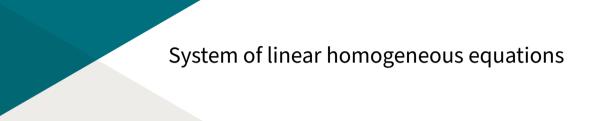


#### Overview

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# System of linear homogeneous equations Definition

If the equations have the following form:

Then we say that they are system of linear equations.

If we set  $f_1(x), ... f_n(x)$  to zeros then we have a system of linear homogeneous equations.

Solution using elimination

The easiest way to solve this system id to suppose that  $D = \frac{d}{dx}$  then we substitute in the equations, and try to isolate on of the variables, re-substitute D solve the resulting differential equation, and finally find the other variables.

Solution using elimination: Example1

Solve the following system:

$$y'_1 = 2y_1 + 3y_2 y'_2 = 4y_1 - 2y_2$$
 (1)

Solution using Lambda

we can rewrite the system illustrated in 1:

$$y' = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix} y \tag{2}$$

Then we can find the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$ 

Solution using Lambda: Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors

Calculate the eigenvalues and eigenvectors for the following matrix:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \tag{3}$$

Solution using Lambda: cont.

After finding the eigenvalues  $\lambda_1$ ,  $\lambda_2$  and the eigenvectors  $u_1$ ,  $u_2$  the solution of the system of equation will be:

$$\begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = C_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} u_1 + C_2 e^{\lambda_2} u_2 \tag{4}$$

**Note:**  $u_1$  is the eigenvector related to  $\lambda_1$  and  $u_2$  is the eigenvector related to  $\lambda_2$ 

Solution using Lambda: Example1

Solve the system illustrated in 2 using eigenvalues and eigenvectors.

Solution using Lambda: Example2

Solve the following system:

$$x'(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} x(t) \tag{5}$$

## **QUESTIONS**