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Note Title

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System of linear ODE

$$\bar{x}' = A\bar{x} \rightarrow \textcircled{1} \quad - \text{homogeneous eqn}$$

$$\bar{x}' = A\bar{x} + \bar{q}(t) \rightarrow \textcircled{2} \quad - \text{non-homogeneous eqn.}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \bar{x}' = A\bar{x} + \bar{q}(t) \\ \bar{x}(t_0) = \bar{x}_0 \end{array} \right\} - \text{IVP}$$

• Existence-uniqueness theorem.

- The set $\{\bar{x} : A\bar{x} = \bar{x}'\}$ forms a real vector space
- If $A \in M_{n \times n}$, then the dimension of the solution space is 'n' (Verify!)

Let $\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2, \dots, \bar{x}_n$ be any n -functions with values in \mathbb{R}^n . Suppose that they are linearly dependent. Then \exists scalars $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n$ (not all zero) such that

$$\alpha_1 \bar{x}_1 + \alpha_2 \bar{x}_2 + \dots + \alpha_n \bar{x}_n = \bar{0}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (\bar{x}_1 \ \bar{x}_2 \ \dots \ \bar{x}_n) \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1 \\ \alpha_2 \\ \vdots \\ \alpha_n \end{pmatrix} = \bar{0}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (\bar{x}_1 \ \bar{x}_2 \ \dots \ \bar{x}_n) \text{ is not invertible}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \det(\bar{x}_1 \ \bar{x}_2 \ \dots \ \bar{x}_n) = 0$$

- If $\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2, \dots, \bar{x}_n$ are linearly dependent, then $\det(\bar{x}_1 \ \bar{x}_2 \ \dots \ \bar{x}_n)(t) = 0 \ \forall t \in I$.
- If $\exists t_0 \in I$ such that $\det(\bar{x}_1 \ \bar{x}_2 \ \dots \ \bar{x}_n)(t_0) \neq 0$, then $\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2, \dots, \bar{x}_n$ are lin. ind.
- $W(\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2, \dots, \bar{x}_n) = \det(\bar{x}_1 \ \bar{x}_2 \ \dots \ \bar{x}_n)$

- If $\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2, \dots, \bar{x}_n$ are linearly dependent, then $W(\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2, \dots, \bar{x}_n) = 0 \ \forall t \in I$.
- If $\exists t_0 \in I$ s.t. $W(\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2, \dots, \bar{x}_n)(t_0) \neq 0$, then $\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2, \dots, \bar{x}_n$ are lin. ind.

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$$\bar{x}' = A\bar{x}, \text{ where } A \text{ is just a constant matrix.}$$

$$\bar{x} = e^{\lambda t} \bar{v}$$

$$(e^{\lambda t} \bar{v})' = A(e^{\lambda t} \bar{v})$$

$$\lambda e^{\lambda t} \bar{v} = e^{\lambda t} A \bar{v}$$

$$\Rightarrow A \bar{v} = \lambda \bar{v}$$

Cor. If A has n distinct eigenvalues, then the system $\vec{x}' = A\vec{x}$ will have n linearly ind. solutions.

Example

$$\begin{aligned} x' &= -x + 2y + 3z \\ y' &= -2y + z \\ z' &= 3z \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{matrix} -1 & -2 & 3 \\ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} & \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} & \begin{pmatrix} 17 \\ 4 \\ 20 \end{pmatrix} \\ e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} & e^{-2t} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} & e^{3t} \begin{pmatrix} 17 \\ 4 \\ 20 \end{pmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

The general solution is given by

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^{-2t} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + c_3 e^{3t} \begin{pmatrix} 17 \\ 4 \\ 20 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Cor. If $\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \dots, \vec{v}_n$ are n linearly ind. eigen vectors with eigenvalues $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n$, then $\{e^{\lambda_i t} \vec{v}_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ are n linearly ind. solns.

Example

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 3 & -1 \\ 3 & 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} 1 & 2 \\ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} & \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} & \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \end{matrix}$$