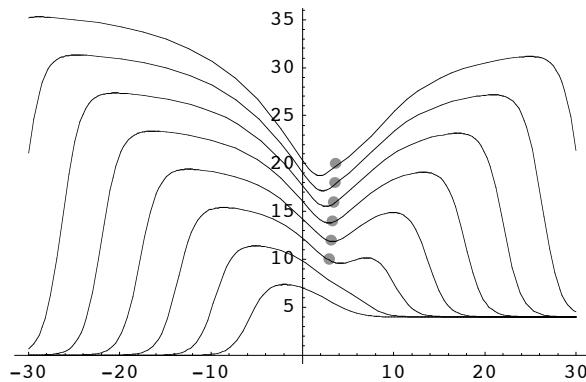


### ■ Plot of the limit of the density as r→∞ as a function of a and N

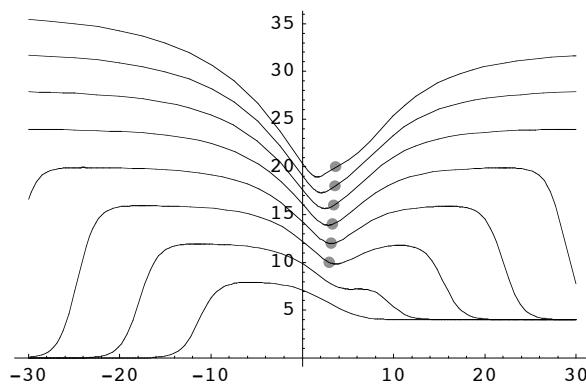
```
PltExlct[N_] := If[N > 2, ListPlot[{{Log[4 (N + 2)], 2 (N + 2)}},
  PlotStyle -> {PointSize[0.02], GrayLevel[0.5]}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], {}]
```

```
F[N_, amin_, amax_, DF_] :=
 Show[{PltExlct[N], Plot[Module[{δ = ε [a, η]}, m[rmax] /. NDSolve[
  {u'[r] == v[r], u[δ] == a - 1/4 e^a δ², v'[r] == -u'[r]/r - (1 + r²)⁹ e^u[r], v[δ] == -1/2 e^a δ,
    m'[r] == r (1 + r²)⁹ e^u[r], m[δ] == 1/2 e^a δ²}, {u, v, m}, {r, δ, rmax}],
  {a, amin, amax}, DisplayFunction -> Identity]], DisplayFunction -> DF]}]
```

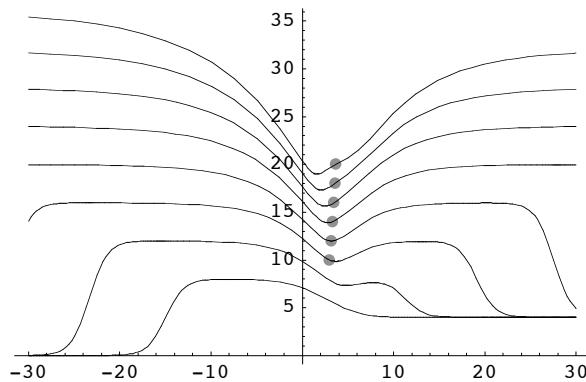
```
rmax = 10;
Show[Table[F[N, -30, 30, Identity], {N, 1, 8}],
  DisplayFunction -> \$DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> All];
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```
rmax = 40;
Show[Table[F[N, -30, 30, Identity], {N, 1, 8}],
  DisplayFunction -> \$DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> All];
```

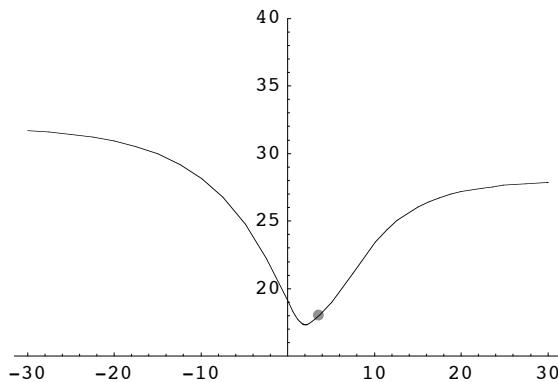


```
rmax = 100;
Show[Table[F[N, -30, 30, Identity], {N, 1, 8}],
  DisplayFunction -> \$DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> All];
```



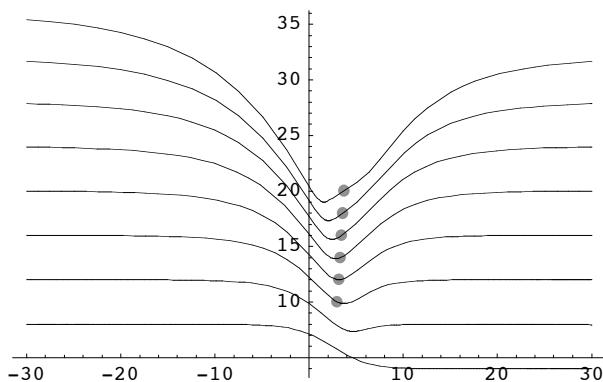
■ FIGURE 1:

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rmax = 107;
Show[F[7, -30, 30, Identity],
DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> {All, {15, 40}}];
```



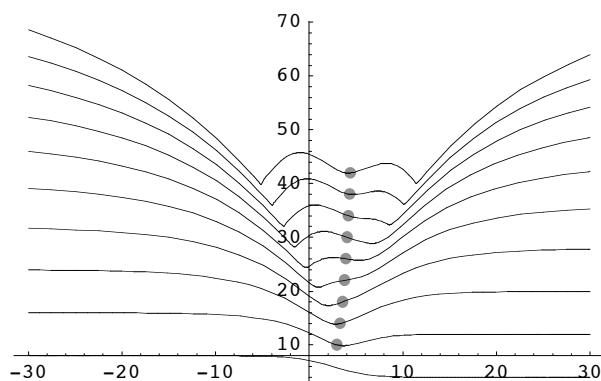
■ FIGURE 2:

```
rmax = 107;
Show[Table[F[N, -30, 30, Identity], {N, 1, 8}],
DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> All];
```



■ FIGURE 3:

```
rmax = 107;
Show[Table[F[N, -30, 30, Identity], {N, 1, 20, 2}],
DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> All];
```



■ Plot of the limit (translated of  $-4N$ ) of the density as  $r \rightarrow \infty$  as a function of  $a$  and  $N$

```

PltExlcttrans[N_] := If[N > 2, ListPlot[{{Log[4 (N + 2)], 2 (2 - N)}},
  PlotStyle -> {PointSize[0.02], GrayLevel[0.5]}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], {}]

Ftrans[N_, amin_, amax_, DF_] :=
  Show[{PltExlcttrans[N], Plot[Module[{δ = ε[a, η]}, m[rmax] - 4 N /. NDSolve[
    {u'[r] == v[r], u[δ] == a - 1/4 e^a δ^2, v'[r] == -u'[r]/r - (1 + r^2)^N e^{u[r]}, v[δ] == -1/2 e^a δ,
    m'[r] == r (1 + r^2)^N e^{u[r]}, m[δ] == 1/2 e^a δ^2}, {u, v, m}, {r, δ, rmax}]],
    {a, amin, amax}, DisplayFunction -> Identity]], DisplayFunction -> DF]}

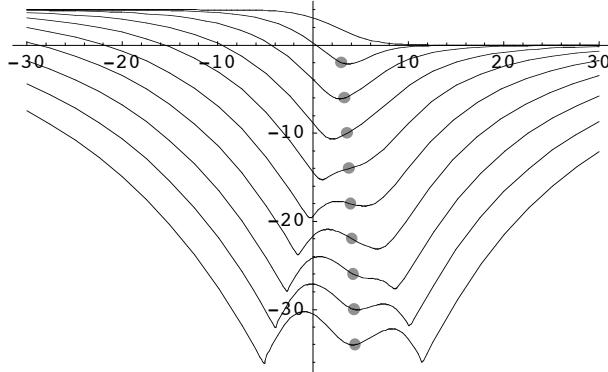
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■ FIGURE 4:

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rmax = 10^7;
Show[Table[Ftrans[N, -30, 30, Identity], {N, 1, 20, 2}],
  DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> All];

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■ Location of the minima of  $\alpha(a)$  as a function of  $N$  and curve  $\min \alpha(a) / 4N$  as a function of  $N$

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ξ = 10^-6;

Mass[N_, amin_, amax_, a_] :=
  Module[{δ = ε[a, η]}, m[rmax] /. NDSolve[{u'[r] == v[r], u[δ] == a - 1/4 e^a δ^2,
    v'[r] == -u'[r]/r - (1 + r^2)^N e^{u[r]}, v[δ] == -1/2 e^a δ, m'[r] == r (1 + r^2)^N e^{u[r]},
    m[δ] == 1/2 e^a δ^2}, {u, v, m}, {r, δ, rmax}]][[1]]

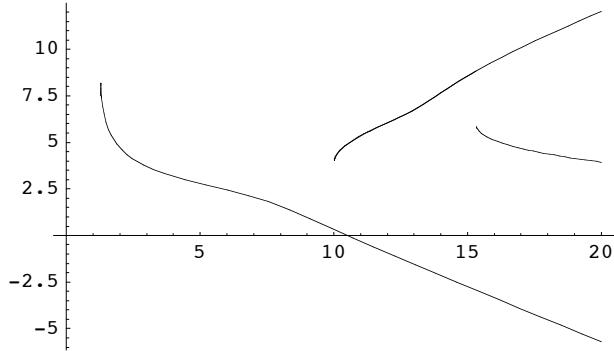
MinIterDicho[NN_, amin_, amax_, a_, f_, s_] :=
  If[a > amax + 0.1 || a < amin - 0.1, {N[a], 4 NN}, If[Abs[s] < ξ, {N[a], f}, Module[{M =
    Mass[NN, amin, amax, a]}, If[M < f, MinIterDicho[NN, amin, amax, a + s, M, s],
    MinIterDicho[NN, amin, amax, a - s/2, M, -s/2]]]]]

SearchMin[N_, amin_, ainit_, amax_, s_] :=
  Module[{x = Mass[N, amin, amax, ainit]}, MinIterDicho[N, amin, amax, ainit + s, x, s]]

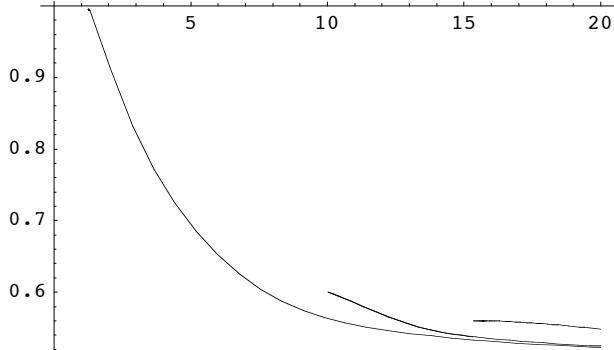
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■ FIGURE 5:

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Show[Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, 1.5, 30, 0.1][[1]], {x, 1.27, 1.3}, DisplayFunction -> Identity],
Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, 5 - x/2, 30, -0.25][[1]], {x, 1.3, 20}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, Log[4 (x + 2)], 30, 0.1][[1]], {x, 10.01, 15.325}, DisplayFunction -> Identity],
Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, Log[4 (x + 2)], 30, 0.1][[1]], {x, 15.335, 20}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, -5 + x, 30, 0.5][[1]], {x, 10.01, 20}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
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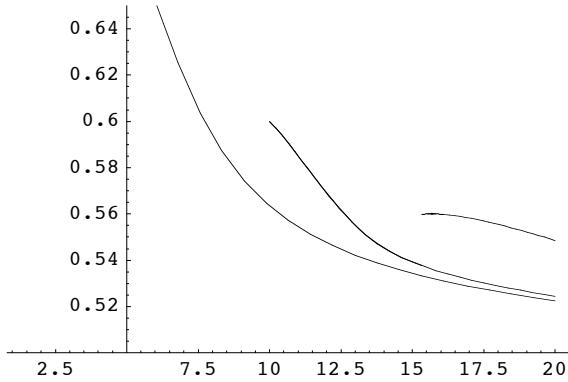


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Show[Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, 1.5, 30, 0.1][[2]] / (4 x), {x, 1.27, 1.3}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, 5 - x/2, 30, -0.25][[2]] / (4 x), {x, 1.3, 20}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, Log[4 (x + 2)], 30, 0.1][[2]] / (4 x), {x, 10.01, 15.325}, DisplayFunction -> Identity],
Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, Log[4 (x + 2)], 30, 0.1][[2]] / (4 x), {x, 15.335, 20}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, -5 + x, 30, 0.5][[2]] / (4 x), {x, 10.01, 20}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```



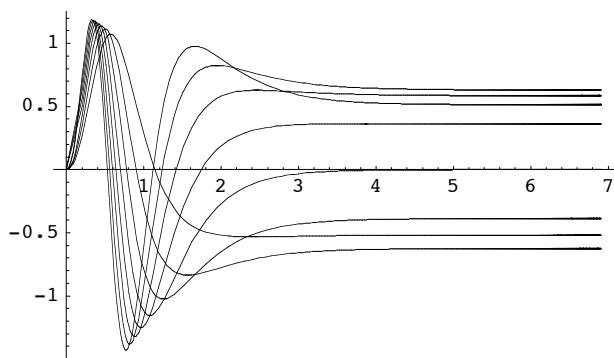
■ FIGURE 6:

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Show[Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, 1.5, 30, 0.1][[2]]/(4x), {x, 1.27, 1.3}, 
DisplayFunction -> Identity], Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, 5-x/2, 30, -0.25][[2]]/(4x), 
{x, 1.3, 20}, DisplayFunction -> Identity],
Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, Log[4(x+2)], 30, 0.1][[2]]/(4x), {x, 10.01, 15.325}, DisplayFunction -> Identity],
Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, Log[4(x+2)], 30, 0.1][[2]]/(4x), {x, 15.335, 20}, 
DisplayFunction -> Identity], Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, -5+x, 30, 0.5][[2]]/(4x), 
{x, 10.01, 20}, DisplayFunction -> Identity],
DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> {All, {0.5, 0.65}}]];
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■ A study of the variation of  $\alpha$  at  $a=2(N+2)$

```
 $\eta = 10^{-4};$ 
F[smax_, N_, DS_] :=
ParametricPlot[{Log[s + 1], -s w[s]} /. NDSolve[{w'[r] == - $\frac{1}{r}$  w[r] -  $\frac{4(N+2)}{(1+r^2)^2}$  v[r], 
v'[r] == w[r], v[ $\eta$ ] == 1 - (N + 2)  $\eta^2$ , w[ $\eta$ ] == -2 (N + 2)  $\eta$ }, {v, w}, {r,  $\eta$ , s}], 
{s,  $\eta$ , smax}, PlotRange -> All, PlotPoints -> 1000, DisplayFunction -> DS]
Show[Table[F[1000, N, Identity], {N, 1, 8}], DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```

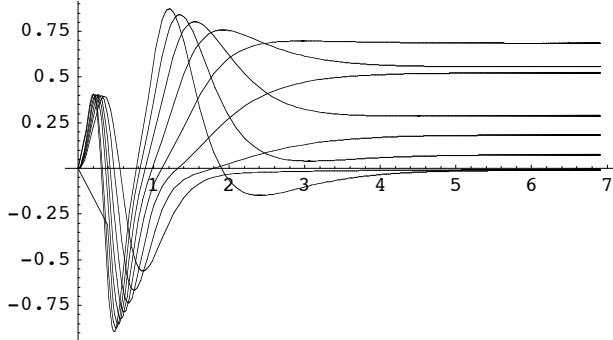


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F2[smax_, N_, DS_] := ParametricPlot[
{Log[s + 1], -s w2[s]} /. NDSolve[{w'[r] == -1/r w[r] - 4/(N + 2) v[r], v'[r] == w[r],
v[η] == 1 - (N + 2) η^2, w[η] == -2(N + 2) η, w2'[r] == -1/r w2[r] - 4/(1 + r^2)^2 (v[r]^2 + v2[r]),
v2'[r] == w2[r], v2[η] == -(N + 2) η^2, w2[η] == -2(N + 2) η}, {v, w, v2, w2}, {r, η, s}],
{s, η, smax}, PlotRange → All, PlotPoints → 1000, DisplayFunction → DS]

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Show[Table[F2[1000, N, Identity], {N, 1, 8}], DisplayFunction → $DisplayFunction];
```



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Value[s_, N_] := {-s w[s], -s w2[s]} /.
NDSolve[{w'[r] == -1/r w[r] - 4/(N + 2) v[r], v'[r] == w[r], v[η] == 1 - (N + 2) η^2,
w[η] == -2(N + 2) η, w2'[r] == -1/r w2[r] - 4/(1 + r^2)^2 (v[r]^2 + v2[r]), v2'[r] == w2[r],
v2[η] == -(N + 2) η^2, w2[η] == -2(N + 2) η}, {v, w, v2, w2}, {r, η, s}] [[1]]

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Table[Table[Value[10^k, N][[1]], {k, 1, 4}], {N, 1, 8}]
Table[Table[Value[10^k, N][[2]], {k, 1, 4}], {N, 1, 8}]

```

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{{-0.533282, -0.519153, -0.518298, -0.518284},
{-0.711464, -0.626805, -0.62479, -0.624761},
{-0.516131, -0.390376, -0.388184, -0.388155},
{-0.115306, -0.00119999, -0.0000124936, -6.1403 × 10^-7},
{0.310414, 0.362732, 0.362112, 0.362096}, {0.628069, 0.588684, 0.586108, 0.586064},
{0.769142, 0.635356, 0.631318, 0.631255}, {0.723434, 0.517824, 0.513267, 0.513201}}

```

```

{{-0.0218764, -0.008657, -0.00730824, -0.00726577},
{0.0760127, 0.177593, 0.182539, 0.18266}, {0.388792, 0.51933, 0.52273, 0.522802},
{0.678607, 0.687482, 0.685754, 0.685721}, {0.696482, 0.559331, 0.556178, 0.556151},
{0.442239, 0.286287, 0.287705, 0.287809}, {0.0996408, 0.067561, 0.0751088, 0.0753368},
{-0.148552, -0.0188572, -0.00903341, -0.00879915}}

```

# Multiplicity results for the assigned Gauss curvature problem in $\mathbb{R}^2$ (2 / 5)

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Note that all computations are done for the nonlinearity:  $e^{2u}$  (adapted from the file with nonlinearity  $e^u$ )

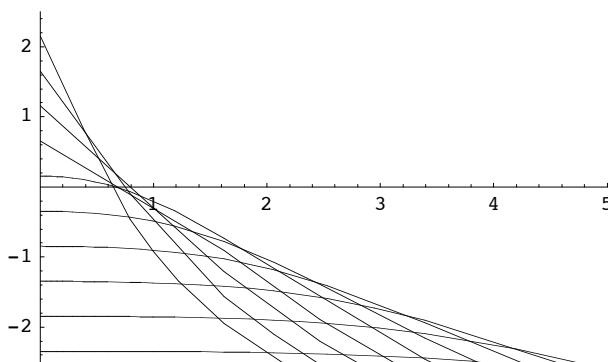
```
Off[NDSolve::"mxst"]
Off[NDSolve::"nlnum"]
Off[Power::"infy"]
Off[∞::"indet"]

η = 10^-4;
ε[a_, ξ_] := Min[ξ e^{-2a}, 10^{-6}]
rmax = 40;
shift = Log[2] / 2;
```

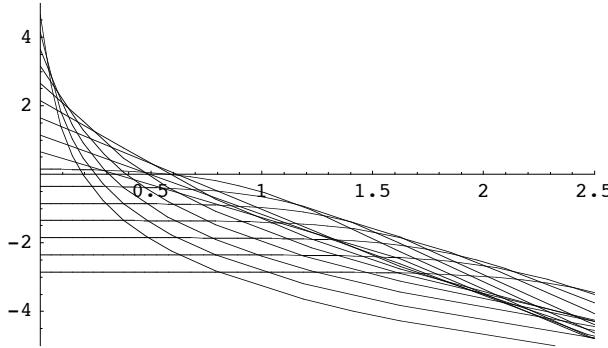
■ Plot of the solution as a function of  $r$  for various values of  $a$  and  $N$

```
Pltu[a_, N_, DF_] :=
Module[{δ = ε[a, η]}, Plot[u[s] /. NDSolve[{u'[r] == v[r], u[δ] == a - 1/4 e^{2a} δ^2,
v'[r] == -u'[r]/r - (1 + r^2)^N e^{2u[r]}, v[δ] == -1/2 e^{2a} δ, m'[r] == r (1 + r^2)^N e^{2u[r]},
m[δ] == 1/2 e^{2a} δ^2}, {u, v, m}, {r, δ, rmax}], {s, δ, rmax}, DisplayFunction → DF]]]

Show[Table[Pltu[a, 1, Identity], {a, -2.5 - shift, 2.5 - shift, 0.5}],
DisplayFunction → $DisplayFunction, PlotRange → {{0, 5}, {-2.5, 2.5}}];
```



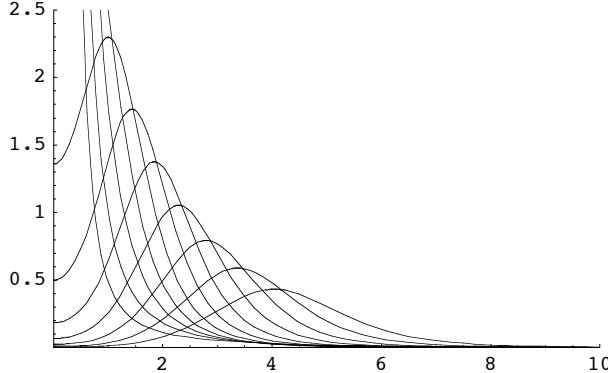
```
Show[Table[Pltu[a, 4, Identity], {a, -2.5 - shift, 5 - shift, 0.5}],
  DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> {{0, 2.5}, {-5, 5}}];
```



### ■ Plot of the density as a function of r for various values of a and N

```
PltDensity[a_, N_, DF_] :=
Module[{δ = ε[a, η]}, Plot[(1 + s²)^N e^2 u[s] /. NDSolve[{u'[r] == v[r],
u[δ] == a - 1/4 e^2 a δ², v'[r] == -u'[r]/r - (1 + r²)^N e^2 u[r], v[δ] == -1/2 e^2 a δ,
m'[r] == r (1 + r²)^N e^2 u[r], m[δ] == 1/2 e^2 a δ²}, {u, v, m}, {r, δ, rmax}],
{s, δ, rmax}, DisplayFunction -> DF, PlotPoints -> 100]]]
```

```
Show[Table[PltDensity[a, 2, Identity], {a, -2.5 - shift, 2.5 - shift, 0.5}],
  DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> {{0, 10}, {0, 2.5}}];
```

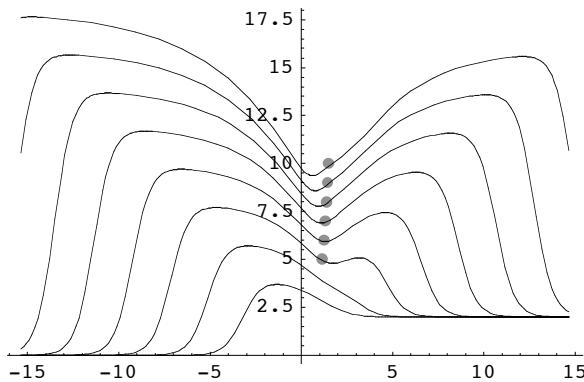


### ■ Plot of the limit of the density as r→∞ as a function of a and N

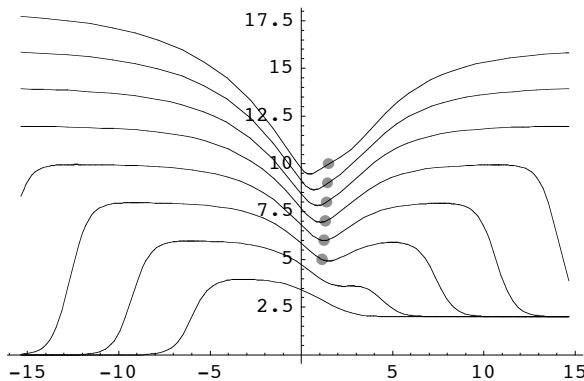
```
PltExlct[N_] := If[N > 2, ListPlot[{{1/2 Log[2 (N + 2)], N + 2}},
PlotStyle -> {PointSize[0.02], GrayLevel[0.5]}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], {}]
```

```
F[N_, amin_, amax_, DF_] :=
Show[{PltExlct[N], Plot[Module[{δ = ε[a, η]}, m[rmax] /. NDSolve[{u'[r] == v[r],
u[δ] == a - 1/4 e^2 a δ², v'[r] == -u'[r]/r - (1 + r²)^N e^2 u[r], v[δ] == -1/2 e^2 a δ,
m'[r] == r (1 + r²)^N e^2 u[r], m[δ] == 1/2 e^2 a δ²}, {u, v, m}, {r, δ, rmax}],
{a, amin, amax}, DisplayFunction -> Identity]], DisplayFunction -> DF]}]
```

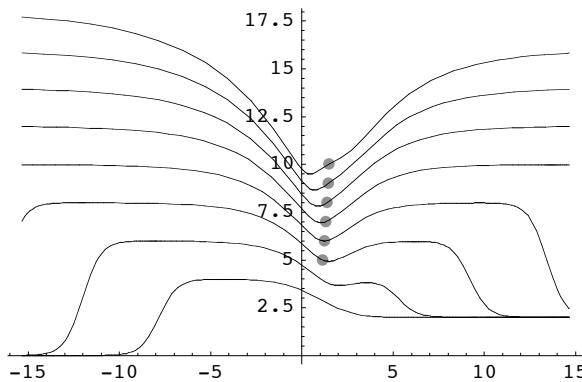
```
rmax = 10;
Show[Table[F[N, -15 - shift, 15 - shift, Identity], {N, 1, 8}],
  DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> All];
```



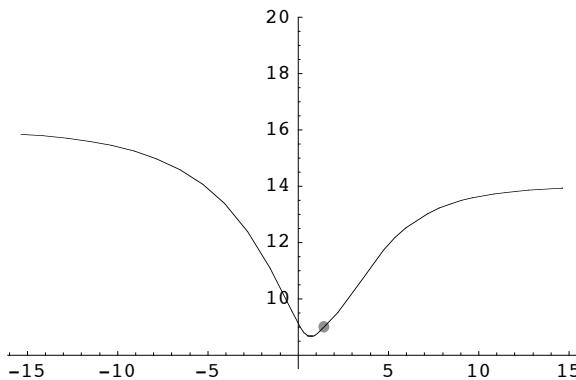
```
rmax = 40;
Show[Table[F[N, -15 - shift, 15 - shift, Identity], {N, 1, 8}],
  DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> All];
```



```
rmax = 100;
Show[Table[F[N, -15 - shift, 15 - shift, Identity], {N, 1, 8}],
  DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> All];
```

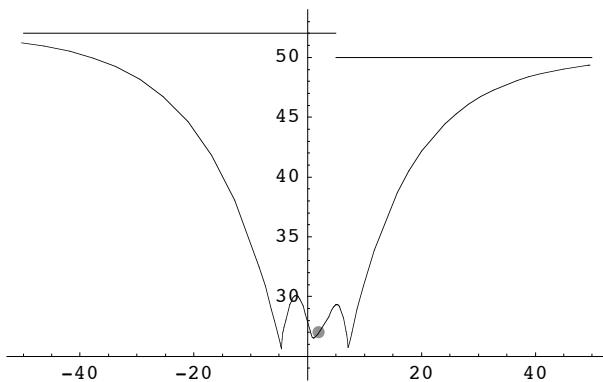


```
rmax = 107;
Show[F[7, -15 - shift, 15 - shift, Identity],
  DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> {All, {7.5, 20}}];
```



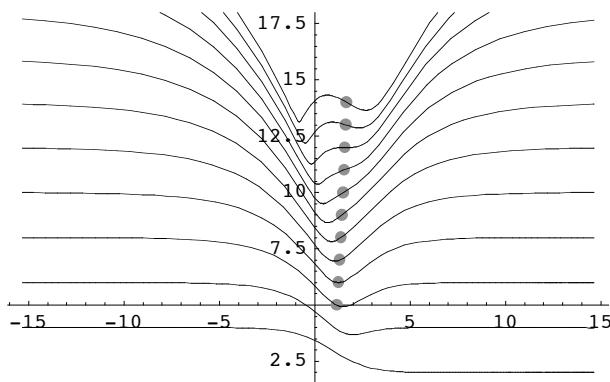
■ FIGURE 1:

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rmax = 104.5;
Show[ListPlot[{{5, 50}, {50, 50}}, DisplayFunction -> Identity, PlotJoined -> True],
  ListPlot[{{-50, 52}, {5, 52}}, DisplayFunction -> Identity, PlotJoined -> True],
  F[25, -50 - shift, 50 - shift, Identity],
  DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> {All, {23, 54}}];
```



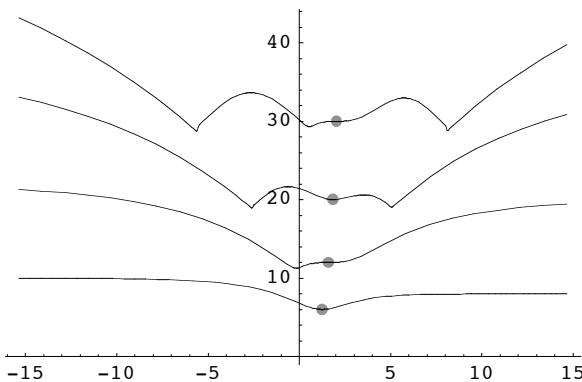
■ FIGURE 2:

```
rmax = 107;
Show[Table[F[N, -15 - shift, 15 - shift, Identity], {N, 1, 12}],
  DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> {All, {1.5, 18}}];
```

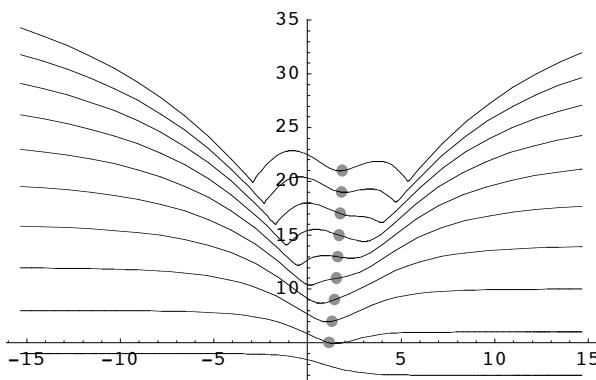


■ FIGURE 3:

```
rmax = 107;
Tble = Table[k (k + 1) - 2, {k, 2, 5}];
Show[Table[F[Tble[[k - 1]], -15 - shift, 15 - shift, Identity], {k, 2, 5}],
DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```



```
rmax = 107;
Show[Table[F[N, -15 - shift, 15 - shift, Identity], {N, 1, 20, 2}],
DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> All];
```



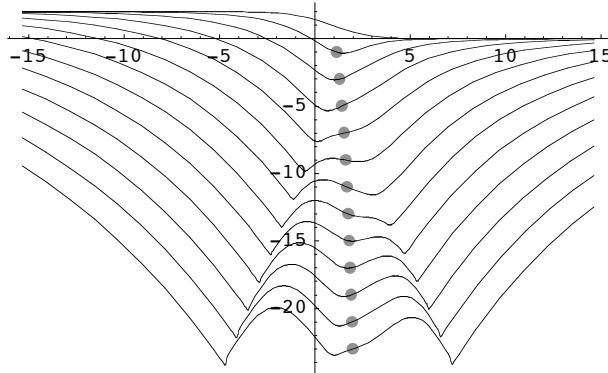
■ Plot of the limit (translated of -2N) of the density as  $r \rightarrow \infty$  as a function of a and N

```
PltExlcttrans[N_] := If[N > 2, ListPlot[{{1/2 Log[2 (N + 2)], 2 - N}},
PlotStyle -> {PointSize[0.02], GrayLevel[0.5]}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], {}]

Ftrans[N_, amin_, amax_, DF_] :=
Show[{PltExlcttrans[N], Plot[Module[{δ = ε[a, η]}, m[rmax] - 2 N /.
NDSolve[{u'[r] == v[r], u[δ] == a - 1/4 e2 a δ2, v'[r] == -u'[r]/r - (1 + r2)N e2 u[r], v[δ] ==
-1/2 e2 a δ, m'[r] == r (1 + r2)N e2 u[r], m[δ] == 1/2 e2 a δ2}, {u, v, m}, {r, δ, rmax}]], {a, amin, amax}, DisplayFunction -> DF]}], DisplayFunction -> DF]
```

■ FIGURE 4:

```
rmax = 107;
Show[Table[Ftrans[N, -15 - shift, 15 - shift, Identity], {N, 1, 25, 2}],
  DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> All];
```



- Location of the minima of  $\alpha(a)$  as a function of  $N$  and curve  $\min \alpha(a) / 2N$  as a function of  $N$

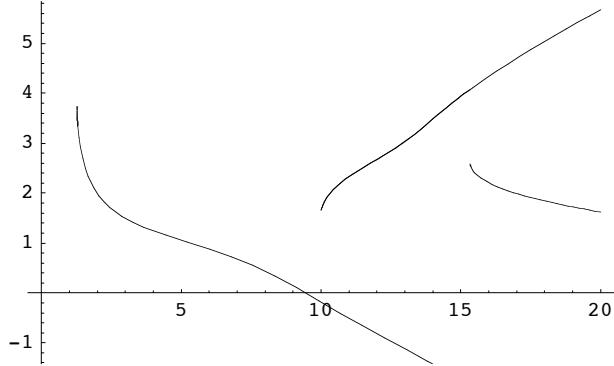
```
 $\xi = 10^{-6}$ ;
Mass[N_, amin_, amax_, a_] :=
Module[{ $\delta = \epsilon[a, \eta]$ }, m[rmax] /. NDSolve[{u'[r] == v[r], u[ $\delta$ ] == a -  $\frac{1}{4} \epsilon^a \delta^2$ ,
v'[r] == - $\frac{u'[r]}{r} - (1 + r^2)^N e^{u[r]}$ , v[ $\delta$ ] == - $\frac{1}{2} \epsilon^a \delta$ , m'[r] == r  $(1 + r^2)^N e^{u[r]}$ ,
m[ $\delta$ ] ==  $\frac{1}{2} \epsilon^a \delta^2$ }, {u, v, m}, {r,  $\delta$ , rmax}]][[1]]]

MinIterDicho[NN_, amin_, amax_, a_, f_, s_] := If[a > amax + 0.1 || a < amin - 0.1,
{N[a/2 - shift], 2 NN}, If[Abs[s] <  $\xi$ , {N[a/2 - shift], f/2}, Module[{M =
Mass[NN, amin, amax, a]},
If[M < f, MinIterDicho[NN, amin, amax, a + s, M, s],
MinIterDicho[NN, amin, amax, a - s/2, M, -s/2]]]]]

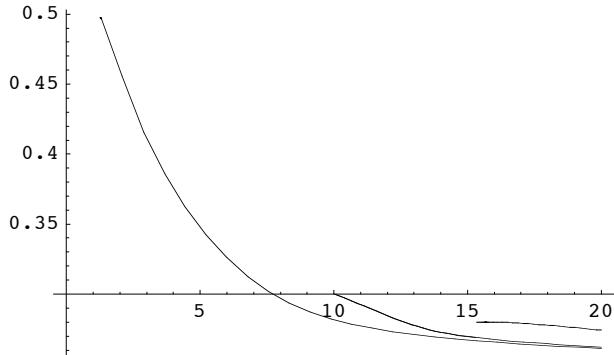
SearchMin[N_, amin_, ainit_, amax_, s_] :=
Module[{x = Mass[N, amin, amax, ainit]}, MinIterDicho[N, amin, amax, ainit + s, x, s]]
```

■ FIGURE 5:

```
P5 = Show[Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, 1.5, 30, 0.1][[1]], {x, 1.27, 1.3}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, 5 - x/2, 30, -0.25][[1]], {x, 1.3, 20}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, Log[4 (x + 2)], 30, 0.1][[1]], {x, 10.01, 15.325}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, Log[4 (x + 2)], 30, 0.1][[1]], {x, 15.335, 20}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, -5 + x, 30, 0.5][[1]], {x, 10.01, 20}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```

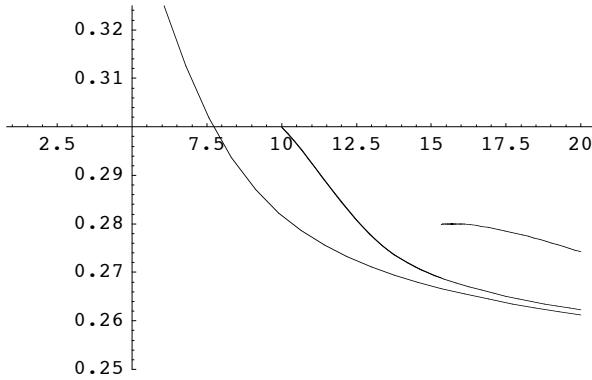


```
Show[Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, 1.5, 30, 0.1][[2]] / (4 x), {x, 1.27, 1.3}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, 5 - x/2, 30, -0.25][[2]] / (4 x), {x, 1.3, 20}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, Log[4 (x + 2)], 30, 0.1][[2]] / (4 x), {x, 10.01, 15.325}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, Log[4 (x + 2)], 30, 0.1][[2]] / (4 x), {x, 15.335, 20}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, -5 + x, 30, 0.5][[2]] / (4 x), {x, 10.01, 20}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```



## ■ FIGURE 6:

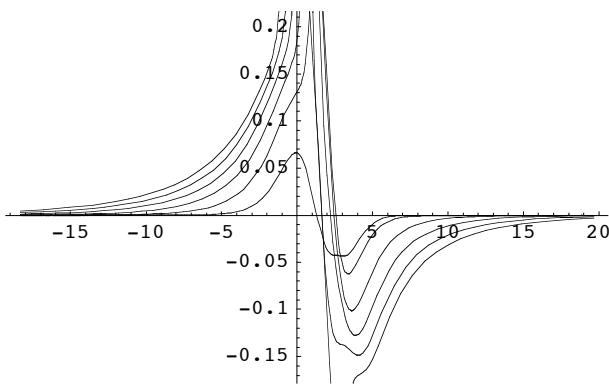
```
Show[Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, 1.5, 30, 0.1][[2]] / (4 x), {x, 1.27, 1.3}, 
DisplayFunction -> Identity], Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, 5 - x/2, 30, -0.25][[2]] / (4 x), 
{x, 1.3, 20}, DisplayFunction -> Identity],
Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, Log[4 (x + 2)], 30, 0.1][[2]] / (4 x), 
{x, 10.01, 15.325}, DisplayFunction -> Identity],
Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, Log[4 (x + 2)], 30, 0.1][[2]] / (4 x), {x, 15.335, 20}, 
DisplayFunction -> Identity], Plot[SearchMin[x, -30, -5 + x, 30, 0.5][[2]] / (4 x), 
{x, 10.01, 20}, DisplayFunction -> Identity],
DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> {All, {0.5/2, 0.65/2}}]];
```



## ■ Function J(a)

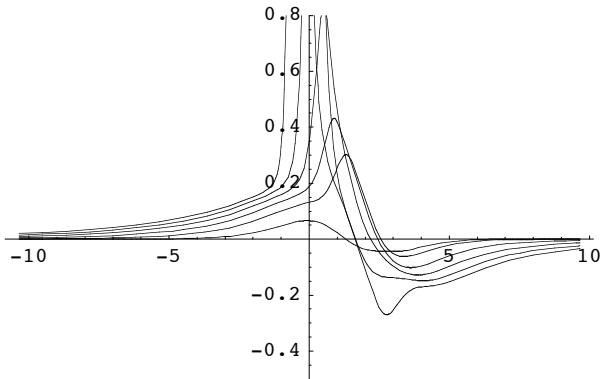
```
G[N_, amin_, amax_, DF_] := Plot[Module[{δ = ε[a, η]}, 
J[rmax] /. NDSolve[{u'[r] == v[r], u[δ] == a - 1/2 e^2 a δ^2, v'[r] == -u'[r]/r - (1 + r^2)^N e^{2 u[r]}, 
v[δ] == -e^{2 a} δ, m'[r] == r (1 + r^2)^N e^{2 u[r]}, m[δ] == 1/2 e^{2 a} δ^2, φ'[r] == ψ[r], 
ψ'[r] == -ψ[r]/r - 2 (1 + r^2)^N e^{2 u[r]} φ[r], J'[r] == r (1 + r^2)^N e^{2 u[r]} Abs[φ[r]]^2 φ[r], 
φ[δ] == 1 - 1/2 e^{2 a} δ^2, ψ[δ] == -e^{2 a} δ, J[δ] == 1/2 e^{2 a} δ^2}], 
{u, v, m, φ, ψ, J}, {r, δ, rmax}]], {a, amin, amax}, DisplayFunction -> DF]
```

```
η = 10^-4;
rmax = 10^7;
Show[Table[G[N, -18 - shift, 20 - shift, Identity], {N, 1, 11, 2}],
DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```



■ FIGURE 7:

```
rmax = 107;
Show[Table[G[N, -10 - shift, 10 - shift, Identity], {N, 1, 12, 2}],
DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> {All, {-0.5, 0.8}}];
```

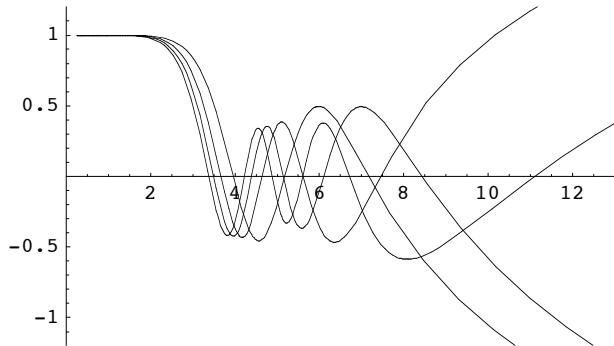


■ Plot of  $\varphi$  for  $a = \frac{1}{2} \log[2(N+2)]$ ,  $N=8, 16, 24, 32$

```
H[N_, DF_] :=
Plot[Module[{a = 1/2 Log[2 (N + 2)]}, Module[{δ = ε[a, η]}, φ[(s/5)4] /. NDSolve[
{u'[r] == v[r], u[δ] == a - 1/2 ε2a δ2, v'[r] == -u'[r]/r - (1 + r2)N ε2u[r], v[δ] == -ε2a δ,
m'[r] == r (1 + r2)N ε2u[r], m[δ] == 1/2 ε2a δ2, φ'[r] == ψ[r],
ψ'[r] == -ψ[r]/r - 2 (1 + r2)N ε2u[r] φ[r], J'[r] == r (1 + r2)N ε2u[r] Abs[φ[r]]2 φ[r],
φ[δ] == 1 - 1/2 ε2a δ2, ψ[δ] == -ε2a δ, J[δ] == 1/2 ε2a δ2},
{u, v, m, φ, ψ, J}, {r, δ, rmax}]]], {s, 0.25, 20}, DisplayFunction -> DF]
```

■ FIGURE 7bis:

```
Tb = {8, 16, 24, 32};
Show[Table[H[Tb[[k]], Identity], {k, 1, Length[Tb]}],
DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> {{0, 13}, {-1.2, 1.2}}];
```



■ Plot of the limit (translated of  $-3N/2$ ) of the density as  $r \rightarrow \infty$  as a function of  $a$  and  $N$

```

Off[General::"spell1"]

PltExlcttransN[N_] := If[N > 2, ListPlot[{{{\frac{1}{2} Log[2 (N + 2)], 2 - N/2}}}, 
    PlotStyle -> {PointSize[0.02], GrayLevel[0.5]}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], {}]

FtransN[N_, amin_, amax_, DF_] :=
Show[{PltExlcttransN[N], Plot[Module[{δ = ε[a, η]}, m[rmax] - 3 N/2 /.
    NDSolve[{u'[r] == v[r], u[δ] == a - 1/4 e^2 a δ^2, v'[r] == -u'[r]/r - (1 + r^2)^N e^2 u[r], v[δ] == 
        -1/2 e^2 a δ, m'[r] == r (1 + r^2)^N e^2 u[r], m[δ] == 1/2 e^2 a δ^2}, {u, v, m}, {r, δ, rmax}], 
        {a, amin, amax}, DisplayFunction -> Identity]], DisplayFunction -> DF]}

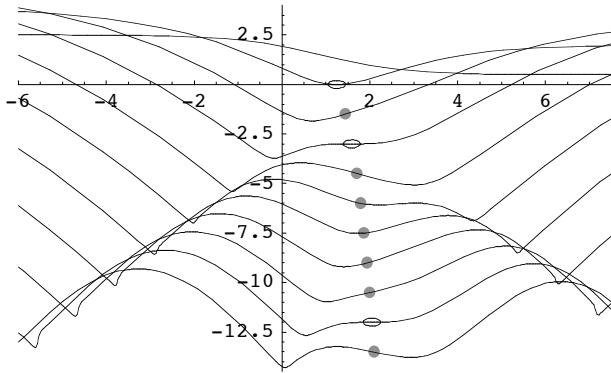
rmax = 10^7;
Show[Table[FtransN[N, -15 - shift, 15 - shift, Identity], {N, 1, 31, 3}],
    DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> {{-6, 7.5}, {-14.5, 4}}];



```

■ FIGURE 8:

```
rmax = 107;
Show[Table[FtransN[N, -15 - shift, 15 - shift, Identity], {N, 1, 31, 3}],
DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> {{-6, 7.5}, {-14.5, 4}}];
```



■ Plot of  $c_N$  (zero of the function J) as a function of N and  $\alpha_N^*$

```

 $\zeta = 10^{-8}$ ;
rmax = 107;

IterDicho[a_, f_, s_, N_] :=
Module[{M = Module[{ $\delta = \epsilon[a, \eta]$ }, J[rmax] /. NDSolve[{u'[r] == v[r], u[ $\delta$ ] == a -  $\frac{1}{2} e^{2a} \delta^2$ ,
v'[r] == - $\frac{u'[r]}{r} - (1+r^2)^N e^{2u[r]}$ , v[ $\delta$ ] == - $e^{2a} \delta$ , m'[r] == r  $(1+r^2)^N e^{2u[r]}$ ,
m[ $\delta$ ] ==  $\frac{1}{2} e^{2a} \delta^2$ ,  $\varphi'[r] == \psi[r]$ ,  $\psi'[r] == -\frac{\psi[r]}{r} - 2(1+r^2)^N e^{2u[r]} \varphi[r]$ ,
J'[r] == r  $(1+r^2)^N e^{2u[r]}$  Abs[\varphi[r]]2 \varphi[r], \varphi[ $\delta$ ] ==  $1 - \frac{1}{2} e^{2a} \delta^2$ ,
 $\psi[ $\delta$ ] == -e^{2a} \delta$ , J[ $\delta$ ] ==  $\frac{1}{2} e^{2a} \delta^2$ }, {u, v, m, \varphi, \psi, J}, {r, \delta, rmax}]]},
If[Abs[M[[1]]] < \zeta || Abs[s] < \zeta, {M[[1]], a, s}, If[M[[1]] * f < 0,
IterDicho[a - s/2, M[[1]], -s/2, N], IterDicho[a + s, M[[1]], s, N]]]

StartDicho[N_] := Module[{MM =
Module[{ $\delta = \epsilon[1, \eta]$ }, Module[{MMM = J[rmax] /. NDSolve[{u'[r] == v[r], u[ $\delta$ ] == 0 -  $\frac{1}{2} \delta^2$ ,
v'[r] == - $\frac{u'[r]}{r} - (1+r^2)^N e^{2u[r]}$ , v[ $\delta$ ] == - $\delta$ , m'[r] == r  $(1+r^2)^N e^{2u[r]}$ ,
m[ $\delta$ ] ==  $\frac{1}{2} \delta^2$ , \varphi'[r] == \psi[r], \psi'[r] == - $\frac{\psi[r]}{r} - 2(1+r^2)^N e^{2u[r]} \varphi[r]$ , J'[r] ==
r  $(1+r^2)^N e^{2u[r]}$  Abs[\varphi[r]]2 \varphi[r], \varphi[ $\delta$ ] ==  $1 - \frac{1}{2} \delta^2$ , \psi[ $\delta$ ] == - $\delta$ , J[ $\delta$ ] ==  $\frac{1}{2} \delta^2$ }, {u, v, m, \varphi, \psi, J}, {r, \delta, rmax}]]}, IterDicho[1, MM[[1]], 1, N]]}
```

```

Nmax = 30;

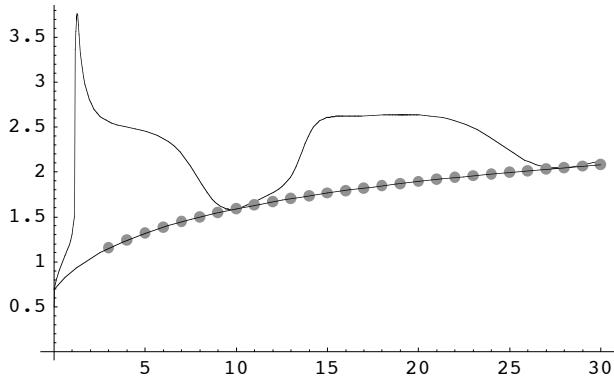
P9a = Plot[StartDicho[N][[2]], {N, 0, Nmax}, DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];

DotN[N_] := If[N > 2, ListPlot[{N,  $\frac{1}{2} \log[2(N+2)]$ }], 
  PlotStyle -> {PointSize[0.02], GrayLevel[0.5]}, DisplayFunction -> Identity], {}]

P9c = Plot[ $\frac{1}{2} \log[2(N+2)]$ , {N, 0, Nmax}, DisplayFunction -> Identity];

P9b = Show[Table[DotN[N], {N, 0, Nmax}], P9c, DisplayFunction -> Identity];
Show[P9a, P9b, DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];

```



## ■ FIGURE 9:

```

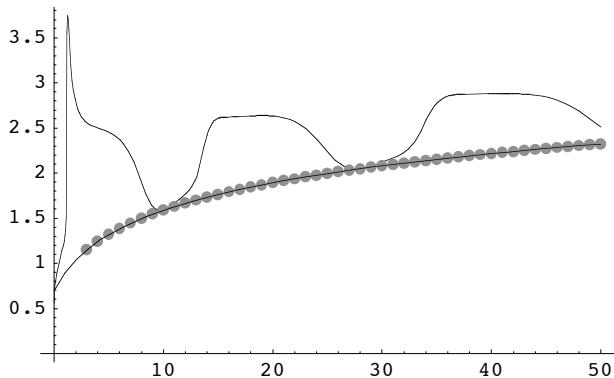
Nmax = 50;

P9a = Plot[StartDicho[N][[2]], {N, 0, Nmax}, DisplayFunction -> Identity];

P9c = Plot[ $\frac{1}{2} \log[2(N+2)]$ , {N, 0, Nmax}, DisplayFunction -> Identity];

P9b = Show[Table[DotN[N], {N, 0, Nmax}], P9c, DisplayFunction -> Identity];
Show[P9a, P9b, DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];

```

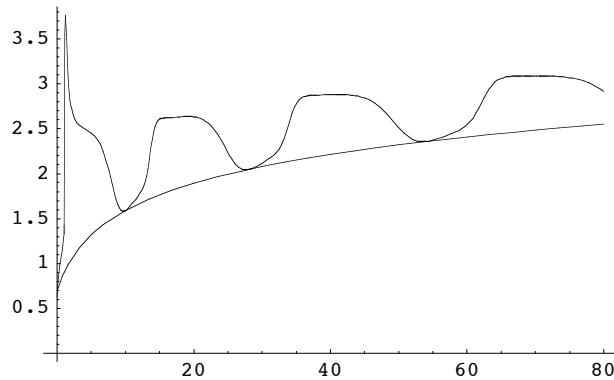


```
Nmax = 80;

P9a = Plot[StartDicho[N][[2]], {N, 0, Nmax}, DisplayFunction → Identity];

P9c = Plot[ $\frac{1}{2} \log[2(N+2)]$ , {N, 0, Nmax}, DisplayFunction → Identity];

Show[P9a, P9c, DisplayFunction → $DisplayFunction];
```

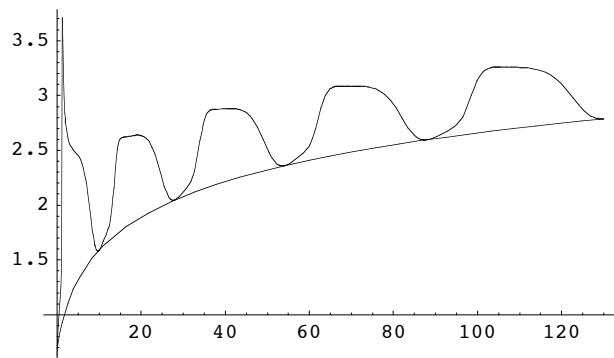


```
Nmax = 130;

P9a = Plot[StartDicho[N][[2]], {N, 0, Nmax}, DisplayFunction → Identity];

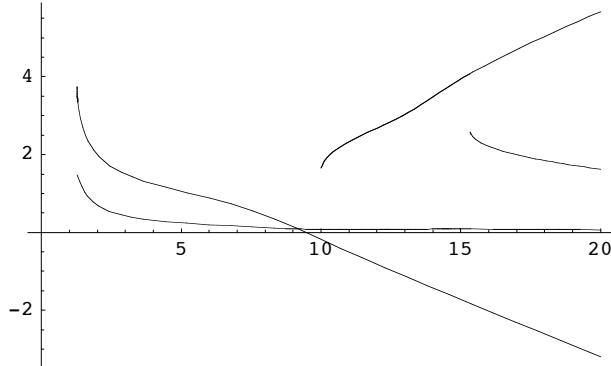
P9c = Plot[ $\frac{1}{2} \log[2(N+2)]$ , {N, 0, Nmax}, DisplayFunction → Identity];

Show[P9a, P9c, DisplayFunction → $DisplayFunction];
```



## ■ FIGURE 10:

```
P10a = Plot[StartDicho[N][[2]] / (2 N), {N, 1.27, 20}, DisplayFunction -> Identity];
Show[P5, P10a];
```

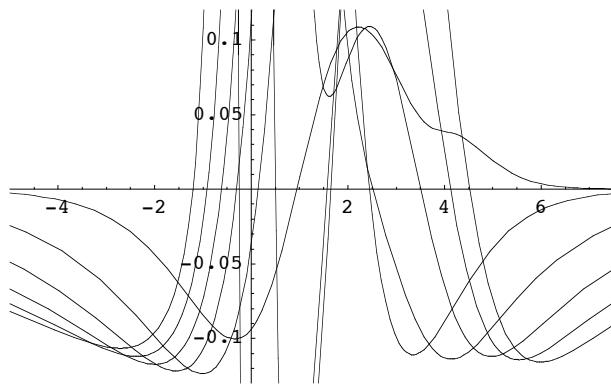


## ■ Function K(a)

```
GG[N_, amin_, amax_, DF_] :=
Plot[Module[{δ = ε[a, η]}, K[rmax] /. NDSolve[{u'[r] == v[r], u[δ] == a - 1/2 ε^2 a δ^2,
v'[r] == -u'[r]/r - (1 + r^2)^N ε^2 u[r], v[δ] == -ε^2 a δ, m'[r] == r (1 + r^2)^N ε^2 u[r],
m[δ] == 1/2 ε^2 a δ^2, φ'[r] == φ1[r], φ1'[r] == -φ1[r]/r - 2 (1 + r^2)^N ε^2 u[r] φ[r],
ψ'[r] == ψ1[r], ψ1'[r] == -ψ1[r]/r - 2 (1 + r^2)^N ε^2 u[r] (2 φ[r]^2 + ψ[r]),
K'[r] == r (1 + r^2)^N ε^2 u[r] (2 φ[r]^2 + ψ[r]), φ[δ] == 1 - 1/2 ε^2 a δ^2,
φ1[δ] == -ε^2 a δ, ψ[δ] == -1/2 ε^2 a δ^2, ψ1[δ] == -ε^2 a δ, K[δ] == ε^2 a δ^2},
{u, v, m, φ, φ1, ψ, ψ1, K}, {r, δ, rmax}]], {a, amin, amax}, DisplayFunction -> DF]
```

## ■ FIGURE 11:

```
η = 10^-4;
rmax = 10^7;
Show[Table[GG[N, -18 - shift, 20 - shift, Identity], {N, 1, 11, 2}],
DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction, PlotRange -> {{-5, 7.5}, {-0.13, 0.12}}];
```



# Multiplicity results for the assigned Gauss curvature problem in $\mathbb{R}^2$ (3 / 5)

Jean Dolbeault, Maria Esteban,  
and Gabriella Tarantello

Note that all computations are done for the nonlinearity:  $e^{2u}$   
The goal is to compute the function J and K for  $a = a^*_N$  in terms of N

Plot of  $\varphi$

```

Off[NDSolve::"mxst"]
Off[NDSolve::"nlnum"]
Off[Power::"infy"]
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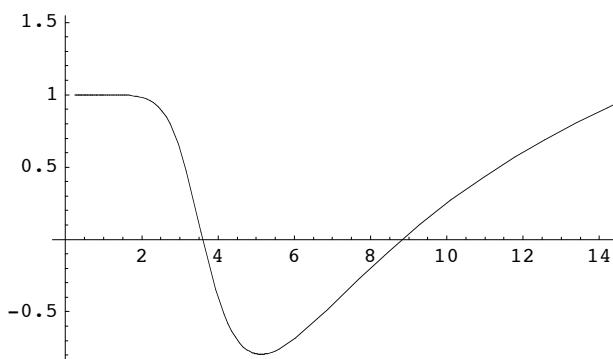
η = 10^-4;
ε[a_, ξ_] := Min[ξ e^{-2a}, 10^-6]
rmax = 40;
shift = Log[2] / 2;

rmax = 10^7;

H[N_, DF_, A_] := Plot[Module[{a = A}, Module[{δ = ε[a, η]}, φ[(s/5)^4] /. 
  NDSolve[{u'[r] == v[r], u[δ] == a - 1/2 ε^{2a} δ^2, v'[r] == -u'[r]/r - (1 + r^2)^N ε^{2u[r]}, 
    v[δ] == -e^{2a} δ, m'[r] == r (1 + r^2)^N ε^{2u[r]}, m[δ] == 1/2 ε^{2a} δ^2, φ'[r] == ψ[r], 
    ψ'[r] == -ψ[r]/r - 2 (1 + r^2)^N ε^{2u[r]} φ[r], J'[r] == r (1 + r^2)^N ε^{2u[r]} Abs[φ[r]]^2 φ[r], 
    φ[δ] == 1 - 1/2 ε^{2a} δ^2, ψ[δ] == -e^{2a} δ, J[δ] == 1/2 ε^{2a} δ^2}], 
  {u, v, m, φ, ψ, J}, {r, δ, rmax}]], {s, 0.25, 20}, DisplayFunction → DF]

```

H[1.2, \$DisplayFunction, 2];



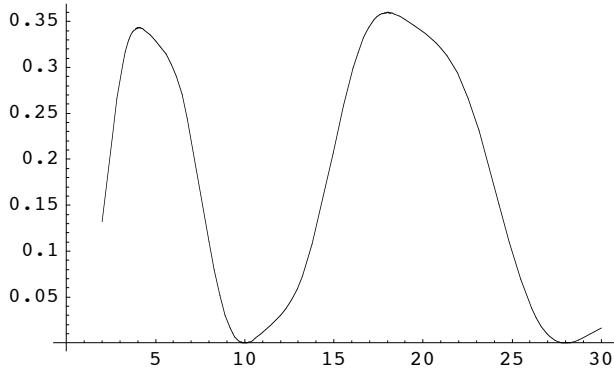
Plot of J ( $a^*_N$ ) as a function of N

```

JPlot[Nmax_] :=
Plot[Module[{a = 1/2 Log[2 (N + 2)]}, Module[{δ = ε[a, η]}, J[rmax] /. NDSolve[
{u'[r] == v[r], u[δ] == a - 1/2 ε^2 a δ^2, v'[r] == -u'[r]/r - (1 + r^2)^N ε^2 u[r], v[δ] == -ε^2 a δ,
m'[r] == r (1 + r^2)^N ε^2 u[r], m[δ] == 1/2 ε^2 a δ^2, φ'[r] == ψ[r],
ψ'[r] == -ψ[r]/r - 2 (1 + r^2)^N ε^2 u[r] φ[r], J'[r] == r (1 + r^2)^N ε^2 u[r] Abs[φ[r]]^2 φ[r],
φ[δ] == 1 - 1/2 ε^2 a δ^2, ψ[δ] == -ε^2 a δ, J[δ] == 1/2 ε^2 a δ^2},
{u, v, m, φ, ψ, J}, {r, δ, rmax}]]], {N, 2, Nmax}]

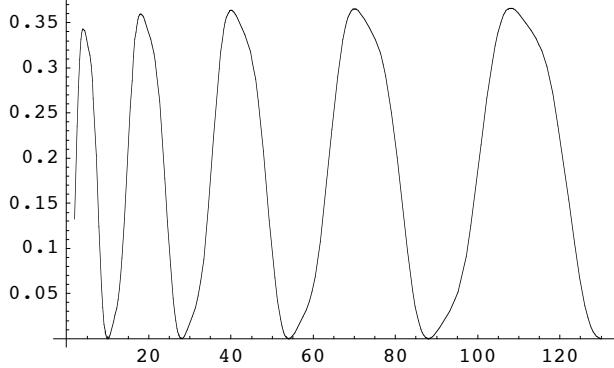
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JPlot[30];
```



### ■ FIGURE 12:

```
JPlot[130];
```



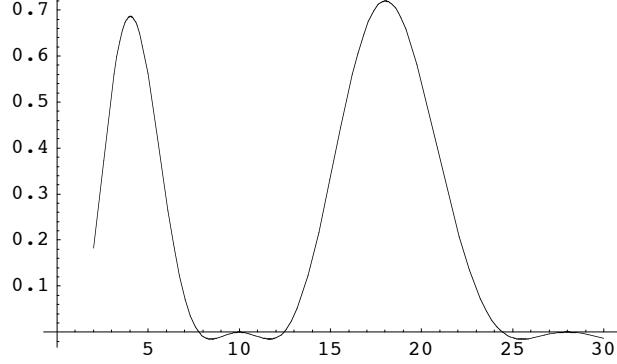
Plot of K ( $a^*_N$ ) as a function of N

```

KPlot[Nmax_] := Plot[Module[{a = 1/2 Log[2 (N + 2)]},
  Module[{δ = ε[a, η]}, K[rmax] /. NDSolve[{u'[r] == v[r], u[δ] == a - 1/2 ε^2 a δ^2,
    v'[r] == -u'[r]/r - (1 + r^2)^N ε^2 u[r], v[δ] == -ε^2 a δ, m'[r] == r (1 + r^2)^N ε^2 u[r],
    m[δ] == 1/2 ε^2 a δ^2, φ'[r] == φ1[r], φ1'[r] == -φ1[r]/r - 2 (1 + r^2)^N ε^2 u[r] φ[r],
    ψ'[r] == ψ1[r], ψ1'[r] == -ψ1[r]/r - 2 (1 + r^2)^N ε^2 u[r] (2 φ[r]^2 + ψ[r]),
    K'[r] == r (1 + r^2)^N ε^2 u[r] (2 φ[r]^2 + ψ[r]), φ[δ] == 1 - 1/2 ε^2 a δ^2,
    φ1[δ] == -ε^2 a δ, ψ[δ] == -1/2 ε^2 a δ^2, ψ1[δ] == -ε^2 a δ, K[δ] == ε^2 a δ^2}],
    {u, v, m, φ, φ1, ψ, ψ1, K}, {r, δ, rmax}]]], {N, 2, Nmax}]

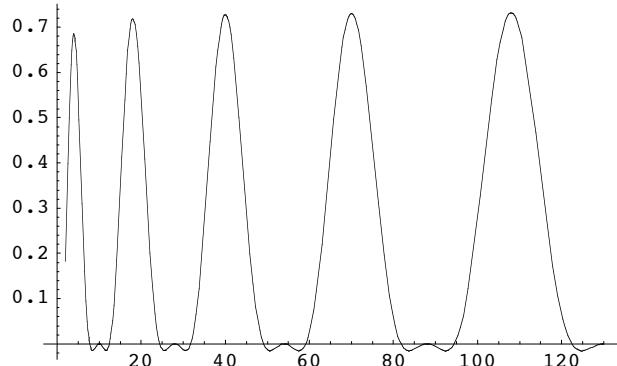
```

```
KPlot[30];
```



■ FIGURE 13:

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KPlot[130];
```



# Multiplicity results for the assigned Gauss curvature problem in $\mathbb{R}^2$ (4 / 5)

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Note that all computations are done for the nonlinearity:  $e^{2u}$   
The goal is to compute the bifurcation diagram  $(a, N)$  at level  $\alpha=N+2$  in terms of the bifurcation parameter  $N$

```

Off[NDSolve::"mxst"]
Off[NDSolve::"nlnum"]
Off[Power::"infy"]
Off[∞::"indet"]
Off[Plot::"plnr"]

η = 10^-4;
ε[a_, ξ_] := Min[ξ e^{-2a}, 10^{-6}]
rmax = 10^7;
shift = Log[2] / 2;

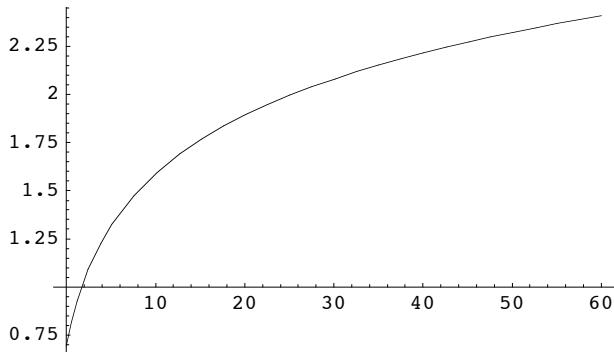
Fvalue[N_, a_] :=
  m[rmax] /. Module[{δ = ε[a, η]}, NDSolve[{u'[r] == v[r], u[δ] == a - 1/4 e^{2a} δ^2,
    u'[r] == -u[r]/r - (1 + r^2)^N e^{2u[r]}, v[δ] == -1/2 e^{2a} δ, m'[r] == r (1 + r^2)^N e^{2u[r]},
    m[δ] == 1/2 e^{2a} δ^2}, {u, v, m}, {r, δ, rmax}]][[1]]]

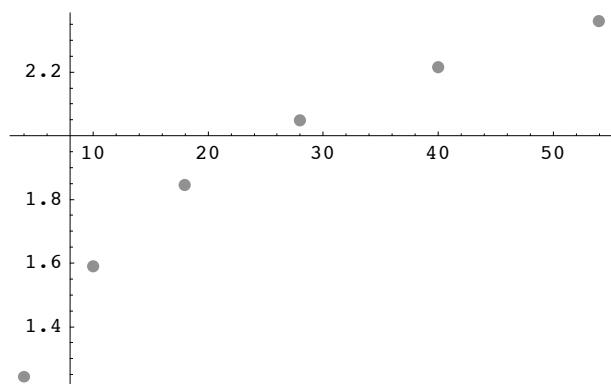
Fcrit[N_, amin_, amax_, a_, s_] := FcritIter[N, amin, amax, a, s, Fvalue[N, a]]

FcritIter[N_, amin_, amax_, a_, s_, f_] :=
  If[a + s < amin || a + s > amax, {}, Module[{g = Fvalue[N, a + s]},
    If[Abs[g - (N + 2)] < 10^-8, a + s, If[(f - (N + 2)) (g - (N + 2)) > 0,
      FcritIter[N, amin, amax, a + s, s, g], FcritIter[N, amin, amax, a, s/2, f]]]]]

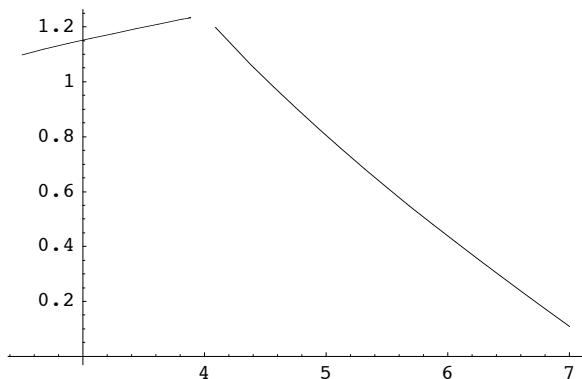
P1 = Plot[1/2 Log[2 (N + 2)], {N, 0, 60}];
P2 = ListPlot[Table[{k (k + 1) - 2, 1/2 Log[2 k (k + 1)]}, {k, 2, 7}],
  PlotStyle -> {PointSize[0.02], GrayLevel[0.5]}];

```

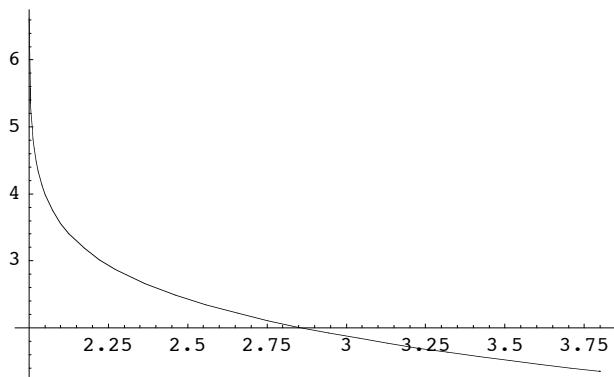




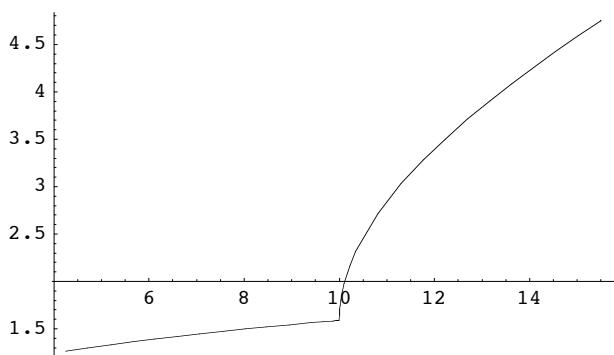
```
P3 = Plot[Fcrit[N, -15, 15, 0, 0.1], {N, 2.5, 7}];
```



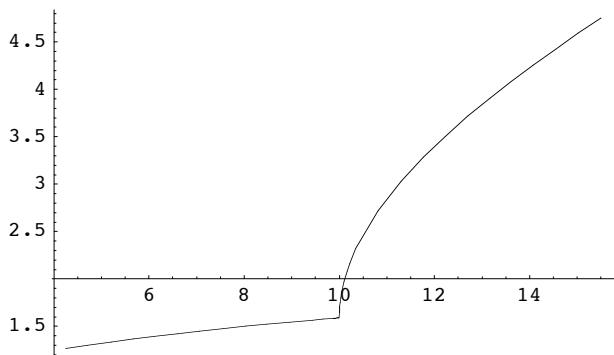
```
P4 = Plot[Fcrit[N, -15, 15, 1/2 Log[2 (N + 2)] + 0.1, 0.1], {N, 1.5, 3.8}];
```



```
P5 = Plot[Fcrit[N, -15, 15, 10, -0.1], {N, 4.25, 15.5}];
```



```
P5 = Plot[Fcrit[N, -15, 15, 10, -0.1], {N, 4.25, 15.5}];
```



```
Fcrit[14.5, -15, 15, 10, -0.1]
```

```
Fcrit[15.5, -15, 15, 10, -0.1]
```

```
N[4.754375505447405 - 4.408464598655719]
```

```
Tbl = Table[{k, 0.35 (k - 15.5) + 4.755}, {k, 16, 22}]
```

```
{ {16, 4.93}, {17, 5.28}, {18, 5.63}, {19, 5.98}, {20, 6.33}, {21, 6.68}, {22, 7.03} }
```

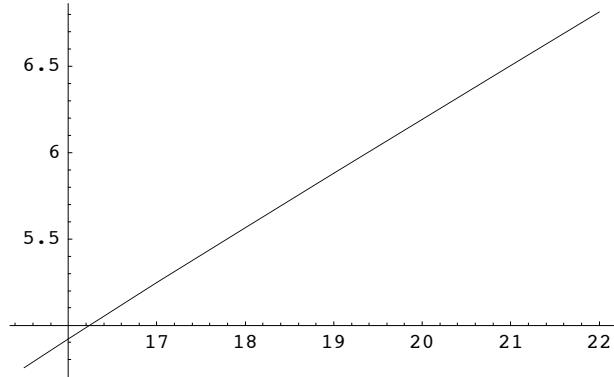
```
Table[{Tbl[[j]][[1]], Fcrit[Tbl[[j]][[1]], -15, 15, Tbl[[j]][[2]], -0.01]}, {j, 1, Length[Tbl]}]
```

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{ {16, 4.92146}, {17, 5.24763}, {18, 5.56649},
```

```
{19, 5.88087}, {20, 6.19266}, {21, 6.50313}, {22, 6.81313} }
```

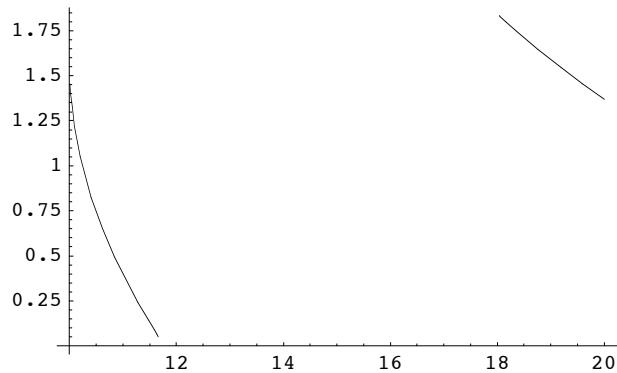
```
P5bis = ListPlot[
```

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 {{15.5, 4.754375505447405`}, {16, 4.921460971832275`}, {17, 5.247627897262573`}, {18, 5.566491928100586`}, {19, 5.880874819755556`}, {20, 6.192664613723758`}, {21, 6.503131899833683`}, {22, 6.813128986358647`}}, PlotJoined → True];
```

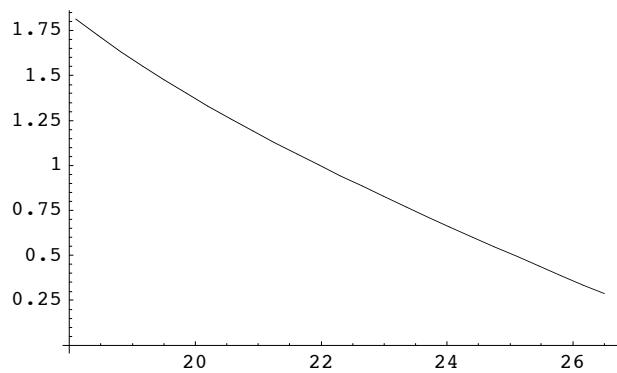


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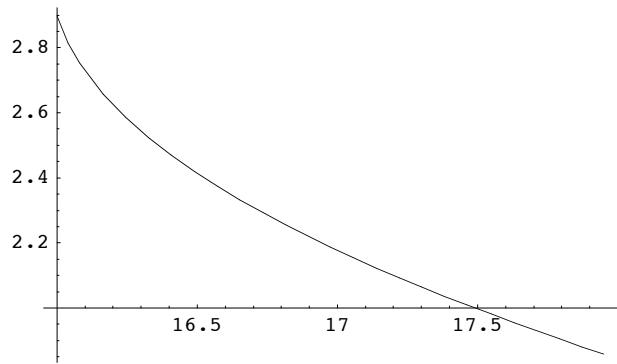
**P6 = Plot[Fcrit[N, 0, 20,  $\frac{1}{2} \log[2(N+2)] - 0.01, -0.1]$ , {N, 10, 20}];**



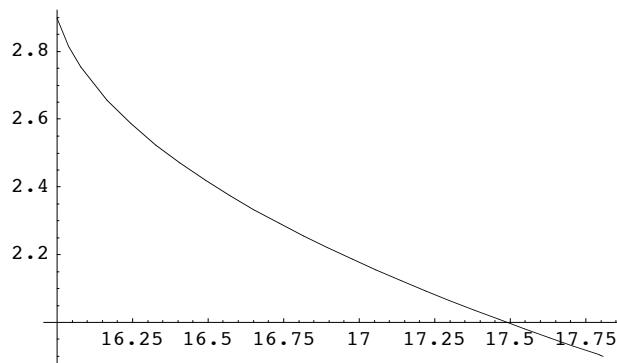
**P7 = Plot[Fcrit[N, 0, 20,  $\frac{1}{2} \log[2(N+2)] - 0.01, -0.1]$ , {N, 18.1, 26.5}];**



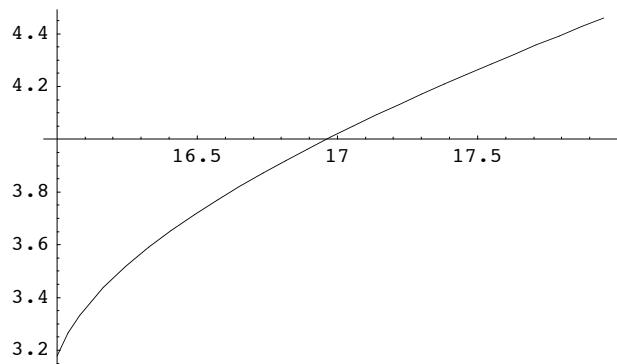
**P8a = Plot[Fcrit[N, 0, 20,  $\frac{1}{2} \log[2(N+2)] + 0.01, +0.1]$ , {N, 16, 17.95}];**



```
P8b = Plot[Fcrit[N, 0, 20, 2.9, -0.1], {N, 16, 17.95}];
```



```
P8c = Plot[Fcrit[N, 0, 20, 2.9, 0.1], {N, 16, 17.95}];
```



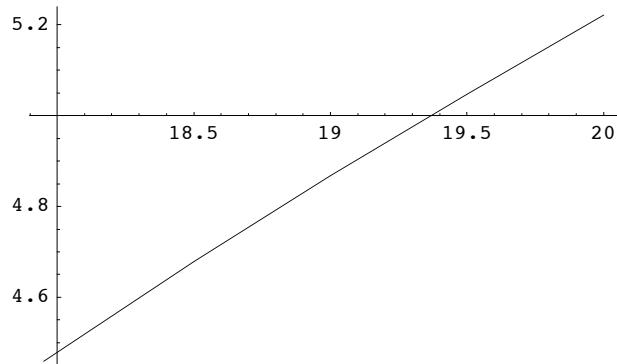
```
Tbl = Table[{k, 4.480217659473419 + 2 (k - 18) (4.480217659473419 - 4.264164304733277)}, {k, 18, 20, 0.5}]
```

```
{ {18, 4.48022}, {18.5, 4.69627}, {19., 4.91232}, {19.5, 5.12838}, {20., 5.34443} }
```

```
Table[{Tbl[[j]][[1]], Fcrit[Tbl[[j]][[1]], 2, 8, Tbl[[j]][[2]], -0.1]}, {j, 1, Length[Tbl]}]
```

```
{ {18, {}}, {18.5, 4.67947}, {19., 4.86744}, {19.5, 5.04741}, {20., 5.22152} }
```

```
P8d = ListPlot[{{17.95, 4.459494104385343`}, {18.5`, 4.67946547269821`}, {19.`, 4.867435526847836`}, {19.5`, 5.047410070896143`}, {20.`, 5.221516907215115`}}, PlotJoined → True];
```

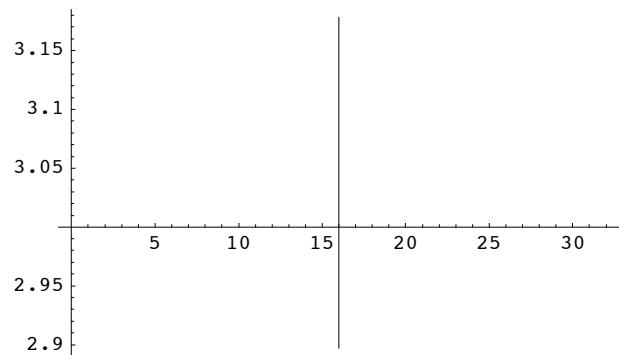


```
Fcrit[16, 0, 20, 2.9, 0.01]
Fcrit[16, 0, 20, 2.9, -0.01]
```

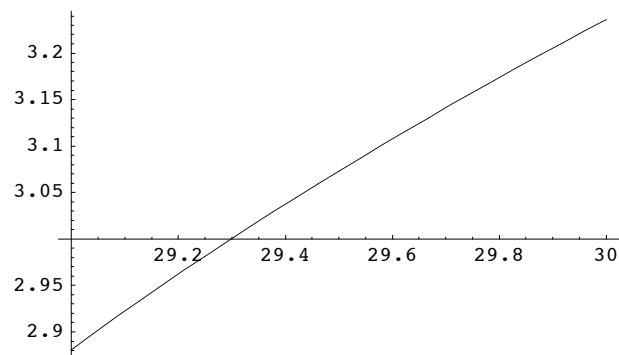
3.17809

2.89731

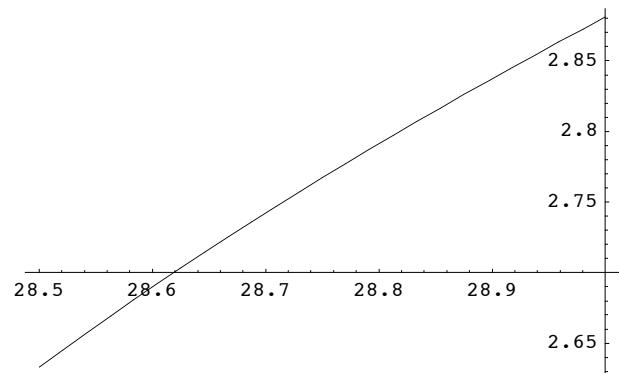
```
P8e = ListPlot[{{16, 2.8973097229003906}, {16, 3.178091278076166}}, PlotJoined → True];
```



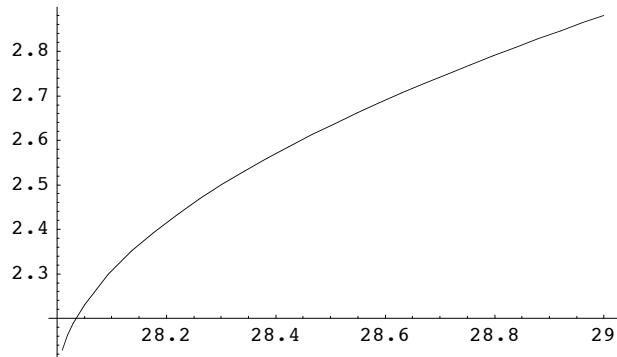
```
P9a = Plot[Fcrit[N, 0, 20, 2.5, 0.1], {N, 29, 30}];
```

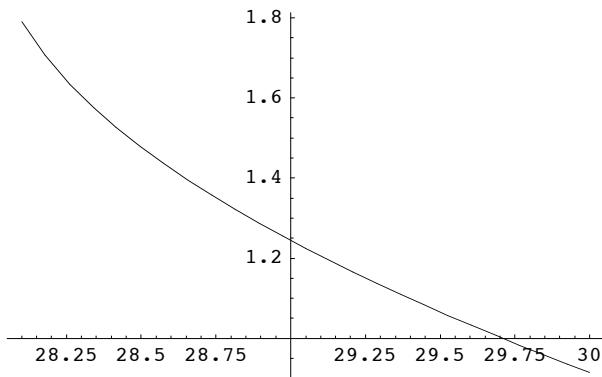


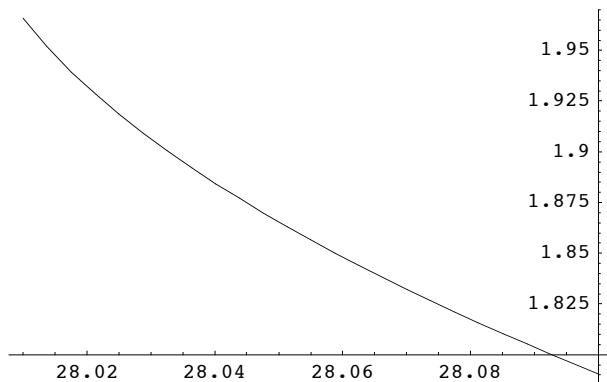
```
P9b = Plot[Fcrit[N, 0, 30, 2.4, 0.1], {N, 28.5, 29}];
```



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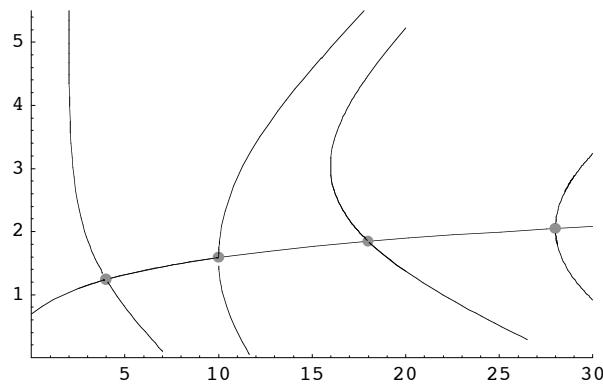

$$P9c = \text{Plot}[\text{Fcrit}[N, 0, 3, \frac{1}{2} \log[2(N+2)] + 0.001, 0.01], \{N, 28.01, 29\}];$$


$$P10 = \text{Plot}[\text{Fcrit}[N, 0, 20, \frac{1}{2} \log[2(N+2)] - 0.01, -0.1], \{N, 28.1, 30\}];$$


$$P10bis = \text{Plot}[\text{Fcrit}[N, 0, 20, \frac{1}{2} \log[2(N+2)] - 0.001, -0.01], \{N, 28.01, 28.1\}];$$


**■ FIGURE 14:**

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Show[P1, P2, P3, P4, P5, P5bis, P6, P7, P8a, P8b, P8c, P8d,
P8e, P9a, P9b, P9c, P10, P10bis, PlotRange -> {{0, 30}, {0, 5.5}}];
```



# Multiplicity results for the assigned Gauss curvature problem in $\mathbb{R}^2$ (5 / 5)

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The goal is to compute the bifurcation diagram  $(a, N)$  at level  $\alpha=N+2$  in terms of the bifurcation parameter  $N$

```

Off[NDSolve::"mxst"]
Off[NDSolve::"nlnum"]
Off[Power::"infy"]
Off[∞::"indet"]
Off[Plot::"plnr"]

η = 10^-4;
ε[a_, ξ_] := Min[ξ e^{-2a}, 10^{-6}]
rmax = 10^7;
shift = Log[2] / 2;

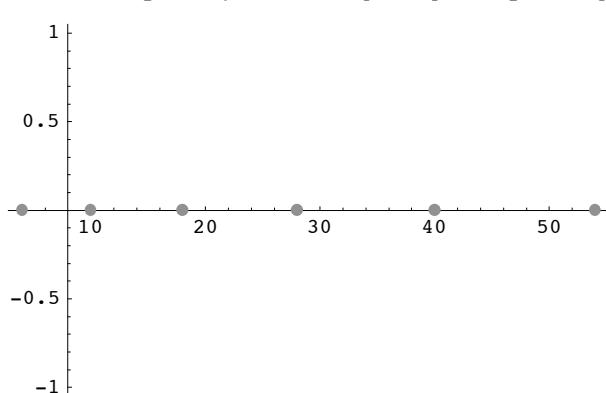
Fvalue[N_, a_] :=
  m[rmax] /. Module[{δ = ε[a, η]}, NDSolve[{u'[r] == v[r], u[δ] == a - 1/4 ε^{2a} δ^2,
    v'[r] == -u'[r]/r - (1 + r^2)^N e^{2u[r]}, v[δ] == -1/2 ε^{2a} δ, m'[r] == r (1 + r^2)^N e^{2u[r]},
    m[δ] == 1/2 ε^{2a} δ^2}, {u, v, m}, {r, δ, rmax}]][[1]]]

Fcrit[N_, amin_, amax_, a_, s_] := FcritIter[N, amin, amax, a, s, Fvalue[N, a]]

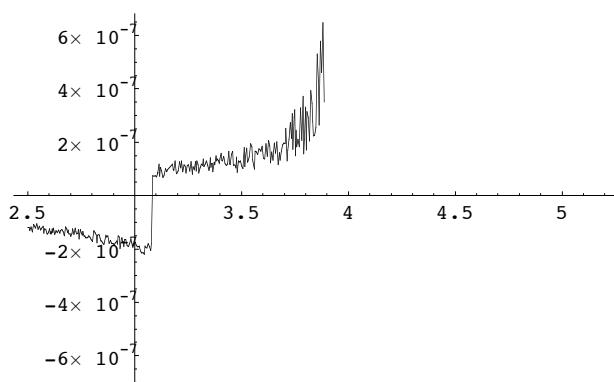
FcritIter[N_, amin_, amax_, a_, s_, f_] :=
  If[a + s < amin || a + s > amax, {}, Module[{g = Fvalue[N, a + s]},
    If[Abs[g - (N + 2)] < 10^{-8}, a + s - 1/2 Log[2 (N + 2)], If[(f - (N + 2)) (g - (N + 2)) > 0,
      FcritIter[N, amin, amax, a + s, s, g], FcritIter[N, amin, amax, a, s/2, f]]]]]

P2 = ListPlot[Table[{k (k + 1) - 2, 0}, {k, 2, 7}],
  PlotStyle -> {PointSize[0.02], GrayLevel[0.5]}];

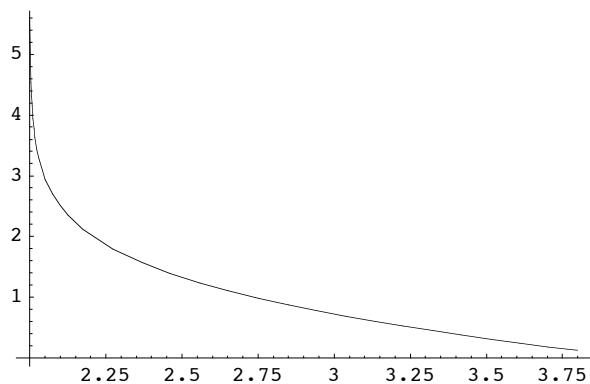
```



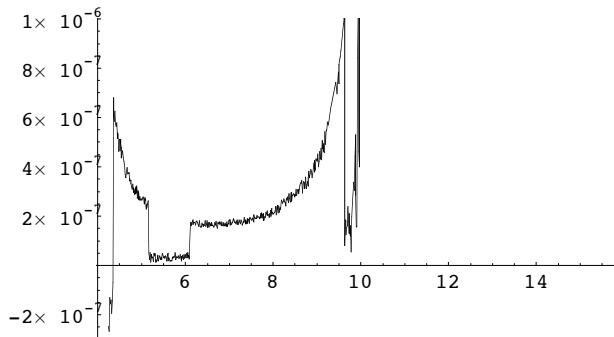
```
P3 = Plot[Fcrit[N, -15, 15, 0, 0.1], {N, 2.5, 7}];
```



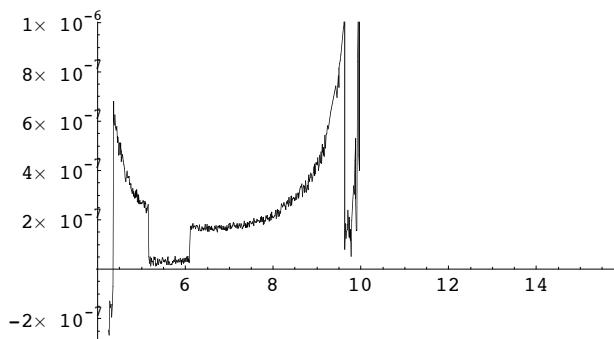
```
P4 = Plot[Fcrit[N, -15, 15, 1/2 Log[2 (N + 2)] + 0.1, 0.1], {N, 1.5, 3.8}];
```



```
P5 = Plot[Fcrit[N, -15, 15, 10, -0.1], {N, 4.25, 15.5}];
```



```
P5 = Plot[Fcrit[N, -15, 15, 10, -0.1], {N, 4.25, 15.5}];
```



```

Fcrit[14.5, -15, 15, 10, -0.1]
Fcrit[15.5, -15, 15, 10, -0.1]
N[4.754375505447405 - 4.408464598655719]

2.66021

2.9767

0.345911

Tbl = Table[{k, 0.35 (k - 15.5) + 4.755}, {k, 16, 22}]

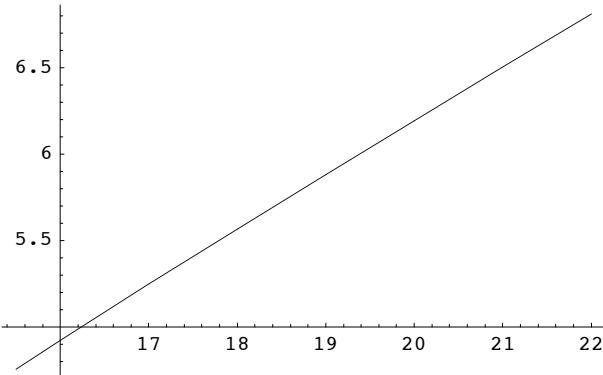
{{16, 4.93}, {17, 5.28}, {18, 5.63}, {19, 5.98}, {20, 6.33}, {21, 6.68}, {22, 7.03} }

Table[{Tbl[[j]][[1]], Fcrit[Tbl[[j]][[1]], -15, 15, Tbl[[j]][[2]], -0.01]}, {j, 1, Length[Tbl]}]

{{16, 3.1297}, {17, 3.42883}, {18, 3.72205}, {19, 4.01204}, {20, 4.30057}, {21, 4.58881}, {22, 4.87753} }

P5bis = ListPlot[
{{15.5, 4.754375505447405`}, {16, 4.921460971832275`}, {17, 5.247627897262573`},
{18, 5.566491928100586`}, {19, 5.880874819755556`}, {20, 6.192664613723758`},
{21, 6.503131899833683`}, {22, 6.813128986358647`}}, PlotJoined → True];

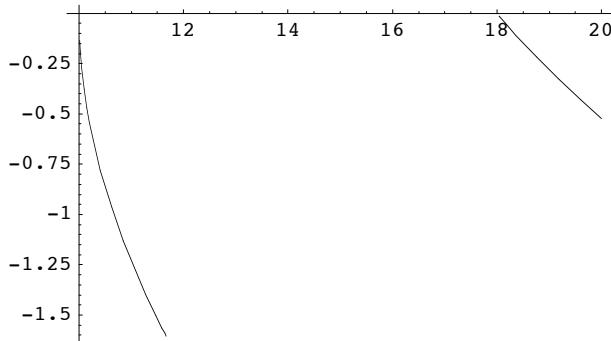
```



```

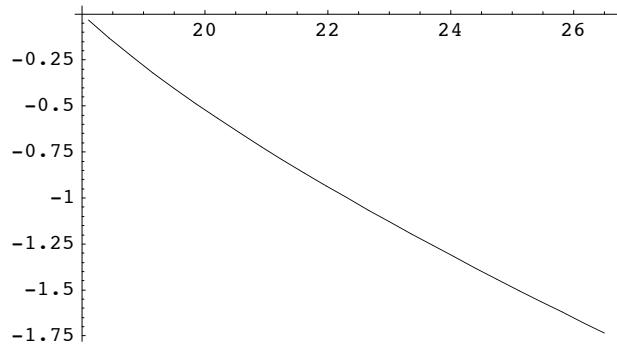
P6 = Plot[Fcrit[N, 0, 20,  $\frac{1}{2} \log[2(N+2)] - 0.01$ , -0.1], {N, 10, 20}];

```

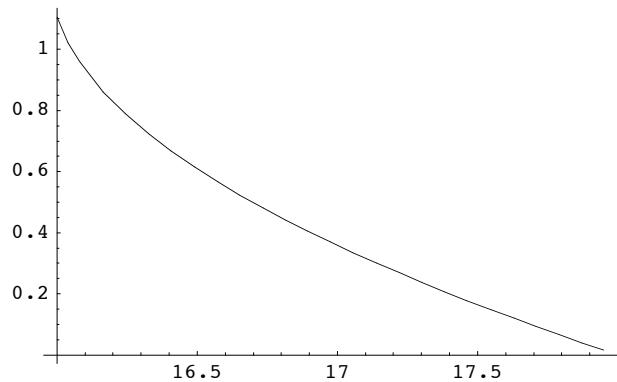


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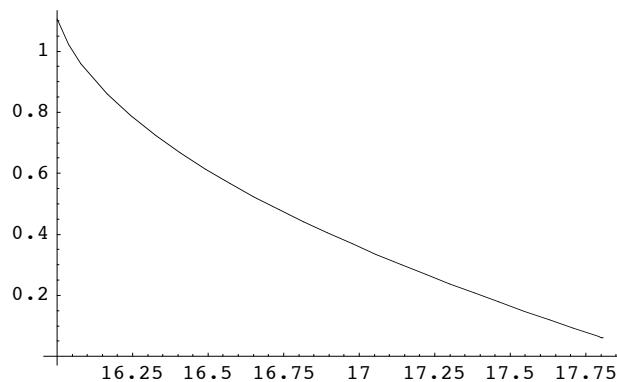
```
P7 = Plot[Fcrit[N, 0, 20,  $\frac{1}{2} \log[2(N+2)] - 0.01, -0.1$ ], {N, 18.1, 26.5}];
```



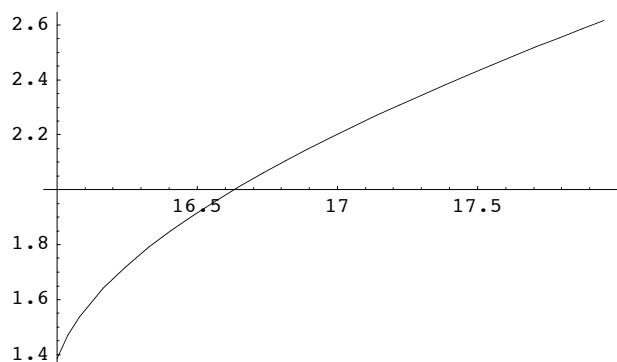
```
P8a = Plot[Fcrit[N, 0, 20,  $\frac{1}{2} \log[2(N+2)] + 0.01, +0.1$ ], {N, 16, 17.95}];
```



```
P8b = Plot[Fcrit[N, 0, 20, 2.9, -0.1], {N, 16, 17.95}];
```



```
P8c = Plot[Fcrit[N, 0, 20, 2.9, 0.1], {N, 16, 17.95}];
```



```

Tbl = Table[{k, 4.480217659473419 + 2 (k - 18) (4.480217659473419 - 4.264164304733277)}, {k, 18, 20, 0.5}]

{{18, 4.48022}, {18.5, 4.69627}, {19., 4.91232}, {19.5, 5.12838}, {20., 5.34443}};

Table[{Tbl[[j]][[1]], Fcrit[Tbl[[j]][[1]], 2, 8, Tbl[[j]][[2]], -0.1]}, {j, 1, Length[Tbl]}];

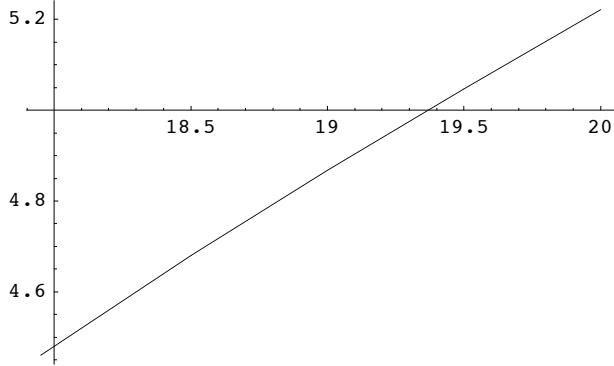
{{18, {}}, {18.5, 2.82268}, {19., 2.9986}, {19.5, 3.16681}, {20., 3.32942}};

```

```

P8d = ListPlot[{{17.95, 4.459494104385343`},
{18.5`, 4.67946547269821`}, {19.`, 4.867435526847836`},
{19.5`, 5.047410070896143`}, {20.`, 5.221516907215115`}}, PlotJoined → True];

```



```

Fcrit[16, 0, 20, 2.9, 0.01]
Fcrit[16, 0, 20, 2.9, -0.01]

```

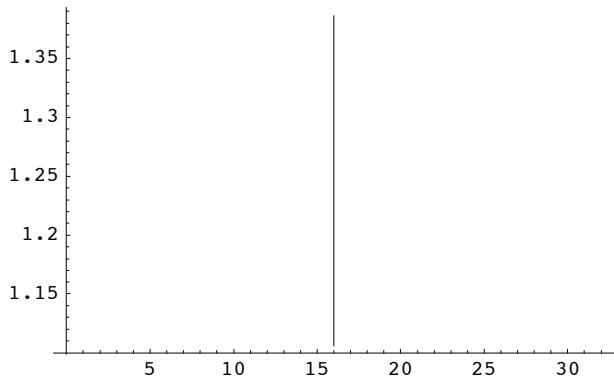
1.38633

1.10555

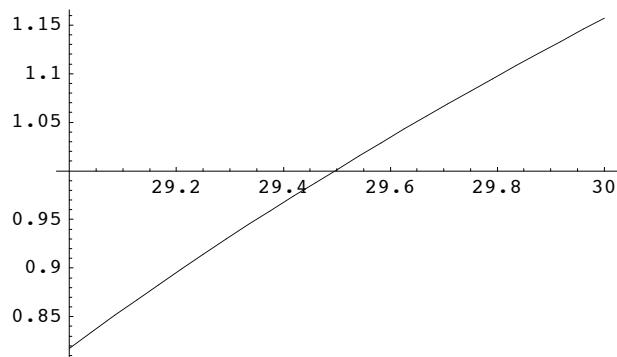
```

P8e = ListPlot[{{16, 2.8973097229003906 - 1/2 Log[2 (16 + 2)]},
{16, 3.178091278076166 - 1/2 Log[2 (16 + 2)]}}, PlotJoined → True];

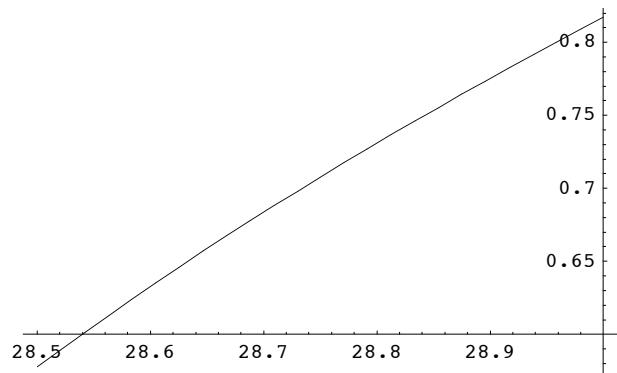
```



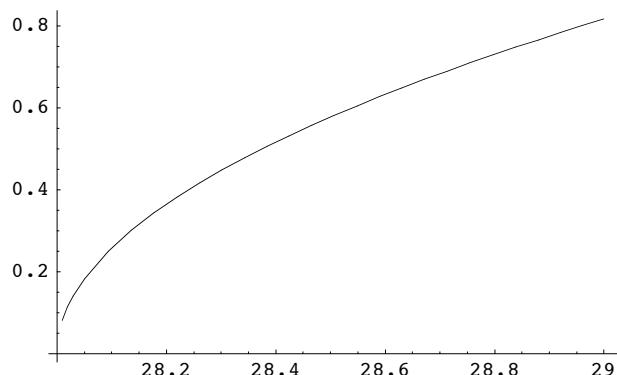
```
P9a = Plot[Fcrit[N, 0, 20, 2.5, 0.1], {N, 29, 30}];
```



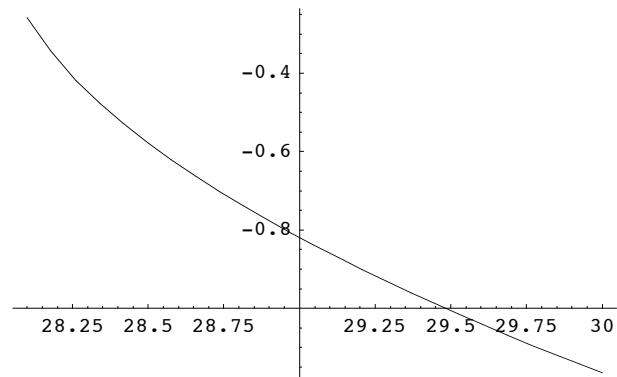
```
P9b = Plot[Fcrit[N, 0, 30, 2.4, 0.1], {N, 28.5, 29}];
```



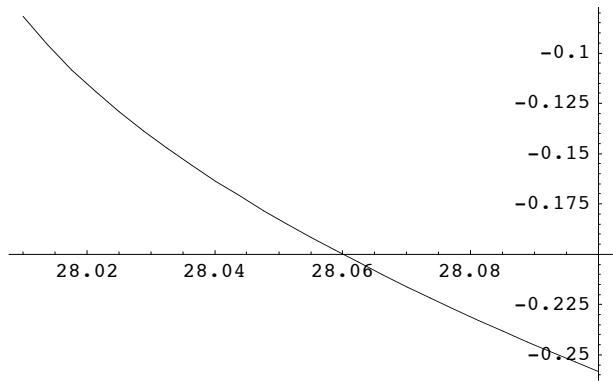
```
P9c = Plot[Fcrit[N, 0, 3,  $\frac{1}{2} \text{Log}[2(N+2)] + 0.001$ , 0.01], {N, 28.01, 29}];
```



```
P10 = Plot[Fcrit[N, 0, 20,  $\frac{1}{2} \text{Log}[2(N+2)] - 0.01$ , -0.1], {N, 28.1, 30}];
```



```
P10bis = Plot[Fcrit[N, 0, 20,  $\frac{1}{2} \text{Log}[2(N+2)] - 0.001, -0.01], {N, 28.01, 28.1}];$ 
```



■ FIGURE 14bis:

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Show[P2, P3, P4, P5, P6, P7, P8a, P8b, P8c, P8e,
P9a, P9b, P9c, P10, P10bis, PlotRange -> {{0, 30}, {-1.5, 2}}];
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