

Def: An ordinary differential equation (ODE) is an equation related to $y(x)$ and its derivatives. The order of the ODE is the order of the highest derivative.

→ $(y''(x))^2 + \sin(y(x))$ is a second-order ODE

Note: If y had more independent variables, e.g. $y = f(x, z)$, then the resulting equation would be called a partial DE. ... because of partial derivatives

Def: An initial value problem (IVP) is an ODE with an initial condition.

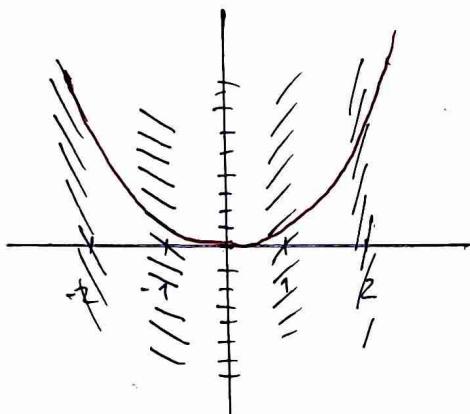
• Direction Fields

- a way of visualizing the set of solutions to $y' = f(x, y)$

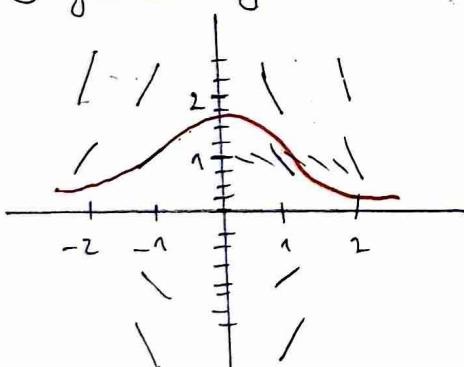
→ $f(x, y)$ gives the slope of the solution at (x, y)

Examples:

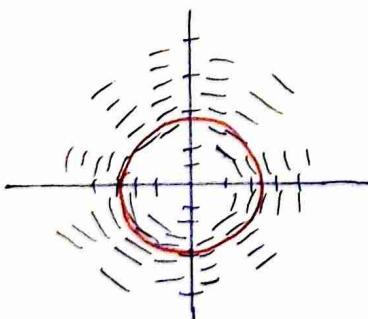
① $y'(x) = 2x$



② $y'(x) = -xy$



③ $y'(x) = -x/y$



→ choose a point and trace it to get the solution passing through that point
→ this looks like

$$y(x) = x^2 + B \quad B \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\text{check: } y'(x) = 2x \quad \checkmark$$

→ looks like the bell curve

$$\text{guess: } y = A e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} \quad A \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\text{check: } y' = A \cdot (-x) e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} = -xy \quad \checkmark$$

x	y	$-xy$
0	y	0
x	0	0
1	y	-y
x	1	-x
2	y	-2y

→ circles around the origin

$$\text{guess: } y = \pm \sqrt{r^2 - x^2} \quad r \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$$

$$\text{check: } y' = \pm \frac{-2x}{2\sqrt{r^2 - x^2}} = \mp \frac{x}{\sqrt{r^2 - x^2}} = -\frac{x}{y}$$

Separable Differential Equations

Def: $\underline{y'(x) = G(x)F(y)}$

Method:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = G(x)F(y) \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{F(y)} = G(x)dx \Rightarrow \int \frac{dy}{F(y)} = \int G(x)dx$$

Examples:

① Solve the IVP $y' = -x/y, y(0) = y_0 \in \mathbb{R}^-$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{x}{y} \Rightarrow \int y dy = - \int x dx \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}y^2 = -\frac{1}{2}x^2 + C$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 = -x^2 + C \Rightarrow y = \pm \sqrt{C-x^2}$$

$$\text{Note: } y_0 < 0 \Rightarrow y = -\sqrt{C-x^2},$$

$$\text{IVP: } y_0 = -\sqrt{C-0^2} \Rightarrow C = y_0^2 \Rightarrow y(x) = -\sqrt{y_0^2-x^2}$$

Theorem (Existence + Uniqueness): Let $(x_0, y_0) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ be given and consider the IVP

$$y'(x) = f(x, y(x)), \quad y(x_0) = y_0$$

If f and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$ are continuous in a neighborhood of (x_0, y_0) , then the problem has a unique solution. More precisely $\exists y^*(x)$ and $\epsilon > 0$ s.t. $y^*(x)$ is defined on $U^\epsilon(x_0)$, solves the IVP and all functions which satisfy the IVP have the same values on $U^\epsilon(x_0)$. In other words

$$(\exists \epsilon > 0)(\exists y^* : U^\epsilon(x_0) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}) : (y^*(x) = f(x, y) \quad \& \quad y^*(x_0) = y_0)$$

$$(\forall y : U \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}) : (\text{Rng}(y) \supseteq U^\epsilon(x_0) \quad \& \quad y'(x) = f(x, y) \quad \& \quad y(x_0) = y_0) \Rightarrow y|_{U^\epsilon(x_0)} = y^*|_{U^\epsilon(x_0)}$$

⊗ The solution y is continuous ... it is differentiable

Note: A solution that is defined for all x is called global, otherwise it is local

Ex:

① Solve the IVP $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{1+y^2}, \quad y(3) = 0$

$$\int \frac{1+y^2}{y} dy = \int dx \Rightarrow x = \int \frac{1}{y} + y dy = \ln|y| + \frac{1}{2}y^2 + C$$

$$\text{IVP: } y(3) = 0 : \ln(0) + \dots \text{ undefined}$$

E+U: $f(x, y) = \frac{y}{1+y^2}, \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$ are continuous near $(3, 0)$

\Rightarrow unique solution exists

$$\text{⊗ } y(x) = 0 \text{ works } \dots y' = \frac{0}{1+0} = 0 \quad \& \quad y(3) = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

→ dividing by y ... shouldn't be surprising that something happens when $y = 0$

(2) Solve the IVP $y' = y(1-y)$, $y(0) = \frac{1}{2}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = y(1-y) \Rightarrow \int \frac{dy}{y(1-y)} = \int dx$$

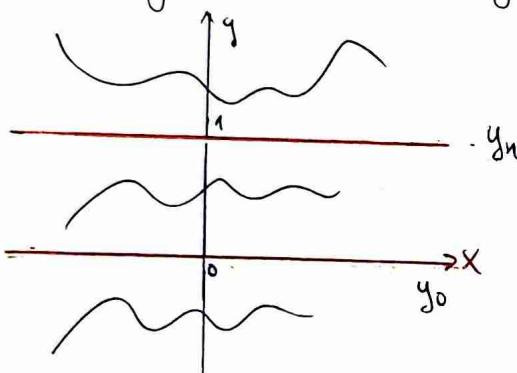
Special cases: $y=0$ and $y=1$

\Rightarrow we need that every y which solves this equation has $\forall x: y(x) \notin \{0, 1\}$.

E+U: $f(x, y) = y(1-y)$ & $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 1-2y$ are continuous (everywhere)

$\Rightarrow \exists!$ solution for every initial value

- $y(x_0) = 0 \Rightarrow y_0(x) = 0$ is the solution
- $y(x_1) = 1 \Rightarrow y_1(x) = 1$ is the solution



$\rightarrow y_0$ is a solution and passes through all points $(x, 0)$

$E+U \Rightarrow$ no other sol. can pass through $(x, 0)$

$\rightarrow y_1 \dots E+U \Rightarrow$ no other passes through $(x, 1)$

$$\int \frac{dy}{y(1-y)} = \int \frac{1}{y} + \frac{1}{1-y} dy = \ln|y| - \ln|1-y| = x + C$$

\rightarrow IVP: The solution goes through $y(0) = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow 0 \leq y \leq 1 \Rightarrow$ no absolute values

$$\ln(y) - \ln(1-y) = \ln\left(\frac{y}{1-y}\right) = x + C \Rightarrow \frac{y}{1-y} = e^{x+C}$$

$$\text{IVP: } y'(0) = \frac{1}{2}: \frac{1}{2}/\frac{1}{2} = e^C \Rightarrow C = 0$$

$$\frac{y}{1-y} = e^x \rightarrow y = e^x - ye^x \Leftrightarrow y(1+e^x) = e^x \rightarrow \underline{\underline{y(x) = \frac{e^x}{1+e^x}}}$$

Linear Differential Equations

Def: An ODE is called linear \Leftrightarrow it is a linear equation in the dependant variable and its derivatives, where the coefficients are functions of the independent variable; that is

$$\sum_{i=0}^m a_i(t) y^{(i)}(t) = b(t)$$

First Order Linear Differential Equations

Method: Suppose an ODE of the form

$$\underline{y'(x) + f(x)y(x) = g(x)}$$

The solution is

$$\underline{y(x) = \frac{1}{\mu(x)} \int \mu(x)g(x) dx}, \quad \mu(x) = e^{\int f(x) dx}$$

where $\mu(x)$ is called the integrating factor. More precisely $\mu'(x) = f(x)\mu(x)$

Proof: Multiply both sides by some carefully chosen $\mu(x)$

$$\mu(x)y'(x) + \mu(x)f(x)y(x) = \mu(x)g(x)$$

Note: if $\mu'(x) = \mu(x)f(x)$ we have

$$\mu(x)y'(x) + \mu'(x)y(x) = [\mu(x)y(x)]' = \mu(x)g(x) \Rightarrow \mu(x)y(x) = \int \mu(x)g(x) dx$$

∴ $\mu(x) = e^{\int P(x) dx}$ where $P'(x) = f(x)$ is what we need □

Ex:

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \underline{y' + 2y = e^x}$$

$$\mu = e^{\int 2dx} = e^{2x} \Rightarrow y(x) = \frac{1}{e^{2x}} \int e^{2x} e^x dx = e^{-2x} \left(\frac{e^{3x}}{3} + C \right) = \frac{1}{3} e^x + \frac{C}{e^{2x}}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \underline{(x+1)y' + (x+2)y = x}, \quad y(0) = a$$

$$y' + \frac{x+2}{x+1}y = \frac{x}{x+1} \Rightarrow \mu(x) = e^{\int \frac{x+2}{x+1} dx} = e^{\int 1 + \frac{1}{x+1} dx} = e^{x + \ln|x+1|} = |x+1|e^x$$

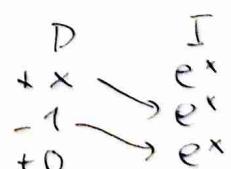
→ what about the absolute value? We only need $\mu'(x) = f(x)\mu(x)$

$$\mu(x) = (x+1)e^x \Rightarrow \mu'(x) = e^x + (x+1)e^x = e^x(x+2) = e^x(x+1) \cdot \frac{x+2}{x+1} = \mu(x)f(x) \checkmark$$

$\Rightarrow \mu(x) = (x+1)e^x$ works

$$\rightarrow y(x) = \frac{1}{(x+1)e^x} \int (x+1)e^x \frac{x}{x+1} dx = \frac{1}{(x+1)e^x} \int x e^x dx =$$

$$= \frac{1}{(x+1)e^x} \left(x e^x - e^x + C \right) = \frac{x-1}{x+1} + \frac{C}{(x+1)e^x}$$



$$\text{I.V.P. } y(0) = a = \frac{-1}{1} + \frac{C}{1} \Rightarrow C = a + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{y(x) = \frac{x-1}{x+1} + \frac{a+1}{(x+1)e^x}}$$

Homogeneous Differential Equations

Def: The function $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is called homogeneous of degree m \Leftrightarrow

$$\forall \alpha \in \mathbb{R}: f(\alpha x, \alpha y) = \alpha^m f(x, y)$$

All polynomials of the form $f(x, y) = \sum_{i=0}^m a_i x^{m-i} y^i$ are hom. of degree m .

Def: A first order ODE of the form

$$\underline{f(x, y) dy = g(x, y) dx}$$

is homogeneous $\Leftrightarrow f$ and g are both homogeneous functions of the same degree.

Method:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{g(x, y)}{f(x, y)} \Rightarrow \text{for any } \alpha: \frac{g(\alpha x, \alpha y)}{f(\alpha x, \alpha y)} = \frac{g(x, y)}{f(x, y)} = \frac{dy}{dx}$$

\rightarrow let $\alpha = 1/x$ to get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{g(1, y/x)}{f(1, y/x)} =: F(y/x)$$

\rightarrow substitute $u = y/x \Rightarrow y = ux \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = u + x \frac{du}{dx}$

$$u + x \frac{du}{dx} = F(u) \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{F(u) - u}{x} \quad \leftarrow \text{separable}$$

Ex:

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{x} - e^{y/x}, \quad x > 0$$

$$u = y/x \Rightarrow y = ux \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = u + x \frac{du}{dx}.$$

$$\Rightarrow u + x \frac{du}{dx} = u - e^u \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = -\frac{e^u}{x} \Rightarrow \int -e^u du = \int -\frac{dx}{x} \Rightarrow -e^u = \ln|x| + C$$

\rightarrow since $x > 0: |x| = x$

$$\Rightarrow -u = \ln(\ln(x) + C) \Rightarrow y = -x \ln(\ln(x) + C)$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \frac{x^2 dy}{dx} = (y^2 + 3xy) dx, \quad x > 0$$

x^2 and $y^2 + 3xy$ are both 2-homogeneous polynomials

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y^2 + 3xy}{x^2} = \frac{y^2}{x^2} + \frac{3y}{x} \Rightarrow u = \frac{y}{x} \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = u + x \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$u + x \frac{du}{dx} = u^2 + 3u \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{u^2 + 2u}{x} \Rightarrow \int \frac{du}{u(u+2)} = \int \frac{dx}{x} = \ln|x| + C$$

Homogeneous Differential Equations

Def: The function $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is called homogeneous of degree n \Leftrightarrow

$$\forall \alpha \in \mathbb{R}: f(\alpha x, \alpha y) = \alpha^n f(x, y)$$

⊗ All polynomials of the form $f(x, y) = \sum_{i=0}^n a_i x^{n-i} y^i$ are hom. of degree n .

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$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y^2 + 3xy}{x^2} = \frac{y^2}{x^2} + \frac{3y}{x} \Rightarrow u = \frac{y}{x} \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = u + x \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$u + x \frac{du}{dx} = u^2 + 3u \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{u^2 + 2u}{x} \Rightarrow \int \frac{du}{u(u+2)} = \int \frac{dx}{x} = \ln|x| + C$$

The integral on the LHS can be solved as

$$\int \frac{du}{u(u+2)} = \int \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{u} - \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{u+2} du = \frac{1}{2} \ln|u| - \frac{1}{2} \ln|u+2| = \frac{1}{2} \ln\left|\frac{u}{u+2}\right| = \ln|x| + C$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln\left|\frac{u}{u+2}\right| = 2\ln|x| + C \Rightarrow \left|\frac{u}{u+2}\right| = x^2 e^C = Ax^2, A \in \mathbb{R}^+$$

Dealing with the absolute value:

→ note the special cases $u=0$ and $u=-2$

⊗ the constant functions $u_0(x)=0$ and $u_1(x)=-2$ solve the ODE

E+U: $f(x, u) = \frac{u^2 + 2u}{x}$ & $\frac{\partial f}{\partial u} = \frac{2u+2}{x}$ are continuous if $x \neq 0$

⇒ all other solutions satisfy $u(x) \neq 0$ and $u(x) \neq -2$ for all x

⇒ 3 scenarios

$$\begin{aligned} 1, u > 0 \Rightarrow u+2 > 0 &\Rightarrow \left|\frac{u}{u+2}\right| = \frac{u}{u+2} \\ 2, u < -2 \Rightarrow u+2 < 0 &\Rightarrow \left|\frac{u}{u+2}\right| = \frac{u}{u+2} \\ 3, -2 < u < 0 \Rightarrow u+2 > 0 &\Rightarrow \left|\frac{u}{u+2}\right| = -\frac{u}{u+2} \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} Ax^2 = \frac{u}{u+2} \text{ or } Ax^2 = -\frac{u}{u+2} \\ A \in \mathbb{R}^+ \end{array} \right\}$$

⇒ Hence $Kx^2 = \frac{u}{u+2}$ when $K \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$... $K > 0$ in 1 and 2 and $K < 0$ in 3

$$uKx^2 + 2Kx^2 = u \Rightarrow u(Kx^2 - 1) = -2Kx^2$$

$$\Rightarrow u = -\frac{2Kx^2}{Kx^2 - 1} = \frac{2Kx^2}{1 - Kx^2} = \frac{2x^2}{B - x^2} \Rightarrow y = ux = \frac{2x^3}{B - x^2}, B \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y^2}{x^2 - xy}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y^2/x^2}{1 - y/x} \Rightarrow u = y/x \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{1}{x} \left(\frac{u^2}{1-u} - u \right) = \frac{1}{x} \left(\frac{2u^2 - u}{1-u} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{dx}{x} = \int \frac{1-u}{u(2u-1)} du \Rightarrow \ln|x| = \int \frac{1}{u} + \frac{1}{2u-1} du = -\ln|u| + \frac{1}{2} \ln(2u-1) + C$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln|2u-1| - 2\ln|u| = 2\ln|x| + C$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln\left|\frac{2u-1}{u^2}\right| = \ln x^2 + C \Rightarrow \frac{|2u-1|}{u^2} = x^2 e^C = Ax^2, A \in \mathbb{R}^+$$

E+U: $u=0$ and $u=\frac{1}{2}$ are solutions b/c $\frac{du}{dx} = \frac{2u^2 - u}{x(1-u)}$ =: $f(x, u)$

and $f(x, u)$ & $\frac{\partial f}{\partial u}$ are continuous when $x \neq 0$ and $u \neq 1$

⇒ 3 cases

$$\begin{aligned} 1, u < 0 \Rightarrow 2u-1 < 0 &\quad \left. \begin{array}{l} |2u-1| = -2u+1 \\ |2u-1| = 2u-1 \end{array} \right\} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \frac{2u-1}{u^2} = Kx^2, K \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\} \\ \text{or isolate } u \dots \end{array} \right\} \\ 2, 0 < u < 1/2 \Rightarrow 2u-1 < 0 & \\ 3, u > 1/2 \Rightarrow 2u-1 > 0 & \end{aligned}$$

• Bernoulli Equations

Def: A Bernoulli equation is an ODE of the form

$$\underline{y'(x) + P(x)y(x) = Q(x)(y(x))^m} \quad m \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0, 1\}$$

Method: Substitute $\underline{w(x) = (y(x))^{1-m}}$

↳ This will be linear

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow w' &= (1-m)(y(x))^{-m} y'(x) \\ &= (1-m)(y(x))^{-m} (Q(x)(y(x))^m - P(x)y(x)) \\ &= (1-m)(Q(x) - P(x)(y(x))^{1-m}) \\ &= (1-m)(Q(x) - P(x)w(x)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow w' + (1-m)P(x)w(x) = (1-m)Q(x) \quad \leftarrow \text{F.O. linear}$$

Ex:

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \underline{y' - 2xy = x^3y^2}$$

$$w = y^{1-2} = y^{-1} \Rightarrow w' = -y^{-2} \cdot y'$$

$$\Rightarrow w' = -y^{-2}(x^3y^2 + 2xy) = -(x^3 + 2xy^{-1}) = -x^3 - 2xw$$

$$\Rightarrow w' + 2xw = -x^3$$

$$\hookrightarrow w(x) = e^{\int 2x dx} = e^{x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow w(x) = e^{-x^2} \int e^{x^2} (-x^3) dx = \left| \begin{array}{l} u = x^2 \\ du = 2x dx \end{array} \right| = -\frac{1}{2} \bar{e}^{-u} \int e^u u du$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \bar{e}^{-u} (ue^u - e^u + C)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2}(u-1 + C\bar{e}^u) = -\frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{C}{e^{x^2}}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{D} \\ + u \\ - 1 \\ + C \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{I} \\ e^u \\ e^u \\ e^u \end{array}$$

$$w = y^{-1} \Rightarrow y = w^{-1} = \frac{1}{-\frac{1}{2}x^2 + C\bar{e}^{-x^2}} = \frac{2}{1-x^2 + C\bar{e}^{-x^2}} \quad C \in \mathbb{R}$$

Def: The interval of validity of an IVP with initial condition $y(t_0) = y_0$ is the largest possible interval containing t_0 on which a solution is defined.

Ex:

② Solve the IVP $y' + \frac{4}{x}y = x^3y^2$, $y(2) = -1$ and find the I_oV.

→ This is a Bernoulli eq.

$$w = y^{1-2} = \bar{y}^{-1}$$

Interval of Validity

$$\Rightarrow w' = -\bar{y}^2 y' = -\bar{y}^2 (x^3 y^2 - \frac{4}{x} y) = -x^3 + \frac{4}{x} w$$

$$\Rightarrow w' - \frac{4}{x} w = -x^3$$

$$\hookrightarrow \mu(x) = e^{\int -\frac{4}{x} dx} = e^{-4 \ln|x|} = e^{\ln|x|^{-4}} = |x|^{-4} = \frac{1}{x^4}$$

$$\Rightarrow w(x) = x^4 \int \frac{1}{x^4} (-x^3) dx = x^4 \int -\frac{1}{x} dx = -x^4 (\ln|x| + C) = x^4 (C - \ln|x|)$$

$$y(x) = \frac{1}{w(x)} = \frac{-1}{x^4(C - \ln|x|)}, C \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\text{IVP: } y(2) = -1 = \frac{1}{16(C - \ln 2)} \Rightarrow -16 = \frac{1}{C - \ln 2} \Rightarrow 16 \ln 2 - 16C = 1 \Rightarrow C = \ln 2 - \frac{1}{16}$$

I_oV: $x \neq 0$ → either $x < 0$ or $x > 0$

→ because we have $y(2) = -1 \Rightarrow 2 \in I_{\sigma}V \Rightarrow x > 0 \Rightarrow \ln|x| = \ln(x)$

$$\Rightarrow y(x) = \frac{1}{x^4(\ln 2 - 1/16 - \ln x)}$$

I_oV: We need $x^4(\ln 2 - 1/16 - \ln x) \neq 0$, keep in mind $x > 0$

$$\Rightarrow \ln x \neq \ln 2 - 1/16 \rightarrow x \neq 2e^{-1/16}$$

$$\Rightarrow I_{\sigma}V = (2e^{-1/16}, \infty)$$

③ Solve and find the I_oV: $y' + \frac{4}{x}y = \sqrt{y}$, $y(1) = 0$

$$w = y^{1-\frac{1}{2}} = \sqrt{y} \Rightarrow w' = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{y}} y' = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{y}} (\sqrt{y} - \frac{4}{x}) = \frac{1}{2} (1 - \frac{4}{x}) = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{w}{2x}$$

$$\Rightarrow w' + \frac{w}{2x} = \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \mu = \exp\left(\int \frac{1}{2x} dx\right) = \exp\left(\frac{1}{2} \ln|x|\right) = \sqrt{|x|}$$

$$\Rightarrow w(x) = \sqrt{|x|}, \text{ but IVP: } y(1) = 0 \text{ and } x \neq 0 \Rightarrow I_{\sigma}V \subseteq (0, \infty)$$

↪ 1 ∈ I_oV

$$\Rightarrow w(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} \int \sqrt{x} \frac{1}{2} dx = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} \cdot \left(\frac{x^{3/2}}{3/2} + C \right) = \frac{1}{3} x + \frac{C}{\sqrt{x}} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ w(x) = \frac{1}{3} (x - \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}) \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\text{IVP: } \sqrt{y} = w \Rightarrow \sqrt{0} = \frac{1}{3} + \frac{C}{1} \Rightarrow C = -\frac{1}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x) = w(x)^2 = \frac{1}{9} \left(x - \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} \right)^2$$

$$I_{\sigma}V: x \neq 0 \& 1 \in I_{\sigma}V \Rightarrow I_{\sigma}V = (0, \infty)$$

Other substitutions

Linear substitution

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f(Ax + By + C) \Rightarrow u = Ax + By + C \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = A + B \frac{dy}{dx}$$

Ex:

$$① \frac{dy}{dx} = (x+y)^2 \rightarrow u = x+y \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = 1 + \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} - 1 = u^2 \Rightarrow \int \frac{du}{u^2+1} = \int dx \Rightarrow \arctg(u) = x + C$$

$$\Rightarrow x+y = \operatorname{tg}(x+C) \Rightarrow y = \underline{\operatorname{tg}(x+C) - x}, C \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$② \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2x-4y+7} \rightarrow u = 2x - 4y + 7 \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = 2 - 4 \frac{dy}{dx} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{4} \left(2 - \frac{du}{dx} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{4} \left(2 - \frac{du}{dx} \right) = \frac{1}{u} \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = 2 - \frac{4}{u} = \frac{2(u-2)}{u}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{u}{u-2} du = 2 \int dx \rightarrow \text{Note: } u=2 \text{ is a solution}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = \int \frac{u-2+2}{u-2} du = \int 1 + \frac{2}{u-2} du = u + 2 \ln|u-2| + C$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 2x - 4y + 7 + 2 \ln|2x - 4y + 5| + C$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \ln|2x - 4y + 5| = 4y - 7 + C = 4y + C \Rightarrow \ln|-| = 2y + C$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x - 4y + 5 = A e^{2y}, A \in \mathbb{R}^+$$

\Rightarrow Solutions are

$$1) u=2 \Rightarrow 2x - 4y + 7 = 2 \Rightarrow y = \frac{1}{4}(2x + 5)$$

$$2) y(x) \text{ which satisfy: } \underline{2x - 4y + 5 = A e^{2y}}, A \in \mathbb{R}^+$$

$$③ \underline{y' + 3y \operatorname{cosec}(x) = 6 \cos(x) \cdot y^{2/3}}, \sin(x) \neq 0 \rightarrow \text{else undefined}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{Bernoulli eq.} \Rightarrow w = y^{1-2/3} = y^{1/3}$$

$$w' = \frac{1}{3} y^{-2/3} y' = \frac{y^{-2/3}}{3} (6 \cos(x) y^{2/3} - 3y \operatorname{cosec}(x)) = 2 \cos(x) - w \operatorname{cosec}(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow w' + w \operatorname{cosec}(x) = 2 \cos(x)$$

$$\hookrightarrow w = e^{\int \operatorname{cosec}(x) dx} = e^{\int \frac{\cos(x)}{\sin(x)} dx} = e^{\ln|\sin x|} = |\sin x|$$

$$\Rightarrow w(x) = \frac{1}{|\sin x|} \int 2 \cos(x) |\sin x| dx = \left| \begin{array}{l} u = \sin x \\ du = \cos x dx \end{array} \right| = \frac{2}{|m|} \int |u| du$$

$$= \frac{2}{|m|} \left(A + \frac{u^2}{2} + C \right) \rightarrow A = \begin{cases} 1, & m > 0 \\ -1, & m < 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow A = \operatorname{sgn}(m), \quad \text{or } \underline{y=0}$$

$$= \frac{1}{|m|} \left(m^2 \operatorname{sgn}(m) + C \right) = m + \frac{C}{|m|} ; y = w^3 \Rightarrow \underline{y = \left(\sin x + \frac{C}{|\sin x|} \right)^3}$$

Separable

~~Want~~ $y(x) \neq 0 + x$

~~Want~~ $y_0(x) = 0$ is a solution

~~Want~~ $y(x) \neq 0 + x$

$$(4) \quad \underline{xy' - y = \sqrt{xy+x^2}}$$

\hookrightarrow divide by x : $y' - \frac{y}{x} = \sqrt{\frac{y}{x} + 1} \rightarrow$ homogeneous

$$u = \frac{y}{x} \Rightarrow y = ux \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = u + x \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow u + x \frac{du}{dx} - u = \sqrt{u+1} \Rightarrow x \frac{du}{dx} = \sqrt{u+1} \Rightarrow \int \frac{du}{\sqrt{u+1}} = \int \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\ln|x| + C = \int (u+1)^{-1/2} du = \frac{(u+1)^{1/2}}{1/2} = 2\sqrt{u+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{u+1} = \frac{1}{2} \ln|x| + C = \ln\sqrt{|x|} + C$$

$$\Rightarrow u = (\ln\sqrt{|x|} + C)^2 - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow y = xu = x(\ln\sqrt{|x|} + C)^2 - x \quad \text{and} \quad \underline{y = -x}$$

$\downarrow u \neq -1$

$\circlearrowleft u = -1$ is a solution

$$(5) \quad \underline{(4y-8x+3) y' = 2 + 2 \cos(4y-8x+3)}$$

$$u = 4y - 8x + 3 \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = -8 + 4 \frac{dy}{dx} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{du}{dx} + 8 \right) = \frac{1}{4} \frac{du}{dx} + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(u) \left(\frac{1}{4} \frac{du}{dx} + 2 \right) = 2 + 2 \cos(u)$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \frac{du}{dx} + 2 = \frac{2(1 + \cos(u))}{\cos(u)} = \frac{2}{\cos(u)} + 2 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{4} \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{2}{\cos u}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \cos u du = \int 2 dx \Rightarrow \sin(u) = 8x + C$$

$\downarrow u \neq \frac{\pi}{2} + k\pi$

$$\Rightarrow u = \arcsin(8x+C) = 4y - 8x + 3$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{1}{4} (8x + 3 + \arcsin(8x+C))$$

\hookrightarrow not a solution though

$$(6) \quad \underline{(y) y' = e^{-x} - \sin(y)}$$

$$\hookrightarrow u = \sin(y) \Rightarrow u' = \cos(y) y'$$

$$\Rightarrow u' = e^{-x} - u \Rightarrow u' + u = e^{-x} \Rightarrow u = e^{-x} \int e^x e^{-x} dx = e^{-x}(x+C)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \arcsin(u) = \arcsin\left(\frac{x+C}{e^{-x}}\right), C \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$(7) \quad \underline{y' + 2x = 2\sqrt{y+x^2}}$$

$$\hookrightarrow u = y + x^2 \Rightarrow u' = y' + 2x \Rightarrow u' = 2\sqrt{u} \rightarrow \text{separable}$$

$$(8) \quad \underline{y' = x \left(1 + \frac{2u}{x^2} + \frac{u^2}{x^4}\right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \frac{y}{x^2} \Rightarrow y = ux^2 \Rightarrow y' = 2xu + x^2u'$$

$$\Rightarrow 2xu + x^2u' = x \left(1 + 2u + u^2\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 \frac{du}{dx} = x(1+u^2) \Rightarrow x \frac{du}{dx} = 1+u^2 \rightarrow \text{separable}$$

⑨ Solve the IVP and determine the IVF.

a) $xy' + (x+1)y = x$, $y(\ln 2) = 1$, $x > 0$

$$y' + \frac{x+1}{x}y = 1 \rightarrow \mu = \exp\left(\int \frac{x+1}{x}dx\right) = \exp\left(\int 1 + \frac{1}{x}dx\right) = e^{x + \ln|x|} = |x|e^x$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x) = \frac{1}{|x|e^x} \int x e^x x dx = \frac{1}{|x|e^x} \left(x^2 e^x - 2x e^x + 2e^x + C \right)$$

$\begin{array}{rcl} D & \xrightarrow{\quad 1 \quad} & e^x \\ + x^2 & \xrightarrow{\quad 2x \quad} & e^x \\ - 2x & \xrightarrow{\quad 2 \quad} & e^x \\ + 2 & \xrightarrow{\quad 0 \quad} & e^x \end{array}$	$= \frac{x - 2 + \frac{2}{x} + \frac{C}{xe^x}}{xe^x}$	$\text{IVP: } y(\ln 2) = 1 = \ln 2 - 2 + \frac{2}{\ln 2} + \frac{C}{2 \ln 2}$ $\Rightarrow C = 2 \ln 2 \left(3 - \ln 2 - \frac{2}{\ln 2} \right) = \underline{6 \ln 2 - 2 \ln^2 2 - 4}$ $\text{IVF: } x > 0, x \neq 0 \Rightarrow \text{IVF} = (0, \infty)$
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b) $y' = \frac{xy}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$, $y(0) = 1$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{xy}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} \Rightarrow \int \frac{dy}{y} = \int \frac{x}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} dx$$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= 1+x^2 \\ dm &= 2x dx \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{y^2}{2} + C = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{dm}{\sqrt{m}} = \frac{1}{2} \int m^{-1/2} dm = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{m^{1/2}}{1/2} = \sqrt{m} = \sqrt{1+x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-1}{2y^2} = \sqrt{1+x^2} + C \Rightarrow \frac{1}{y^2} = -2\sqrt{1+x^2} + C$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 = \frac{1}{C - 2\sqrt{1+x^2}} \Rightarrow y = \pm (C - 2\sqrt{1+x^2})^{-1/2}, \quad y(0) = 1 \rightarrow +$$

$$\text{IVP: } y(0) = 1 = (C - 2)^{-1/2} \Rightarrow 1^2 = 1 = C - 2 \Rightarrow C = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x) = (3 - 2\sqrt{1+x^2})^{-1/2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\dots}}$$

$$\text{IVF: } 3 - 2\sqrt{1+x^2} > 0 \Rightarrow \sqrt{1+x^2} < \frac{3}{2} \Rightarrow 1+x^2 < \frac{9}{4} \Rightarrow x^2 < \frac{5}{4} \Rightarrow |x| < \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$\text{IVF} = \left(-\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)$$

⑩ $(x+y)y' = y$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{x+y} = \frac{y/x}{1+y/x} \Rightarrow u = y/x \quad \begin{aligned} u &= y/x \\ y &= xu \end{aligned} \rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = u + x \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow u + x \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{u}{1+u} \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{1}{x} \left(\frac{u-u(1+u)}{1+u} \right) = \frac{1}{x} \left(\frac{-u^2}{1+u} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{1+u}{u^2} du = - \int \frac{dx}{x} \quad \rightarrow u \neq 0 \text{ as Note: } u=0 \text{ is a solution}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\ln|u| + C = \int u^{-2} + \frac{1}{u} du = \frac{u^{-1}}{-1} + \ln|u| = -\frac{1}{u} + \ln|u|$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{-\ln|u| + C} = e^{-\frac{1}{u} + \ln|u|} \Rightarrow \frac{A}{|u|} = |u| e^{-\frac{1}{u}}, A \in \mathbb{R}^+$$

Absolute values:

$$\text{EUV: } f(x, u) = -\frac{u^2}{x(1+u)} \text{ and } \frac{\partial f}{\partial u} \text{ are continuous when } u \neq 1, x \neq 0$$

\Rightarrow since $u(x)=0$ is a solution, all other solutions satisfy $u(x) \neq 0 \wedge x$

→ we either have

$$\begin{aligned} \cdot m > 0 &\Rightarrow |m| = m \\ \cdot m < 0 &\Rightarrow |m| = -m \end{aligned} \quad \left\{ \frac{A}{|x|} = k \cdot m e^{-\frac{1}{m}} \right. , A \in \mathbb{R}^+ \quad \left. \hookrightarrow \beta/x, \beta \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\beta}{x} = m e^{-\frac{1}{m}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{m} e^{\frac{1}{m}} = Mx , M \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$$

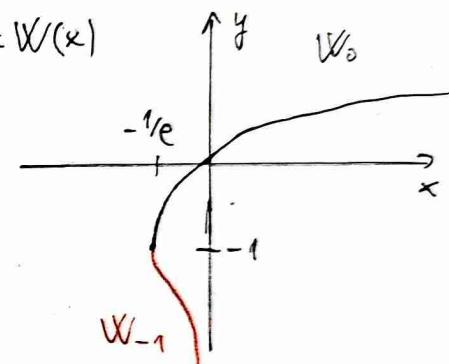
$$\Rightarrow W\left(\frac{1}{m} e^{\frac{1}{m}}\right) = W(Mx) \Rightarrow \frac{1}{m} = W(Mx)$$

$$y = mx \rightarrow y = \frac{x}{W(Mx)} \quad M \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\} \quad \text{and} \quad \underline{y(x)=0} \quad \stackrel{m=0}{\square}$$

Def: Lambert W function is a family of functions which satisfy

$$W(x) e^{W(x)} = x \Rightarrow y e^y = x \Leftrightarrow y = W(x)$$

Note: There are 2 branches if $x \in \mathbb{R}$



$$\textcircled{11} \quad \underline{\frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{1}{x} y = \frac{1}{y}}, \quad y(1) = 3$$

$$y' - \frac{1}{x} y = y^{-1} \quad \dots \text{Bernoulli eq.}$$

$$\rightarrow w = y^{1-(-1)} = y^2$$

$$w' = 2y y' = 2y \left(\frac{1}{x} + y^{-1} \right) = 2 \left(\frac{y^2}{x} + 1 \right) = 2 + \frac{w}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow w' - \frac{1}{x} w = 2 \quad \rightarrow \mu(x) = e^{\int -\frac{1}{x} dx} = e^{-\ln|x|} = \frac{1}{|x|}$$

$$\text{IVP: } y(1) = 3 \quad \& \quad x \neq 0 \Rightarrow x > 0 \Rightarrow |x| = x$$

$$\rightarrow w(x) = x \int \frac{1}{x} 2 dx = x (2 \ln|x| + C) = x (2 \ln x + C)$$

$$\rightarrow y = \pm \sqrt{w} = \pm \sqrt{x (2 \ln x + C)} \quad \dots \quad y(1) = 3 \Rightarrow +$$

$$\text{IVP: } y(1) = 3 = \sqrt{1(0+C)} \Rightarrow \sqrt{C} = 3 \Rightarrow C = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{y(x) = \sqrt{x(2 \ln x + 9)}}$$

$$\text{I}_{\sigma}V: x \neq 0 \quad \& \quad 1 \in \text{I}_{\sigma}V \Rightarrow \text{I}_{\sigma}V \subseteq (0, \infty)$$

$$x(2 \ln x + 9) > 0 \Rightarrow 2 \ln x + 9 > 0 \Rightarrow \ln x > -\frac{9}{2} \Rightarrow x > e^{-\frac{9}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\text{I}_{\sigma}V = (e^{-9/2}, \infty)}$$

Finding Bounds of Solutions

Theorem: Suppose $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is continuous. Then

$$y(x) \text{ solves } \underline{y'(x) = f(x, y(x)) \quad \& \quad y(x_0) = y_0}$$

\Updownarrow

$$y(x) \text{ solves } \underline{y(x) = y_0 + \int_{x_0}^x f(t, y(t)) dt}$$

Proof: \uparrow : $y'(x) = f(x, y(x))$ by the fundamental theorem of calculus

$$y(x_0) = y_0 + 0$$

$$\Downarrow: \int y'(x) dx = \int f(x, y(x)) dx \Rightarrow y(x) = F(x, y(x)) + C$$

$$\text{Note: } y_0 = y(x_0) = F(x_0, y_0) + C \Rightarrow C = y_0 - F(x_0, y_0)$$

\rightarrow any antiderivative F will do, let's choose

$$F(x, y(x)) = \int_{x_0}^x f(t, y(t)) dt \dots \text{an antiderivative given by}$$

$$\Rightarrow F(x_0, y_0) = \int_{x_0}^{x_0} \dots = 0 \Rightarrow y(x) = y_0 + \int_{x_0}^x f(t, y(t)) dt$$



Note: This formula is useful for proving that a solution exists and finding bounds of the solution. It's not so useful in finding the solution explicitly since the integral may not be evaluable.

Ex: Consider the IVP $y' = \sin(y^2) + 2x$, $y(0) = y_0 \in \mathbb{R}$.

Show that the solution is unique + find bounds on it

- $f(x, y) := \sin(y^2) + 2x$ is continuous

$$\Rightarrow y(x) = y_0 + \int_0^x \sin(y(t)^2) + 2t dt \Rightarrow \text{a solution exists}$$

- $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \cos(y^2) 2y$ is continuous \Rightarrow the solution is unique

\rightarrow what is y ? ... $\int \sin(y(t)^2) dt$ is non-elementary

\rightarrow we can not evaluate it but can estimate it

$$\begin{aligned} |y(x)| &\leq |y_0| + \left| \int_0^x \sin(y(t)^2) + 2t dt \right| \leq |y_0| + \int_0^x |\sin(y(t)^2)| + 2|t| dt \\ &\leq |y_0| + \int_0^x 1 + 2|t| dt \end{aligned}$$

→ 2 options

$$\underline{x \geq 0}: |y(x)| \leq |y_0| + \int_0^x (1+2t) dt = |y_0| + x + x^2$$

$$\underline{x \leq 0}: |y(x)| \leq |y_0| + \left| - \int_x^0 \sin(y(t)^2) + 2t dt \right| \leq |y_0| + \int_x^0 (1+2|t|) dt \\ = |y_0| + \int_x^0 (1-2t) dt = |y_0| - x + x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall x \in \mathbb{R}: |y(x)| \leq |y_0| + |x| + x^2$$

Theorem (Gronwall Inequality): Suppose $f, g: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are continuous and $g \geq 0$.

$$\forall x \geq x_0: f(x) \leq C + \int_{x_0}^x f(t)g(t) dt \Rightarrow \forall x \geq x_0: f(x) \leq C \cdot e^{\int_{x_0}^x g(t) dt}, \quad (C \in \mathbb{R})$$

Proof:

$$\text{Let } H(x) := C + \int_{x_0}^x f(t)g(t) dt \Rightarrow f(x) \leq H(x)$$

$$\text{Note: } H'(x) = f(x)g(x) \leq H(x)g(x)$$

Consider the ODE $H'(x) = H(x)g(x)$

$$H'(x) - H(x)g(x) = 0 \rightsquigarrow \mu(x) = \exp\left(\int -g(x) dx\right) = \exp\left(-\int_{x_0}^x g(t) dt\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow [\mu(x)H(x)]' = \mu'(x)H(x) + \mu(x)H'(x) = \underbrace{\mu'(x)}_{\stackrel{+}{\curvearrowright}} \underbrace{H(x)}_{\stackrel{\circ}{\curvearrowright}} + \mu(x)H'(x) = \mu(x)[H'(x) - g(x)H(x)] < 0$$

$\Rightarrow \mu(x)H(x)$ is decreasing

$$\text{Note: } \mu(x_0)H(x_0) = e^0(C+0) = C$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{we have } H(x) \leq C \stackrel{\mu^{-1}}{\curvearrowright} \Rightarrow f(x) \leq H(x) \leq C \cdot \exp\left(\int_{x_0}^x g(t) dt\right)$$

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How to use this?

Consider an IVP $y' = f(x, y)$ and rewrite it as an integral

$$y(x) = y_0 + \int_{x_0}^x f(t, y(t)) dt$$

Now examine the absolute value and try to simplify to get

$$\forall x \geq x_0: |y(x)| \leq |y_0| + \int_{x_0}^x |\int f(t, y(t))| dt \leq \dots \leq |y_0| + \int_{x_0}^x g(t)|y(t)| dt$$

Finally use the Gronwall inequality

$$\forall x \geq x_0: |y(x)| \leq |y_0| \cdot \exp\left(\int_{x_0}^x g(t) dt\right)$$

Ex: Let $y'(x) = \frac{x^2+3}{x^3+x} y(x) \sin(y(x))$, $y(1) = a \in \mathbb{R}^+$.

Show that $\forall x \geq 1: |y(x)| \leq \frac{2ax^3}{x^2+1}$

\rightarrow since $f(x, y) = \frac{x^2+3}{x^3+x} y \cdot \sin(y)$ is continuous when $x \neq 0$, $y(x)$ satisfies

$$y(x) = a + \int_1^x f(t, y(t)) dt$$

\rightarrow consider only $x \geq 1$ and examine the absolute value ≤ 1

$$\begin{aligned} |y(x)| &\leq |a| + \int_1^x |f(t, y(t))| dt = a + \int_1^x \underbrace{\left| \frac{t^2+3}{t^3+t} \right|}_{\substack{\text{a} \in \mathbb{R}^+ \\ t \in (0, x)}} \cdot |y(t)| \cdot |\sin(y(t))| dt \\ &\leq a + \int_1^x \frac{t^2+3}{t^3+t} \cdot |y(t)| dt \quad a \in \mathbb{R}^+, t \in (0, x) \quad \& x \geq 1 \end{aligned}$$

\rightarrow by the Gronwall inequality $\forall x \geq 1$:

$$\begin{aligned} |y(x)| &\leq a \cdot \exp\left(\int_1^x \frac{t^2+3}{t^3+t} dt\right) \\ &\Rightarrow \int_1^x \frac{t^2+3}{t(t^2+1)} dt = \int_1^x \frac{1}{t} + \frac{2}{t(t^2+1)} dt = \int_1^x \frac{1}{t} + \frac{2}{t} + \frac{A t + B}{t^2+1} dt = \int_1^x \frac{3}{t} - \frac{2t}{t^2+1} dt \\ &= \left[3 \ln|t| - \ln|t^2+1| \right]_1^x = 3 \ln x - \ln(x^2+1) + \ln 2 = \ln \frac{2x^3}{x^2+1} \\ &\Rightarrow |y(x)| \leq a \cdot \exp\left(\ln \frac{2x^3}{x^2+1}\right) = \underline{a \cdot \frac{2x^3}{x^2+1}} \end{aligned}$$

• Closer look at the E+U theorem

Theorem (E+U): Let $(t_0, y_0) \in \mathbb{R}^2$, suppose $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$ are both continuous in the rectangle $R = \{(t, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid |t-t_0| < a, |y-y_0| < b\}$, $a, b \in \mathbb{R}^+$. Then there exists some $\varepsilon \in \mathbb{R}$, $0 < \varepsilon \leq a$ s.t. the IVP

$$y'(t) = f(t, y(t)), \quad y(t_0) = y_0$$

Has a unique solution defined in $(t_0 - \varepsilon, t_0 + \varepsilon)$.

Proof:

Without loss of generality let $(t_0, y_0) = (0, 0)$

$\Rightarrow R = \{(t, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid |t| \leq a, |y| < b\}$... solution defined in $(-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$

Ex: Transform the IVP $y' = t^2 + y^2$, $y(1) = 2$ to an equivalent problem with the initial point at the origin

\rightarrow want $u(0) = 0 \Rightarrow$ define $u(t) := y(t+1) - 2$

$$\Rightarrow u'(t) = y'(t+1) = (t+1)^2 + (y(t+1))^2 \quad \hookrightarrow y(t+1) = u(t) + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{u'(t) = (t+1)^2 + (u(t)+2)^2}, \quad u(0) = 0, \quad y(t) = u(t-1) + 2$$

→ in general it might be impossible to find an explicit formula for $y(t)$

Idea: Construct a sequence of functions, all of them satisfying the initial condition, and show that the sequence converges to a limit function which satisfies the differential equation. Meaning

a) the sequence converges

b) the limit function satisfies the IVP

c) the limit function is a unique solution in some region of \mathbb{R}

→ this is very difficult in general, we will give an idea with an example

if f is continuous \Rightarrow can express y as an integral

$$y(t) = 0 + \int_0^t f(s, y(s)) ds \rightarrow \text{the solution satisfies } y(t) = \int_0^t f(s, y(s)) ds$$

Method of Successive Approximations - Picard's iterative method

Want to solve $y'(t) = f(t, y(t))$, $y(0) = 0$, f is continuous around $(0, 0)$

→ find an initial guess for y , easiest is $y_0(t) = 0$

→ then use the integral formula to get better approximations of y

$$y_0(t) = 0 \quad y_1(t) = \int_0^t f(s, y_0(s)) ds \quad y_m(t) = \int_0^t f(s, y_{m-1}(s)) ds$$

→ we have a sequence of functions y_0, y_1, \dots satisfying $y_m(0) = 0 \forall m$

• if for some ε we have $y_{\varepsilon+1} = y_\varepsilon$, then its a solution to the IVP

$$y_\varepsilon = y_{\varepsilon+1} = \int_0^\varepsilon f(s, y_\varepsilon(s)) ds \xrightarrow{\frac{dy}{dt}} y_\varepsilon(t) = f(t, y_\varepsilon(t)) \dots \text{solution } \checkmark$$

• in general this does not happen and we need to ask

1) do all members of the sequence exist?

2) does the sequence converge?

3) does the limit function satisfy the differential equation?

4) is this the only solution?

→ the general proof shows that if f and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$ are continuous on some rectangle, then this sequence does indeed converge for some sufficiently small ε and that its indeed the only solution.

→ we can also get some bounds on how big ε is

→ let's do a concrete example and prove the $E+U$ theorem in a special case

↪ consider $y' = 2t(1+y)$, $y(0) = 0$

$f(t, y) := 2t(1+y)$ is continuous on \mathbb{R}^2

⇒ consider the corresponding integral equation

$$y(t) = \int_0^t 2s(1+y(s)) ds \rightarrow \text{and try to approximate } y$$

→ let $y_0(t) = 0$

$$y_1(t) = \int_0^t 2s(1+y_0(s)) ds = \int_0^t 2s ds = t^2$$

$$y_2(t) = \int_0^t 2s(1+y_1(s)) ds = \int_0^t 2s + 2s^3 ds = t^2 + \frac{t^4}{2}$$

$$y_3(t) = \int_0^t 2s(1+y_2(s)) ds = \int_0^t 2s + 2s^3 + s^5 ds = t^2 + \frac{t^4}{2} + \frac{t^6}{6}$$

→ let $\frac{t^{2x}}{m}$ be the last term in y_x

$$\hookrightarrow y_{x+1} = y_x + \int_0^t 2s \frac{t^{2x}}{m} ds = y_x + \frac{2}{m} \cdot \frac{t^{2x+2}}{2x+2} = y_x + \frac{t^{2(x+1)}}{m(x+1)}$$

→ coefficients:

$$y_1: t^2/1 \Rightarrow 1$$

$$y_2: t^4/2 \Rightarrow 2 \cdot 1 = 2$$

$$y_3: t^6/6 \Rightarrow 3 \cdot 2 = 6$$

$$y_1: 1$$

$$y_{x+1}: (x+1) \cdot (\text{coeff } y_x) = (x+1)!$$

$$\Rightarrow y_m(t) = t^2 + \frac{t^4}{2!} + \frac{t^6}{3!} + \dots + \frac{t^{2m}}{m!} = \sum_{k=1}^m \frac{t^{2k}}{k!}$$

Note: ① all y_m exist

→ does $y(t) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{t^{2k}}{k!}$ converge?

→ ratio test: $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{k+1}}{a_k} \right| = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{t^{2k+2}}{(k+1)!} \cdot \frac{k!}{t^{2k}} \right| = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{t^2}{k+1} \right| = 0 < 1$

→ $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{t^{2k}}{k!}$ converges for all $t \in \mathbb{R}$

Note: ② $\{y_m(t)\}_{m=1}^{\infty}$ converges

→ is there a closed formula? ... use $e^t = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{t^k}{k!}$

→ $y(t) = e^{t^2} - 1$ → does it satisfy the IVP?

$$y'(t) = e^{t^2} \cdot 2t = (e^{t^2} - 1 + 1) 2t = (y+1) \cdot 2t \quad \checkmark$$

Note: ③ the limit satisfies the IVP

(4) is the solution unique?

Suppose the IVP has two solutions $y(t)$ and $z(t)$

$$\begin{aligned} y(t) &= \int_0^t 2s(1+y(s)) ds \\ z(t) &= \int_0^t 2s(1+z(s)) ds \end{aligned} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} |y(t)-z(t)| = \left| \int_0^t 2s(1+y(s)) - 2s(1+z(s)) ds \right| \end{array} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow |y(t)-z(t)| \leq 2 \int_0^t |s| \cdot |y(s)-z(s)| ds$$

• Suppose $t \geq 0$:

$$\Rightarrow |y(t)-z(t)| \leq 2 \int_0^t s |y(s)-z(s)| ds \leq 2t \int_0^t |y(s)-z(s)| ds \quad \text{(*)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{define } u(t) := \int_0^t |y(s)-z(s)| ds \rightarrow \text{want to show } u(t)=0 \Rightarrow y(t)=z(t)$$

$$\circlearrowleft u(0)=0, \quad u(t) \geq 0$$

$$u'(t) = |y(t)-z(t)| \Rightarrow \text{(*)}: u'(t) \leq 2t u(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow u'(t) - 2t u(t) \leq 0 \rightsquigarrow u(t) = e^{\int -2t dt} = e^{-t^2}$$

$$e^{-t^2} u'(t) - 2t e^{-t^2} \cdot u(t) = [e^{-t^2} \cdot u(t)]' \leq 0$$

Note: e^{-t^2} is continuous and $u(t)$ is differentiable \Rightarrow continuous

$\Rightarrow e^{-t^2} \cdot u(t)$ is decreasing

$$\circlearrowleft u(0)=0 \Rightarrow e^{-t^2} u(t) = 0 \text{ when } t=0$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall t > 0: e^{-t^2} \cdot u(t) \leq 0 \Rightarrow u(t) \leq 0$$

\rightarrow but above we have $u(t) \geq 0 \Rightarrow \forall t > 0: u(t) = 0 \Rightarrow \underline{y(t)=z(t)}$

• Similarly, if $t \leq 0$ we also get $y(t)=z(t)$.

Note: (4) The solution $y(t) = e^{t^2} - 1$ is unique.

\rightarrow The general approach follows the same line of thought.

E+U: Domain of the solution

$f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is continuous on $R = \{(t, y) \mid |t| \leq a, |y| \leq b\}$, $a, b \in \mathbb{R}^+$

$$\rightarrow \text{recall } y_{m+1}(t) = \int_0^t f(s, y_m(s)) ds$$

\rightarrow we need $(s, y_m(s)) \in R$, otherwise f might not be continuous or even defined

\Rightarrow the ε we chose will have to satisfy

$$\forall t \in (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon): y_m(t) \text{ is defined and } \forall s \in (0, t): (s, y_m(s)) \in R$$

\rightarrow in other words: $0 < \varepsilon \leq a$ and $\forall t \in (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon) \ \exists M: |y_m(t)| \leq b$

\rightarrow so find ε , use the fact that continuous functions on closed intervals are bounded

$$\Rightarrow \exists M \geq 0 \text{ s.t. } \forall (t, y) \in R: |f(t, y)| \leq M$$

\rightarrow assume ε is chosen in a way s.t. $\forall t \in (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon): |y_m(t)| \leq b$

\rightarrow examine $y_{m+1}(t)$, $t \in (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$:

$$y_{m+1}'(t) = f(t, y_m(t)) \Rightarrow |y_{m+1}'(t)| = |f(t, y_m(t))| \leq M$$

\Rightarrow the maximum slope of the graph of $y_{m+1}(t)$ is M

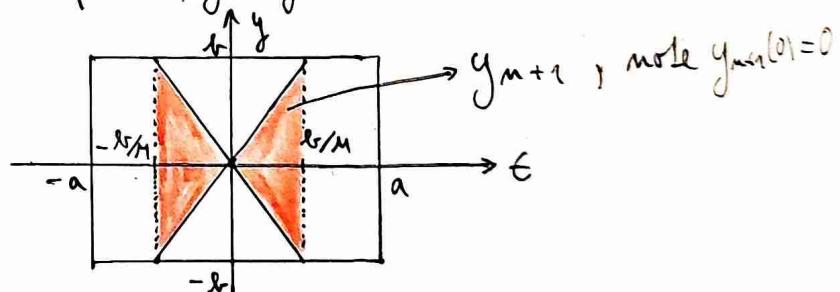
$\Rightarrow y_{m+1}(t)$ must lie in the following region:

- suppose $b/M < a$

\rightarrow need to limit t s.t.

$$tM \leq b \Rightarrow t \leq b/M$$

$$\& -t \geq -b/M$$

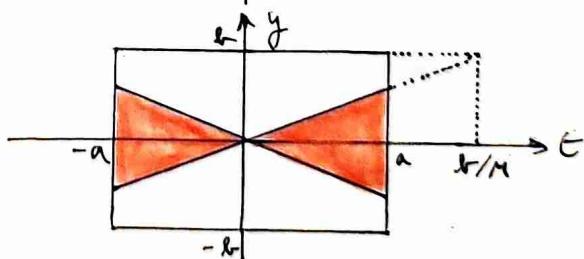


- suppose $b/M > a$

tM reaches b when

$$t = b/M > a$$

\Rightarrow no need to limit t



$\Rightarrow (t, y_m(t))$ stays within R

as long as $|t| \leq \varepsilon$ where $\varepsilon = \min\{a, b/M\}$

\rightarrow if we set $y_0(t) = 0$: $f(t, y_m(t))$ is continuous on $[-\varepsilon, \varepsilon] \times [b, b]$ for $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$

\Rightarrow conclusion: $\varepsilon = \min\{a, b/M\}$ where M bounds $|f(t, y)|$ from above on R

$$\Rightarrow \varepsilon \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } M \rightarrow \infty$$



Ex: ① Solve $y' = y + 1 - \epsilon$, $y(0) = 0$

a, using Picard's iterative method

$f(t, y) := y + 1 - \epsilon$ and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 1$ are continuous

$$\rightarrow y(t) = \int_0^t f(s, y(s)) ds = \int_0^t 1 - s + y(s) ds$$

$$\rightarrow y_0(t) := 0$$

$$y_1(t) = \int_0^t 1 - s + 0 ds = t - \frac{1}{2}t^2$$

$$y_2(t) = \int_0^t 1 - s + s - \frac{1}{2}s^2 ds = t - \frac{1}{3!}t^3$$

$$y_3(t) = \int_0^t 1 - \frac{1}{3!}s^3 ds = t - \frac{1}{4!}t^4$$

$$y_m(t) = t - \frac{t^{m+1}}{(m+1)!}$$

$$\rightarrow y(t) = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} y_m(t) = t$$

b, using other methods

$$y' - y = 1 - \epsilon \rightsquigarrow \mu(t) = e^{-\int 1 dt} = e^{-t}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow y(t) &= e^t \int e^{-t} (1 - \epsilon) dt \\ &= e^t \left((\epsilon - 1)e^{-t} + e^{-t} + C \right) \\ &= t + C \cdot e^t \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{IVP: } y(0) = 0 = 0 + C \cdot 1 \Rightarrow C = 0 \Rightarrow y(t) = t$$

② Solve $y'(t) = 3t^2(y-1)$, $y(0) = 0$ using Picard's method

$f(t, y) := 3t^2(y-1)$ and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 3t^2$ are continuous

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = \int_0^t f(s, y(s)) ds = \int_0^t -3s^2 + 3s^2 y(s) ds$$

$$\rightarrow y_0(t) = 0$$

$$y_1(t) = \int_0^t -3s^2 ds = -t^3$$

$$y_2(t) = \int_0^t -3s^2 + 3s^2(-s^3) ds = -t^3 - \frac{t^6}{2}$$

$$y_3(t) = \int_0^t -3s^2 + 3s^2(-s^3 - \frac{s^6}{2}) ds = -t^3 - \frac{t^6}{2} - \frac{t^9}{2 \cdot 3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{guess } y_m(t) = -\sum_{k=1}^m \frac{t^{3k}}{k!}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Induction: } y_{m+1}(t) &= \int_0^t -3s^2 - 3s^2 \sum_{k=1}^m \frac{s^{3k}}{k!} ds = -t^3 - 3 \sum_{k=1}^m \frac{t^{3k+3}}{k! (3k+3)} \\ &= -t^3 - \sum_{k=1}^{m+1} \frac{1}{(k+1)!} t^{3(k+1)} = -\sum_{k=1}^{m+1} \frac{t^{3k}}{k!} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} y_m(t) = -\left(e^{t^3} - 1\right) = \underline{1 - e^{t^3}}$$

Ex: Uniqueness breaking down. $y' = 3y^{2/3}$, $y(0) = 0$

$f(t, y) = 3y^{2/3}$ is continuous on \mathbb{R}^2

$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 3 \cdot \frac{2}{3} y^{-1/3} = \frac{2}{\sqrt[3]{y}}$ is not continuous if $y = 0$ } no E+U!

→ clearly $y(t) = 0$ is a solution but it might not be unique

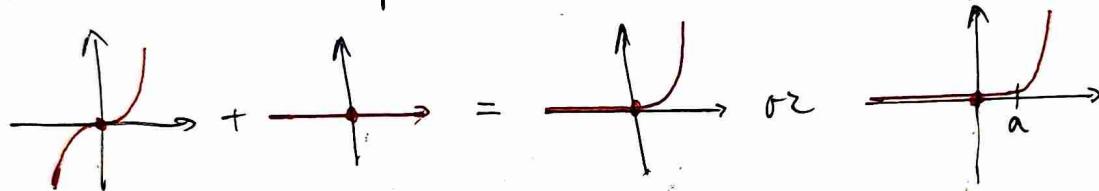
→ This is a separable ODE:

$$dy = 3y^{2/3} dt \Rightarrow \frac{1}{3} \int y^{-2/3} dy = \int dt$$

$$\Rightarrow t + C = \frac{1}{3} \frac{y^{1/3}}{1/3} = \sqrt[3]{y} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ y(t) = x^3 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\text{IVP: } y(0) = 0 \Rightarrow C = \sqrt[3]{0}$$

There is an infinite number of solutions of the form



$$y(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t \leq a \\ (t-a)^3, & t > a \end{cases}, \quad a \in \mathbb{R}^+$$

Ex: E+U breaking down: x_0, y_0 are given, $xy' = y$, $y(x_0) = y_0$

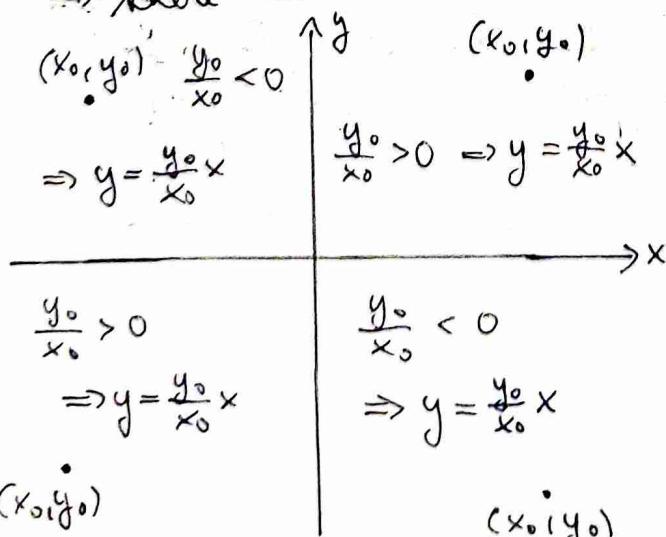
→ we have $y' = y/x$, there are 3 cases for x_0 and y_0 .

- a) $x_0 \neq 0$: $f(x, y) := y/x$ & $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$ continuous in a neighborhood of (x_0, y_0)
→ \exists unique solution

$$\int \frac{dy}{y} = \int \frac{dx}{x} \Rightarrow \ln|y| = \ln|x| + C \Rightarrow |y| = |x| \cdot e^C$$

$$\text{IVP: } |y_0| = |x_0| \cdot e^C \Rightarrow e^C = \left| \frac{y_0}{x_0} \right| \Rightarrow |y| = |x| \cdot \left| \frac{y_0}{x_0} \right|$$

→ there are 4 cases to consider for the initial condition:



⇒ in general, $y = x \cdot \frac{y_0}{x_0}$ is a solution unique in a neighborhood of (x_0, y_0)

→ more precisely, $f(x, y)$ is not continuous at $(0, 0)$, so the solution is unique in the quadrant containing (x_0, y_0)

Consider: $x_0 > 0, y_0 > 0$

→ $y = \frac{y_0}{x_0} x$ is unique in 1st-right quadrant

→ $y = \frac{y_0}{x_0} |x|$ which is also a solution has the same values there

b) $x_0 = 0 \& y_0 \neq 0$: sub into $xy' = y$ to get $0 = 0y' = y_0 \neq 0$ ↳ solution doesn't exist

c) $x_0 = 0 \& y_0 = 0$:

$f(x, y) = y/x$ not continuous at (x_0, y_0)

⇒ no guarantee of solutions existing or being unique

→ solving as before we get

$$|y| = |x| \cdot e^c \Rightarrow |y_0| = |x_0| \cdot e^c \Rightarrow 0 = 0 \Rightarrow c \in \mathbb{R}$$

⇒ $y = \pm |x| e^c = Ax$ is a valid solution for any $A \in \mathbb{R}$

Theorem (Continuation of solutions): Let $(x_0, y_0) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ and suppose $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$ are continuous and bounded in an open region $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$, $(x_0, y_0) \in A$.

Then the IVP $y'(x) = f(x, y(x))$, $y(x_0) = y_0$ has a unique solution which is defined on a maximal interval (x_1, x_2) ... interval of validity.

Moreover there are 3 possible scenarios:

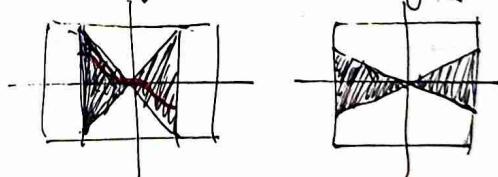
i) $(x_1, x_2) = (-\infty, \infty)$... global solution

ii) The endpoint x_i is finite and there is an infinite discontinuity at x_i
 $|y(x)| \rightarrow \infty$ as $x \rightarrow x_i$

→ the solution is said to blow up in finite time

iii) The endpoint x_i is finite and $(x, y(x)) \rightarrow \text{boundary of } A$ as $x \rightarrow x_i$.

recall from the proof of E+U:



Ex:

① Let $y_0 > 0$ and consider $y' = y^2$, $y(0) = y_0$

$f(x, y) := y^2$ & $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 2y$ are both defined and continuous on \mathbb{R}^2

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{dy}{y^2} = \int dx \Rightarrow -y^{-1} = x + C \Rightarrow -\frac{1}{y_0} = 0 + C \Rightarrow C = -\frac{1}{y_0}$$

$$\Rightarrow -y = \frac{1}{x+C} \Rightarrow y = \frac{-1}{x+\frac{1}{y_0}} = \underline{\underline{\frac{y_0}{1-xy_0}}}$$

IoV: $1-xy_0 \neq 0 \Rightarrow x \neq \frac{1}{y_0}$

→ $(0, y_0)$ must be included $\Rightarrow 0 \in \text{IoV}$, $y_0 > 0 \Rightarrow \text{IoV} = (-\infty, \frac{1}{y_0})$

→ what happens at $\frac{1}{y_0}$? $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{1}{y_0}} |y(x)| = \infty \Rightarrow$ ii)

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \underline{y' = 1 + y^2}, \quad y(0) = 0$$

$f(x,y) = 1 + y^2$ & $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 2y$... continuous on \mathbb{R}^2

$$\int \frac{dy}{1+y^2} = \int dx \Rightarrow \arctan(y) = x + C \Rightarrow 0 = 0 + C \Rightarrow \underline{y = \tan(x)}$$

$$\text{I}\sigma V: \quad y(0) = 0 \Rightarrow \text{I}\sigma V = (-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2})$$

→ both end points are finite and as $\begin{cases} x \rightarrow -\frac{\pi}{2}^+, & y \rightarrow -\infty \\ x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^-, & y \rightarrow \infty \end{cases}$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \underline{y' = -\frac{x}{y}}, \quad y(0) = y_0 < 0.$$

$$\text{circle} \Rightarrow y = \pm \sqrt{y_0^2 - x^2}$$

$$\text{note } y(0) < 0 \Rightarrow \underline{y = -\sqrt{y_0^2 - x^2}} \leftarrow \text{unique solution}$$

$$\text{I}\sigma V: \quad y_0^2 - x^2 > 0 \Rightarrow |x| < |y_0| \Rightarrow x \in [-|y_0|, |y_0|]$$

↳ y is defined for $x \in [-|y_0|, |y_0|]$, but y' is not defined at the endpoints $\Rightarrow \underline{\text{I}\sigma V = (-|y_0|, |y_0|)}$

→ f and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$ are continuous in $\text{I}\sigma V \times [-|y_0|, 0) =: A$

and the solution approaches the boundary of A :

$$x \rightarrow -|y_0|^+, \quad y(x) \rightarrow 0^-$$

$$x \rightarrow |y_0|^- , \quad y(x) \rightarrow 0^-$$

Note: y never blows up, it stays bounded the whole time

Theorem (Continuous dependence on initial data): Let $(x_0, y_0) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ and suppose

$f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$ are continuous and bounded on an open region $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$ which contains (x_0, y_0) . Then from the E+V theorem there $\exists \varepsilon > 0$ s.t.

\exists unique solution y defined on $U^\varepsilon(x_0)$. To the IVP $y'(x) = f(x, y(x))$, $y(x_0) = y_0$.

Moreover, this solution depends continuously on the initial conditions x_0, y_0 .

Idea: Slight variation in the initial value will slightly vary the solution.

↳ this is of course only guaranteed for variations within A

Formally: Suppose that we know x_0 , but we don't know the precise value of y_0 , only that $|y_0 - \tilde{y}_0| \leq \varepsilon_0$ for some known \tilde{y}_0 .

→ consider: $y' = f(x, y)$, $y(x_0) = y_0$ & $\tilde{y}' = f(x, \tilde{y})$, $\tilde{y}(x_0) = \tilde{y}_0$

$$(\forall \delta > 0)(\exists \varepsilon > 0)(\forall x): |x - x_0| < \delta \Rightarrow |y(x) - \tilde{y}(x)| < \varepsilon$$

Ex: $y' = y$, $y(x_0) = y_0$

$$y = A e^x \rightsquigarrow y_0 = A e^{x_0} \Rightarrow A = y_0 e^{-x_0}$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x) = y_0 e^{x-x_0} \quad \text{which is continuous in both } x_0 \text{ and } y_0$$

Ex:

① Solve $y' = -\frac{1}{2}y + t$, $y(0) = 0$ using Picard's iteration

$\rightarrow f(t, y) := -\frac{1}{2}y + t$ & $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = -\frac{1}{2}$ are both continuous on \mathbb{R}^2

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = \int_0^t f(s, y(s)) ds \Rightarrow \text{let } y_0(t) := 0$$

$$y_1(t) = \int_0^t s - \frac{1}{2} \cdot y_0(s) ds = \int_0^t s ds = \frac{1}{2} t^2$$

$$y_2(t) = \int_0^t s - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{s^2}{2} ds = \frac{1}{2} t^2 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{t^3}{3!}$$

$$y_3(t) = \int_0^t s - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{s^2}{2} + \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{s^3}{3!} ds = \frac{t^2}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{t^3}{3!} + \frac{1}{4} \frac{t^4}{4!}$$

$$y_4(t) = \frac{t^2}{2!} - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{t^3}{3!} + \frac{1}{2^2} \cdot \frac{t^4}{4!} - \frac{1}{2^3} \cdot \frac{t^5}{5!}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{guess } y_m(t) = \sum_{k=2}^{m+1} \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{k-2} \cdot \frac{t^k}{k!}$$

$$\text{Induction: } y_{m+1}(t) = \int_0^t s - \frac{1}{2} \cdot y_m(s) ds = \frac{t^2}{2} + \int_0^t \sum_{k=2}^{m+1} \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{k-1} \cdot \frac{s^k}{k!} ds =$$

$$= \frac{t^2}{2} + \sum_{k=2}^{m+1} \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{k-1} \cdot \frac{t^{k+1}}{(k+1)!} = \sum_{k=2}^{m+2} \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{k-2} \cdot \frac{t^k}{k!} \quad \checkmark$$

Closed form:

$$y(t) = \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{k-1} \cdot \frac{t^k}{k!} = 4 \cdot \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^k \frac{t^k}{k!} = 4 \cdot \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} \left(-\frac{t}{2}\right)^k$$

$$= 4 \cdot \left(e^{-\frac{t}{2}} - 1 - \left(-\frac{t}{2}\right)^1\right) = 4 \left(e^{-\frac{t}{2}} - 1 + \frac{t}{2}\right) = 4e^{-\frac{t}{2}} + 2t - 4$$

② Suppose the IVP $y' = y^3 - y$, $y(0) = y_0 \in \mathbb{R}$. For which y_0 is the solution global?

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = y^3 - y \Rightarrow \int dx = \int \frac{dy}{y(y^2-1)} = \int \frac{dy}{y(y-1)(y+1)}$$

$$\rightarrow x + C = \int \frac{-1}{y} + \frac{1}{y-1} - \frac{1}{y+1} dy = -\ln|y| + \frac{1}{2} \ln|y-1| - \frac{1}{2} \ln|y+1|$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln|y-1| - \ln|y+1| - 2\ln|y| = 2x + C \Rightarrow \ln \left| \frac{y-1}{(y+1)y^2} \right| = 2x + C$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{y-1}{(y+1)y^2} \right| = e^{2x} \cdot e^C, \quad \text{IVP: } e^C = \left| \frac{y_0 - 1}{(y_0 + 1)y_0^2} \right| = \frac{|y_0 - 1|}{y_0^2(y_0 + 1)}$$

• if $y_0 \notin \{0, 1, -1\}$: $y(x)$ satisfying this \uparrow is a global unique solution

• if $y_0 \in \{0, 1, -1\}$: $y(x) = y_0$ is a global unique solution

\Rightarrow the solution is global for every $y_0 \in \mathbb{R}$

• Systems of linear differential equations

Def: A first order linear system of differential equations is a system of the form

$$x_1'(\epsilon) = a_{11}(\epsilon)x_1(\epsilon) + a_{12}(\epsilon)x_2(\epsilon) + \dots + a_{1m}(\epsilon)x_m(\epsilon) + g_1(\epsilon)$$

$$x_2'(\epsilon) = a_{21}(\epsilon)x_1(\epsilon) + a_{22}(\epsilon)x_2(\epsilon) + \dots + a_{2m}(\epsilon)x_m(\epsilon) + g_2(\epsilon)$$

⋮

$$x_m'(\epsilon) = a_{m1}(\epsilon)x_1(\epsilon) + a_{m2}(\epsilon)x_2(\epsilon) + \dots + a_{mm}(\epsilon)x_m(\epsilon) + g_m(\epsilon)$$

Which can be expressed as

$$\tilde{x}'(\epsilon) = A(\epsilon)\tilde{x}(\epsilon) + \tilde{g}(\epsilon)$$

Where $\tilde{x}: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$, $\tilde{g}: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$, $A: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$.

The system is said to be homogeneous $\Leftrightarrow \tilde{g}(\epsilon) = 0$, otherwise it's inhomogeneous.

Def: We define the derivative of vector and matrix functions to be component-wise, that is for $A: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$ define

$$\frac{dA}{dt}(\epsilon) := \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{A(\epsilon+h) - A(\epsilon)}{h} \quad \equiv (A'(\epsilon))_{ij} = a'_{ij}(\epsilon)$$

Def: An n^{th} -order linear differential equation is an ODE of the form

$$\sum_{k=0}^m a_k(\epsilon)y^{(k)}(\epsilon) = g(\epsilon)$$

Every n^{th} -order linear ODE is equivalent to a system of n first order linear ODEs.

Ex: Rewrite the following ODE as a system:

a) $2y'' - 5y' + y = 0$, $y(3) = 6$, $y'(3) = -1$

→ let $x_1(\epsilon) = y(\epsilon)$ and $x_2(\epsilon) = y'(\epsilon)$

$$\Rightarrow x_1'(\epsilon) = y'(\epsilon) = x_2(\epsilon)$$

$$x_2'(\epsilon) = y''(\epsilon) = \frac{1}{2}(5y' - y) = \frac{1}{2}x_2(\epsilon) - \frac{1}{2}x_1(\epsilon)$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} x_1'(\epsilon) = x_2(\epsilon) \\ x_2'(\epsilon) = -\frac{1}{2}x_1(\epsilon) + \frac{5}{2}x_2(\epsilon) \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} x_1(3) = 6 \\ x_2(3) = -1 \end{array}$$

b) $y^{(4)} + 3y'' - \sin(t)y' + 8y = t^2$, $y(0) = 1$, $y'(0) = 2$, $y''(0) = 3$, $y'''(0) = 4$

$$x_1 := y \Rightarrow x_1' = y' = x_2$$

$$x_2 := y' \Rightarrow x_2' = y'' = x_3$$

$$x_3 := y'' \Rightarrow x_3' = y''' = x_4$$

$$x_4 := y''' \Rightarrow x_4' = y^{(4)} = t^2 - 3x_3 + \sin(t)x_2 - 8x_1$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \tilde{x}'(\epsilon) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -8 & \sin(\epsilon) & -3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \tilde{x}(\epsilon) + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \epsilon^2 \end{bmatrix} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \tilde{x}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

To generalize: The equation

$$y^{(n)}(t) + a_{n-1}(t)y^{(n-1)}(t) + \dots + a_1(t)y'(t) + a_0(t)y(t) = g(t)$$

Is equivalent to the system

$$\text{Nr: } x_k := y^{(k-1)} \Rightarrow \tilde{x}'(t) =$$

$$\begin{array}{c|c} & I_{n-1} \\ \vec{\sigma} & \\ \hline -a_0 & -a_1 \cdots -a_{n-1} \end{array} \quad \tilde{x}(t) + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ g \end{bmatrix}$$

Theorem (Superposition principle): The set of solutions of a linear homogeneous system is closed under addition and scalar multiplication. Meaning:

$\tilde{x}_1(t)$ & $\tilde{x}_2(t)$ solve $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}$ $\Rightarrow c_1\tilde{x}_1 + c_2\tilde{x}_2$ is also a solution

Proof: Let $c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}$, we have

$$(c_1\tilde{x}_1 + c_2\tilde{x}_2)' = c_1\tilde{x}_1' + c_2\tilde{x}_2' = c_1A\tilde{x}_1 + c_2A\tilde{x}_2 = A(c_1\tilde{x}_1 + c_2\tilde{x}_2)$$

■

Corollary: The set of solutions of $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}$ form a vector space over the real numbers.

Fact: We will later show that the dimension of this space $= n$, when $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$.

Def: The functions $\tilde{x}_1, \dots, \tilde{x}_n : I \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ are

- linearly dependent $\equiv (\exists c \in \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}) (\forall t \in I) : \sum_{i=1}^n c_i \tilde{x}_i(t) = 0$
- linearly independent \equiv otherwise

⊗ If there is a point $t_0 \in I$ such that the vectors

$\{\tilde{x}_1(t_0), \dots, \tilde{x}_n(t_0)\}$ are linearly independent in \mathbb{R}^n , then the functions $\{\tilde{x}_1, \dots, \tilde{x}_n\}$ are linearly independent as well.

Pf: Let's assume that the functions are not lin. ind

$$\Rightarrow \exists \tilde{c} \in \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\} \text{ s.t. } \tilde{c} \cdot \tilde{x}(t) = 0 \text{ for } \forall t \in I \Rightarrow \tilde{c} \tilde{x}(t_0) = 0$$

Ex: Are the following functions linearly ind?

$$x_1(t) = \begin{bmatrix} e^t \\ t \end{bmatrix}, x_2(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ t \end{bmatrix}, x_3(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \Rightarrow c_1 x_1 + c_2 x_2 + c_3 x_3 = 0 ?$$

$$\Rightarrow c_1 e^t + c_2 t + c_3 = 0 \quad \text{for } \forall t \in \mathbb{R} \quad \& \quad (c_1, c_2, c_3) \neq (0, 0, 0)$$

$$c_1 t + c_2 t + c_3 = 0$$

$$\bullet t = 0: c_1 + c_3 = 0 \quad \& \quad c_3 = 0 \quad \Rightarrow c_1 = c_3 = 0 \quad \left. \right\} (c_1, c_2, c_3) = (0, 0, 0)$$

$$\bullet t = 1: 0 + c_2 + 0 = 0 \quad \Rightarrow c_2 = 0$$

lin. ind

Ex: Find a basis for the set of solutions of the linear homogeneous system

$$\tilde{x}'(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ e^t & 2 \end{bmatrix} \tilde{x}(t) \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \boxed{1} & x_1'(t) = x_1(t) \\ \boxed{2} & x_2'(t) = e^t x_1(t) + 2x_2(t) \end{cases}$$

$$\boxed{1} \quad x_1(t) = A e^t, \quad A \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\boxed{2} \quad x_2'(t) = A e^{2t} + 2x_2(t) \Rightarrow \mu(t) = C e^{\int -2 dt} = e^{-2t}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_2(t) = e^{2t} \int e^{-2t} A e^{2t} dt = e^{2t} (At + B)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} A e^t \\ A t e^{2t} + B e^{2t} \end{bmatrix} = \underline{A \begin{bmatrix} e^t \\ te^{2t} \end{bmatrix} + B \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ e^{2t} \end{bmatrix}} \quad A, B \in \mathbb{R}$$

↳ linear independence?

Suppose: $A e^t + B \cdot 0 = 0 \Rightarrow t=0: A=0$ } $A=B=0$
 $A t e^t + B e^{2t} = 0 \Rightarrow t=0: 0+B=0$

\Rightarrow lin. ind. $\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} e^t \\ te^{2t} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ e^{2t} \end{bmatrix}$ form a basis

Def: If the set of functions $\{\tilde{x}_1, \tilde{x}_2, \dots, \tilde{x}_n\}$ form a basis for the set of all solutions of the linear homogeneous system $\tilde{x}' = A \tilde{x}$, then they are called a fundamental set of solutions of that system.

Linear algebra recap

Change of basis

→ the canonical basis of \mathbb{R}^m is $E := \{e^1, e^2, \dots, e^m\}$, where $e^i = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow i^{\text{th}}$

→ suppose $B = \{v_1, \dots, v_m\}$ is also a basis of \mathbb{R}^m

→ let's write the vector $n \in \mathbb{R}^m$ using this basis:

$$n = \sum_{i=1}^m c_i v_i \Rightarrow [n]_B := (c_1, \dots, c_m)^T \leftarrow \text{coordinate vector of } n$$

⊗ if we are expressing a vector using the canonical basis, then $[n]_E = n$

→ usually when thinking about a linear transformation (matrix) A , we think about $w = Av$, where the input (v) and output (w) vectors are with respect to the canonical basis.

→ we want to express A in such a way, that it works for input vectors with respect to some basis X and its outputs vectors with respect to basis Y .

→ we also want some linear transformation to translate between $[w]_X$ and $[w]_Y$

Def: Suppose $X = \{x_1, \dots, x_m\}$ and $Y = \{y_1, \dots, y_m\}$ are basis of \mathbb{R}^n .

The change of basis matrix from X to Y is

$${}_{\gamma}[\text{id}]_X := ([x_1]_Y, [x_2]_Y, \dots, [x_m]_Y) \quad \begin{matrix} \rightarrow \text{coordinate vectors of } X \\ \text{with respect to } Y \end{matrix}$$

⊗ $[u]_Y = {}_{\gamma}[\text{id}]_X \cdot [u]_X$

Pl: $u = \sum_{i=1}^m a_i y_i \Rightarrow [u]_Y = (a_1, \dots, a_m)^T$

$$u = \sum_{i=1}^m b_i x_i \Rightarrow [u]_X = (b_1, \dots, b_m)^T$$

$$\hookrightarrow [u]_Y = \left[\sum_i b_i x_i \right]_Y = \sum_i b_i [x_i]_Y = {}_{\gamma}[\text{id}]_X \cdot [u]_X$$

$$\begin{cases} \text{⊗ } [x_i]_X = e^i \\ \Rightarrow {}_X[\text{id}]_X = I_m \\ \vdots \end{cases}$$

Def: To generalize, suppose $X = \{x_1, \dots, x_m\}$ and $Y = \{y_1, \dots, y_m\}$ are basis of \mathbb{R}^n and consider $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ and the associated linear transformation $f: x \mapsto Ax$.

The matrix of this linear transformation with respect to X and Y is

$${}_{\gamma}[A]_X := ([Ax_1]_Y, [Ax_2]_Y, \dots, [Ax_m]_Y)$$

⊗ $[Au]_Y = {}_{\gamma}[A]_X \cdot [u]_X$

$$\rightarrow \text{⊗ } {}_X[A]_X = A$$

Pl: $u = \sum_i a_i x_i \Rightarrow [u]_X = (a_1, \dots, a_m)^T$

$$\hookrightarrow Au = A \left(\sum_i a_i x_i \right) = \sum_i a_i Ax_i \Rightarrow [Au]_Y = \sum_i a_i [Ax_i]_Y = {}_{\gamma}[A]_X \cdot [u]_X$$

• Eigenvalues and eigenvectors

Def: $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ is an eigen-value of $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \equiv \exists x \in \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\} : Ax = \lambda x$.

The vector x is called an eigen-vector associated with λ .

Def: The characteristic polynomial of $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is $p_A(t) := \det(A - tI_n)$.

Theorem: $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ is an eigenvalue of $A \Leftrightarrow p_A(\lambda) = 0$.

Proof: $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ is an eigenvalue of $A \Leftrightarrow$ \hookrightarrow eigenvector solves $A - \lambda I = 0$

$$\exists x \in \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\} : Ax = \lambda x \Leftrightarrow Ax - \lambda x = (A - \lambda I_n)x = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (A - \lambda I_n) \text{ is singular} \Leftrightarrow \det(A - \lambda I_n) = 0.$$

Corollary: The eigenvalues of a Δ -matrix are the values on its diagonal.

⊗ The eigenvectors associated with the eigenvalue λ form a vector space.

$$\hookrightarrow \text{Suppose } Ax = \lambda x \text{ & } Ay = \lambda y \Rightarrow A(\alpha x + \beta y) = \alpha Ax + \beta Ay = \alpha \lambda x + \beta \lambda y = \lambda(\alpha x + \beta y)$$

Def: The geometric multiplicity of $\lambda := \dim(\text{space generated by } \lambda\text{-eigenvectors})$

The algebraic multiplicity of $\lambda :=$ its multiplicity as a root of p_A .

Diagonalization

⊗ The matrix form of a linear transformation is not unique

$${}_{\mathcal{X}}[f]_{\mathcal{X}} = {}_{\mathcal{X}}[\text{id}]_{\mathcal{Y}} {}_{\mathcal{Y}}[f]_{\mathcal{Y}} {}_{\mathcal{Y}}[\text{id}]_{\mathcal{X}}$$

$$\text{Note: } {}_{\mathcal{Y}}[\text{id}]_{\mathcal{X}} {}_{\mathcal{X}}[\text{id}]_{\mathcal{Y}} = I_m \Rightarrow {}_{\mathcal{X}}[\text{id}]_{\mathcal{Y}} = {}_{\mathcal{Y}}[\text{id}]_{\mathcal{X}}^{-1} \quad) \text{ motivation}$$

Def: The matrices $A, B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ are similar \equiv

$$\exists \text{ non-singular } R \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} : A = R^{-1} B R \quad \rightarrow \text{note } (R^{-1})^{-1} = R$$

⊗ Similar matrices have identical eigenvalues

Suppose $Ax = \lambda x$, we want to find y s.t. $By = \lambda y$

$$\hookrightarrow y = Rx \text{ works: } B(Rx) = R A R^{-1}(Rx) = R A x = R \lambda x = \lambda(Rx)$$

Def: A is diagonalizable \equiv it's similar to a diagonal matrix.

Theorem: $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is diagonalizable

\Leftrightarrow it's possible to form a basis of \mathbb{R}^n from its eigenvectors.

\Leftrightarrow the sum of geometric multiplicities of its eigenvalues $= n$

Let this basis be $\{v_1, \dots, v_m\}$ with the corresponding eigenvalues $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n$.

Then A can be expressed as

$$A = RDR^{-1}, \text{ where } D = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & & \\ & \lambda_2 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & \lambda_m \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } R = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | \\ v_1 & v_2 & \dots & v_m \\ | & | & & | \end{bmatrix}$$

Proof: Denote the basis as $F := \{v_1, \dots, v_m\}$. We can clearly express A as

$$A = {}_{\mathcal{E}}[A]_{\mathcal{E}} = {}_{\mathcal{E}}[\text{id}]_F \cdot {}_F[A]_F \cdot {}_F[\text{id}]_{\mathcal{E}}$$

• show ${}_F[A]_F = D$:

\rightarrow the i^{th} column of ${}_F[A]_F$ is $[Av_i]_F = [\lambda_i v_i]_F = \lambda_i [v_i]_F = \lambda_i e^i$

• show ${}_{\mathcal{E}}[\text{id}]_F = R$:

\rightarrow the i^{th} column of ${}_{\mathcal{E}}[\text{id}]_F$ is $[v_i]_F = v_i$ ■

⊗ If $A = RDR^{-1}$, then $A^k = RD^kR^{-1}$

$$\hookrightarrow A^k = (RDR^{-1})(RDR^{-1}) \cdots (RDR^{-1}) = R(D)(D) \cdots (D) R^{-1} = R D^k R^{-1}$$

\hookrightarrow This is useful because D^k is very easy to compute

Jordan normal form

- what if it's not possible to form a basis from the eigenvectors of A ?
- we can still express $A = R J R^{-1}$, where J is almost diagonal

Def: A Jordan block is a matrix of the form $J_\lambda = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda & & & \\ & \lambda & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & \lambda \end{bmatrix}$

Def: Suppose $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ has an eigenvalue λ .

The vector $v_m \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is a generalized eigenvector of rank m \equiv
 $(A - \lambda I_n)^m v_m = 0$ but $(A - \lambda I_n)^{m-1} v_m \neq 0$.

↳ idea: if v is eigenvector of λ : $A v = \lambda v \Rightarrow (A - \lambda I) v = 0$
if $(A - \lambda I)^m v = 0$, then $(A - \lambda I)^{m+1} v = 0$, hence the condition on $m-1$.

Def: The null space (or kernel) of a matrix $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is $N(A) := \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid Ax = 0\}$

>We can use v_m to form a Jordan chain as follows:

$$v_m \in N(A - \lambda I)^m =: N_m$$

$$N_{m-1} := (A - \lambda I) N_m \Rightarrow N_{m-1} \in N(A - \lambda I)^{m-1} =: N_{m-1}$$

$$N_{m-2} := (A - \lambda I) N_{m-1} \Rightarrow N_{m-2} \in N(A - \lambda I)^{m-2} =: N_{m-2}$$

$$\vdots$$

$$N_1 := (A - \lambda I) N_2 \Rightarrow N_1 \in N(A - \lambda I) =: N_1 \rightarrow v_1 \text{ is an eigenvector}$$

$$N_0 := (A - \lambda I) N_1 = (A - \lambda I)^m v_m = 0$$

In general: $v_j = (A - \lambda I) v_{j+1} = (A - \lambda I)^{m-j} v_m \in N(A - \lambda I)^j$

Fact: $\dim(N_1) = 1$, $\dim(N_2) = 2 \dots \dim(N_m) = m$ & $N_1 \subset N_2 \subset \dots \subset N_m$

↳ if we pick $v_m \in N_m \setminus N_{m-1}$, then $\{v_m, \dots, v_1\}$ are linearly independent.

Theorem: Suppose $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ has only one eigenvalue λ , with geom. multiplicity 1 and that we form the corresponding Jordan chain $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m\}$, which forms a basis for \mathbb{R}^n . Then A can be expressed as

$$A = R J_\lambda R^{-1}, \text{ where } J_\lambda \text{ is a Jordan block and } R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & \\ v_1 & v_2 & \dots & v_m \\ 1 & & & \end{bmatrix}$$

Proof: Denote the basis as $F := \{v_1, \dots, v_m\}$. We can write A as

$$A = \epsilon[A]_\epsilon = \epsilon[\text{id}]_F \cdot F \cdot [A]_F \cdot F \cdot [\text{id}]_\epsilon$$

• $\epsilon[\text{id}]_F = R$: The i th column of $\epsilon[\text{id}]_F$ is $[v_i]_\epsilon = v_i$

• $F[A]_F = J_\lambda$: first column: $[Av_1]_F = [\lambda v_1]_F = \lambda [v_1]_F \lambda e^i$

→ j th column, $j \geq 2$: $v_{j-1} = (A - \lambda I) v_j = Av_j - \lambda v_j \Rightarrow Av_j = \lambda v_j + v_{j-1}$

$$\Rightarrow [Av_j]_F = [\lambda v_j + v_{j-1}]_F = \lambda [v_j]_F + [v_{j-1}]_F = \lambda e^j + e^{j-1}$$



Theorem: Every $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$ is similar to a matrix in Jordan normal form.

$$A = R J R^{-1}, \text{ where } J = \begin{pmatrix} J_{\lambda_1} & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & J_{\lambda_k} \end{pmatrix}$$

→ every Jordan block J_{λ_i} corresponds to the eigenvalue λ_i of A

- # blocks with $\lambda_i = \text{Geom}(\lambda_i)$
- \sum of sizes of blocks with $\lambda_i = \text{Alg}(\lambda_i)$.

→ The matrix R is contains generalized eigenvectors forming Jordan chains corresponding to the Jordan blocks.

→ basically if $\text{Geom}(\lambda_i) = 2$, but $\text{Alg}(\lambda_i) = 4$, then we can use the two lin.ind. eigenvectors, but need to supplement them with 2 additional lin.ind. generalized eigenvectors, to cover the size 4.

Note: We need \mathbb{C} , because it's algebraically closed $\Rightarrow \sum \text{Alg}(\lambda) = n$

• Matrix inverse using determinants

Def: Let $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ and define its adjugate matrix $\text{Adj}(A)$ as

$$(\text{Adj}(A))_{ij} := (-1)^{i+j} \det(A^{ji}),$$

where A^{ji} := submatrix made from A by omitting the j^{th} row and i^{th} column.

Theorem: If $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is invertible, then $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det(A)} \cdot \text{Adj}(A)$.

Proof: Uses Laplace expansion of the determinant to show $A \cdot \text{Adj}(A) = \det(A) \cdot I_n$.

Ex: If $A \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$, then

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det(A)} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Ex: } B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & -3 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow B^{-1} = ?$$

$$\det(B) = -3 + 2 + 6 - 2 = 3$$

$$B^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det(B)} \text{Adj}(B) = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 0 & 3 \\ -2 & -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvalue decomposition method

Suppose $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is diagonalizable and consider $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}$

$\hookrightarrow \lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n$ eigenvalues
 v_1, \dots, v_m eigenvectors $\rightsquigarrow D = RAR^{-1}$

Note: Rewrite $F := \{v_1, \dots, v_m\}$ and note: $x = [x]_E = [id]_F \cdot [x]_F = R \cdot [x]_F$

$\hookrightarrow z := [x]_F \Rightarrow x = Rz \Rightarrow z = R^{-1}x$

$$\Rightarrow z' = R^{-1}x' = R^{-1}(Ax) = R^{-1}ARz = Dz$$

easy

Idea: We changed basis and transformed the problem into $z' = Dz$

$$\tilde{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_m \end{bmatrix} \tilde{z} = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 z_1 \\ \lambda_2 z_2 \\ \vdots \\ \lambda_m z_m \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{1st equation: } z_i'(t) = \lambda_i z_i(t) \\ \Rightarrow z_i(t) = c_i e^{\lambda_i t}, c_i \in \mathbb{R} \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{z}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} \\ \vdots \\ c_m e^{\lambda_m t} \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t) = R \tilde{z}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & \\ v_1 & \dots & v_m & \\ 1 & & 1 & \\ & \vdots & & \\ & & & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} \\ \vdots \\ c_m e^{\lambda_m t} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t) = c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} v_1 + c_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} v_2 + \dots + c_m e^{\lambda_m t} v_m, c \in \mathbb{R}^m$$

Theorem: $\{e^{\lambda_1 t} v_1, \dots, e^{\lambda_m t} v_m\}$ form a fundamental set of solutions of $\tilde{x}' = Ax$,

\hookrightarrow meaning that their lin. comb. cover all of the solutions

Proof: We will show that they are lin. ind \Rightarrow

\hookrightarrow suppose $\exists b \in \mathbb{R}^m: \sum_{k=1}^m b_k e^{\lambda_k t} v_k = 0$ for $t \in \mathbb{I}$

\hookrightarrow evaluate at $t=0: \sum_{k=1}^m b_k v_k = 0$, but $\{v_1, \dots, v_m\}$ forms a basis for \mathbb{R}^n . \blacksquare

Ex: Solve $\tilde{x}'(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 15 \\ -2 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \tilde{x}(t)$

$$\text{eigenvalues: } \det \begin{pmatrix} 8-t & 15 \\ -2 & -3-t \end{pmatrix} = (8-t)(-3-t) + 30 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -24 + t^2 - 5t + 30 = t^2 - 5t + 6 = (t-2)(t-3) = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 3, \lambda_2 = 2$$

eigenvalues:

$$\lambda_1 = 3: \begin{bmatrix} 8-3 & 15 \\ -2 & -3-3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 15 \\ -2 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_2 = 2: \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 15 \\ -2 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t) = c_1 e^{3t} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^{2t} \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}, c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}$$

Ex: Solve $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}$, where $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

→ A is triangular ⇒ eigenvalues are on the main diagonal

$$\lambda_1 = 1: \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_2 = 3: \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_3 = 4: \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow v_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t) = c_1 e^{1t} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^{3t} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + c_3 e^{4t} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, c_1, c_2, c_3 \in \mathbb{R}$$

→ what if A is not diagonalizable?

Method: Suppose $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ and consider $\tilde{x}'(t) = A\tilde{x}(t)$. There are 3 possibilities

① All eigenvalues are real and $\sum \text{Geom}(\lambda) = n$.

$$\hookrightarrow \tilde{x}(t) = c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} v_1 + \dots + c_n e^{\lambda_n t} v_n, c \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

② Some eigenvalues are complex and $\sum \text{Geom}(\lambda) = n$.

↪ A is still diagonalizable.

↪ but we will have to deal with the complex valued solutions

③ $\sum \text{Geom}(\lambda) < n \Rightarrow A$ is not diagonalizable

↪ Fact: Always $\text{Geom}(\lambda) \leq \text{Arith}(\lambda)$

→ we will again use a change of basis to make the problem easier,
but instead of diagonalization we will use Jordan normal form

• Dealing with complex eigenvalues ← ②

Method: Suppose $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ is an eigenvalue of $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ and $v \in \mathbb{C}^n$ is its corresponding eigenvector. Now consider the system $\tilde{x}'(t) = A\tilde{x}(t)$.

→ note: $\bar{A}v = A\bar{v}$ & $\bar{Av} = \bar{\lambda}v = \bar{\lambda}\bar{v} \Rightarrow A\bar{v} = \bar{\lambda}\bar{v}$

⇒ $\bar{\lambda}$ is also an eigenvalue with eigenvector \bar{v}

⇒ complex eigenvalues come in pairs $\lambda, \bar{\lambda} \rightsquigarrow v, \bar{v}$.

\Rightarrow suppose $\tilde{z}(t) : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^n$ solves $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}$.

$$\hookrightarrow \tilde{z}(t) = \tilde{a}(t) + i\tilde{b}(t)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bullet \tilde{z}' = A\tilde{z} \Rightarrow (\tilde{a} + i\tilde{b})' = A(\tilde{a} + i\tilde{b}) \Rightarrow \tilde{a}' + i\tilde{b}' = A\tilde{a} + iA\tilde{b} \\ \Rightarrow \tilde{a}' = A\tilde{a} \quad \& \quad \tilde{b}' = A\tilde{b} \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow \tilde{a}, \tilde{b} : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ are real valued solutions to $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}$.

Corollary: $\tilde{x} = Ax$, $\lambda + i\mu \in \mathbb{C}$ is an eigenvalue of A and $v \in \mathbb{C}^n$ is its eigenvector.

Note: $v \in \mathbb{C}^{(\lambda+i\mu)t}$ is a complex valued solution $\hookrightarrow v = a+bi$

$$\begin{aligned} v e^{(\lambda+i\mu)t} &= v e^{\lambda t} e^{i\mu t} = (a+bi) e^{\lambda t} (\cos(\mu t) + i \sin(\mu t)) \\ &= e^{\lambda t} (a \cos(\mu t) - b \sin(\mu t) + i b \cos(\mu t) + i a \sin(\mu t)) \\ &= e^{\lambda t} (a \cos(\mu t) - b \sin(\mu t)) + i e^{\lambda t} (a \sin(\mu t) + b \cos(\mu t)) \end{aligned}$$

\hookrightarrow This can be split to get two real solutions

Note: $\bar{\lambda} + i\bar{\mu} = \lambda - i\mu$ is also an eigenvalue with eigenvector $\bar{v} = a - bi$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{v} e^{(\bar{\lambda} + i\bar{\mu})t} &= \bar{v} e^{(\lambda - i\mu)t} = \overline{v e^{(\lambda + i\mu)t}} = \dots \\ &= e^{\lambda t} (a \cos(\mu t) - b \sin(\mu t)) - i e^{\lambda t} (a \sin(\mu t) + b \cos(\mu t)) \end{aligned}$$

\Rightarrow This doesn't give us a new ind. solution, the \ominus is just a constant multiple

Summary: Complex eigenvalues come in pairs $\lambda, \bar{\lambda}$ w/ v, \bar{v} . The complex valued solution can be broken down to get two real solutions and it's sufficient to do this for only one of the eigenvalues in the pair.

Ex: Find the real valued solutions of $\tilde{x}'(t) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \tilde{x}(t)$

$$\Rightarrow \text{eigenvalues: } \mu_A(t) = (1-t)(1-t) + 1 = t^2 - 2t + 2 \Rightarrow \lambda_{1,2} = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4-8}}{2} = 1 \pm i$$

\Rightarrow we need only one ($\bar{\lambda}_1 = \lambda_2$) \rightarrow choose $\lambda = 1+i$

$$\text{eigenvector: } \begin{pmatrix} 1-\lambda & -1 \\ 1 & 1-\lambda \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -i & -1 \\ 1 & -i \end{pmatrix} \sim \begin{pmatrix} i & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow v = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{bmatrix} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{note: } \lambda_2 = 1-i \\ v_2 = \bar{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{bmatrix} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \text{complex solution: } z(t) &= e^{(1+i)t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{bmatrix} = e^t e^{it} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{bmatrix} = e^t (\cos t + i \sin t) \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{bmatrix} \\ &= e^t \begin{bmatrix} \cos t + i \sin t \\ \sin t - i \cos t \end{bmatrix} = e^t \begin{bmatrix} \cos t \\ \sin t \end{bmatrix} + i e^t \begin{bmatrix} \sin t \\ -\cos t \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Note: $\lambda_2 = \bar{\lambda}_1 = 1-i$ would give us $\bar{z}(t) = e^t \begin{bmatrix} \cos t \\ \sin t \end{bmatrix} - i e^t \begin{bmatrix} \sin t \\ -\cos t \end{bmatrix}$

$$\Rightarrow \text{real solution: } x(t) = c_1 e^t \begin{bmatrix} \cos t \\ \sin t \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^t \begin{bmatrix} \sin t \\ -\cos t \end{bmatrix}, \quad c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}$$

Ex: Find a basis for the set of solutions of the linear system

$$x'(t) = A(t)x(t), \quad A(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 3t^2 & 3t^2 \\ 0 & \frac{3t^2}{t^3+5} \end{bmatrix}$$

Solution:

$$\boxed{1} \quad x_1'(t) = 3t^2 x_1(t) + 3t^2 x_2(t)$$

$$\boxed{2} \quad x_2'(t) = \frac{3t^2}{t^3+5} x_2(t)$$

$$\hookrightarrow \mu(t) = e^{\int \frac{3t^2}{t^3+5} dt} = e^{-\ln|t^3+5|} = \frac{1}{|t^3+5|} \quad \text{need: } \mu(t) \cdot \frac{-3t^2}{t^3+5} = \mu'(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow x_2(t) = (t^3+5) \int 0 dt = \underline{c_1(t^3+5)}, \quad c_1 \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\boxed{1}: x_1'(t) = 3t^2 x_1(t) + 3t^2 \cdot c_1(t^3+5)$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1'(t) - 3t^2 x_1(t) = 3c_1 t^2 (t^3+5) \quad \rightarrow \mu(t) = e^{\int 3t^2 dt} = e^{t^3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1(t) = e^{t^3} \int e^{-t^3} \cdot 3c_1 t^2 (t^3+5) dt = \boxed{\begin{array}{l} u=t^3 \\ du=3t^2 dt \end{array}}$$

$$= c_1 e^u \int e^{-u} (u+1) du \quad + \begin{array}{l} D \\ u+1 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} I \\ e^{-u} \end{array}$$

$$= c_1 e^u \left(-(u+1)e^{-u} - e^{-u} + c_2 \right) \quad + \begin{array}{l} 1 \\ 0 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} -e^{-u} \\ e^{-u} \end{array}$$

$$= -c_1(u+1+1 - c_2 e^{-u})$$

$$= -c_1(u+2) + \underbrace{c_1 c_2}_{\in \mathbb{R}} e^{-u} \doteq -c_1(t^3+2) + c_2 e^{-t^3} \quad c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow x(t) = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} -t^3-2 \\ t^3+5 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} e^{t^3} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}$$

? are $\begin{bmatrix} -t^3-2 \\ t^3+5 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\begin{bmatrix} e^{t^3} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ linearly independent?

$$\begin{aligned} -c_1(t^3+2) + c_2 e^{t^3} &= 0 \\ c_1(t^3+5) &= 0 \quad \rightsquigarrow t=0: 5c_1 = 0 \Rightarrow c_1 = 0 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \end{array} \right\} \text{YES} \\ \Rightarrow c_2 e^{t^3} &= 0 \Rightarrow c_2 = 0 \end{aligned} \quad \checkmark$$

Ex: Solve $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}$, where $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$h_A(t) = \begin{vmatrix} 1-t & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1-t & -2 \\ 3 & 2 & 1-t \end{vmatrix} = (1-t)^3 + 4(1-t) = (1-t)(1^2 - 2t + 5)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 1, \quad \lambda_{2,3} = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4-20}}{2} = 1 \pm 2i$$

eigenvectors:

$$\lambda_1 = 1: \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & -2 \\ 3 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 3 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_2 = 1+2i: \begin{bmatrix} -2i & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -2i & -2 \\ 3 & 2 & -2i \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & i & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -i \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & i & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{complex: } z(t) = e^{\lambda_2 t} v_2 = e^{(1+2i)t} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = e^t (\cos(2t) + i \sin(2t)) \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= e^t \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -\sin(2t) + i \cos(2t) \\ \cos(2t) + i \sin(2t) \end{pmatrix} = e^t \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -\sin 2t \\ \cos 2t \end{pmatrix} + i e^t \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \cos 2t \\ \sin 2t \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{real: } x(t) = c_1 e^t \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^t \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -\sin 2t \\ \cos 2t \end{pmatrix} + c_3 e^t \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \cos 2t \\ \sin 2t \end{pmatrix}$$

Ex: Solve $\tilde{x}'(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \tilde{x}(t)$

$$h_A(t) = (1-t)(3-t) + 4 = t^2 - 4t + 7 \Rightarrow \lambda_{1,2} = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{16-28}}{2} = 2 \pm i\sqrt{3}$$

$$\lambda = 2+i\sqrt{3}: \begin{bmatrix} 1-i\sqrt{3} & -2 \\ 2 & 1-i\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1+i\sqrt{3} & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow v = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1+i\sqrt{3} \end{pmatrix}$$

\hookrightarrow I know that the second row will cancel

$$\text{complex: } z(t) = e^{\lambda t} v = e^{(2+i\sqrt{3})t} v = e^{2t} (\cos(\sqrt{3}t) + i \sin(\sqrt{3}t)) \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1+i\sqrt{3} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= e^{2t} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \cos(u) - 2i \sin(u) \\ \cos(u) + i\sqrt{3} \cos(u) + i \sin(u) - \sqrt{3} \sin(u) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= e^{2t} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \cos(u) \\ \cos(u) - \sqrt{3} \sin(u) \end{pmatrix} + i e^{2t} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \sin(u) \\ \sqrt{3} \cos(u) + \sin(u) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{real: } x(t) = c_1 e^{2t} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \cos(\sqrt{3}t) \\ \cos(\sqrt{3}t) - \sqrt{3} \sin(\sqrt{3}t) \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^{2t} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \sin(\sqrt{3}t) \\ \sin(\sqrt{3}t) + \sqrt{3} \cos(\sqrt{3}t) \end{pmatrix}$$

• Matrix Exponential

Def: Let $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$ and define its exponential as

$$e^A := I_n + A + \frac{A^2}{2!} + \frac{A^3}{3!} + \dots = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} A^k$$

It can be shown that this series converges for all matrices A .

Note: When calculating e^A , one has to take powers of matrices.

\Rightarrow use the Jordan normal form $J = R^{-1}AR$

$$\hookrightarrow A^k = (RJR^{-1})^k = R J^k R^{-1} \quad \dots \text{recall: } J^k \text{ is easy to compute}$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad e^A = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} R J^k R^{-1} = R \left(\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} J^k \right) R^{-1} = R e^J R^{-1}$$

Theorem: Suppose $A, B \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$ and define $\Phi(t) := e^{tA}$.

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \text{If } A \cdot B = B \cdot A, \text{ then } e^{A+B} = e^A \cdot e^B$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \frac{d}{dt} e^{tA} = A e^{tA} \quad \Rightarrow e^{tA} \text{ is a matrix solution to } \tilde{x}' = A \tilde{x}.$$

$$\hookrightarrow \text{recall: } \left(\frac{d}{dt} \Phi(t) \right)_{ij} = \frac{d}{dt} (\Phi(t))_{ij}$$

$\textcircled{3}$ The columns of $\Phi(t) = e^{tA}$ are vector solutions of $\tilde{x}' = A \tilde{x}$

and they form a basis for the space of all solutions $\mathcal{U} \Rightarrow \dim(\mathcal{U}) = n$.

\hookrightarrow in fact $\dim(\mathcal{U}) = n$ even if $A: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^{n \times m}$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{1} \quad e^{A+B} &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m!} (A+B)^m \quad \dots \text{Note: if } AB = BA, \text{ then we can use the binomial theorem} \\ &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m!} \left(\sum_{k=0}^m \binom{m}{k} A^k B^{m-k} \right) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m!} \sum_{k=0}^m \frac{m!}{k!(m-k)!} A^k B^{m-k} \\ &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^m \frac{1}{k!(m-k)!} A^k B^{m-k} \end{aligned}$$

$$e^A e^B = \left(\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{i!} A^i \right) \left(\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{j!} B^j \right) \quad \dots \text{multiply out and collect "like" terms}$$

$$= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \sum_{i+j=m}^{} \frac{1}{i!} \cdot \frac{1}{j!} A^i B^j \quad \dots \text{note } j = m - i$$

$$= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \sum_{i=0}^m \frac{1}{i!} \frac{1}{(m-i)!} A^i B^{m-i}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \Phi(t) = e^{tA}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Rightarrow \Phi'(t) &= \frac{d}{dt} e^{tA} = \frac{d}{dt} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} (tA)^k = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} \frac{d}{dt} (t^k A^k) \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} \frac{d}{dt} (t^k) A^k = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} k t^{k-1} \cdot A^k = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(k-1)!} t^{k-1} A^{k-1} A \\ &= A \cdot \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(k-1)!} (tA)^{k-1} = A \cdot \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} (tA)^k = A \cdot e^{tA} = A \Phi(t)\end{aligned}$$

\textcircled{3} We have $(e^{tA})' = A e^{tA}$. Recall that differentiation of matrix/vector functions is done element-wise.

$$e^{tA} = \begin{pmatrix} v_1 & v_2 & \dots & v_m \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow (e^{tA})' = \begin{pmatrix} v_1' & v_2' & \dots & v_m' \end{pmatrix}$$

- j^{th} column of $(e^{tA})' = v_j'$
 - j^{th} column of $A e^{tA} = A v_j$
- } since $(e^{tA})' = A e^{tA} \Rightarrow v_j' = A v_j$
 $\Rightarrow v_j$ solves $\dot{x} = Ax$

Next we will show that

i) $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m\}$ span the solution space $\mathcal{U} := \{x \mid \dot{x} = Ax\}$

ii) $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m\}$ form a linearly independent set

\(\Rightarrow\) we will need a generalization of the E+U theorem

Fact: The n -initial value problem $\dot{x}(t) = Ax(t)$, $x(t_0) = \tilde{x}_0 \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ has a unique solution $\tilde{x}(t) : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$.

$$\textcircled{1} \quad t=0: e^{0A} = I_n \Rightarrow v_i(0) = e^0$$

\(\Rightarrow\) ii) $B := \{v_1, \dots, v_m\}$ are lin. ind because $\{v_1(0), \dots, v_m(0)\} = \{e^0, \dots, e^m\}$ is lin. ind

\(\Rightarrow\) To show i) consider m initial value problems

$$\dot{x} = Ax, \quad x(0) = e^i \quad \text{for } i = 1, \dots, m$$

\(\Rightarrow\) by uniqueness \(\exists m\) unique solutions $\tilde{x}_1 = v_1, \dots, \tilde{x}_m = v_m$

\(\Rightarrow\) now let $\tilde{x}(t)$ be a solution $\dot{x} = Ax$ with initial condition $\tilde{x}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1^0 \\ x_2^0 \\ \vdots \\ x_m^0 \end{bmatrix}$

\(\hookrightarrow\) we want to express \tilde{x} as a lin. comb. of v_1, \dots, v_m

\(\Rightarrow\) consider $\tilde{y}(t) := x_1^0 v_1(t) + x_2^0 v_2(t) + \dots + x_m^0 v_m(t)$

note: $\tilde{y}(t)$ is a solution of $\dot{x} = Ax$, because of the superposition principle

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \tilde{y}(0) = x_1^0 e^0 + x_2^0 e^1 + \dots + x_m^0 e^m = \begin{bmatrix} x_1^0 \\ x_2^0 \\ \vdots \\ x_m^0 \end{bmatrix}$$

\(\Rightarrow \tilde{y}(0) = \tilde{x}(0)\) & E+U: the solution is unique \(\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t) = \tilde{y}(t)\)

\(\Rightarrow \{v_1, \dots, v_m\} spans \mathcal{U} & its independent \(\Rightarrow \dim(\mathcal{U}) = m\).

E*:

① Compute the matrix exponential e^{tA} of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

$$f_A(t) = (4-t)(3-t) - 2 = t^2 - 7t + 10 = (t-2)(t-5)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 2: \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \end{array} \right\} A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_2 = 5: \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \end{array} \right\} R = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{tA} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} t^k A^k = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{t^k}{k!} R D^k R^{-1} = R \left(\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{t^k}{k!} D^k \right) R^{-1} = R e^{tD} R^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{tD} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{t^k}{k!} D^k = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{t^k}{k!} \begin{bmatrix} 2^k & 0 \\ 0 & 5^k \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(2t)^k}{k!} & 0 \\ 0 & \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(5t)^k}{k!} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} e^{2t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{5t} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{tA} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e^{2t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{5t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} e^{2t} & e^{5t} \\ -2e^{2t} & e^{5t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} e^{2t} + 2e^{5t} & -e^{2t} + e^{5t} \\ -2e^{2t} + 2e^{5t} & 2e^{2t} + e^{5t} \end{bmatrix}$$

Note: The columns of e^{tA} are solutions of $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{column 1: } \frac{1}{3}(e^{2t}v_1 + 2e^{5t}v_2) \\ \text{column 2: } \frac{1}{3}(-e^{2t}v_1 + e^{5t}v_2) \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{They are lin. ind. and form a basis} \\ \text{for the set of all solutions } \tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x} \end{array}$$

If A is a diagonal matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & & \\ & \lambda_2 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix} \implies e^{tA} = \begin{bmatrix} e^{\lambda_1 t} & & & \\ & e^{\lambda_2 t} & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & e^{\lambda_n t} \end{bmatrix}$$

↪ Take the sum the inside of the matrix and use $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\lambda t)^k}{k!} = e^{\lambda t}$

Fact: Suppose J_λ is a Jordan block. Then

$$J_\lambda = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda & 1 & & & \\ & \lambda & 1 & & \\ & & \ddots & \ddots & \\ & & & 1 & 1 \\ & & & & \lambda \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow J_\lambda^2 = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda^2 & (\frac{2}{1})\lambda^{2-1} & (\frac{2}{2})\lambda^{2-2} & & \\ & \lambda^2 & \dots & & \\ & & \ddots & \ddots & \\ & & & \lambda^2 & (\frac{2}{1})\lambda^{2-1} \\ & & & & \lambda^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

→ on the diagonal with distance j from the main diagonal are elements $(\frac{2}{j})\lambda^{2-j}$

↪ note: $(\frac{2}{j}) = 0$ for $j > 2$

(2) Find e^{tA} and hence solve $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}$, where $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ -4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$f_A(t) = (4-t)(-t) + 4 = t^2 - 4t + 4 = (t-2)^2 \Rightarrow \lambda = 2$$

$\Rightarrow \lambda = 2$ is the only eigenvalue. What is its geometric multiplicity?

$$Av = \lambda v \Rightarrow A^2v - \lambda v = (A - \lambda I)v = 0 \Rightarrow v \in N(A - \lambda I)$$

$$\cdot N(A - 2I): \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -4 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow N(A - 2I) = \left\{ \alpha \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}, \alpha \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

$\Rightarrow \dim(N(A - 2I)) = 1 \Rightarrow \text{Geom}(\lambda) = 1 \Rightarrow$ we will need Jordan normal form

\rightarrow recall that $\dim(N(A - 2I)^2) = \dim(N(A - 2I)) + 1 = 2$

\hookrightarrow this means $N(A - 2I)^2 = \mathbb{R}^2$

\Rightarrow to start the Jordan chain we need $v_2 \in N(A - 2I)^2 - N(A - 2I)$

\hookrightarrow pick $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \leftarrow$ generalized eigenvector of rank 2

$$\Rightarrow v_1 = (A - 2I)v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -4 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

\Rightarrow form a basis from the Jordan chain: $\mathcal{F} = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

$$\hookrightarrow A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{tJ} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{t^k}{k!} J^k = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{t^k}{k!} \begin{bmatrix} 2^k & \binom{k}{1} 2^{k-1} \\ 0 & 2^k \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(2t)^k}{k!} & \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{t^k}{k!} \cdot k 2^{k-1} \\ 0 & \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(2t)^k}{k!} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} e^{2t} & te^{2t} \\ 0 & e^{2t} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Note: } \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{t^k}{k!} k 2^{k-1} = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{t^k}{(k-1)!} 2^{k-1} = t \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{t^k}{k!} 2^k = t \cdot e^{2t}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow e^{tA} &= R e^{tJ} R^{-1} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e^{2t} & te^{2t} \\ 0 & e^{2t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 2e^{2t} & 2te^{2t} + e^{2t} \\ -4e^{2t} & -4te^{2t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 8e^{2t} + 4te^{2t} & te^{2t} \\ -16te^{2t} & e^{2t} - 8te^{2t} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2e^{2t} + te^{2t} & te^{2t} \\ -4te^{2t} & e^{2t} - 2te^{2t} \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{solutions to } \tilde{x}' = Ax: x(t) = c_1 e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} 2+t \\ -4t \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} t \\ 1-2t \end{bmatrix}, c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}$$

If J is a Jordan block, then

$$\begin{aligned} e^{tJ} &= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{t^k}{k!} J^k \rightarrow \text{looking at an entry in } J^k \text{ of the form } \binom{k}{j} \lambda^{k-j} \\ &\quad \sum_{k=j}^{\infty} \frac{t^k}{k!} \binom{k}{j} \lambda^{k-j} = \sum_{k=j}^{\infty} \frac{t^k}{k!} \binom{k}{j} \lambda^{k-j} = \sum_{k=j}^{\infty} \frac{t^k}{k!} \cdot \frac{k!}{j!(k-j)!} \lambda^{k-j} \\ &\quad = \frac{t^j}{j!} \sum_{k=j}^{\infty} \frac{t^{k-j}}{(k-j)!} \lambda^{k-j} = \frac{1}{j!} t^j e^{\lambda t} \end{aligned}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ find } e^{tA} \text{ and solve } \tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}.$$

→ the only eigenvalue is 3

$$N(A-3I) : \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow N(A-3I) = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} ; x \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \dots \dim = 1$$

→ Jordan chain:

$$N_1 \dots \dim(N(A-3I)) = 1$$

$$N_2 \dots \dim(N(A-3I)^2) = 2$$

$$N_3 \dots \dim(N(A-3I)^3) = 3$$

pick $v_3 \in N_3 - N_2$
 \mathbb{R}^3

$$\Rightarrow (A-3I)^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow N_2 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} ; x, y \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{pick } v_3 = (0, 0, 1)^T \in \mathbb{R}^3 - N_2$$

$$v_2 = (A-3I)v_3 = (2, 4, 0)^T$$

$$v_1 = (A-3I)v_2 = (4, 0, 0)^T$$

$$\Rightarrow A = R J R^{-1}, \quad J = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad R = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad R^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/4 & -1/8 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{tA} = R e^{tJ} R^{-1} = R \begin{bmatrix} e^{3t} & t e^{3t} & \frac{1}{2} t^2 e^{3t} \\ 0 & e^{3t} & t e^{3t} \\ 0 & 0 & e^{3t} \end{bmatrix} R^{-1} = e^{3t} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & t & \frac{t^2}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & t \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1/4 & -1/8 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = e^{3t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & t & 2t^2 + 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Solutions to } \tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}: \quad \tilde{x}(t) = c_1 e^{3t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^{3t} \begin{bmatrix} t \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c_3 e^{3t} \begin{bmatrix} 2t^2 + 2 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

④ $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$, find e^{tA} and solve $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}$

$$f_A(t) = (3-t)(-1-t) + 8 = t^2 - 2t + 5 \Rightarrow \lambda_{1,2} = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4-20}}{2} = \underline{1 \pm 2i}$$

→ 2 distinct eigenvalues ⇒ A is diagonalizable

$$\lambda_1 = 1-2i: \begin{bmatrix} 2+2i & -2 \\ 4 & -2+2i \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1+i & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \mathcal{N}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1+i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_2 = 1+2i = \overline{\lambda_1} \Rightarrow \mathcal{N}_2 = \overline{\mathcal{N}_1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1-i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow A = RDR^{-1}, \quad D = \begin{bmatrix} 1+2i & 0 \\ 0 & 1-2i \end{bmatrix}, \quad R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1-i & 1+i \end{bmatrix}, \quad R^{-1} = \frac{1}{2i} \begin{bmatrix} 1+i & -1 \\ -1+i & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow e^{tA} &= R e^{tD} R^{-1} = R \begin{bmatrix} e^{(1+2i)t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{(1-2i)t} \end{bmatrix} R^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1-i & 1+i \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A & 0 \\ 0 & B \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1+i & -1 \\ -1+i & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{2i} \\ &= \frac{1}{2i} \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ (1-i)A & (1+i)B \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1+i & -1 \\ -1+i & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2i} \begin{bmatrix} (1+i)A - (1-i)B & -A + B \\ 2A - 2B & (-1+i)A + (1+i)B \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \frac{e^t}{2i} \begin{bmatrix} (1+i)e^{2it} - (1-i)\bar{e}^{2it} & -e^{2it} + \bar{e}^{2it} \\ 2e^{2it} - 2\bar{e}^{2it} & (-1+i)e^{2it} + (1+i)\bar{e}^{2it} \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Note: } e^{2it} = \cos(2t) + i \sin(2t) = C + iS$$

$$e^{-2it} = \cos(2t) - i \sin(2t) = C - iS$$

$$(1,1) \text{ entry} = \underline{C+iS} + i\underline{C-S} = \underline{C+iS} + i\underline{C+S} = 2i(S+C)$$

$$(1,2) \text{ entry} = -C-iS + C-iS = -2iS$$

$$(2,1) \text{ entry} = 2C + 2iS - 2C + 2iS = 4iS$$

$$(2,2) \text{ entry} = \underline{-C-iS} + i\underline{C-S} + \underline{C-iS} + i\underline{C+S} = 2i(C-S)$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{tA} = \frac{e^t}{2i} \begin{bmatrix} 2i(S+C) & 4iS \\ -2iS & 2i(C-S) \end{bmatrix} = \underbrace{e^t \begin{bmatrix} \sin(2t) + \cos(2t) & 2\sin(2t) \\ -\sin(2t) & \cos(2t) - \sin(2t) \end{bmatrix}}_{e^{2it}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{solutions of } \tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}: \quad x'(t) = C_1 e^t \begin{bmatrix} \sin(2t) + \cos(2t) \\ -\sin(2t) \end{bmatrix} + C_2 e^t \begin{bmatrix} 2\sin(2t) \\ \cos(2t) - \sin(2t) \end{bmatrix}$$

Note: A is real ⇒ we expect e^{tA} to be real as well

Inhomogeneous Linear Systems

Theorem: Consider the inhomogeneous linear system

$$\textcircled{*} \quad \tilde{x}'(t) = A(t) \tilde{x}(t) + \tilde{b}(t), \quad A: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$$

and suppose $\tilde{b}: J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ is continuous.

Then every solution of $\textcircled{*}$ can be written in the form

$$\tilde{x}(t) = \tilde{x}_n(t) + \tilde{x}_p(t),$$

where $\tilde{x}_n(t) = \sum c_i \tilde{x}_i(t)$ is the general solution of $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}$ and $\tilde{x}_p(t)$ is a particular solution of $\textcircled{*}$.

Proof: Suppose $\phi(t)$ is general solution of $\textcircled{*}$ and $v(t)$ is a particular solution of $\textcircled{*}$.

→ need to show $u(t) := \phi(t) - v(t)$ is general solution of $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}$

1, every solution of the ILS gives a solution to the HCS

$$u'(t) = \phi'(t) - v'(t) = A\phi(t) + b(t) - (Av(t) + b(t)) = A(\phi(t) - v(t)) = Au(t)$$

2, every solution of the HCS is covered

→ suppose $u(t)$ solves $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}$, we will show that $u(t) + v(t)$ solves $\textcircled{*}$

$$[u+v]' = Au + Av + b = A(u+v) + b \quad \blacksquare$$

Method: Suppose $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is diagonalizable and consider $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x} + \tilde{b}$

↳ $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n$ eigenvalues

↳ v_1, \dots, v_n eigenvectors

$$D = R A R^{-1}$$

→ denote $F = \{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$ and note $x = [x]_E = \underbrace{[\text{id}]_F}_{\sim} [x]_F = R \cdot [x]_F$

$$\hookrightarrow \tilde{z} := [x]_F \Rightarrow \tilde{x} = R \tilde{z} \Rightarrow \tilde{z} = R^{-1} \tilde{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{z}' = R^{-1} \tilde{x}' = R^{-1} (A\tilde{x} + \tilde{b}) = R^{-1} (A R \tilde{z} + \tilde{b}) = D \tilde{z} + R^{-1} \tilde{b}$$

→ meaning we need to solve the uncoupled (there is one unknown function per row) system $\tilde{z}' = D \tilde{z} + \tilde{b}$, where $\tilde{b} := R^{-1} \tilde{b}$

$$z'_j(t) = \lambda_j z_j(t) + b_j(t) \Rightarrow u = e^{-\lambda_j t}$$

$$\Rightarrow z_j(t) = e^{\lambda_j t} \int e^{-\lambda_j t} b_j(t) dt = e^{\lambda_j t} \int e^{-\lambda_j t} b_j(t) dt + c_j e^{\lambda_j t}, \quad c_j \in \mathbb{R}$$

This also means that the set of solutions of $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x} + \tilde{b}$ forms an affine vector space based on the space of solutions of $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{z}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} e^{\lambda_1 t} \int e^{\lambda_1 t} h_1(t) dt \\ \vdots \\ e^{\lambda_m t} \int e^{\lambda_m t} h_m(t) dt \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} \\ \vdots \\ c_m e^{\lambda_m t} \end{bmatrix} \quad \& \quad \tilde{x} = R \tilde{z} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ r_1 & r_2 & \dots & r_n \end{bmatrix} \cdot \tilde{z}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t) = \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^m (e^{\lambda_i t} \int e^{\lambda_i t} h_i(t) dt) r_i}_{\text{particular solution to } \circledast} + \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^m c_i e^{\lambda_i t} r_i}_{\text{general sol. of } \tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}}$$

$$\text{Ex: } x'(t) = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} x(t) + \begin{bmatrix} 2e^t \\ 3t \end{bmatrix}$$

1) general solution to the homogeneous system

$$f_A(t) = (-2-t)(-2-t) - 1 = (2+t)^2 - 1 = t^2 + 4t + 3 = (t+1)(t+3)$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \lambda_1 = -1: \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow r_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ \lambda_2 = -3: \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow r_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \end{array} \right\} \left. \begin{array}{l} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \\ \text{A} \quad \text{R} \quad \text{D} \quad \frac{-1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow x_h(t) = c_1 e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^{-3t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

2) change basis and find a particular solution of the inhomogeneous

$$x = Rz \Rightarrow z = R^{-1}x \Rightarrow z' = R^{-1}x' = R^{-1}(Ax + b) = R^{-1}(ARz + b) = Dz + R^{-1}b$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{z}' = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix} z + \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 2e^t \\ 3t \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -z_1 + e^{-t} + \frac{3}{2}t \\ -3z_2 + e^{-t} - \frac{3}{2}t \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\boxed{1} z'_1 = -z_1 + e^{-t} + \frac{3}{2}t \rightsquigarrow \mu_1(t) = e^{\int dt} = e^t$$

$$\Rightarrow z_1(t) = e^{-t} \int e^t \left(e^{-t} + \frac{3}{2}t \right) dt = e^{-t} \left(t + \frac{3}{2}(t e^t - e^t) \right) = \underline{t e^{-t} + \frac{3}{2}t e^{-t} - \frac{3}{2}}$$

$$\boxed{2} z'_2 = -3z_2 + e^{-t} - \frac{3}{2}t \rightsquigarrow \mu_2(t) = e^{3t}$$

$$\Rightarrow z_2(t) = e^{3t} \int e^{-3t} \left(e^{-t} - \frac{3}{2}t \right) dt = e^{-3t} \int e^{2t} - \frac{3}{2}t e^{3t} dt = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} e^{-t} - \frac{1}{2}t e^{-t} + \frac{1}{6} \\ \frac{1}{2} e^{2t} - \frac{3}{2} t e^{3t} + \frac{9}{8} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow x(t) = x_h(t) + x_p(t) = x_h(t) + Rz(t) = x_h(t) + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} t e^{-t} + \frac{3}{2}t e^{-t} - \frac{3}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} e^{-t} - \frac{1}{2}t e^{-t} + \frac{1}{6} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= x_h(t) + \begin{bmatrix} t e^{-t} + \frac{3}{2}t e^{-t} - \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{2} e^{-t} - \frac{1}{2}t e^{-t} + \frac{1}{6} \\ t e^{-t} + \frac{3}{2}t e^{-t} - \frac{3}{2} - \frac{1}{2} e^{-t} + \frac{1}{2}t e^{-t} - \frac{1}{6} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \underline{t e^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{1}{2} e^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}} + c_1 e^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^{-3t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

particular

gen. 1r hom.

→ What if A is not diagonalizable?

→ Then use the Jordan normal form $A = RDR^{-1}$

→ after a change of basis we will get $\tilde{z}' = J\tilde{z} + R^{-1}\tilde{b}$

→ this system is not uncoupled since some rows of J have two non-zero entries, however we can solve for z_1, \dots, z_m consecutively, starting with z_m and working backwards

$$\text{Ex: Solve } \tilde{z}' = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ 8 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \tilde{z} + \begin{bmatrix} t^{-3} \\ -t^{-2} \end{bmatrix}, \quad t > 0$$

$$h_A(t) = (4-t)(-4-t) + 16 = t^2 \Rightarrow \lambda = 0 \text{ is the only eigenvalue}$$

→ what is the geometric multiplicity of $\lambda = 0$?

$$N(A - \lambda I) : \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ 8 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow N(A - \lambda I) = \left\{ \alpha \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}; \alpha \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \dots \dim = 1$$

⇒ geom(λ) = 1 ⇒ we need a Jordan chain

$$N(A - \lambda I)^2 = \mathbb{R}^2 \Rightarrow \text{pick } v_2 \in \mathbb{R}^2 - N(A - \lambda I) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$v_2 = (0, -1)^T$$

$$v_1 = (A - \lambda I)v_2 = Av_2 = (2, 4)^T \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ 8 & -4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \\ A \qquad \qquad R \qquad \qquad J \qquad \qquad R^{-1} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow x = Rz \Rightarrow z = R^{-1}x$$

$$\Rightarrow z' = R^{-1}x' = R^{-1}(Ax + b) = R^{-1}(ARz + b) = Jz + R^{-1}b$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} z'_1 \\ z'_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} t^{-3} \\ -t^{-2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} z_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 t^{-3} \\ 2 t^{-3} + t^{-2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\boxed{1} \quad z'_2 = 2t^{-3} + t^{-2} \Rightarrow z_2 = \int 2t^{-3} + t^{-2} dt = -t^{-2} - t^{-1} + C_2$$

$$\boxed{2} \quad z'_1 = z_2 + \frac{1}{2}t^{-3} = \frac{1}{2}t^{-3} - t^{-2} - t^{-1} + C_2$$

$$\Rightarrow z_1 = -\frac{1}{2}t^{-2} + t^{-1} - \ln|t| + C_2 t + C_1, \text{ note } \ln|t| = \ln t$$

$$\Rightarrow x(t) = Rz(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} t^{-4} - \frac{1}{4}t^{-3} - \ln t + C_2 t + C_1 \\ -t^{-3} - t^{-2} + C_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2t^4 - \frac{1}{2}t^3 - 2\ln t + 2C_2 t + 2C_1 \\ 4t^3 - t^2 - 4\ln t + 4C_2 t + 4C_1 + t^{-1} + t^{-2} - C_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \underline{\frac{1}{t} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}} - \underline{\frac{1}{2t^2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}} - 2 \ln t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + C_2 \begin{bmatrix} 2t \\ 4t-1 \end{bmatrix} + 2C_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad C_1, C_2 \in \mathbb{R}$$

Variation of parameters

Def: We say that $\phi(t) : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is a fundamental matrix for the linear system

$$\tilde{x}'(t) = A(t)\tilde{x}(t), \quad A : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$$

\Leftrightarrow The columns of $\phi(t)$ form a basis for the set of solutions.

Ex: When $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ then e^{tA} is a fundamental matrix for $\tilde{x}'(t) = A\tilde{x}(t)$.

Let $\phi(t)$ be a fundamental matrix for $\tilde{x}'(t) = A(t)\tilde{x}(t)$

$$\textcircled{1} \text{ A solution} = \text{lin. comb. of columns of } \phi(t) \Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t) = \phi(t)\tilde{c}, \quad c \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \phi(t) \text{ is a matrix solution to the system i.e. } \phi'(t) = A(t)\phi(t)$$

Method: Consider $\textcircled{*} \quad \tilde{x}'(t) = A(t)\tilde{x}(t) + \tilde{b}(t)$, where $A : J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, $b : J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ are continuous on J . Let $\phi(t)$ be a fundamental matrix of the corresponding homogeneous system $\tilde{x}'(t) = A(t)\tilde{x}(t)$.

Note: $\phi(t)\tilde{c}$, $\tilde{c} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ gives the general solution of $\tilde{x}'(t) = A(t)\tilde{x}(t)$

\Rightarrow we seek a solution of $\textcircled{*}$ of the form $\tilde{x}(t) = \phi(t)\tilde{u}(t)$, $\tilde{u} : J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$.

$$\bullet \quad \tilde{x}(t) = \phi(t)\tilde{u}(t) \Rightarrow \tilde{x}'(t) = \phi'(t)\tilde{u}(t) + \phi(t)\tilde{u}'(t)$$

\hookrightarrow does this work?

$$\bullet \quad \text{i}^{\text{th}} \text{ element of } \phi(t)\tilde{u}(t) = \sum_{k=1}^n \phi_{ik} u_k$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt} = \sum_{k=1}^n \phi'_{ik} u_k + \phi_{ik} u'_k = \text{i}^{\text{th}} \text{ element of } \phi' \cdot \tilde{u} + \text{i}^{\text{th}} \text{ element of } \phi \cdot \tilde{u}'$$

$$\bullet \quad \text{since } \tilde{x}(t) \text{ solves } \textcircled{*}, \text{ we have } \tilde{x}'(t) = A(t)\tilde{x}(t) + \tilde{b}(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow A\tilde{x} + \tilde{b} = \phi' \tilde{u} + \phi \tilde{u}' \Rightarrow A\phi \tilde{u} + \tilde{b} = A\phi \tilde{u} + \phi \tilde{u}' \Rightarrow \tilde{b}(t) = \phi(t)\tilde{u}'(t)$$

Note: The columns of $\phi(t)$ are lin. ind. on $J \Rightarrow \phi(t)$ is invertible

$$\tilde{u}'(t) = \phi^{-1}(t)\tilde{b}(t) \Rightarrow \tilde{u}(t) = \int \phi^{-1}(t)\tilde{b}(t) dt$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{x} = \phi \tilde{u} \Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t) = \underbrace{\phi(t) \cdot \tilde{c}}_{\substack{\text{gen. sol.} \\ \text{if } \tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}}} + \underbrace{\phi(t) \int \phi^{-1}(t)\tilde{b}(t) dt}_{\text{particular sol. of } \textcircled{*}}, \quad c \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

When to use this?

- \rightarrow if $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, i.e. it has constant entries, then we can use change of basis and diagonalization to solve the inhomogeneous system
- \rightarrow however if A does have non-constant entries, then we can't do that :

Ex:

① Use the method of variation of parameters to solve $\tilde{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \tilde{x} + \begin{bmatrix} 2e^{-t} \\ 3t \end{bmatrix}$

→ earlier we have shown that $\phi(t) = \begin{bmatrix} e^t & e^{3t} \\ e^{-t} & -e^{3t} \end{bmatrix}$

⇒ let's assume that we can write $x(t) = \phi(t) u(t)$

$$\Rightarrow u(t) = \int \phi^{-1}(t) b(t) dt \quad \dots \quad \phi(t) = \begin{bmatrix} e^{-t} & e^{3t} \\ e^{-t} & -e^{3t} \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \phi^{-1}(t) = \frac{-1}{2e^{4t}} \begin{bmatrix} -e^{3t} & -e^{3t} \\ -e^{-t} & e^{-t} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow u(t) = \frac{1}{2} \int e^{4t} \begin{bmatrix} e^{-3t} & e^{3t} \\ e^{-t} & -e^{-t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2e^{-t} \\ 3t \end{bmatrix} dt = \frac{1}{2} \int \begin{bmatrix} e^t & e^t \\ e^{3t} & -e^{3t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2e^{-t} \\ 3t \end{bmatrix} dt = \frac{1}{2} \int \begin{bmatrix} 2+3te^t \\ 2e^{2t}-3te^{3t} \end{bmatrix} dt$$
$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 2t + 3(te^t - e^t) + c_1 \\ e^{2t} - 3\left(\frac{1}{3}te^{3t} - \frac{1}{9}e^{3t}\right) + c_2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 2t + 3te^t - 3e^t \\ e^{2t} - te^{3t} + \frac{1}{3}e^{3t} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} d_1 \\ d_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow x(t) = \phi(t) u(t) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} e^{-t} & e^{3t} \\ e^{-t} & -e^{3t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2t + 3te^t - 3e^t \\ e^{2t} - te^{3t} + \frac{1}{3}e^{3t} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} e^{-t} & e^{3t} \\ e^{-t} & -e^{3t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} d_1 \\ d_2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad d_1, d_2 \in \mathbb{R}$$

② $c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} t + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} t^{-1}$ is the gen sol of $t \tilde{x}'(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \tilde{x}(t), \quad t > 0$

↪ find the gen. sol. of $t \tilde{x}'(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \tilde{x}(t) + \begin{bmatrix} 1-t^2 \\ 2t \end{bmatrix}$

$$\rightarrow \phi(t) = \begin{bmatrix} t & t^{-1} \\ t & 3t^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \phi^{-1}(t) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 3t^{-1} & -t^{-1} \\ -t & t \end{bmatrix} \quad / : t$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{let } \tilde{u}(t) = \int \phi^{-1}(t) f(t) dt = \frac{1}{2} \int \begin{bmatrix} 3t^{-1} & -t^{-1} \\ -t & t \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} t^{-1} - t \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} dt =$$
$$= \frac{1}{2} \int \begin{bmatrix} 3t^{-2} - 3 - 2t^{-1} \\ t^2 - 1 + 2t \end{bmatrix} dt = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} -3t^{-1} - 3t - 2\ln t \\ \frac{1}{3}t^3 - t + t^2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t) = \phi(t) \tilde{u}(t) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} t & t^{-1} \\ t & 3t^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -3t^{-1} - 3t - 2\ln t \\ \frac{1}{3}t^3 - t + t^2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} t & t^{-1} \\ t & 3t^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} -3 - 3t^2 - 2t\ln t + \frac{1}{3}t^2 - 1 + t \\ -3 - 3t^2 - 2t\ln t + t^2 - 3 + 3t \end{bmatrix} + c_1 \begin{bmatrix} t \\ t \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} t^{-1} \\ 3t^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{3}t^2 \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{1}{2}t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} - t\ln t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + c_1 t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 t^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}$$

Higher order linear differential equations

- we know: n^{th} order linear ODE \Rightarrow n first order linear ODEs
 \hookrightarrow valid strategy but not very efficient

Theorem (E+V): Consider the IVP

$$y''(t) + p(t)y'(t) + q(t)y(t) = g(t), \quad y(t_0) = y_0 \quad \& \quad y'(t_0) = y'_0,$$

where $p, q, g: J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are continuous on $J \ni t_0$.

Then there exists a unique solution $\emptyset: J \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$.

Scalar coefficients

Method: Consider $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$, where $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$.

\hookrightarrow we look for solutions of the form $y(t) = e^{rt}$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} y = e^{rt} \\ y' = r e^{rt} \\ y'' = r^2 e^{rt} \end{array} \right\} e^{rt} \text{ is a solution} \Leftrightarrow ar^2 e^{rt} + br e^{rt} + c e^{rt} = 0 \Leftrightarrow ar^2 + br + c = 0$$

\hookrightarrow characteristic equation

There are 3 cases

- 2 distinct real roots - r_1, r_2
- 1 repeating real root - r
- 2 conjugate complex roots - $\lambda \pm i\mu$

Method: We will show that the following are general solutions:

$$i) \quad y(t) = c_1 e^{r_1 t} + c_2 e^{r_2 t}$$

$$ii) \quad y(t) = (c_1 + c_2 t) e^{rt}$$

$$iii) \quad y(t) = c_1 e^{\lambda t} \cos(\mu t) + c_2 e^{\lambda t} \sin(\mu t)$$

$$\hookrightarrow \text{complex: } y(t) = e^{(\lambda+i\mu)t} = e^{\lambda t} (\cos(\mu t) + i \sin(\mu t))$$

\rightarrow we will later generalize this for n^{th} order linear equations

Def: The Wronskian determinant of $y_1, y_2: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is the function

$$W(y_1, y_2)(t) := \det \begin{bmatrix} y_1(t) & y_2(t) \\ y'_1(t) & y'_2(t) \end{bmatrix} = y_1(t)y'_2(t) - y_2(t)y'_1(t)$$

Theorem: Consider $\ddot{y} + p\dot{y} + qy = 0$, where $p, q: J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are continuous on J .

$\hookrightarrow \{y_1, y_2\}$ form a fundamental set of solutions $\Leftrightarrow \textcircled{*}$

$$\Leftrightarrow \exists t_0 \in J : W(y_1, y_2)(t_0) \neq 0$$

Proof: \Rightarrow : holds, but it is not important to us

\Leftarrow : suppose $\phi(t)$ is a solution \rightarrow we will show $\phi(t) = c_1 y_1 + c_2 y_2$

Let t_0 be the point where $W(y_1, y_2) \neq 0$

\hookrightarrow denote $y_0 := \phi(t_0)$, $y'_0 := \phi'(t_0)$ and consider the IVP:

$$\ddot{y} + p\dot{y} + qy = 0, \quad y(t_0) = y_0 \quad \& \quad y'(t_0) = y'_0$$

$\textcircled{*}$ ϕ solves this IVP

\rightarrow if we find c_1, c_2 s.t. $c_1 y_1 + c_2 y_2$ also solves it, then by uniqueness $c_1 y_1 + c_2 y_2 = \phi$

$$\rightarrow \text{need: } \begin{aligned} c_1 y_1(t_0) + c_2 y_2(t_0) &= y_0 \\ c_1 y'_1(t_0) + c_2 y'_2(t_0) &= y'_0 \end{aligned} \quad \hookrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} y_1(t_0) & y_2(t_0) \\ y'_1(t_0) & y'_2(t_0) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y_0 \\ y'_0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\hookrightarrow \det \neq 0 \Rightarrow$ nonsingular $\Rightarrow c_1, c_2$ exist ■

Case (i): r_1, r_2 real distinct roots

claim: All solutions to $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$ are given by $c_1 e^{r_1 t} + c_2 e^{r_2 t}$

$$\hookrightarrow W(e^{r_1 t}, e^{r_2 t}) = \det \begin{bmatrix} e^{r_1 t} & e^{r_2 t} \\ r_1 e^{r_1 t} & r_2 e^{r_2 t} \end{bmatrix} = r_2 e^{(r_1+r_2)t} - r_1 e^{(r_1+r_2)t}$$

$\hookrightarrow W(\dots) \neq 0$ because $r_1 \neq r_2$

Ex:

① Find the general solution of $\ddot{y} + 5\dot{y} + 6y = 0$

$$\text{char eq: } r^2 + 5r + 6 = 0 \Rightarrow r_1 = -2, \quad r_2 = -3$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = c_1 e^{-2t} + c_2 e^{-3t}, \quad c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}$$

② Solve the IVP $\ddot{y} + 5\dot{y} + 6y = 0, \quad y(0) = 2, \quad y'(0) = 3$

$$\hookrightarrow y = c_1 e^{-2t} + c_2 e^{-3t} \Rightarrow y(0) = 2 = c_1 + c_2 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} 7 = -c_2 \\ \Rightarrow c_2 = -7 \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow c_1 = 9$$

$$y' = -2c_1 e^{-2t} - 3c_2 e^{-3t} \Rightarrow y'(0) = 3 = -2c_1 - 3c_2$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = 9e^{-2t} - 7e^{-3t}$$

• Case (iii): $\lambda \pm i\mu$ complex conjugate roots

↳ solutions to $\textcircled{2} ay'' + by' + cy = 0$ are given by $e^{(\lambda \pm i\mu)t}$

we again care only about one of the roots $\rightarrow \lambda + i\mu$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) := e^{(\lambda+i\mu)t} = e^{\lambda t} (\cos(\mu t) + i \sin(\mu t))$$

$y = u + iv$ is a complex solution of $\textcircled{2}$ $\Rightarrow u, v$ are real solutions of $\textcircled{2}$

$$(u+iv)'' + p(u+iv)' + q(u+iv) = 0$$

$$u'' + iv'' + pu' + piv' + qu + qiv = 0$$

$$(u'' + pu' + qu) + i(v'' + pv' + qv) = 0 + 0i$$

\Rightarrow real-valued solutions of $\textcircled{2}$ are $\{e^{\lambda t} \cos(\mu t), e^{\lambda t} \sin(\mu t)\}$

Lemma: These form a fundamental set of solutions

Pf: $W(e^{\lambda t} \cos(\mu t), e^{\lambda t} \sin(\mu t)) = \det \begin{bmatrix} e^{\lambda t} \cos(\mu t) & e^{\lambda t} \sin(\mu t) \\ \lambda e^{\lambda t} \cos(\mu t) - \mu e^{\lambda t} \sin(\mu t) & \lambda e^{\lambda t} \sin(\mu t) + \mu e^{\lambda t} \cos(\mu t) \end{bmatrix}$

$$\lambda=0: \det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ \lambda & \mu \end{bmatrix} = \mu \neq 0 \quad \checkmark$$

Ex: Solve $16y'' - 8y' + 145y = 0$, $y(0) = -2$, $y'(0) = 1$

$$\text{char eq: } 16r^2 - 8r + 145 = 0 \Rightarrow r_{1,2} = \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{64 - 64 \cdot 145}}{32} = \frac{1}{4}(1 \pm 12i) = \frac{1}{4} \pm 3i$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{general solution: } y(t) = e^{t/4} (C_1 \cos(3t) + C_2 \sin(3t))$$

$$\hookrightarrow y' = \frac{1}{4} e^{t/4} (C_1 \cos(3t) + C_2 \sin(3t)) + e^{t/4} (-3C_1 \sin(3t) + 3C_2 \cos(3t))$$

$$y(0) = -2 = C_1 + 0 \Rightarrow C_1 = -2$$

$$y'(0) = 1 = \frac{1}{4}(C_1) + 3C_2 \Rightarrow 3C_2 - \frac{1}{2} = 1 \Rightarrow C_2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\rightarrow y(t) = -2 e^{t/4} \cos(3t) + \frac{1}{2} e^{t/4} \sin(3t)$$

• Case (ii): r - one repeated real root

$$ar^2 + br + c = 0, \text{ suffice } b^2 - 4ac = 0 \Rightarrow r = -\frac{b}{2a}$$

$\circlearrowleft y(t) = e^{rt}$ is a solution

$$ay'' + by' + cy = 0$$

\rightarrow lets assume $y(t) = r(t)e^{rt}$ is also a solution of $\textcircled{*}$ for some $r: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$y'(t) = r'e^{rt} + rr'e^{rt} = e^{rt}(r' + rr)$$

$$y''(t) = e^{rt}(r'' + rr') + r'e^{rt}(r' + rr) = e^{rt}(r'' + 2rr' + r^2r)$$

\rightarrow subbing to $\textcircled{*}$:

$$a e^{rt}(r'' + 2rr' + r^2r) + b e^{rt}(r' + rr) + c r e^{rt} = 0, \text{ recall } r = -\frac{b}{2a}$$

$$a(r'' - \frac{b}{a}r' + \frac{b^2}{4a^2}r) + b(r' - \frac{b}{2a}r) + cr = 0$$

$$ar'' + \frac{b^2}{4a}r - \frac{b^2}{2a}r + cr = 0$$

$$ar'' + r(c - \frac{b^2}{4a}) = ar'' + r \underbrace{\frac{4ac - b^2}{4a}}_0 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow ar'' = 0 \Rightarrow r'' = 0 \Rightarrow r(t) = C_1 + C_2 t$$

$\rightarrow \underline{y(t) = (C_1 + C_2 t)e^{rt}}$ is a solution

Lemma: $\{e^{rt}, te^{rt}\}$ form a fundamental set of solutions

$$\text{Pf: } W = \det \begin{pmatrix} e^{rt} & te^{rt} \\ re^{rt} & e^{rt} + rt e^{rt} \end{pmatrix} \rightsquigarrow t=0: \det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ r & 1 \end{bmatrix} = 1 \neq 0$$

Examples:

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \underline{y'' + 4y' + 4y = 0} \rightarrow r = -2 \Rightarrow \underline{y(t) = (C_1 + C_2 t)e^{-2t}}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \underline{9y'' - y = 0} \rightarrow 9r^2 - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow r = \pm \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow \underline{y(t) = C_1 e^{t/3} + C_2 e^{-t/3}}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \underline{9y'' + y = 0} \rightarrow 9r^2 + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow r = \pm i/3$$

$$\text{complex: } e^{(i/3)t} = \cos(t/3) + i \sin(t/3)$$

$$\text{real: } \underline{y(t) = C_1 \cos(t/3) + C_2 \sin(t/3)}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad \underline{9y'' - y' = 0} \rightarrow 9r^2 - r = 0 \Rightarrow r_1 = 0, r_2 = \frac{1}{9}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{y(t) = C_1 + C_2 e^{t/9}}$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad \underline{y'' + 10y' + 25y = 0} \rightarrow r^2 + 10r + 25 = 0 \Rightarrow r = -5$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{y(t) = (C_1 + C_2 t)e^{-5t}}$$

Ex:

① Find the general solution to $\tilde{x}'(t) = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \tilde{x}(t) + \begin{bmatrix} t^{-1} \\ 2t^{-1} + 4 \end{bmatrix}, t > 0$

$$\mu_4(\epsilon) = (-4-\epsilon)(-1-\epsilon)-4 = \epsilon^2 + 5\epsilon = \epsilon(\epsilon+5)$$

$$\lambda_1 = 0 : \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow N_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_2 = -5 : \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow N_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$$

→ change of basis: $x = [x]_E = \epsilon[\text{id}]_F \cdot [x]_F = Rz$

$$z = R^{-1}x \Rightarrow z' = R^{-1}x' = R^{-1}(Ax + b) = R^{-1}(ARz + b) = Dz + R^{-1}b$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} z'_1 \\ z'_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} t^{-1} \\ 2t^{-1} + 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -5z_2 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} t^{-1} + 4t^{-1} + 8 \\ 2t^{-1} - 2t^{-1} - 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\boxed{1}: z'_1 = t^{-1} + \frac{8}{5} \Rightarrow z_1 = \ln t + \frac{8}{5}t + c_1$$

$$\boxed{2}: z'_2 = -5z_2 - \frac{4}{5} \Rightarrow \mu = e^{5t} \Rightarrow z_2 = e^{-5t} \int e^{5t} \left(-\frac{4}{5}\right) dt = e^{-5t} \left(-\frac{4}{25}e^{5t} + c_2\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow x = Rz = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \ln t + \frac{8}{5}t + c_1 \\ -\frac{4}{25}e^{5t} + c_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \ln t + \frac{8}{5}t + c_1 - \frac{8}{25} + 2c_2 e^{5t} \\ 2\ln t + \frac{16}{5}t + 2c_1 + \frac{4}{25} - c_2 e^{5t} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underline{x(t) = \ln t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{1}{5}t \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ 16 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{1}{25} \begin{bmatrix} -8 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} + c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^{-5t} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}}$$

② $\tilde{x}'(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \tilde{x}(t) + \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} e^t$

$$\mu_4(\epsilon) = (1-\epsilon)^2 - 4 = \epsilon^2 - 2\epsilon - 3 = (\epsilon-3)(\epsilon+1)$$

$$\lambda_1 = 3 : \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow N_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_2 = -1 : \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow N_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\phi'(t) = \frac{1}{-4e^{2t}} \begin{bmatrix} -2e^{2t} & -e^{2t} \\ -2e^{3t} & e^{3t} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 2e^{3t} & e^{3t} \\ 2e^{4t} & -e^{4t} \end{bmatrix}$$

→ variation of parameters: $\phi(t) = \begin{bmatrix} e^{3t} & e^{-t} \\ 2e^{3t} & -2e^{-t} \end{bmatrix}$ is a fundamental matrix for $x' = Ax$

↳ general solution = $\phi(t) \cdot u(t)$ & $b(t) = \phi(t) u'(t)$

$$\Rightarrow u(t) = \int \phi'^{-1}(t) b(t) dt = \frac{1}{4} \int \begin{bmatrix} 2e^{-3t} & e^{-3t} \\ 2e^{-4t} & -e^{-4t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2e^t \\ -e^t \end{bmatrix} dt = \frac{1}{4} \int \begin{bmatrix} 4e^{-2t} & -e^{-2t} \\ 4e^{-2t} & e^{-2t} \end{bmatrix} dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \int \begin{bmatrix} 3e^{-2t} \\ 5e^{-2t} \end{bmatrix} dt = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} -3/2 e^{-2t} \\ 5/2 e^{-2t} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow x(t) = \phi(t) u(t) = \frac{1}{8} \begin{bmatrix} e^{3t} & e^{-t} \\ 2e^{3t} & -2e^{-t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -3e^{-2t} \\ 5e^{-2t} \end{bmatrix} + \phi(t) \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \begin{bmatrix} -3e^t + 5e^t \\ -6e^t - 10e^t \end{bmatrix} + \phi(t) \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{8} \begin{bmatrix} 2e^t \\ -16e^t \end{bmatrix} + \phi(t) \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} e^t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} + c_1 e^{3t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

n th order linear differential equations

→ let's generalize what we just did for second order ODEs

$$\textcircled{X} \quad y^{(n)}(t) + p_{n-1}(t)y^{(n-1)}(t) + \dots + p_1(t)y'(t) + p_0(t)y(t) = g(t)$$

Theorem (E+V): Suppose $p_i, g: J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are continuous on J , then there is a unique solution to the IVP $\textcircled{X} \quad \begin{cases} i \\ i \end{cases} \quad y^{(i)}(t_0) = y_0^i \quad \text{defined on } J$.

If y_1, \dots, y_m are solutions of the homogeneous equation

$$\sum_{k=0}^m p_k(t) y^{(k)}(t) = 0; \text{ then } \sum_{i=0}^m c_i y_i(t) \text{ is also a solution for } \forall \tilde{c} \in \mathbb{R}^m.$$

Def: The Wronskian determinant of the functions $y_1, \dots, y_m: J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is

$$W(y_1, \dots, y_m)(t) := \det \begin{bmatrix} y_1(t) & y_2(t) & \dots & y_m(t) \\ y'_1(t) & y'_2(t) & & y'_m(t) \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ y_1^{(m-1)}(t) & y_2^{(m-1)}(t) & & y_m^{(m-1)}(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

Theorem: If $\{y_1, \dots, y_m\}$ are solutions of $\sum_{k=0}^m p_k(t) y^{(k)}(t) = 0$, then they form a fundamental set of solutions $\Leftrightarrow \exists t_0 \in J: W(y_1, \dots, y_m)(t_0) \neq 0$.

Pf: \Leftarrow : Consider the IVP $\sum_{k=0}^m p_k(t) y^{(k)}(t) = 0, \quad \begin{cases} i \\ i \end{cases} \quad y^{(i)}(t_0) = y_0^i, \quad t_0 \in J$.

\hookrightarrow The solution can be written as a linear comb. of $y_1, \dots, y_m \Leftrightarrow \exists \tilde{c} \in \mathbb{R}^m$:

$$\sum_i c_i y_i(t_0) = y_0 \quad \Leftrightarrow W(y_1, \dots, y_m)(t_0) \neq 0$$

$$\sum_i c_i y_i^{(m-1)}(t_0) = y_0^{m-1}$$

\rightarrow Then by uniqueness this is the only solution

Homogeneous equations with constant coefficients

Consider: $a_n y^{(n)} + a_{n-1} y^{(n-1)} + \dots + a_1 y' + a_0 y = 0, \quad \tilde{a} \in \mathbb{R}^m$

e^{rt} is a solution $\Leftrightarrow r$ is a root of $\sum_i a_i r^i = 0$

Method:

i) \exists n real distinct roots $r_1, \dots, r_m \Rightarrow \{e^{r_1 t}, \dots, e^{r_m t}\}$ = fundamental set of solutions

ii) \exists complex roots. If $\lambda \pm i\mu$ are roots of the char. eq., then

$e^{\lambda t} \cos(\mu t), e^{\lambda t} \sin(\mu t)$ are real valued solutions of the ODE

iii) \exists repeated roots. If r is a root with multiplicity k , then

$(1+t+\dots+t^{k-1})e^{rt}$ gives k linearly independent solutions

\hookrightarrow note e^{rt} can be broken down if r is complex

Case (i): n real distinct roots r_1, \dots, r_n

$$W(e^{r_1 t}, \dots, e^{r_n t}) = \det \begin{bmatrix} e^{r_1 t} & \dots & e^{r_n t} \\ r_1 e^{r_1 t} & \dots & r_n e^{r_n t} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ r_1^{n-1} e^{r_1 t} & \dots & r_n^{n-1} e^{r_n t} \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow W(0) = \det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ r_1 & r_2 & \dots & r_n \\ r_1^2 & r_2^2 & \dots & r_n^2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ r_1^{n-1} & r_2^{n-1} & \dots & r_n^{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

→ when $t=0$ we get the determinant of the Vandermonde matrix,

which is $\neq 0 \Leftrightarrow$ all r_i are distinct

→ since r_1, \dots, r_n are distinct, $\{e^{r_1 t}, \dots, e^{r_n t}\}$ form a fundamental set of sols.

Ex: $2y''' - 4y'' + 2y' + 4y = 0$

$$\text{char eq: } 2r^3 - 4r^2 - 2r + 4 = 0$$

$$r^3 - 2r^2 - r + 2 = 0 \rightarrow \text{guess: } r = 1, -1, 2, -2$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = C_1 e^t + C_2 e^{-t} + C_3 e^{2t}, \quad C_1, C_2, C_3 \in \mathbb{R}$$

Case (ii): \exists complex conjugate roots $\lambda \pm i\mu$

$\Rightarrow e^{(\lambda+i\mu)t} = e^{\lambda t} (\cos \mu t + i \sin \mu t)$ is a complex solution

→ $e^{\lambda t} \cos(\mu t)$ and $e^{\lambda t} \sin(\mu t)$ are real solutions

Ex: $y^{(4)} - y = 0$

$$\text{char eq: } r^4 - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow (r^2 - 1)(r^2 + 1) = 0 \Rightarrow r = \pm 1, \pm i$$

$$\text{complex: } e^{it} = \cos t + i \sin t$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = C_1 e^t + C_2 e^{-t} + C_3 \cos t + C_4 \sin t$$

Case (iii): r is a repeated root with multiplicity k

→ it can be shown that $(C_0 + C_1 t + C_2 t^2 + \dots + C_{k-1} t^{k-1}) e^{rt}$ is a solution
and that $t^i e^{rt}$ are independent

→ note: if $r = \lambda + i\mu$, then there are $2k$ real valued solutions

$$(C_0^1 + C_1^1 t + C_2^1 t^2 + \dots + C_{k-1}^1 t^{k-1}) e^{\lambda t} \cos(\mu t)$$

$$(C_0^2 + C_1^2 t + C_2^2 t^2 + \dots + C_{k-1}^2 t^{k-1}) e^{\lambda t} \sin(\mu t)$$

↳ because $\lambda - i\mu$ is also a root

Ex: $y^{(4)} + 2y'' + y = 0$

$$\text{char eq: } r^4 + 2r^2 + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow (r^2 + 1)^2 \Rightarrow r = \pm i \text{ with multiplicity 2}$$

$$\text{complex: } (1+t)e^{it} = (1+t)(\cos t + i \sin t)$$

$$\text{real: } y(t) = (C_1 + C_2 t) \cos t + (C_3 + C_4 t) \sin t$$

Examples:

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \underline{y''' + y'' + y' + y = 0}$$

$$\rightarrow r = -1, \pm i$$

$$r^3 + r^2 + r + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow r(r^2 + 1) + r^2 + 1 = (r^2 + 1)(r + 1) = 0$$

$$\underline{y(t) = C_1 e^{-t} + C_2 \cos(t) + C_3 \sin(t)}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \underline{y^{(6)} - 3y^{(4)} + 3y'' - y = 0}$$

$$r^6 - 3r^4 + 3r^2 - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow (r^2 - 1)^3 = (r - 1)^3(r + 1)^3 \rightarrow r = \pm 1, \text{ multiplicity } 3$$

$$\underline{y(t) = (C_1 + C_2 t + C_3 t^2) e^t + (C_4 + C_5 t + C_6 t^2) e^{-t}}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \underline{y^{(8)} + 8y^{(4)} + 16y = 0}$$

$$r^8 + 8r^4 + 16 = (r^4 + 4)^2 \rightarrow r^4 = -4, \text{ everything multiplicity 2}$$

$$r = \sqrt[4]{2} e^{i\theta} \rightarrow (e^{i\theta})^4 = -1 \rightarrow e^{4i\theta} = e^{i(\pi + 2k\pi)}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4\theta = \pi + 2k\pi \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{4} + k \cdot \frac{\pi}{2}, k = 0, 1, 2, 3$$



$$\Rightarrow r = 1 \pm i, -1 \pm i$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{y(t) = (C_1 + C_2 t) e^t \cos t + (C_3 + C_4 t) e^t \sin t + (C_5 + C_6 t) e^{-t} \cos t + (C_7 + C_8 t) e^{-t} \sin t}$$

Inhomogeneous linear equations

Method: Consider the equation

$$\textcircled{*} \quad a_n(t)y^{(n)}(t) + a_{n-1}(t)y^{(n-1)}(t) + \cdots + a_1(t)y'(t) + a_0(t)y(t) = g(t)$$

The solution of $\textcircled{*}$ can be written as $y(t) = y_h(t) + y_p(t)$, where

- $y_h(t)$ = general solution to the homogeneous equation
- $y_p(t)$ = particular solution of $\textcircled{*}$

\hookrightarrow check: $y(t) - y_h(t)$ is a solution of the homogeneous equation

\Rightarrow we need a way of finding a particular solution

Undetermined Coefficients Method

Method: Consider $a_n y^{(n)}(t) + a_{n-1} y^{(n-1)}(t) + \dots + a_1 y'(t) + a_0 y(t) = g(t)$,

- $a_n \in \mathbb{R}^m$

- $g(t)$ = linear comb. of t^j , $t^j e^{\lambda t}$, $t^j e^{\lambda t} \sin(\mu t)$, $t^j e^{\lambda t} \cos(\mu t)$

→ then the particular solution can be expressed as a lin. comb. of the following:

① $g(t)$ contains a degree & polynomial $\Rightarrow \sum_{j=0}^k A_j t^j \in y_h$

② $g(t)$ contains the term $t^k e^{\lambda t}$ $\Rightarrow e^{\lambda t} \sum_{j=0}^k A_j t^j \in y_h$

③ $g(t)$ contains $t^k e^{\lambda t} \sin(\mu t)$ or $t^k e^{\lambda t} \cos(\mu t)$, but not necessarily both
 $\Rightarrow e^{\lambda t} \sin(\mu t) \sum_{j=0}^k A_j t^j + e^{\lambda t} \cos(\mu t) \sum_{j=0}^k B_j t^j \in y_h$

Furthermore, if any function in $y_h(t)$ repeats a solution of the homogeneous equation, then it needs to be multiplied by t repeatedly until it no longer contains terms which appear in the homogeneous solution.

Exercises:

① $y'' - 3y' + 2y = 2t + 5$

char eq: $r^2 - 3r + 2 = (r-2)(r-1) = 0 \Rightarrow y_h(t) = c_1 e^{2t} + c_2 e^t$

particular sol.: $y_p(t) = At + B \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} y_p'(t) = A \\ y_p''(t) = 0 \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \rightarrow A + 2At + 2B = 2t + 5 \\ t: 2A = 2 \Rightarrow A = 1 \\ 1: -3A + 2B = 5 \Rightarrow -3 + 2B = 5 \Rightarrow B = 4 \end{array}$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = y_h(t) + y_p(t) = \underline{c_1 e^{2t} + c_2 e^t + t + 4}$$

② $y'' + 5y' + 6y = \sin t$

char eq: $r^2 + 5r + 6 = (r+2)(r+3) = 0 \Rightarrow y_h(t) = c_1 e^{-2t} + c_2 e^{-3t}$

particular: $y_p = A \sin t + B \cos t \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} y_p' = A \cos t - B \sin t \\ y_p'' = -A \sin t - B \cos t \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} -A \sin -B \cos + SA \cos - 5A \sin + 6A \sin + 6B \cos = \sin \\ \sin: -5B + 5A = 1 \\ \cos: 5B + 5A = 0 \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} 10A = 1 \Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{10} \\ B = -\frac{1}{10} \end{array}$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = \underline{c_1 e^{-2t} + c_2 e^{-3t} + \frac{1}{10} \sin t - \frac{1}{10} \cos t}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \underline{y^{(4)} + 2y'' + y = 3\sin t - 5\cos t}$$

char eq: $r^4 + 2r^2 + 1 = (r^2 + 1)^2 \Rightarrow r = \pm i$, multiplicity = 2

$$\hookrightarrow y_h(t) = (C_1 + C_2 t) \cos t + (C_3 + C_4 t) \sin t$$

$$\Rightarrow y_h(t) = \cancel{A \sin t + B \cos t} \quad \text{included}$$

$$= A t^2 \sin t + B t^2 \cos t = t^2 (A \sin t + B \cos t)$$

	D	
0	t^2	$A \sin + B \cos$
1	$2t$	$A \cos - B \sin$
2	2	$-A \sin - B \cos$
3	0	$-A \cos + B \sin$
4	0	$A \sin + B \cos$

$$y_h''(t) = -t^2(A \sin t + B \cos t) + 4t(A \cos t - B \sin t) + 2(A \cdot 2 + B \cdot 0)$$

$$y_h'''(t) = t^2(A \sin t + B \cos t) + 8t(-A \cos t + B \sin t) - 12(A \cdot 0 + B \cdot 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow y^{(4)} + 2y'' + y = 3\sin t - 5\cos t$$

$$t^2(A \cdot 0 + B \cdot 0 - 2A \cdot 0 - 2B \cdot 0 + A \cdot 0 + B \cdot 0)$$

$$+ t(-8A \cdot 0 + 8B \cdot 0 + 8A \cdot 0 - 8B \cdot 0)$$

$$- 12A \cdot 0 - 12B \cdot 0 + 4A \cdot 0 + 4B \cdot 0 = 3A - 5B$$

$$\Rightarrow A: -8A = 3 \Rightarrow A = -3/8$$

$$B: -8B = -5 \Rightarrow B = 5/8$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = (C_1 + C_2 t) \cos t + (C_3 + C_4 t) \sin t - \frac{3}{8}t^2 \sin t + \frac{5}{8}t^2 \cos t$$

$$\begin{matrix} & & & 1 \\ & & 1 & 1 \\ & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & 6 & 4 & 1 \end{matrix}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad \underline{y''' - 3y'' + 3y' - y = 4e^t}$$

$$r^3 - 3r^2 + 3r - 1 = (r-1)^3 = 0 \Rightarrow y_h(t) = (C_1 + C_2 t + C_3 t^2) e^t$$

$$\Rightarrow y_h(t) = A t^3 e^t$$

$$y_h'(t) = A t^2 e^t (t^3 + 3t^2)$$

$$y_h''(t) = A t e^t (t^3 + 6t^2 + 6t)$$

$$y_h'''(t) = A e^t (t^3 + 9t^2 + 18t + 6)$$

	D	
0:	t^3	e^t
1:	$3t^2$	e^t
2:	$6t$	e^t
3:	6	e^t

$$e^t: A(t^3 + 9t^2 + 18t + 6) - A(t^3 - 18t^2 - 18t + 3t^3 + 9t^2 - t^3) = 4 \Rightarrow 6A = 4 \Rightarrow A = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = (C_1 + C_2 t + C_3 t^2) e^t + \frac{2}{3}t^3 e^t$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad \underline{y'' + y = 2\sin t + 4e^t}$$

$$r^2 + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow r = \pm i \Rightarrow y_h(t) = C_1 \cos t + C_2 \sin t$$

$$\Rightarrow y_h(t) = A t \cos t + B t \sin t + C e^t$$

$$y_h'(t) = A \cos t - A t \sin t + B \sin t + B t \cos t + C e^t = A \cos t + B \sin t + t(B \cos t - A \sin t) + C e^t$$

$$y_h''(t) = -A \sin t + B \cos t + B \cos t - A \sin t + t(-B \sin t - A \cos t) + C e^t$$

$$\Rightarrow -2A \cdot 0 + 2B \cdot 0 - t(B \cdot 0 + A \cdot 0) + C \cdot e^t + At \cdot 0 + Be \cdot 0 + C e^t = 2 \cdot 0 + 4e^t$$

$$-2A \cdot 0 - t(0) + 2C e^t = 2 \sin t + 4e^t$$

$$\Rightarrow A = -1, B = 0, C = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = C_1 \cos t + C_2 \sin t - t \cos t + 2e^t$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad x'(t) = \begin{bmatrix} -6 & -10 \\ 5 & 9 \end{bmatrix} x(t) + \begin{bmatrix} 8t+1 \\ e^{-2t} \end{bmatrix}$$

eigenvalues: $f_A(t) = (-6-t)(9-t) + 50 = t^2 - 3t - 4 \rightarrow \lambda_1 = -1, \lambda_2 = 4$

$$\lambda_1 = -1: \begin{bmatrix} -5 & -10 \\ 5 & 10 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow n_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow B = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \bar{B} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_2 = 4: \begin{bmatrix} -10 & -10 \\ 5 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow n_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{sol. 1 for hom: } c_1 e^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^{4t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Let $\bar{z} = Bx$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{z}' = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \bar{z} + \bar{B}^1 \begin{bmatrix} 8t+1 \\ e^{-2t} \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \bar{z}_1' \\ \bar{z}_2' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -\bar{z}_1 \\ 4\bar{z}_2 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 8t+1 \\ e^{-2t} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\boxed{1} \quad \bar{z}_1' = -\bar{z}_1 - e^{-2t} - 8t - 1 \rightsquigarrow \mu_1(t) = e^{-t}$$

$$\boxed{2} \quad \bar{z}_2' = 4\bar{z}_2 - 2e^{-2t} - 8t - 1 \rightsquigarrow \mu_2(t) = e^{-4t}$$

$$\boxed{1} \Rightarrow \bar{z}_1(t) = e^{-t} \int e^t (-e^{-2t} - 8t - 1) dt = -e^{-t} \left(\int e^{-t} dt + \int e^t (8t+1) dt \right) \begin{array}{l} D \\ -8 \\ +0 \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} I \\ e^t \\ e^t \end{array}$$

$$= -e^{-t} \left(-e^{-t} + (8t+1)e^t - 8e^t \right) + c_1 e^{-t}$$

$$= e^{-2t} - (8t+4) + c_1 e^{-t} = e^{-2t} - 8t + 7 + c_1 e^{-t}$$

$$\boxed{2} \Rightarrow \bar{z}_2(t) = e^{-4t} \int e^{-4t} (-2e^{-2t} - 8t - 1) dt = -e^{-4t} \left(\int 2e^{-6t} dt + \int e^{-4t} (8t+1) dt \right)$$

$$= -e^{-4t} \left(-\frac{1}{3} e^{-6t} - \frac{1}{4} (8t+1) e^{-4t} - \frac{1}{2} e^{-4t} \right) + c_2 e^{-4t} \begin{array}{l} D \\ +8 \\ +0 \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} I \\ e^{-4t} \\ -\frac{1}{4} e^{-4t} \end{array}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} e^{-2t} + \frac{1}{4} (8t+1) + \frac{1}{2} + c_2 e^{-4t}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} e^{-2t} + 2t + \frac{3}{4} + c_2 e^{-4t}$$

$$\Rightarrow x(t) = B\bar{z}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e^{-2t} - 8t + 7 + c_1 e^{-t} \\ \frac{1}{3} e^{-2t} + 2t + \frac{3}{4} + c_2 e^{-4t} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -2e^{-2t} + 16t - 14 - 2c_1 e^{-t} + \frac{1}{3} e^{-2t} + 2t + \frac{3}{4} + c_2 e^{-4t} \\ e^{-2t} - 8t + 7 + c_1 e^{-t} - \frac{1}{3} e^{-2t} - 2t - \frac{3}{4} - c_2 e^{-4t} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= c_1 e^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^{-4t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{1}{3} e^{-2t} \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + t \begin{bmatrix} 18 \\ -10 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} -55 \\ 25 \end{bmatrix}, \quad c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$② \text{ a) } \underline{y'' + 24y' + 160y = 0}$$

char eq: $r^3 + 24r + 160 = 0 \quad \dots r_1 = -4 \text{ is a root}$

$$(r+4)(r^2 - 4r + 40) = 0 \rightarrow r_{2,3} = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{16-160}}{2} = 2 \pm 6i$$

complex: $e^{(2+6i)t} = e^{2t} e^{i6t} = e^{2t} (\cos(6t) + i\sin(6t))$

real: $\underline{y(t) = c_1 e^{-4t} + c_2 e^{2t} \cos(6t) + c_3 e^{2t} \sin(6t)}, \quad c_1, c_2, c_3 \in \mathbb{R}$

b.) $y'' + 24y' + 160y = 72e^{-4t} + 320t^2$

• $y_h(t) = c_1 e^{-4t} + c_2 e^{2t} \cos(6t) + c_3 e^{2t} \sin(6t)$

• $y_h(t) = At^2 + Bt + C + Ke^{-4t}$

$y'_h(t) = 2At + B + Ke^{-4t}(1, -4t)$

$y''_h(t) = 2A + \text{doubt, care}$

$y''_h(t) = Ke^{-4t}(-64t + 48)$

$$\Rightarrow Ke^{-4t}(-64t + 48) + 24(Ke^{-4t}(1, -4t) + 2At + B) + 160(Ke^{-4t}, At^2 + Bt + C) = 72e^{-4t} + 320t^2$$

constants: $24B + 160C = 0 \sim 3B + 20C = 0 \rightarrow -8 + 20C = 0 \Rightarrow C = \frac{1}{4}$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} t : 48A + 160B = 0 \sim 3A + 10B = 0 \\ t^2 : 160A = 320 \end{array} \right\} 3A + 10B = 0 \Rightarrow B = -\frac{10}{6} = -\frac{5}{3}$$

$t^4: 48K + 24K = 72 \Rightarrow K = 1$

$$\Rightarrow y_h(t) = t e^{-4t} + 2t^2 - \frac{5}{3}t + \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = y_h(t) + y_p(t) = \underline{c_1 e^{-4t} + c_2 e^{2t} \cos(6t) + c_3 e^{2t} \sin(6t) + t e^{-4t} + 2t^2 - \frac{5}{3}t + \frac{1}{4}}$$

① $y^{(6)} - 3y^{(4)} + 3y'' - y = 0$

$$r^6 - 3r^4 + 3r^2 - 1 = 0 \rightarrow (r^2 - 1)^3 = 0 \Rightarrow (r-1)^3(r+1)^3 = 0$$

$\Rightarrow r_c = \pm 1, \text{ multiplicity } 3$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = (c_1 + c_2 t + c_3 t^2) e^t + (c_4 + c_5 t + c_6 t^2) e^{-t}$$

② $2y^{(4)} - y'' - 9y' + 4y = 0, \quad y(0) = -2, \quad y'(0) = 0, \quad y''(0) = -2, \quad y'''(0) = 0$

$$2r^4 - r^3 - 9r^2 + 4r + 4 = 0, \quad \text{guess: } 1\checkmark, -1\cancel{x}, 2\checkmark, -2\checkmark$$

$$= (r-1)(r-2)(r+2)(2r+4) \rightarrow (-1)(-2)2A = 4 \Rightarrow A = 1$$

$\Rightarrow \text{roots: } 1, 2, -2, -\frac{1}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = c_1 e^t + c_2 e^{2t} + c_3 e^{-2t} + c_4 e^{-\frac{1}{2}t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & c_1 \\ 1 & 2 & -2 & -\frac{1}{2} & c_2 \\ 1 & 4 & 4 & \frac{1}{4} & c_3 \\ 1 & 8 & -8 & -\frac{1}{8} & c_4 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & -\frac{1}{2} & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 3 & -\frac{3}{4} & 0 \\ 0 & 7 & -9 & -\frac{9}{8} & 2 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & -\frac{1}{2} & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 12 & \frac{15}{4} & -6 \\ 0 & 0 & 12 & \frac{45}{8} & -12 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 2 & -6 & -\frac{1}{2} & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 16 & 5 & -8 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 15 & -16 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow c_4 = -\frac{16}{15}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{y(t) = -\frac{2}{3}e^t - \frac{1}{10}e^{2t} - \frac{1}{6}e^{-2t} - \frac{16}{15}e^{-\frac{1}{2}t}}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} 16c_3 = -8 + \frac{16}{3} \\ \Rightarrow c_3 = -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} = -\frac{1}{6} \\ 0 \cdot 2c_2 = 4 - 1 - \frac{16}{5} \\ \cdot c_2 = \frac{3}{2} - \frac{8}{5} = -\frac{1}{10} \\ \bullet c_1 = -2 + \frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{6} + \frac{16}{15} \\ = \frac{-60 + 3 + 5 + 32}{30} = -\frac{20}{30} \\ = -\frac{2}{3} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$⑥ \underline{y'' - 2y' + y = 2e^t + 3t + 4}$$

$$r^2 - 2r + 1 = (r-1)^2 \Rightarrow y_h(t) = (c_1 + tc_2)e^t$$

$$\Rightarrow y_h(t) = At^2e^t + Bte^t + C$$

$$y'_h(t) = At^2e^t + 2At^2e^t + Be^t + B$$

$$y''_h(t) = At^2e^t + 2At^2e^t + 4At^2e^t + 2Be^t$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{At^2e^t + 4At^2e^t + 2At^2e^t} - \underline{2At^2e^t} - \underline{4At^2e^t} - 2B + \underline{At^2e^t} + Be^t + C = 2e^t + 3t + 4 \\ 2At^2e^t + Be^t + C - 2B = 2e^t + 3t + 4 \Rightarrow A=1, B=3, C=10$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{y(t) = (c_1 + c_2t)e^t + t^2e^t + 3t + 10}$$

Variation of Parameters Method

- more general - doesn't require scalar coefficients or special form of $g(t)$

Method: Suppose y_1, y_2 are independent solutions of

$$y'' + p(t)y' + q(t)y = 0, \text{ where } p, q \text{ are continuous.}$$

A particular solution of

$$\underline{y''(t) + p(t)y'(t) + q(t)y(t) = g(t)}$$

is given by

$$y(t) = -y_1(t) \int \frac{g(t)}{W(t)} y_2(t) dt + y_2(t) \int \frac{g(t)}{W(t)} y_1(t) dt, \quad W(t) := W(y_1, y_2)(t)$$

In general: Suppose $\{y_1, \dots, y_m\}$ form a fundamental set of solutions for

$$y^{(m)}(t) + p_{m-1}(t)y^{(m-1)}(t) + \dots + p_1(t)y'(t) + p_0(t)y(t) = 0, \quad p_0, \dots, p_{m-1} \text{ continuous}$$

We will abbreviate this equation as $P(t)Y(t) = 0$.

A particular solution of $P(t)Y(t) = g(t)$ is given by

$$y_p = \sum_{j=1}^m u_j y_j, \quad \text{where } u_j(t) = (-1)^{m+j} \int \frac{g(t)}{W(t)} W^j(t) dt,$$

where $W(t) := W(y_1, \dots, y_m)(t)$, $W^j(t) := W(y_1, \dots, y_{j-1}, y_{j+1}, \dots, y_m)(t)$
 $\hookrightarrow y_j$ is missing

Note: For efficiency it's best to compute W^1, \dots, W^m first

and then compute W using Laplace expansion of the last row:

$$W = \sum_{j=1}^m (-1)^{m+j} y_j^{(m-1)} W^j$$

Proof: We seek a particular solution of $P(t)Y(t) = g(t)$ in the form

$$y_p = u_1 y_1 + u_2 y_2 + \dots + u_m y_m$$

→ The idea is to differentiate this m times and substitute into $PY = g$.

↳ This would get very messy → we impose some conditions:

$$\textcircled{*} \quad \forall k \in \{0, \dots, m-2\}: \sum_{j=1}^m u'_j y_j^{(k)} = u'_1 y_1^{(k)} + u'_2 y_2^{(k)} + \dots + u'_m y_m^{(k)} = 0$$

→ differentiating:

$$y'_p = \sum_{j=1}^m u'_j y_j + u_j y'_j = \underbrace{\sum_{j=1}^m u'_j y_j}_0 + \sum_{j=0}^m u_j y'_j = \sum_{j=0}^m u_j y'_j$$

$$y''_p = \sum_{j=1}^m u'_j y'_j + u_j y''_j = \sum_{j=1}^m u'_j y'_j$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall k \in \{0, \dots, m-1\}: \quad y_p^{(k)} = \sum_{j=1}^m u'_j y_j^{(k)} \quad \& \quad y_p^{(m)} = \sum_{j=1}^m (u'_j y_j^{(m-1)} + u_j y_j^{(m)})$$

→ subbing back in:

$$\text{denote: } Y_j(t) := (y_j^{(m)}, y_j^{(m-1)}, \dots, y_j^1, y_j)$$

$$\text{recall: } Y(t) = (y^{(m)}, y^{(m-1)}, \dots, y^1, y)$$

note: $P(t)Y_j(t) = 0$... because y_j are solutions of $P(t)Y(t) = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow PY = y_p^{(m)} + \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \lambda_k y_p^{(k)} &= \sum_{j=1}^m u'_j y_j^{(m-1)} + \sum_{j=1}^m u_j y_j^{(m)} + \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \lambda_k \sum_{j=1}^m u_j y_j^{(k)} \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^m u'_j y_j^{(m-1)} + \sum_{j=1}^m u_j \underbrace{(y_j^{(m)} + \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \lambda_k y_j^{(k)})}_0 = \sum_{j=1}^m u'_j y_j^{(m-1)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow u'_1 y_1^{(m-1)} + u'_2 y_2^{(m-1)} + \dots + u'_m y_m^{(m-1)} = g$$

$$\textcircled{*}: u'_1 y_1^{(k)} + u'_2 y_2^{(k)} + \dots + u'_m y_m^{(k)} = 0 \quad \dots \quad \forall k \in \{0, \dots, m-2\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cccc} y_1 & y_2 & \cdots & y_m \\ y_1' & y_2' & \cdots & y_m' \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ y_1^{(m-2)} & y_2^{(m-2)} & \cdots & y_m^{(m-2)} \\ y_1^{(m-1)} & y_2^{(m-1)} & \cdots & y_m^{(m-1)} \end{array} \right] \cdot \left[\begin{array}{c} u'_1 \\ u'_2 \\ \vdots \\ u'_m \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ g \end{array} \right]$$

note: the determinant of this system
is $W(y_1, \dots, y_m)$

notation: $A^{i \rightarrow n} = i^{\text{th}} \text{ column of } A \text{ rows replaced by } \vec{v}$

$$\rightarrow \text{using Cramers rule: } u'_j = \frac{\det(A^{j \rightarrow n})}{W} \rightarrow \text{what is } \det(A^{j \rightarrow n})?$$

↳ when we replace the j^{th} column of A with \vec{v} , we will get
a column full of zeros, except for the last element = g

→ calculate the determinant using Laplace expansion of this column

$$\det(A^{j \rightarrow n}) = (-1)^{m+j} g \cdot W^j, \text{ where } W^j = \text{Wronskian of } \{y_1, \dots, y_m\} \setminus \{y_j\}$$

Examples:

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \underline{y'' + y = \sec(t)}$$

$$\hookrightarrow r^2 + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow r = \pm i \Rightarrow y_h(t) = C_1 \cos t + C_2 \sin t$$

$$W(\cos t, \sin t) = \begin{vmatrix} \cos t & \sin t \\ -\sin t & \cos t \end{vmatrix} = \cos^2 t + \sin^2 t = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow y_p(t) = -y_1 \int \frac{\sec(t)}{1} y_2 dt + y_2 \int \frac{\sec(t)}{1} y_1 dt$$

$$\begin{aligned} u &= \cos t \\ du &= -\sin t dt \end{aligned}$$

$$= -\cos t \int \sec \sin t dt + \sin t \int \sec \cos t dt = -\cos t \int \frac{\sin t}{\cos t} dt + \sin t \int 1 dt$$

$$= \cos(t) \cdot \ln |\cos t| + \sin(t) \cdot t$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{y(t) = C_1 \cos t + C_2 \sin t + \cos(t) \cdot \ln |\cos t| + t \sin t}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \underline{y'' - 2y' + y = e^{t \ln t}}$$

$$\hookrightarrow r^2 - 2r + 1 = (r-1)^2 \Rightarrow y_h(t) = (C_1 + C_2 t) \cdot e^t$$

$$\rightarrow y_1 = e^t, y_2 = t e^t \Rightarrow W = \begin{vmatrix} e^t & t e^t \\ e^t & t e^t + e^t \end{vmatrix} = e^{2t}(t+1) - e^{2t}t = e^{2t}$$

$$\Rightarrow y_p(t) = -e^t \int \frac{e^{t \ln t}}{e^{2t}} t e^t dt + t e^t \int \frac{e^{t \ln t}}{e^{2t}} e^t dt$$

$$= -e^t \int t \ln t dt + e^t \int \ln t dt$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} + \frac{D}{\ln t} & \frac{I}{t} \\ - \frac{1}{2} t^2 & - \frac{1}{2} t \end{array}$$

$$= -e^t \left(\frac{1}{2} t^2 \ln t - \frac{1}{2} \int t dt \right) + e^t (t \ln t - \int 1 dt)$$

$$= -e^t \left(\frac{1}{2} t^2 \ln t - \frac{1}{2} t^2 \right) + e^t (t \ln t - t)$$

$$= t^2 e^t \left(-\frac{1}{2} \ln t + \frac{1}{4} + \ln t - 1 \right) = \frac{1}{4} t^2 e^t (2 \ln t - 3)$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{y(t) = (C_1 + C_2 t) e^t + \frac{1}{4} t^2 e^t (2 \ln t - 3)}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \underline{y'' + 4y = \cos(2t)}$$

$$e^{2it} = \cos(2t) + i \sin(2t)$$

$$\hookrightarrow r^2 + 4 = 0 \Rightarrow r = \pm 2i \Rightarrow y_h(t) = C_1 \cos(2t) + C_2 \sin(2t)$$

$$\Rightarrow y_1 = \cos(2t), y_2 = \sin(2t) \Rightarrow W(y_1, y_2) = \begin{vmatrix} \cos(2t) & \sin(2t) \\ -2 \sin(2t) & 2 \cos(2t) \end{vmatrix} = 2C^2 + 2S^2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow y_p(t) = -\cos(2t) \int \frac{\cos(2t)}{2} \sin(2t) dt + \sin(2t) \int \frac{\cos(2t)}{2} \cos(2t) dt$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \cos(2t) \int 1 dt + \frac{1}{2} \sin(2t) \int \frac{\cos(2t)}{\sin(2t)} dt \quad \begin{array}{l} u = \sin(2t) \\ du = 2 \cos(2t) dt \end{array}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \cos(2t)(t+C) + \frac{1}{4} \sin(2t) (\ln |\sin(2t)| + D)$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{y(t) = C_1 \sin(2t) + C_2 \cos(2t) + \frac{1}{4} \sin(2t) \cdot \ln |\sin(2t)| - \frac{1}{2} t \cos(2t)}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad \text{Solve } xy'' - y' - xy' + y = 8x^2e^x$$

Given: $y_1 = x$, $y_2 = e^x$, $y_3 = e^{-x}$ form a fundamental set of solutions

$$W(x) = \begin{vmatrix} x & e^x & e^{-x} \\ 1 & e^x & -e^{-x} \\ 0 & e^x & e^{-x} \end{vmatrix} = 0 \cdot W_1 - e^x W_2 + e^{-x} W_3 = x+1 + x-1 = 2x$$

$$W_1(x) = \begin{vmatrix} e^x & e^{-x} \\ e^x & -e^{-x} \end{vmatrix} = -2, \quad W_2(x) = \begin{vmatrix} x & e^{-x} \\ 1 & -e^{-x} \end{vmatrix} = -e^{-x}(x+1), \quad W_3(x) = \begin{vmatrix} x & e^x \\ 1 & e^x \end{vmatrix} = e^x(x-1)$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = \frac{8x^2e^x}{x} = 8xe^x \Rightarrow \frac{g(x)}{W(x)} = \frac{8xe^x}{2x} = 4e^x$$

$$\Rightarrow u_1' = 4e^x \cdot W_1 = 4e^x(-2) \Rightarrow u_1 = -\int 8e^{2x} dx = -8e^{2x}$$

$$u_2' = -4e^x \cdot W_2 = -4e^x(-e^{-x}(x+1)) \Rightarrow u_2 = 4 \int x+1 dx = 2(x+1)^2$$

$$u_3' = 4e^x \cdot W_3 = 4e^x e^x (x-1) \Rightarrow u_3 = 4 \int e^{2x} (x-1) dx = 4 \left((x-1) \frac{1}{2} e^{2x} - \frac{1}{4} e^{2x} \right) = e^{2x} (2x-2-1) = e^{2x} (2x-3)$$

$$\Rightarrow y_h(x) = u_1 y_1 + u_2 y_2 + u_3 y_3 \\ = -8e^{2x} x + 2e^{2x} (x+1)^2 + e^{2x} (2x-3) = e^{2x} (-8x + 2x^2 + 4x + 2 + 2x - 3) \\ = e^{2x} (2x^2 - 2x - 1) \approx e^{2x} (2x^2 - 2x) = 2x e^{2x} (x-1)$$

\hookrightarrow note: $-e^x$ is a solution of the homogeneous equation

$$\Rightarrow y(x) = C_1 x + C_2 e^x + C_3 e^{-x} + 2x e^{2x} (x-1)$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad y^{(4)} - 4y'' = t^2 + e^t$$

$$r^4 - 4r^2 = r^2(r^2 - 4) = r^2(r-2)(r+2) \Rightarrow y_h(t) = C_1 e^{2t} + C_2 e^{-2t} + (C_3 + C_4 t) e^t$$

\Rightarrow undetermined coefficients

$$y_h(t) = A e^t + \underbrace{B t^2 + C t + D}_{\text{parts are included}} = A e^t + t^2(B e^t + C t + D) = A e^t + B e^t + (C t^3 + D t^2)$$

$$y_h''(t) = A e^t + 4B t + 3C + 2D$$

$$y_h^{(4)}(t) = A e^t + 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 B$$

$$\Rightarrow A e^t + 24B - 4(A e^t + 12B t^2 + 6C t + 2D) = t^2 + e^t$$

$$e^t: A - 4A = 1 \Rightarrow A = -\frac{1}{3}$$

$$1: 24B - 8D = 0 \Rightarrow 24(-\frac{1}{3}) = 8D \Rightarrow D = \frac{1}{8}(-\frac{1}{2}) = -\frac{1}{16}$$

$$t: -24C = 0 \Rightarrow C = 0$$

$$t^2: -48B = 1 \Rightarrow B = -\frac{1}{48}$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = C_1 e^{2t} + C_2 e^{-2t} + C_3 + C_4 t - \frac{1}{3} e^t - \frac{1}{16} t^2 - \frac{1}{48} t^4$$

$$\textcircled{6} \quad \underline{y'' + 4y' + 4y = e^{-2t} t^{-2}}, \quad t > 0$$

$$r^2 + 4r + 4 = (r+2)^2 \Rightarrow r=-2 \Rightarrow y_h(t) = (C_1 + C_2 t) e^{-2t}$$

\Rightarrow variation of parameters: $y_1 = e^{-2t}, \quad y_2 = t e^{-2t}$

$$\Rightarrow W(t) = \begin{vmatrix} e^{-2t} & t e^{-2t} \\ -2e^{-2t} & -2+t e^{-2t} + e^{-2t} \end{vmatrix} = e^{-2t} \cdot e^{-2t} (1-2t) + 2t e^{-4t} = e^{-4t}$$

$$\Rightarrow g(t)/W(t) = e^{-2t} t^{-2} \cdot e^{4t} = e^{2t}/t^2$$

$$\Rightarrow M_1 = -\frac{e^{2t}}{t^2} \cdot t e^{-2t} = -\frac{1}{t} \Rightarrow m_1 = -\ln|t| = -\ln t$$

$$M_2 = +\frac{e^{2t}}{t^2} \cdot e^{-2t} = \frac{1}{t^2} \Rightarrow m_2 = -\frac{1}{t}$$

$$\Rightarrow y_p(t) = M_1 y_1 + M_2 y_2 = -e^{-2t} \ln t - \frac{1}{t} t e^{-2t} = -e^{-2t} (1 + \ln t)$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = (C_1 + C_2 t) e^{-2t} - e^{-2t} (1 + \ln t) \approx \underline{(C_1 + C_2 t - \ln t) e^{-2t}}$$

$$\textcircled{7} \quad \underline{y'' - 3y' + 2y = 2\cos t - 3t + 4e^{2t}}$$

homogeneous: $r^2 - 3r + 2 = (r-1)(r-2) \Rightarrow y_h(t) = C_1 e^t + C_2 e^{2t}$

undetermined coefficients:

$$y_p = A \sin t + B \cos t + C t + D + E t e^{2t}$$

$$y'_p = A \cos t - B \sin t + C + E(e^{2t} + 2t e^{2t}) \quad \dots E \cdot e^{2t} (1+2t)$$

$$y''_p = -A \sin t - B \cos t + E(4e^{2t} + 4t e^{2t}) \quad \dots 4E e^{2t} (1+t)$$

coefficients:

$$\sin t: -A + 3B + 2A = 0 \Rightarrow A + 3B = 0 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} 10B = 2 \\ \Rightarrow B = \frac{1}{5} \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow B = \frac{1}{5} \Rightarrow A = -\frac{3}{5}$$

$$\cos t: -B - 3A + 2B = 2 \Rightarrow -3A + B = 2$$

$$e^{2t}: 4E - 3E = 4 \Rightarrow E = 4$$

$$t^1: 2C = -3 \Rightarrow C = -\frac{3}{2}$$

$$t^0: -3C + 2D = 0 \Rightarrow 9/2 + 2D = 0 \Rightarrow D = -\frac{9}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = C_1 e^t + C_2 e^{2t} + 4t e^{2t} - \frac{3}{5} \sin t + \frac{1}{5} \cos t - \frac{3}{2} t - \frac{9}{4}$$

Autonomous Systems

→ we have solved systems

$$\begin{aligned} x_1' &= f(t, x_1, x_2) \\ x_2' &= g(t, x_1, x_2) \end{aligned}$$

Def: A system of (not necessarily linear) ODEs is said to be autonomous ≡ the functions x_i' don't explicitly depend on t .

↪ in this case, the system can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} x_1' &= f(x_1, x_2) \\ x_2' &= g(x_1, x_2) \end{aligned}$$

⊗ $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}$, where $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is an autonomous system.

Theorem (E+U): If f, g are continuously differentiable then

→ for \tilde{x} initial condition $\tilde{x}(t_0) = \tilde{x}_0 \exists!$ solution $(x_1(t), x_2(t))$

Remark: The solution $(x_1(t), x_2(t))$ forms a parametric curve in \mathbb{R}^2

↪ distinct curves do not intersect (by uniqueness)

Idea: Autonomous systems are easier to visualize

↪ we can trace the trajectory of $\tilde{x}(t)$ as t changes

↪ a picture of the trajectories is called the phase portrait of the system

→ there are 3 basic cases: ($A \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$)

- A has 2 distinct eigenvalues λ_1, λ_2 $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 < 0 \Rightarrow$ nodal sink
- A has 1 eigenvalue $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 > 0 \Rightarrow$ nodal source
 diagonalizable $\lambda_1 \cdot \lambda_2 < 0 \Rightarrow$ saddle
 not diag.
- A has complex eigenvalues $\begin{cases} \text{Re } 0 \Rightarrow \text{circle} \\ \text{Re } \neq 0 \Rightarrow \text{spiral} \end{cases}$

Phase portraits $\tilde{x}(t) = A\tilde{x}(t)$, $A \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$

• Case 1: A has 2 distinct eigenvalues λ_1, λ_2

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t) = C_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} N_1 + C_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} N_2$$

a, $\lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < 0$ $\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t) \rightarrow 0$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$, but how?

→ the initial point $\tilde{x}(t_0) = \tilde{x}_0$ determines C_1 and C_2

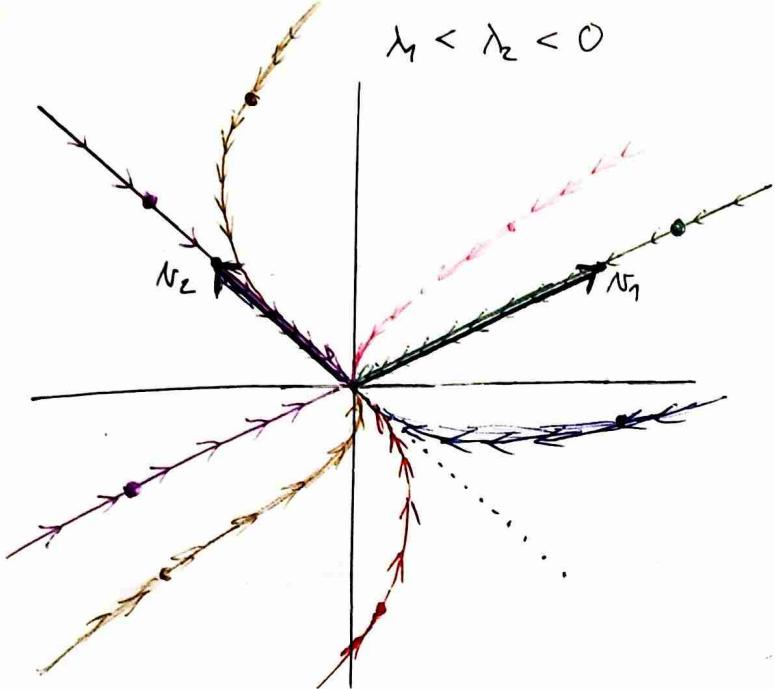
• $\tilde{x}_0 = a \cdot N_1 \Rightarrow C_2 = 0 \Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t) \rightarrow 0$ by the half line $(0, \tilde{x}_0) \sim N_1$

• $\tilde{x}_0 = b \cdot N_2 \Rightarrow C_1 = 0 \Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t) \rightarrow 0$ by the half line $(0, \tilde{x}_0) \sim N_2$

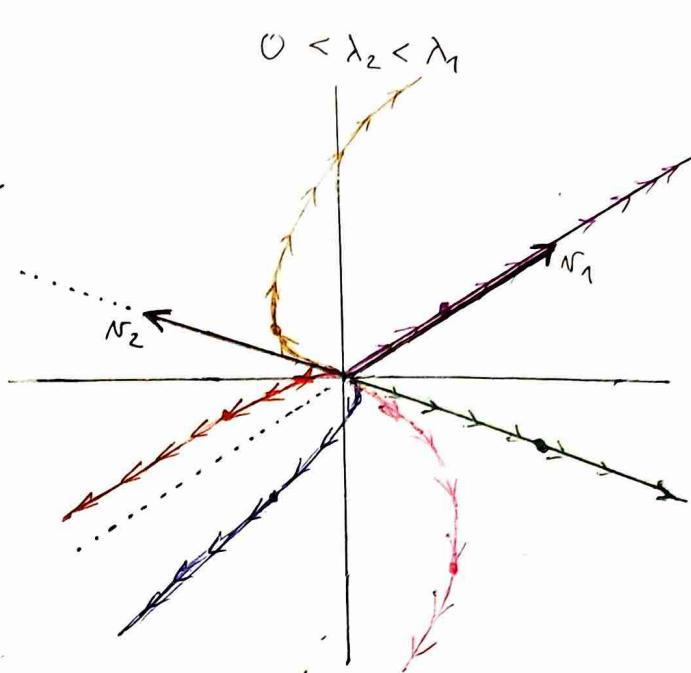
• else $\tilde{x}(t) = C_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} N_1 + C_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} N_2$ & recall $\lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < 0$

• $t \rightarrow \infty$: $C_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} N_2$ dominates $\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t)$ approaches 0 parallel to N_2

• $t \rightarrow -\infty$ $C_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} N_1$ dominates $\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t)$ diverges in parallel to N_1



origin = nodal sink (improper node)



origin = nodal source (improper node)

$$b_1 \quad \underline{0 < \lambda_2 < \lambda_1} \Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t) \rightarrow \tilde{\sigma} \text{ as } t \rightarrow -\infty$$

$\rightarrow \tilde{x}_0 = a \cdot N_1 \text{ or } \tilde{x}_0 = b \cdot N_2 \Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t) \text{ is a half line through } (\tilde{\sigma}, \tilde{x}_0)$

$$\rightarrow \text{else } \tilde{x}(t) = c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} N_1 + c_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} N_2 \quad \& \quad 0 < \lambda_2 < \lambda_1$$

• $t \rightarrow \infty$: $c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} N_1$ dominates $\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t)$ diverges in parallel to N_1

• $t \rightarrow -\infty$: $c_1 e^{\lambda_2 t} N_2$ dominates $\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t)$ approaches $\tilde{\sigma}$ in parallel to N_2

$$c) \quad \underline{\lambda_2 < 0 < \lambda_1}$$

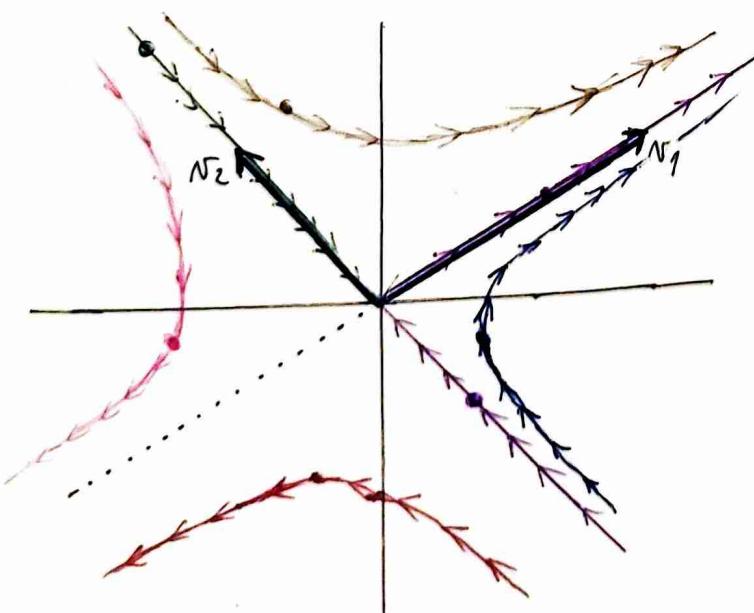
$\rightarrow \tilde{x}_0 = a N_1 \Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t)$ is a halfline through \tilde{x}_0 from the origin

$\tilde{x}_0 = b N_2 \Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t)$ is a halfline through \tilde{x}_0 to the origin

$$\rightarrow \text{else } \tilde{x}(t) = c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} N_1 + c_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} N_2 \quad \& \quad \lambda_2 < 0 < \lambda_1$$

• $t \rightarrow \infty$: $c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} N_1$ dominates $\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t)$ diverges in parallel to N_1

• $t \rightarrow -\infty$: $c_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} N_2$ dominates $\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t)$ diverges in parallel to N_2



origin = saddle point

Ex: Sketch the phase field of $\tilde{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \tilde{x}$

$$p_A(t) = (s+t)(1+t) \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = -3 \Rightarrow N_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \Rightarrow \lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < 0$$

$$\lambda_2 = -1 \Rightarrow N_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t) = c_1 e^{-3t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$1, \tilde{x}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 2N_1 \quad 2, \tilde{x}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = -2N_1$$

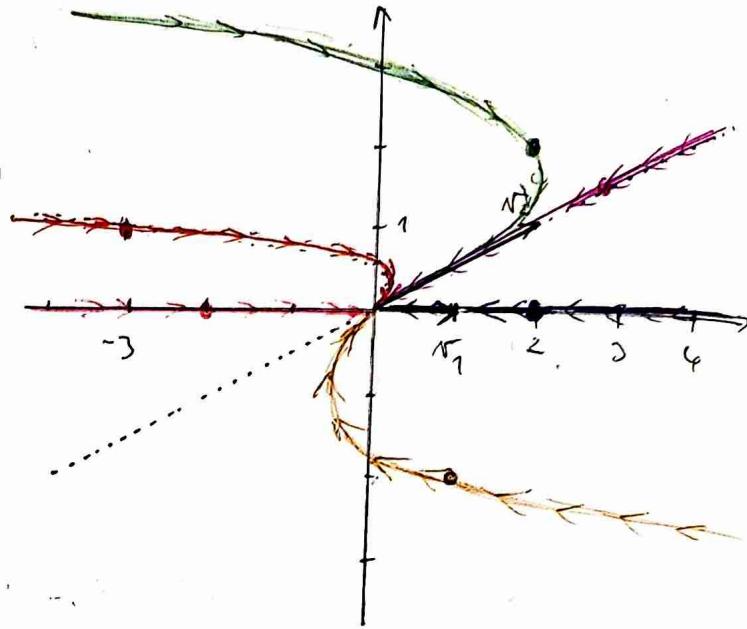
$$3, \tilde{x}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 2N_2$$

$$4, \tilde{x}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = N_2 - 2N_1$$

$\hookrightarrow t \rightarrow \infty: \tilde{x} \rightarrow 0, \lambda_2$ dominates
 $t \rightarrow -\infty: \tilde{x} \rightarrow \infty, \lambda_1$ dominates

$$5, \tilde{x}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = 2N_2 - 2N_1$$

$$6, \tilde{x}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} = -2N_2 + 5N_1$$



Case 2: repeated eigenvalue λ

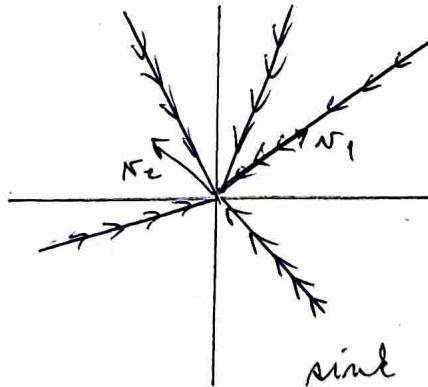
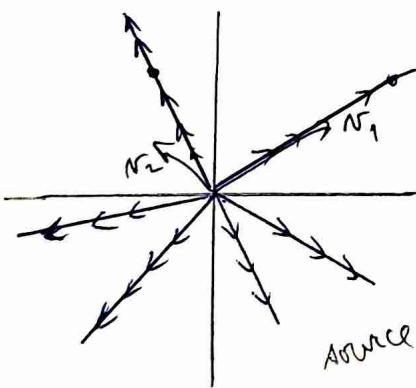
a) Geom(λ) = 2 \Rightarrow 2 linearly independent eigenvectors N_1, N_2

$$\tilde{x}(t) = c_1 e^{\lambda t} N_1 + c_2 e^{\lambda t} N_2 = e^{\lambda t} (c_1 N_1 + c_2 N_2)$$

\rightarrow the initial point $\tilde{x}(t_0) = \tilde{x}_0$ determines the vector $N_0 = c_1 N_1 + c_2 N_2$
 $\hookrightarrow N_0$ then gets scaled by $e^{\lambda t}$

$$\underline{\lambda > 0}$$

$$\underline{\lambda < 0}$$



origin = proper node

br, $\text{Geom}(\lambda) = 1$ \Rightarrow have to use Jordan normal form

$$\text{ex: } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow f_A(t) = (1-t)(3-t) + 1 = t^2 - 4t + 4 = (t-2)^2 \Rightarrow \lambda = 2$$

$$\lambda = 2: N(A-2I): \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow N(A-2I) = \left\{ d \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, d \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \Rightarrow \dim = 1$$

$$N_2 \in \mathbb{R} - N(A-2I) \Rightarrow \text{let } N_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow N_1 = (A-2I)N_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = RJSR^{-1} \quad \hookrightarrow R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow R^{-1} = \frac{1}{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x} \rightarrow \tilde{x} = R\tilde{z} \Rightarrow \tilde{z} = R^{-1}\tilde{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{z}' = R^{-1}\tilde{x}' = R^{-1}A\tilde{x} = R^{-1}RJSR^{-1}R\tilde{z} = J\tilde{z} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \tilde{z}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{aligned} z'_1 &= 2z_1 + z_2 = 2z_1 + C_2 e^{2t} \rightarrow u_1 = e^{-2t} \Rightarrow z_1 = e^{2t} \int C_2 dt = e^{2t}(C_2 t + C_1) \\ z'_2 &= 2z_2 \Rightarrow z_2 = C_2 e^{2t} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{x} = R\tilde{z} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} (C_1 + C_2 t)e^{2t} \\ C_2 e^{2t} \end{bmatrix} = \underbrace{(C_1 + C_2 t)e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{II}} + \underbrace{C_2 e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{III}}$$

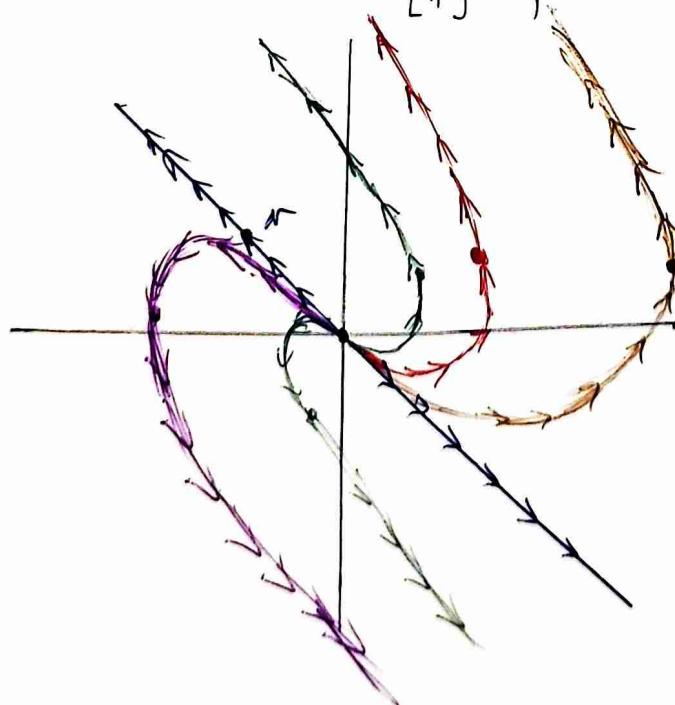
• $\tilde{x}_0 = a \cdot \tilde{x} \Rightarrow C_2 = 0 \Rightarrow \hat{x}(t) \sim \text{halfline from origin through } \tilde{x}_0$

$$\bullet \tilde{x}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = N_1 - 2N_2 \Rightarrow \hat{x}(t) = (1-2t)e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} - 2e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{diverges}}$$

• $t \rightarrow \infty$: $-2t e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ dominates but $-2e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ is not insignificant

• $t \rightarrow -\infty$: $-2t e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ dominates and $-2e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ is insignificant

$$\rightarrow t \rightarrow \infty: \hat{x}(t) \parallel \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, t \rightarrow -\infty, \hat{x}(t) \parallel \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{II}} \hat{x}(t) \rightarrow 0$$



origin = improper node

Case 3: $A \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$ has complex eigenvalues, $\lambda \pm i\mu$, $v_1 = \tilde{v}_2$ eigenvectors

\hookrightarrow complex solution: $e^{(\lambda+i\mu)t} v_1$, let $\tilde{v}_1 = \tilde{a} + i\tilde{b}$

$$= e^{\lambda t} (\cos \mu t + i \sin \mu t) (\tilde{a} + i\tilde{b})$$

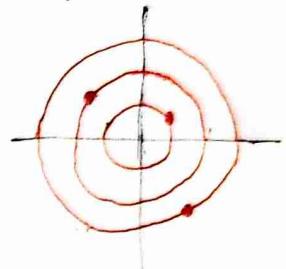
$$= e^{\lambda t} (\tilde{a} \cos \mu t - \tilde{b} \sin \mu t + i \tilde{b} \cos \mu t + i \tilde{a} \sin \mu t)$$

\Rightarrow real solution: $\tilde{x}(t) = c_1 e^{\lambda t} (\tilde{a} \cos \mu t - \tilde{b} \sin \mu t) + c_2 e^{\lambda t} (\tilde{b} \cos \mu t + \tilde{a} \sin \mu t) \in \mathbb{R}^2$

\rightarrow distance from origin:

$$|\tilde{x}(t)| = \sqrt{x_1(t)^2 + x_2(t)^2} = \dots = e^{\lambda t} \sqrt{c_1^2 + c_2^2}$$

origin = centre



a, if $\operatorname{Re} \lambda = \lambda = 0$, then $|\tilde{x}(t)| = \sqrt{c_1^2 + c_2^2}$

$\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t)$ is a circle centered at $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ passing through $\begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix}$

b, if $\lambda \neq 0$, then $|\tilde{x}(t)| = e^{\lambda t} \sqrt{c_1^2 + c_2^2}$

$\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t)$ is a spiral that winds around the origin

- $\lambda > 0$: away from the origin \Rightarrow source

- $\lambda < 0$: towards the origin \Rightarrow sink

Ex: $\tilde{x}'(t) = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} & 1 \\ -1 & -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \tilde{x}(t)$

$$\tilde{x}(t) = \left(\frac{1}{2} + t \right)^2 + 1 \Rightarrow \left(t + \frac{1}{2} \right)^2 = -1 \Rightarrow t + \frac{1}{2} = \pm i$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_{1,2} = -\frac{1}{2} \pm i \Rightarrow v_{1,2} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \pm i \end{pmatrix}$$

complex solution: $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} + i \\ i \end{pmatrix} e^{\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{pmatrix} t} = e^{-\frac{1}{2}t} (\cos t + i \sin t) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{pmatrix}$

real: $\tilde{x}(t) = c_1 e^{-\frac{1}{2}t} \begin{bmatrix} \cos t \\ -\sin t \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^{-\frac{1}{2}t} \begin{bmatrix} \sin t \\ \cos t \end{bmatrix} = e^{-\frac{1}{2}t} \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \cos t + c_2 \sin t \\ -c_1 \sin t + c_2 \cos t \end{bmatrix}$

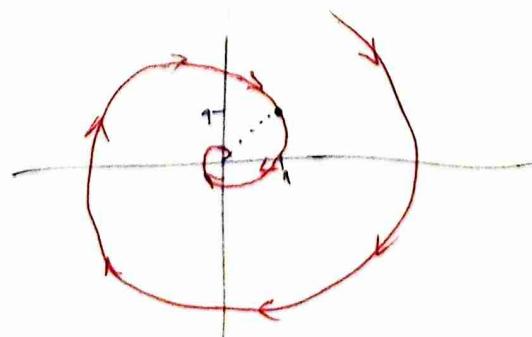
\Rightarrow suppose $\tilde{x}(0) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow |\tilde{x}(t)|^2 &= x_1(t)^2 + x_2(t)^2 = e^{-t} ((\cos t + \sin t)^2 + (\cos t - \sin t)^2) \\ &= e^{-t} (1 + 2 \cos t \sin t) + e^{-t} (1 - 2 \cos t \sin t) = 2e^{-t} \end{aligned}$$

\Rightarrow using trig for cos: $\tilde{x}(t) = \sqrt{2} e^{-t/2} \begin{bmatrix} \cos(t - \frac{\pi}{4}) \\ -\sin(t - \frac{\pi}{4}) \end{bmatrix}, |\tilde{x}(t)| = \sqrt{2} e^{-t/2}$

$$t \rightarrow \infty: \tilde{x}(t) \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$t \rightarrow -\infty: \tilde{x}(t) \rightarrow \infty$$



The Stability of Autonomous Systems

Def: An autonomous system is a system of ODEs of the form

$$\tilde{x}'(t) = F(\tilde{x}(t)), \text{ where } \tilde{x}: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m, F: \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$$

Def: $\tilde{x}_0 = \tilde{x}(t_0) \in \mathbb{R}^m$ is a critical point of the system $\tilde{x}' = F(\tilde{x}) \equiv F(\tilde{x}_0) = 0$.

⊗ The constant function $\tilde{x}_c: t \mapsto \tilde{x}_0$ is a solution of $\Rightarrow \tilde{x}'_c = 0 = F(\tilde{x}_0)$

⇒ C.P. are called equilibrium solutions of the system

↳ the solution begins and stays at the C.P. as t changes

⊗ The C.P. of the autonomous system $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}$, $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$ are $\{\tilde{c} \in \mathbb{R}^m | A\tilde{c} = 0\}$

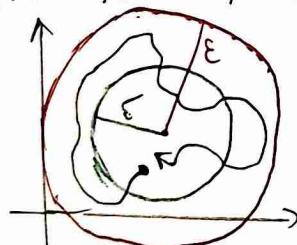
→ if A is invertible then $\tilde{c} = 0$ is the only C.P.

Ex: Find the C.P. of the system

$$\begin{aligned} x'_1 &= 1 - x_2 = f_1(x_1, x_2) = 0 \Rightarrow x_2 = 1 \\ x'_2 &= 4 - (x_1)^2 = f_2(x_1, x_2) = 0 \Rightarrow x_1 = \pm 2 \Rightarrow \text{C.P.} = \begin{bmatrix} \pm 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Def: A critical point \tilde{c} of the system $\tilde{x}' = F(\tilde{x})$ is said to be stable ≡

$$(\forall \varepsilon > 0)(\exists \delta > 0): \tilde{x}' = F(\tilde{x}) \Rightarrow (\|\tilde{x}(0) - \tilde{c}\| < \delta \Rightarrow \forall t > 0: \|\tilde{x}(t) - \tilde{c}\| < \varepsilon)$$



→ if every solution which starts sufficiently close to the C.P. stays close to the C.P. for $t > 0$
↳ then the C.P. is stable

Def: A stable C.P. is said to be asymptotically stable ≡

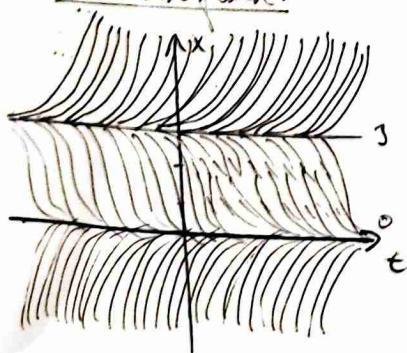
$$\exists \delta > 0: \tilde{x}' = F(\tilde{x}) \Rightarrow (\|\tilde{x}(0) - \tilde{c}\| < \delta \Rightarrow \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \tilde{x}(t) = \tilde{c})$$

Def: A C.P. is said to be unstable ≡ it is not stable.

Ex: $\frac{dx}{dt} = x^2 - 3x \rightarrow$ find the C.P. and classify them

$$\hookrightarrow x^2 - 3x = x(x-3) = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0 \vee x = 3$$

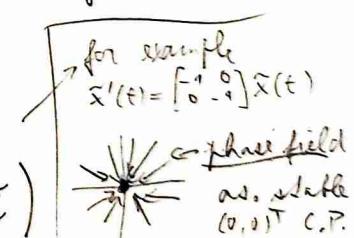
Direction field:



Are the C.P. stable?

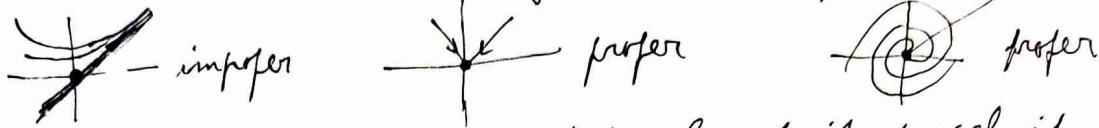
$x = 0$: asymptotically stable

$x = 3$: unstable



Def: A critical point \tilde{c} is called a node \Leftrightarrow every trajectory approaches \tilde{c} as $t \rightarrow \infty$ or every trajectory recedes from \tilde{c} as $t \rightarrow \infty$.

- a node is proper \Leftrightarrow no two distinct solution curves are tangent at the same line through the critical point



- a node is called a sink \Leftrightarrow all trajectories close to it approach it
- a node is called a source \Leftrightarrow all trajectories close to it recede from it

Stability of linear systems

\rightarrow Consider $\tilde{x}'(t) = A\tilde{x}(t)$, $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is invertible $\Rightarrow \tilde{x}_0 = 0$ is the only C.P.

\hookrightarrow suppose $\{\lambda_i\}$ are the eigenvalues of A

\hookrightarrow from the analysis of phase fields for $A \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$ we can see that 0 is stable $\Leftrightarrow \lambda_1 \leq 0 \text{ & } \lambda_2 \leq 0$ and this is true in general

Theorem: The C.P. $\tilde{x} = 0$ of the linear system $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}$ is

- stable $\Leftrightarrow \forall i: \underline{\operatorname{Re}(\lambda_i) \leq 0}$... $\operatorname{Re} = 0 \Rightarrow$ circle
- as. stable $\Leftrightarrow \forall i: \underline{\operatorname{Re}(\lambda_i) < 0}$

Idea: The solutions of $\tilde{x}' = A\tilde{x}$ can be written as $e^{At} \cdot \tilde{c}$; $c \in \mathbb{R}^n$

\hookrightarrow the entries in e^{At} involve expressions of the form

$$t^k e^{\lambda_i t} \sin \omega_i t, t^k e^{\lambda_i t} \cos \omega_i t \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } t \rightarrow \infty \Leftrightarrow \operatorname{Re}(\lambda_i) < 0$$

\rightarrow if one of the eigenvalues has positive real part, then some solutions grow exponentially and the zero C.P. is unstable

Ex: Consider $\tilde{x}'(t) = \begin{bmatrix} b & -1 \\ 1 & b \end{bmatrix} \tilde{x}(t)$. Determine the stability based on b .

$$f_A(t) = (b-t)^2 + 1 \Rightarrow (b-t)^2 = -1 \Rightarrow b-t = \pm i \Rightarrow \lambda_{1,2} = b \pm i$$

$\hookrightarrow \operatorname{Re}(\lambda_{1,2}) = b$ & the C.P. is $\tilde{x} = (0)$

$\Rightarrow (0, 0)^T$ is stable $\Leftrightarrow b \leq 0$

$(0, 0)^T$ is as. stable $\Leftrightarrow b < 0$

$(0, 0)^T$ is unstable $\Leftrightarrow b > 0$

$$\lambda_1 = b+i$$

$$\lambda_2 = b-i$$

↑

Ex: Do the same for $\tilde{x}'(t) = \begin{bmatrix} b & 1 \\ 1 & b \end{bmatrix} \tilde{x}(t)$ $\rightarrow f_A(t) = (b-t)^2 - 1 \Rightarrow b-t = \pm 1 \Rightarrow \lambda_{1,2} = b \pm 1$

$(0, 0)$ is stable $\Leftrightarrow b \pm 1 \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow b \leq -1$

$(0, 0)$ is as. stable $\Leftrightarrow b < -1$

$(0, 0)$ is unstable $\Leftrightarrow b > -1$

Ex: Consider the system $\dot{\tilde{x}}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} \tilde{x}(t)$

$$\hookrightarrow \text{let } T := \text{tr}(A) = a_{11} + a_{22} \quad \& \quad D := \det(A) = a_{11}a_{22} - a_{12}a_{21}$$

$$\rightarrow p_A(t) = (a_{11} - t)(a_{22} - t) - a_{12}a_{21} = t^2 - tT + D \Rightarrow \lambda_{1,2} = \frac{T \pm \sqrt{T^2 - 4D}}{2}$$

a) $D < 0 \Rightarrow \text{origin} = \text{saddle point}$

$$D < 0 \Rightarrow 4D < 0 \Rightarrow -4D > 0 \Rightarrow T^2 - 4D > T^2 \Rightarrow \sqrt{T^2 - 4D} > |T|$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \lambda_1 = \frac{1}{2}(T + \sqrt{\dots}) > \frac{1}{2}(T + |T|) \geq 0 \\ \lambda_2 = \frac{1}{2}(T - \sqrt{\dots}) < \frac{1}{2}(T - |T|) \leq 0 \end{array} \right\} \lambda_1 > 0 \quad \& \quad \lambda_2 < 0$$

b) $D > 0 \& T = 0 \Rightarrow \text{origin} = \text{centre}$ ($\tilde{x}(t)$ form circles around the origin)

\hookrightarrow want to show that $\text{Re}(\lambda_i) = 0$

$$T = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_{1,2} = \pm \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{-4D} = \pm i\sqrt{|D|} \dots \text{purely imaginary}$$

c) $D > 0 \& T < 0 \Rightarrow \text{origin} = \text{asym. stable}$

$$D > 0 \Rightarrow 4D > 0 \Rightarrow -4D < 0 \Rightarrow T^2 - 4D < T^2$$

$$\bullet \text{since } T^2 - 4D > 0: \sqrt{T^2 - 4D} < |T| = -T$$

$$\rightarrow T + \sqrt{\dots} < T + |T| = T - T = 0 \quad \left. \right\} \text{both eigenvalues} < 0$$

$$\rightarrow \underbrace{T}_{\ominus} - \underbrace{\sqrt{\dots}}_{\oplus} < 0$$

$$\bullet \frac{T^2 - 4D}{2} = 0: \lambda = T/2 < 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\bullet \frac{T^2 - 4D}{2} < 0:$$

$$\lambda_{1,2} = \frac{1}{2}(T + \sqrt{T^2 - 4D}) \Rightarrow \text{Re}(\lambda_{1,2}) = \frac{1}{2}T < 0 \Rightarrow \text{asym. stable}$$

Ex: Is the zero solution of the following systems stable? Asymptotically stable?

a) $x' = -2y, \quad y' = 2x$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow p_A(t) = t^2 + 4 \Rightarrow \lambda = \pm 2i \Rightarrow \text{Re}(\lambda) = 0$$

$\rightarrow 0$ is stable, but not asymptotically

b) $x' = x + 2y, \quad y' = x$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow p_A(t) = (1-t)(-t) - 2 = t^2 - t - 2 = (t-2)(t+1) \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 2, \lambda_2 = -1$$

$\rightarrow 0$ is unstable because $\text{Re}(\lambda) > 0$

c) $x' = x - 5y, \quad y' = x - 3y$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -5 \\ 1 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow p_A(t) = (1-t)(-3-t) + 5 = t^2 + 2t + 2 \Rightarrow \lambda_{1,2} = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4-8}}{2}$$

$\Rightarrow \text{Re}(\lambda_{1,2}) = -1 \Rightarrow 0$ is asymptotically stable

• Stability of more complicated systems

Ex: Find the C.P. if $\begin{cases} x'(t) = -2x - xy^2 \\ y'(t) = -2y^3 + x^2y \end{cases}$ and determine stability

$$\boxed{1} | x' = -x(2+y^2) = 0 \Rightarrow x=0 \quad \checkmark \quad y = \pm i\sqrt{2} \rightarrow \text{we want } R$$

$$\boxed{2} | y' = -y(2y^2 - x^2) = 0 \Rightarrow -y(2y^2) = 0 \Rightarrow y=0 \Rightarrow CP = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

→ let $z(t) = \begin{bmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{bmatrix}$ be a solution of the system and examine stability

↳ what happens to $\|z(t) - \sigma\|$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$?

$$\|z(t)\| = \sqrt{x^2(t) + y^2(t)} =: r(t) \Rightarrow r^2(t) = x^2(t) + y^2(t)$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}: 2rr' = 2xx' + 2yy'$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow rr' &= x(-2x - xy^2) + y(-2y^3 + x^2y) \\ &= -2x^2 - x^2ye - 2y^4 + x^2y^2 = -2(x^2 + y^4) \leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow rr' \leq 0 \quad \& \quad r = \text{dist} \geq 0 \Rightarrow r' \leq 0$$

$\Rightarrow r = \text{dist}$ is decreasing $\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ is a stable critical point

Ex: Find the C.P. of $\begin{cases} x' = -2x + 4xy^3 \\ y' = -y - 2x^2 \end{cases}$ and determine stability

$$\begin{aligned} x' = -2x(1 - 2y^3) = 0 &\Rightarrow x=0 \quad \checkmark \quad 1 = 2y^3 \Rightarrow y = 2^{-1/3} \\ y' = -(y + 2x^2) = 0 &\Rightarrow y=0 \quad \checkmark \quad 2^{-1/3} + 2x^2 \neq 0 \end{aligned} \Rightarrow CP = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ is the only C.P. Again let $z(t)$ be a solution and examine $\|z(t) - \sigma\|$

$$\|z(t)\| = \sqrt{x^2(t) + y^2(t)} =: r(t) \Rightarrow r^2(t) = x^2(t) + y^2(t)$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}: 2rr' = 2xx' + 2yy'$$

$$\begin{aligned} rr' &= x(-2x + 4xy^3) + y(-y - 2x^2) \\ &= -2x^2 + 4x^2y^3 - y^2 - 2yx^2 \end{aligned} \Rightarrow \text{not clear what is happening}$$

Let's consider the function

$$H(t) = x^2(t) + y^4(t)$$

$$\begin{aligned} H'(t) &= 2xx' + 4y^3y' = 2x(-2x + 4xy^3) + 4y^3(-y - 2x^2) \\ &= -4x^2 + 8x^2y^3 - 4y^4 - 8x^2y^3 \\ &= -4(x^2 + y^4) \leq 0 \Rightarrow H \text{ decreasing} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Moreover } H' = -4H \Rightarrow H(t) = C \cdot e^{-4t} = H(0) \cdot e^{-4t}$$

$$\textcircled{1} \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} H(t) = 0 \quad \& \quad \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} H(t) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} r(t) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \|z(t) - \sigma\| = 0$$

$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ is asymptotically stable

What exactly have we done?

→ we constructed functions $r(\epsilon) = \sqrt{x^2(\epsilon) + y^2(\epsilon)}$ and $H(\epsilon) = x^2(\epsilon) + y^4(\epsilon)$ that satisfied:

i) $r \geq 0$ & $r=0 \Leftrightarrow (x,y) = (0,0)$

ii) $\frac{dr}{d\epsilon} = \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{dx}{d\epsilon} + \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{dy}{d\epsilon} \leq 0$ i.e. $\nabla r \cdot F(\tilde{z}(\epsilon)) \leq 0$,

where $\tilde{z}(\epsilon) = \begin{bmatrix} x(\epsilon) \\ y(\epsilon) \end{bmatrix}$ is a solution of the system

→ if i) and ii) hold then σ is stable and if $\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} z(\epsilon) = \sigma$, then it is asymptotically stable

⇒ think about r as a positive-valued function

that lies over the xy plane (in which the solution curves lie) and touches it at the origin

→ $r(\epsilon)$ increases in all directions pointing away from the origin

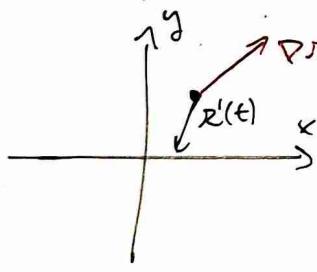
→ The gradient vectors $\nabla r(\epsilon)$ point away from the origin

$$\nabla r \cdot F(z(\epsilon)) = \nabla \cdot r \cdot z'(\epsilon) = |\nabla r| \cdot |z'(\epsilon)| \cdot \cos \theta \leq 0$$

→ $\theta = \text{acute angle between } \nabla r \text{ and } z'(\epsilon)$



⇒ $\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \theta \leq \pi \Rightarrow$ vectors ∇r and $z'(\epsilon)$ don't point in the same direction

 ⇒ since ∇r points away from the origin,
 $z'(\epsilon)$ = direction vector of the solution must point toward the origin
 ⇒ the origin is a stable critical point

⇒ Goal: construct more functions like r and H

Def: Let $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and let $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ with $\sigma \in D$.

Then f is said to be

① positive definite on $D \equiv \forall \tilde{x} \in D: f(\tilde{x}) \geq 0 \text{ & } f(\tilde{x}) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \tilde{x} = \sigma$

② positive semi-definite on $D \equiv \forall \tilde{x} \in D: f(\tilde{x}) \geq 0$

③ negative definite on $D \equiv \forall \tilde{x} \in D: f(\tilde{x}) \leq 0 \text{ & } f(\tilde{x}) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \tilde{x} = \sigma$

④ negative semi-definite on $D \equiv \forall \tilde{x} \in D: f(\tilde{x}) \leq 0$

⑤ indefinite = otherwise

Ex:

• $\sin(x^2 + y^2) \rightarrow$ positive definite on $D = \{(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x^2 + y^2 \leq \frac{\pi}{2}\}$

• $(x+y)^2 \rightarrow$ positive semi-definite on $D = \{(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x^2 + y^2 \leq 1\}$ but also $D = \mathbb{R}^2$

Theorem: Suppose an $n \times n$ autonomous system

$$\tilde{x}'(t) = F(\tilde{x}(t)) , \quad F: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$$

has a critical point at the origin i.e. $F(0) = 0$.

If there exists a function $V: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ s.t.

i) V is continuous

ii) V has continuous first order partial derivatives } $V \in C^1$

iii) V is positive definite on some open region $\sigma \in D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$

Then if on D is

- (1) $\nabla V \cdot \tilde{x}'(t)$ negative definite $\Rightarrow 0$ is asymptotically stable
- (2) $\nabla V \cdot \tilde{x}'(t)$ negative semi-definite $\Rightarrow 0$ is stable
- (3) $\nabla V \cdot \tilde{x}'(t)$ positive definite $\Rightarrow 0$ is unstable

Proof: We will show (2).

$$t=0$$



\rightarrow let $\epsilon > 0$, we will show that $\exists \delta: \tilde{x}(0) \in D: \& \| \tilde{x}(0) \| < \delta$,
then $\forall t \geq 0: \| \tilde{x}(t) \| < \epsilon$

since D is open, if we shrink δ enough we have $\| \tilde{x}(0) \| < \delta \Rightarrow \tilde{x}(0) \in D$

\Rightarrow choose $0 < r < \epsilon$ small enough s.t. $C_r := \{ \tilde{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid \| \tilde{x} \| = r \} \subseteq D$

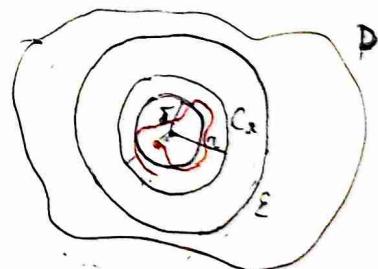
Since V is continuous and C_r is closed and bounded, V has a max and min on C_r

\Rightarrow define $m := \min_{\tilde{x} \in C_r} V(\tilde{x})$

$m > 0 \because V$ is positive definite and $0 \notin C_r$

Since V is continuous and $V(0) = 0$, $\exists \delta > 0$, s.t.

$\| \tilde{x} - 0 \| = \| \tilde{x} \| < \delta \Rightarrow \| V(\tilde{x}) - V(0) \| = \| V(\tilde{x}) \| < \frac{m}{2}$



$\delta \leq r \dots$ suppose $\delta > r$, then $\| \tilde{x} \| < \delta$ holds for points in C_r and $\| V(\tilde{x}) \| < \frac{m}{2}$ is not true $\&$

\rightarrow we will show that $\| \tilde{x}(0) \| < \delta \Rightarrow \forall t \geq 0: \| \tilde{x}(t) \| < r < \epsilon$

\Rightarrow suppose T is the first point to violate this. Therefore $\| \tilde{x}(T) \| = r$, $T \in C_r$ and for $0 \leq t < T$, $\tilde{x}(t)$ lies within C_r .

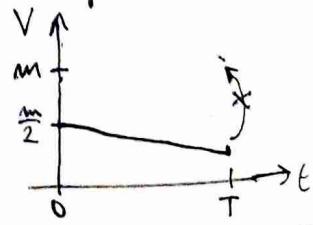
$\frac{d}{dt} (V(\tilde{x}(t))) = \nabla V(\tilde{x}(t)) \cdot \tilde{x}'(t) \leq 0 \dots \nabla V \cdot \tilde{x}'$ is negative semi-definite

$\Rightarrow V(\tilde{x}(t))$ is decreasing on $[0, T]$, therefore using

$\| \tilde{x}(0) \| < 0 \Rightarrow \forall 0 \leq t < T: V(\tilde{x}(t)) \leq V(\tilde{x}(0)) < \frac{m}{2}$

\rightarrow since V is continuous, $V(\tilde{x}(T)) \leq m$ (see picture).

\hookrightarrow but $T \in C_r$, therefore m is not the minimum



Def: A Lyapunov function of the autonomous system $\tilde{x}'(t) = F(\tilde{x}(t))$, $F: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ is a function $V: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ satisfying i), ii), iii), and ②

Ex: Show that the zero equilibrium solution is stable for $\begin{cases} x' = y^2 - x^3 \\ y' = -y - 2xy \end{cases}$

→ check that (0) is a C.P. ... ✓

→ consider $V(x,y) = ax^2 + by^2$, $a, b > 0$

↳ V is C^1 and $V \geq 0$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = \nabla V \cdot F = 2axx' + 2byy' = 2ax(y^2 - x^3) + 2by(-y - 2xy)$$

$$= 2axy^2 - 2ax^4 - 2by^2 - 4bx^2y^2 = 2xy^2(a - 2x^2) - 2(ax^4 + by^2)$$

→ we want this ≤ 0 ⇒ let $a = 2b$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dV}{dt} = -2(ax^4 + by^2) \leq 0$$

⇒ $\nabla V \cdot F$ is negative definite ⇒ 0 is asymptotically stable

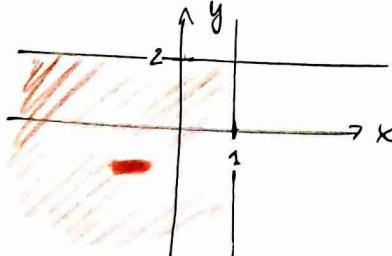
Ex: By constructing a Lyapunov function of the form $V(x,y) = ax^2 + by^2$

show that the zero solution of $\begin{cases} x' = y^2 - 2x \\ y' = x^2 - y \end{cases}$ is asymptotically stable

$$V(x,y) = ax^2 + by^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{dV}{dt} &= 2axx' + 2byy' = 2ax(y^2 - 2x) + 2by(x^2 - y) \\ &= 2axy^2 - 4ax^2 + 2byx^2 - 2by^2 = 2x^2(by - 2a) + 2y^2(ax - b) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{let } a = 1, b = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{dV}{dt} = 2x^2(y - 2) + 2y^2(x - 1)$$



$$\Rightarrow \text{let } D = \{(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid y < 2 \text{ and } x < 1\}$$

↳ V is positive definite
↳ $\frac{dV}{dt}$ is negative definite ⇒ 0 is asym. stable



Def: If $V: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a negative definite Lyapunov function, then it is said to be a strict Lyapunov function.

Ex: Find the C.P. of $\begin{aligned} x' &= -x - \frac{x^3}{3} - x \sin y \\ y' &= -y - \frac{y^3}{3} \end{aligned}$ and determine its stability

$$\begin{aligned} \text{① } -x - \frac{x^3}{3} - x \sin y &= 0 \Leftrightarrow -x\left(1 + \frac{x^2}{3} + \sin y\right) = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0 \\ \text{② } -y - \frac{y^3}{3} &= 0 \Rightarrow y = 0 \end{aligned} \Rightarrow \text{C.P.} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

Let $V(x,y) = ax^2 + by^2$, $a, b > 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dV}{dt} &= 2ax(-x - \frac{x^3}{3} - x \sin y) + 2by(-y - \frac{y^3}{3}) \\ &= -2ax^2\left(1 + \frac{x^2}{3} + \sin y\right) - 2by^2\left(1 + \frac{y^2}{3}\right) \leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

→ two options how to approach this

1) realize that $1 + \sin y \geq 0 \Rightarrow \frac{dV}{dt}$ negative definite on \mathbb{R}^2

2) we don't need the whole \mathbb{R}^2 , just need an open region containing σ

$$\hookrightarrow \sin y \geq 0 \text{ when } |y| \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow D = \{(x,y) \mid x \in \mathbb{R}, |y| \leq \frac{\pi}{2}\}$$

→ since $\frac{dV}{dt}$ is negative definite, σ is asymptotically stable

Ex: Let $a > 0$. Show that $V(x,y) = x^2 + 2y^2$ is a strict Lyapunov function

for the system $x' = ay^2 - x$, $y' = -y - ax^2$.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dV}{dt} &= 2x x' + 4y y' = 2x(ay^2 - x) - 4y(-y - ax^2) \\ &= 2axy^2 - 2x^2 - 4y^2 + 4ayx^2 \\ &= -2x^2(1 + 2ay) - 2y^2(2 - ax) \leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{need } 1 + 2ay > 0 \Rightarrow y > -\frac{1}{2a} \quad \Rightarrow D = \{(x,y) \mid x < \frac{2}{a} \text{ and } y > -\frac{1}{2a}\}$$

$\hookrightarrow \sigma \in D$ since $1 > 0$ & $2 > 0 \Rightarrow V$ is negative definite on D

Ex: Show that $V(x,y) = y^2 + \ln(1+x^2)$ is a Lyapunov function for the system

$$x'(\epsilon) = x(y-1), \quad y'(\epsilon) = -\frac{x^2}{1+x^2}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} V(x,y) &= y^2 + \underbrace{\ln(1+x^2)}_{=0} \quad \text{and } \ln(x) > 0 \text{ for } x > 1 \\ &\Rightarrow y = 0 \text{ and } x = 0 \end{aligned} \right\} V \text{ is positive definite}$$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = 2yy' + \frac{2xx'}{1+x^2} = -\frac{2yx^2}{1+x^2} + \frac{2x^2(y-1)}{1+x^2} \approx \leftarrow \text{preserve sign}$$

$$\approx -yx^2 + x^2(y-1) = -x^2 \leq 0 \quad \text{and } \frac{dV}{dt} = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = 0, y \in \mathbb{R}$$

$\Rightarrow \frac{dV}{dt}$ is neg. semi-def $\Rightarrow V(x,y)$ is a Lyapunov function

Ex: Show that the zero solution of the system $\begin{aligned}x' &= x^3 - y^3 \\y' &= 2xy^2 + 4x^2y + 2y^3\end{aligned}$ is unstable

$$V(x, y) = ax^2 + by^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dV}{dt} &= 2axx' + 2byy' = 2ax(x^3 - y^3) + 2by(2xy^2 + 4x^2y + 2y^3) \\&\approx ax^4 - axy^3 + 2bx^3y^3 + 4bx^2y^2 + 2by^4 \\&= x^2(ax^2 + 4by^2) + 2by^4 + xy^3(2b - a)\end{aligned}$$

→ let $2b = a > 0$, then

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = x^2(ax^2 + 4by^2) + 2by^4 \geq 0 \quad \text{is positive definite} \Rightarrow \text{it is unstable}$$

Reduction of Order

Suppose y_1 is a solution of the homogeneous equation

$$a_m(t)y^{(m)}(t) + a_{m-1}(t)y^{(m-1)}(t) + \dots + a_1(t)y'(t) + a_0(t)y(t) = \sum_{i=0}^m a_i(t)y^{(i)}(t) = 0$$

and we want to solve the associated inhomogeneous equation

$$\textcircled{*} \quad \sum_{i=0}^m a_i(t)y^{(i)}(t) = g(t)$$

Method: Consider $z(t) = v(t)y_1(t)$... what must v satisfy for z to solve $\textcircled{*}$?

$$\begin{aligned}z' &= vy' + v'y \\z'' &= vy'' + 2v'y' + v''y\end{aligned} \rightarrow z^{(n)} = \sum_{k=0}^m \binom{n}{k} y^{(k)} v^{(n-k)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=0}^m a_i(t) \sum_{k=0}^i \binom{i}{k} y^{(k)} v^{(i-k)} = g(t) \quad \rightarrow \text{take out } \binom{i}{k} y^{(k)} v^{(i-k)} = y^{(i)} v$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sum_{i=0}^m a_i(t) \left(y^{(i)} v + \sum_{k=0}^{i-1} \binom{i}{k} y^{(k)} v^{(i-k)} \right) &= \dots \\= v \underbrace{\sum_{i=0}^m a_i(t) y^{(i)}(t)}_{\textcircled{O}} + \underbrace{\sum_{i=0}^m a_i(t) \sum_{k=0}^{i-1} \binom{i}{k} y^{(k)} v^{(i-k)}}_{\text{ODE in } v \text{ of order } m-1} &= g(t),\end{aligned}$$

→ solve the $m-1$ order ODE for v' to get $z = yv$

Usage: → if we get the gen. solution with $m-1$ parameters, then $v = \int v' dt$ gives the m^{th} parameter $\Rightarrow z$ is general

(1) Solving inhomogeneous equations

(2) consider that we have 1 solution of a homogeneous ODE and we want a new, independent one

→ use reduction of order with $g(t) = 0$

Ex:

① Solve $t^2 y'' - 2t y' + 2y = t\sqrt{t}$, $t > 0$

→ To use RoO we first need a solution of the hom. eq.

$$t^2 y'' - 2t y' + 2y = 0 \quad \dots \text{ Euler eq.}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \text{guess: } y = t^n \Rightarrow y' = n t^{n-1} \Rightarrow y'' = n(n-1) t^{n-2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (n(n-1) - 2n + 2)t^n = 0$$

$$n^2 - 3n + 2 = (n-1)(n-2) = 0 \Rightarrow y_h = C_1 t + C_2 t^2$$

→ lets take $y = t$ and perform reduction of order

$$\hookrightarrow \text{let } z = t \cdot v(t) \Rightarrow z' = t v' + v \Rightarrow z'' = t v'' + 2v'$$

$$\Rightarrow t^2(t v'' + 2v') - 2t(t v' + v) + 2t v = t\sqrt{t}$$

$$v''(t^3) + v'(2t^2 - 2t^2) + v(-2t + 2t) = t\sqrt{t}$$

$$\Rightarrow t^3 v'' = t\sqrt{t} \Rightarrow v'' = t^{-3/2}$$

$$\Rightarrow v' = \int t^{-3/2} dt = \frac{t^{-1/2}}{-1/2} + C = -2t^{-1/2} + C$$

$$\Rightarrow v = \int -2t^{-1/2} + C dt = -2 \frac{t^{1/2}}{1/2} + Ct + D = -4\sqrt{t} + Ct + D$$

$$\Rightarrow z(t) = t v(t) = \underbrace{-4t\sqrt{t}}_{y_h(t)} + \underbrace{Ct^2 + Dt}_{y_p(t)}$$

② Solve $y'' - t^{-1} y' + t^{-2} y = 0$, $t > 0$

$$\hookrightarrow t^2 y'' - t y' + y = 0 \dots \rightarrow \text{guess } y = t^n$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{indicial eq. } n(n-1) - n + 1 = n^2 - 2n + 1 = (n-1)^2 = 0 \Rightarrow n=1$$

$\Rightarrow y(t) = t$ is a solution

$$\text{RoO: } z(t) = t v \Rightarrow z' = t v' + v \Rightarrow z'' = t v'' + 2v'$$

$$\Rightarrow t^2(t v'' + 2v') - t(t v' + v) + t v = 0$$

$$v''(t^3) + v'(2t^2 - t^2) + v(-t + t) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t^3 v'' + t^2 v' = 0 \dots v' := v'$$

$$\hookrightarrow v' + t^2 v = 0 \Leftrightarrow t v' + v = 0 \Leftrightarrow \frac{dv}{dt} = -\frac{v}{t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{dv}{v} = \int -\frac{dt}{t} \Rightarrow \ln|v| = -\ln|t| + C = \ln t^{-1} + C, t > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow |v| = A \cdot t^{-1}, A \in \mathbb{R}^+ \Rightarrow v = B \cdot t^{-1}, B \in \mathbb{R} \dots v=0 \text{ is also a soluti}$$

$$\Rightarrow v = \int B t^{-1} dt = D \ln t + C$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = t v = B t \ln t + C t$$

③ Verify that $y(t) = e^{2t}$ solves $y'' - (4 + \frac{2}{\epsilon})y' + (4 + \frac{4}{\epsilon})y = 0$, $t > 0$
and hence find the general solution.

$$y = e^{2t}, \quad y' = 2e^{2t}, \quad y'' = 4e^{2t} \Rightarrow 4 - (4 + \frac{2}{\epsilon})2 + (4 + \frac{4}{\epsilon}) = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{R.o.: } z = e^{2t}n \Rightarrow z' = e^{2t}n' + 2e^{2t}n \Rightarrow z'' = e^{2t}n'' + 4e^{2t}n' + 4e^{2t}n$$

$$\Rightarrow n'' + 4n' + 4n - (4 + \frac{2}{\epsilon})(n' + 2n) + (4 + \frac{4}{\epsilon})n = 0$$

$$n'' + n'(4 - 4 - \frac{2}{\epsilon}) + n(4 - 8 - \frac{4}{\epsilon} + 4 + \frac{4}{\epsilon}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow n'' - \frac{2}{\epsilon}n' = 0 \quad \dots \quad m := n'$$

$$m' - \frac{2}{\epsilon}m = 0 \quad \rightarrow \mu = e^{\int -\frac{2}{\epsilon} dt} = e^{-2\ln t} = t^{-2}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = t^2 \cdot \int 0 dt = C \cdot t^2$$

$$\Rightarrow n = \int m dt = \int C \epsilon^2 dt = C_1 \epsilon^3 + C_2$$

$$\Rightarrow z(t) = e^{2t}n = (C_1 + C_2 \epsilon^3) e^{2t}$$

$$\text{Check for lin. independence: } W(e^{2t}, t^3 e^{2t}) = \begin{vmatrix} e^{2t} & t^3 e^{2t} \\ 2e^{2t} & 3t^2 e^{2t} + 2t^3 e^{2t} \end{vmatrix} = e^{2t} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & t^3 \\ 2 & 3t^2 + 2t^3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \epsilon=1: e^2 \cdot \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3+2 \end{vmatrix} = e^2(5-2) \neq 0 \quad \checkmark$$

④ Solve $\epsilon^3 y'' - \epsilon y' + y = 0$, $t > 0$

$$\text{guess: } y(t) = t^n \Rightarrow \underbrace{\epsilon^3 \cdot n(n-1)t^{n-2}}_{\epsilon \cdot n(n-1)} - \epsilon n \cdot \epsilon^{n-1} + \epsilon^n = 0 \quad \Rightarrow y_1(t) = t$$

$$\underbrace{n(n-1)}_{n=0 \vee n=1} - n + 1 = 0 \quad \rightarrow \begin{cases} n=0 \\ n=1 \end{cases} \text{ works}$$

$$\text{R.o.: } z(t) = y_1(t)n(t) = t^n \Rightarrow z' = \epsilon n' + n \Rightarrow z'' = \epsilon n'' + 2n'$$

$$\rightarrow \epsilon^3(\epsilon n'' + 2n') - \epsilon(\epsilon n' + n) + \epsilon n = 0$$

$$\epsilon^4 n'' + n' (2\epsilon^3 - \epsilon^2) = 0 \quad \dots \quad m := n'$$

$$\rightarrow \epsilon^4 m' + m(2\epsilon^3 - \epsilon^2) = 0 \quad \Leftrightarrow \epsilon^2 m' + (2\epsilon - 1)m = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dm}{d\epsilon} = \frac{(1-2\epsilon)m}{\epsilon^2} \Rightarrow \int \frac{dm}{m} = \int \frac{1-2\epsilon}{\epsilon^2} d\epsilon = \int \epsilon^{-2} - 2\epsilon^{-1} d\epsilon$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln|m| = -\epsilon^{-1} - 2\ln\epsilon + C \Rightarrow |m| = A \cdot e^{-\epsilon^{-1}} \epsilon^{-2}, \quad A \in \mathbb{R}^+$$

$$\Rightarrow m = B \cdot \bar{e}^{-\epsilon^{-1}} \cdot \epsilon^{-2}, \quad B \in \mathbb{R} \quad \dots \quad m=0 \text{ works as well}$$

$$\Rightarrow n = \int m dt = B \int \epsilon^{-2} \bar{e}^{-\epsilon^{-1}} dt = \left| \frac{m = -\epsilon^{-1}}{du = \epsilon^{-2}} \right| = B \int e^u du = B(e^u + D)$$

$$= C_1 e^{-\epsilon^{-1}} + C_2$$

$$\Rightarrow z = t n = C_1 \epsilon e^{-\epsilon^{-1}} + C_2 \epsilon$$

Solving ODEs using Power Series

Def: A power series about the point x_0 is a series of the form

$$f(x) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m (x - x_0)^m, \quad a_i \in \mathbb{R}$$

Def: The radius of convergence of a power series is $R \in \mathbb{R}^+ \cup \{\infty\}$ s.t.

$|x - x_0| < R \Rightarrow$ the power series converges at x — we say the x is in the radius of convergence
 $|x - x_0| > R \Rightarrow$ the power series diverges at x

Fact: Power series converge absolutely within the radius of convergence

⇒ they can be added, multiplied, differentiated and integrated term by term and it will hold inside of the radius

→ we can find the radius of convergence using $\frac{1}{R} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right|$

Def: The function $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is analytic at the point $x_0 \in \mathbb{F}$, power series about x_0 with radius of convergence $R > 0$ s.t. $|x - x_0| < R \Rightarrow F(x) = f(x)$.

Convergent power series about x_0 form a vector space with basis $\{(x - x_0)^m \mid m \in \mathbb{N}_0\}$

Polynomials are a special type of power series. Since polynomials converge everywhere, they are analytic and have ∞ radius of convergence.

↪ degree of a polynomial = $d \equiv a_d \neq 0 \wedge n > d \Rightarrow a_n = 0$.

Example: Find a power series solution of the ODE $(4-x^2)y'' + 6y = 0$

$$\text{Let } y = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^m \Rightarrow y' = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} m a_m x^{m-1} \Rightarrow y'' = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} m(m-1) a_m x^{m-2}$$

$$\hookrightarrow_{m=0,1} \Rightarrow \sum_{m=2}^{\infty} \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow (4-x^2) \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} m(m-1) a_m x^{m-2} + 6 \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^m = 0$$

coefficients:

$$\forall m \geq 0: x^m: 4(m+2)(m+1)a_{m+2} - m(m-1)a_m + 6a_m = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a_{m+2} = a_m \frac{m(m-1) - 6}{4(m+2)(m+1)} = a_m \frac{m^2 - m - 6}{4(m+2)(m+1)} = a_m \frac{(m-3)(m+2)}{4(m+2)(m+1)} = a_m \frac{m-3}{4(m+1)}$$

→ we can use generating functions to find an exact formula for a_n using a_0 and a_1
↪ and from this perhaps an exact formula for y

→ but we can easily get a particular solution of the ODE:

$$\textcircled{1} \quad a_5 = a_3 \cdot \frac{3-3}{4 \cdot (4)} = 0 \Rightarrow a_5, a_7, a_9, \dots = 0$$

$$a_3 = a_1 \cdot \frac{1-3}{4 \cdot 2} = -\frac{1}{4}a_1$$

$\textcircled{2}$ if we let $a_3 = 0$, we have $a_2, a_4, \dots = 0$

⇒ a non-zero polynomial solution is given by

$$y(x) = a_1 x + a_3 x^3 = a_1 x - \frac{1}{4}a_1 x^3 = \underline{\underline{a_1 x \left(1 - \frac{x^2}{4}\right)}}$$

→ if this was an IVP and we knew $y(0)$, we could figure out a_0 and $y'(0)$ would give us a_1 .

⇒ consider $y(0)=1$ & $y'(0)=0$

$$y(0)=1 = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n \Rightarrow a_0 = 1$$

$$y'(0)=0 = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n a_n x^{n-1} \Rightarrow a_1 = 0 \Rightarrow \text{all odd terms} = 0$$

$$\rightarrow a_2 = -\frac{3}{4}a_0 = -\frac{3}{4} \Rightarrow a_4 = \frac{2-3}{4(2+1)}a_2 = -\frac{1}{12} \cdot \left(-\frac{3}{4}\right) = \frac{1}{16} \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x) = 1 - \frac{3}{4}x^2 + \frac{1}{16}x^4 + \dots$$

• Ordinary and singular points

→ the form of a power series solution depends on the type of point the expansion is about

Def: Consider the linear 2nd order ODE in standard form

$$y'' + p y' + q y = g, \quad p, q, g : I \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

The point $x_0 \in I$ is an

i) ordinary point $\equiv p, q, r$ are analytic at x_0

ii) singular point \equiv otherwise

If this is a homogeneous eq. $r(x)=0$, then x_0 is a

iii) regular singular point $\equiv x_0$ is a singular point, but

$(x-x_0)p$ and $(x-x_0)^2q$ are analytic at x_0

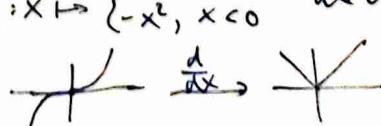
iv) essential singularity \equiv otherwise

$\textcircled{1}$ If $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is analytic at x_0 , then it is infinitely differentiable at x_0

↳ it can be expressed as a power series

⇒ if f is not differentiable at x_0 , it is not analytical there

Ex: $|x|$ at 0, $\frac{1}{x}$ at 0, $\frac{x}{(x-2)^2}$ at 2, $f : x \mapsto \begin{cases} x^2, & x \geq 0 \\ -x^2, & x < 0 \end{cases}$ at 0



no derivative
at $x=0$

Series Solutions about an Ordinary Point

$$y'' + p y' + q = r, \quad x_0 \text{ is an ordinary point}$$

- 1) Substitute $y = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (x-x_0)^n$, y' and y'' into the equation
- 2) If p, q or r are something like $\frac{x^2}{x-x_0}$, then multiply it out
so there are no fractions, it will make everything easier
- 3) Expand the resulting coefficients to be powerseries about x_0 (Taylor series)
- 4) Group the terms by powers of $(x-x_0)$ and find a formula for the coefficients
 \Rightarrow there will be two undetermined coefficients and the rest expressed recursively
 \Rightarrow we can use generating functions to find an expression for them
 \Rightarrow the two unknown coefficients can be found if given $y(x_0)$ and $y'(x_0)$
- 5) The radius of convergence of the resulting series is the largest radius which avoids any singular points $\rightarrow (x_0-R, x_0+R) \not\ni \text{sing. point}$

Series Solutions about a Regular Singular Point

Theorem (Fuchs): Consider the second order linear ODE

$$(x-x_0)^2 y'' + (x-x_0)p y' + q y = 0, \quad p, q \text{ analytic at } x_0$$

Divide by x^2 to obtain

$$y'' + \frac{p}{x-x_0} y' + \frac{q}{(x-x_0)^2} y = 0 \Rightarrow x_0 \text{ is a regular singular point}$$

There exists a solution of the form

$$y(x) = (x-x_0)^r \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (x-x_0)^n, \quad r \in \mathbb{C}, \quad a_0 \neq 0$$

Def: An Euler equation is an equation which can be written in the form

$$ax^2 y'' + bx y' + cy = 0, \quad a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}, \quad a \neq 0$$

Method: We will focus on finding solutions defined on the interval $(0, \infty)$

\rightarrow They will have the form x^n , which is defined for $x \in (0, \infty)$

$$\text{guess: } y = x^n, \quad y' = n x^{n-1}, \quad y'' = n(n-1) x^{n-2}$$

$$\Rightarrow ax^2 n(n-1) x^{n-2} + bx n x^{n-1} + cx^n = x^n (an(n-1) + bn + c) = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow p(n) := an(n-1) + bn + c = 0$$

→ The polynomial $f(r)$ is called the indicial polynomial

$$\Rightarrow x^r \text{ is a solution} \Leftrightarrow ar(r-1) + br + c = 0$$

Theorem: Suppose the roots of the indicial equation $ar(r-1) + br + c = 0$ are r_1 and r_2 . Then the general solution of the Euler equation

$$\textcircled{*} \quad ax^2y'' + bxxy' + cy = 0$$

on $(0, \infty)$ is

i) $y = C_1 x^{r_1} + C_2 x^{r_2}$... $r_1 \neq r_2$ distinct real roots

ii) $y = (C_1 + C_2 \ln x) x^r$... $r_1 = r_2$ repeated root

iii) $y = x^\lambda (C_1 \cos(\mu \ln x) + C_2 \sin(\mu \ln x))$... $r_{1,2} = \lambda \pm i\mu$ complex roots

Proof: Consider $Y(t) := y(e^t) = y(x)$ where $x = e^t$.

$$\Rightarrow Y'(t) = y'(x)x^1 = xy'(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow Y''(t) = x^1 y'(x) + x \cdot y''(x)x^1 = xy'(x) + x^2 y''(x) = Y'(t) + x^2 y''(x)$$

Substitute to $\textcircled{*}$:

$$a(Y'' - Y') + bY' + cY = 0 \Rightarrow aY'' + (b-a)Y' + cY = 0 \quad \text{☒}$$

This is a 2nd order linear ODE with constant coefficients.

char eq: $ar^2 + (b-a)r + c = 0 \Leftrightarrow ar(r-1) + br + c = 0$

We solve ☒ for $Y(t) = y(e^t) \Rightarrow$ substitute $t = \ln x$ to find $y(x)$

i) $Y(t) = C_1 e^{r_1 t} + C_2 e^{r_2 t} \Rightarrow y(x) = C_1 e^{r_1 \ln x} + C_2 e^{r_2 \ln x} = C_1 x^{r_1} + C_2 x^{r_2}$

ii) $Y(t) = (C_1 + C_2 t) e^{rt} \Rightarrow y(x) = (C_1 + C_2 \ln x) e^{r \ln x} = (C_1 + C_2 \ln x) x^r$

iii) $Y(t) = e^{\lambda t} (C_1 \cos(\mu t) + C_2 \sin(\mu t)) \Rightarrow y(x) = x^\lambda (C_1 \cos(\mu \ln x) + C_2 \sin(\mu \ln x))$

Examples:

① $x^2y'' - xy' - 8y = 0$ $\rightarrow y = x^r \Rightarrow r(r-1) - r - 8 = r^2 - 2r - 8 = (r-4)(r+2) = 0$
 $\Rightarrow r_1 = 4, r_2 = -2 \Rightarrow y(x) = C_1 x^4 + C_2 x^{-2} \quad x > 0$

② $x^2y'' - 5xy' + 9y = 0$ $\rightarrow y = x^r \Rightarrow r(r-1) - 5r + 9 = r^2 - 6r + 9 = (r-3)^2 = 0$
 \Rightarrow repeated root $r = 3 \Rightarrow y(x) = (C_1 + C_2 \ln x) x^3 \quad x > 0$

③ $x^2y'' + 3xy' + 2y = 0$ $\rightarrow y = x^r \Rightarrow r(r-1) + 3r + 2 = r^2 + 2r + 2 = (r+1)^2 + 1 = 0$
 $\Rightarrow (r+1)^2 = -1 \Rightarrow r+1 = \pm i \Rightarrow r_{1,2} = -1 \pm i$

$$Y(t) = e^{-t} (C_1 \cos t + C_2 \sin t) \Rightarrow y(x) = \frac{1}{x} (C_1 \cos(\ln x) + C_2 \sin(\ln x)) \quad x > 0$$

The Frobenius method

$$(x-x_0)^2 y'' + (x-x_0)p y' + q y = 0, \quad p, q \text{ analytic at } x_0 \Rightarrow x_0 \text{ regular singular point}$$

\Rightarrow change variables $z := x - x_0 \Rightarrow y(x) = y(z+x_0) \Rightarrow \text{WLOG: } x_0 = 0$

1, Finch's theorem says that $y(x) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^{m+r}$ gives a solution

\Rightarrow substitute $y(x)$, $y'(x)$ and $y''(x)$ into the equation

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= x^2 y'' + x p y' + q y = x^2 \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m (m+r)(m+r-1) x^{m+r-2} + x \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m (m+r) x^{m+r-1} + q \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^{m+r} \\ &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m [(m+r)(m+r-1) + p(x)(m+r) + q(x)] x^{m+r} \\ &= [r(r-1) + r p(x) + q(x)] a_0 x^r + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} a_m [(m+r)(m+r-1) + p(x)(m+r) + q(x)] x^{m+r} \end{aligned}$$

2, Expand $p(x)$ and $q(x)$ as power series about 0 - Taylor expansion

3, Group terms by powers of x . Since the RHS = 0, all of the coefficients = 0.

\rightarrow we get a recurrent relation for a_m with a_0 undetermined

\Rightarrow the general solution needs two independent solutions

\rightarrow the lowest power of x after expanding $p(x)$ and $q(x)$ will be x^r

$$p(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{p^{(k)}(0)}{k!} x^k, \quad q(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{q^{(k)}(0)}{k!} x^k$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{coefficient of } x^r : [r(r-1) + r p(0) + q(0)] a_0 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{indicial equation } r(r-1) + r p(0) + q(0) = 0$$

$$\rightarrow \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^{m+r} \text{ is a solution} \rightarrow r(r-1) + r p(0) + q(0) = 0 \rightarrow \text{which root?}$$

4) The radius of convergence of the series solution is the largest radius that avoids any other singular points

Theorem: Suppose the roots of the indicial equation $r(r-1) + r p(0) + q(0) = 0$ are r_1 and r_2 . Then the fundamental set of solutions of

$$x^2 y'' + x p(x) y' + q(x) y = 0$$

on $(0, \infty)$ is given by

i) $r_1 > r_2 \& r_1 - r_2 \notin \mathbb{N}$

a_m and b_m obey the same recurrence relation but a_0 and b_0 may be chosen arbitrarily

$$y_1(x) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^{m+r_1}, \quad y_2(x) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} b_m x^{m+r_2}$$

\Rightarrow both roots give independent solutions

ii) $r_1 > r_2 \text{ & } r_1 - r_2 \in \mathbb{N}$

$$y_1(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r_1}, \quad y_2(x) = K y_1(x) \ln x + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n x^{n+r_2}$$

→ y_2 will have undetermined b_0 which then determines K and b_m up to but not including $b_{r_1-r_2}$, which can be set arbitrarily. This then determines the rest of b_m .

→ note that K can be zero

iii) $r_1 = r_2 =: r$

$$y_1(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r}, \quad y_2(x) = y_1(x) \ln x + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n x^{n+r}$$

iv) $r_{1,2} = \lambda \pm i\mu$

$$y_1(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+\lambda} \cos(\mu \ln x), \quad y_2(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n x^{n+\lambda} \sin(\mu \ln x) \quad \text{may be chosen arbitrarily}$$

↳ complex: $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+\lambda+i\mu} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+\lambda} x^{i\mu} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+\lambda} (\cos(i\mu \ln x) + i \sin(i\mu \ln x))$

Ex: $x^2 y'' - x y' + (1-x)y = 0$

Standard form: $y'' - \frac{1}{x} y' + \frac{1-x}{x^2} y = 0$

- $x=0$ is a regular singular point
- $x \neq 0$ are ordinary points

Frobenius: $y(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r}$, $y'(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (n+r) x^{n+r-1}$, $y''(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (n+r)(n+r-1) x^{n+r-2}$

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 y'' - x y' + (1-x)y &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (n+r)(n+r-1) x^{n+r} - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (n+r) x^{n+r} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r} (1-x) \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r} ((n+r)(n+r-1) - (n+r) + 1) - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r+1} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r} ((n+r)(n+r-2) + 1) - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_{n-1} x^{n+r} \end{aligned}$$

Initial eq: $x^r: a_m (r(r-1)+1) = 0 \Rightarrow r^2 - 2r + 1 = (r-1)^2 = 0 \Rightarrow r = 1$

Recurrence: $m \geq 1: x^{m+r}: a_m ((m+r)(m+r-2) + 1) - a_{m-1} = 0$

$$\rightarrow r=1 \Rightarrow a_m ((\overbrace{(m+1)(m-1)}^{m^2-1} + 1) = a_{m-1} \Rightarrow a_m = \frac{a_{m-1}}{m^2}$$

↳ $a_0, a_1 = \frac{a_0}{1^2}, a_2 = \frac{a_0}{1^2 \cdot 2^2}, a_3 = \frac{a_0}{1^2 \cdot 2^2 \cdot 3^2} \Rightarrow a_m = \frac{a_0}{(m!)^2}$

$$\Rightarrow y_1(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_0 \cdot \frac{1}{(m!)^2} x^{n+r} = a_0 \times \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{(m!)^2}, \quad a_0 \in \mathbb{R}$$

\Rightarrow we have repeated root $r=1$ and solution $y_1(x) = a_0 \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m+1}}{m!^2}$

$$\text{Second solution: } y_2(x) = \ln(x) y_1(x) + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} b_m x^{m+1}$$

$$y_2 = \ln x \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^{m+1} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} b_m x^{m+1}$$

$$y'_2 = \ln x \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (m+1)a_m x^m + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^m + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} b_m(m+1)x^m$$

$$y''_2 = \ln x \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (m+1)m a_m x^{m-1} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (m+1)a_m x^{m-1} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} m a_m x^{m-1} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} b_m(m+1)m x^{m-1}$$

Note: $x^2 y'' - x y' + (1-x)y = 0 \Rightarrow$ get coefficients

$$x^{m+1}: (m+1)a_m + m a_m + b_m(m+1)m - (a_m + b_m(m+1)) + b_m - b_{m-1} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a_m(m+1+m-1) + b_m(m+1)m - (m+1)+1 = b_{m-1} \quad \frac{a_{m-1}}{m^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2m a_m + m^2 b_m = b_{m-1} \Rightarrow b_m = \frac{b_{m-1}}{m^2} - 2 \frac{a_m}{m} = \frac{b_{m-1}}{m^2} - 2 \frac{a_{m-1}}{m^3}$$

We have derived $b_m = \frac{b_{m-1}}{m^2} - 2 \frac{a_{m-1}}{m^3}$

$$b_1 = \frac{b_0}{1^2} - 2 \frac{a_0}{1^3} \rightarrow a_1 = \frac{a_0}{1^2}$$

$$b_2 = \frac{b_0}{1^2 \cdot 2^2} - 2 \frac{a_0}{1^3 \cdot 2^2} - 2 \frac{a_0}{1^2 \cdot 2^3} = \frac{b_0}{2^1 \cdot 2} - 2 \frac{a_0}{2^1 \cdot 2} \left(\frac{1}{1} + \frac{1}{2} \right) \rightarrow a_2 = \frac{a_0}{2!^2}$$

$$b_3 = \frac{b_0}{1^2 \cdot 2^2 \cdot 3^2} - 2 \frac{a_0}{2^1 \cdot 3^2} \left(\frac{1}{1} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} \right) - 2 \frac{a_0}{2^1 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 3^3} = \frac{b_0}{3!^2} - 2 \frac{a_0}{3!^2} \left(\frac{1}{1} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{in general } b_m = \frac{b_0}{m!^2} - 2 \frac{a_0}{m!^2} H_m$$

$$\Rightarrow y_2 = a_0 \ln x \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m+1}}{m!^2} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{b_0}{m!^2} - 2 \frac{a_0}{m!^2} H_m \right) x^{m+1}$$

$$= (a_0 \ln x + b_0) \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m+1}}{m!^2} - 2 a_0 \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m+1}}{m!^2} H_m$$

y_1 is in fact contained
here in $a_0 \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m+1}}{m!^2}$

$$a_0, b_0 \in \mathbb{R}$$

The general solution of $x^2 y'' - x y' + (1-x)y = 0$ is

$$\text{Ex: } \underline{x^2y'' + 6xy' + (4x^2+6)y = 0} \quad *$$

$$\text{Standard form: } y'' + \frac{6}{x}y' + \frac{4x^2+6}{x^2}y = 0$$

- $x=0$ is a regular singular point
- $x \neq 0$ are ordinary points

$$\text{Euler-Cauchy: } y(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r} \Rightarrow y' = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (n+r)x^{n+r-1} \Rightarrow y'' = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (n+r)(n+r-1)x^{n+r-2}$$

$$*: \sum a_n (n+r)(n+r-1)x^{n+r} + 6 \sum a_n (n+r)x^{n+r} + (4x^2+6) \sum a_n x^{n+r} = 0$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r} [(n+r)(n+r-1) + 6(n+r) + 6] + 4 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r+2} = 0$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r} [(n+r)(n+r+5) + 6] + 4 \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_{n-2} x^{n+r} = 0$$

$$n=0: x^r: a_0(r(r+5)+6) = 0 \Rightarrow r^2 + 5r + 6 = (r+2)(r+3) = 0 \rightarrow r_1 = -2, r_2 = -3$$

$$n=1: x^{r+1}: a_1((r+1)(r+6)+6) = a_1(r^2 + 7r + 12) = a_1(r+3)(r+4) = 0 \Rightarrow a_1 = 0 \vee r = -3 \vee r = -4$$

↳ since $r_1 = -2 > -3 = r_2$, we choose -2 as our root $\Rightarrow a_1 = 0$

$$n \geq 2: x^{n+r}: a_n[(n+r)(n+r+5)+6] + 4a_{n-2} = 0$$

$$r=-2: a_n[(n-2)(n+3)+6] + 4a_{n-2} = 0 \dots (n-2)(n+1)+6 = n^2+n = n(n+1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a_{n-2} + n(n+1)a_n = 0 \Rightarrow a_n = \frac{-4a_{n-2}}{n(n+1)}, \quad n \geq 2$$

Finding a_m : $a_1 = 0 \Rightarrow a_3 = 0 \Rightarrow \dots a_{\text{odd}} = 0$

$$a_2 = \frac{-4}{2 \cdot 3} a_0 \Rightarrow a_4 = \frac{(-4)^2}{2 \cdot 3 \cdot 4 \cdot 5} a_0 \Rightarrow a_6 = \frac{(-4)^3}{4!} a_0 \Rightarrow a_{2m} = \frac{(-4)^m}{(2m+1)!} a_0$$

$$\Rightarrow y_1(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n-2} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_{2n} x^{2n-2} = \frac{a_0}{x^2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-4)^n}{(2n+1)!} x^{2n}$$

→ we have real roots $r_1 = -2, r_2 = -3 \Rightarrow r_1 - r_2 = 1 \in \mathbb{N}$

$$\Rightarrow y_2 = K \ln(x) y_1 + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} b_m x^{m+r_2} = K \ln(x) \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^{m-2} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} b_m x^{m-3}$$

$$y_2' = K \ln x \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m (m-2) x^{m-3} + K \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^{m-3} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} b_m (m-3) x^{m-4}$$

$$y_2'' = K \ln x \sum a_m (m-2)(m-3) x^{m-4} + K \sum a_m (m-2) x^{m-4} + K \sum a_m (m-3) x^{m-4} + \sum b_m (m-3)(m-4) x^{m-5}$$

$$\text{Coefficients: } x^2y'' + 6xy' + (4x^2+6)y = 0$$

$$x^{m-2}: K a_m (m-2) + K a_m (m-3) + b_{m-1} (m-2)(m-3) + 6(K a_m + b_{m+1} (m-2)) + 6b_{m+1} + 4b_{m-1} = 0$$

$$m=1: K a_m (m-2+m-3+6) + b_{m+1} (m^2 - 5m + 6 + 6m - 12 + 6) + 4b_{m-1} = 0$$

$$(*) K a_m (2m+1) + b_{m+1} (m^2 + m) + 4b_{m-1} = 0$$

$$x^{-3}: b_0 (-3)(-4) + 6b_0 (-3) + 6b_0 = 0 \Rightarrow 12b_0 - 18b_0 + 6b_0 = 0 \Rightarrow b_0 \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$x^{-2}: \text{as } x^{m-2} \text{ but without } 4x^2y \Rightarrow \text{without } 4b_{m-1}, m=0 \quad \text{④}$$

$$\Rightarrow K a_0 + b_1 \cdot 0 = 0 \Rightarrow K a_0 = 0 \text{ and we know } a_0 \neq 0 \Rightarrow K = 0$$

↳ b_1 can be anything \Rightarrow pick $b_1 = 0$

$$\text{Therefore } (*) \text{ becomes } b_{m+1}(m+1)m + 4b_{m-1} = 0 \Rightarrow b_{m+1} = \frac{-4b_{m-1}}{m(m+1)} \Rightarrow b_m = \frac{-4b_{m-2}}{m(m-1)}, \quad m \geq 2$$

$$\hookrightarrow b_1 = 0 \Rightarrow b_3 = 0 \Rightarrow \dots b_{\text{odd}} = 0$$

$$b_2 = \frac{-4}{2 \cdot 1} b_0 \Rightarrow b_4 = \frac{(-4)^2}{4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1} b_0 \Rightarrow b_{2m} = \frac{(-4)^m}{(2m)!} b_0$$

\rightarrow since $k=0$ we have $y_2(x) = x \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n x^n = x \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_{2m} x^{2m} = \frac{b_0}{x^3} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-4)^m}{(2m)!} x^{2m}$

The general solution of $x^2y'' + 6xy' + (4x^2 + 6)y = 0$ is

$$y(x) = \frac{a_0}{x^2} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-4)^m}{(2m+1)!} x^{2m} + \frac{b_0}{x^3} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-4)^m}{(2m)!} x^{2m}, \quad a_0, b_0 \in \mathbb{R}$$

Ex: Solve $x^2y'' + 3xy' + y = 0$ as an Euler equation and using method of Frobenius

a, Euler equation: guess $y = x^r \Rightarrow y' = rx^{r-1} \Rightarrow y'' = r(r-1)x^{r-2}$

$$\text{indicial eq: } r(r-1) + 3r + 1 = 0$$

$$r^2 + 2r + 1 = (r+1)^2 = 0 \Rightarrow \text{repeated root } r = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x) = (c_1 + c_2 \ln x) x^{-1}$$

b, Frobenius method

$x=0$ is a regular singular point and $x \neq 0$ are ordinary points

$$y = \sum a_n x^{n+r}, \quad y' = \sum (n+r)a_n x^{n+r-1}, \quad y'' = \sum (n+r)(n+r-1)a_n x^{n+r-2}$$

$$\text{(coefficients: } x^2y'' + 3xy' + y = 0)$$

$$x^r \Rightarrow m=0: (0+r)(0+r-1)a_0 + 3(0+r)a_0 + a_0 = 0$$

$$r(r-1) + 3r + 1 = r^2 + 2r + 1 = (r+1)^2 = 0 \Rightarrow \text{repeated root } r = -1$$

$$x^{m+r}: a_m(m+r)(m+r-1) + 3(m+r)a_m + a_m = 0$$

$$m \geq 1 \quad a_m [(m+r)(m+r+2) + 1] \xrightarrow{r=-1} a_m [\underbrace{(m-1)(m+1)}_{m^2-1} + 1] = m^2 a_m = 0 \Rightarrow a_m = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y_1(x) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^{m-1} = a_0 x^{-1}$$

$$\text{Second solution: } y_2(x) = \ln(x) y_1(x) + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} b_m x^{m-1}$$

$$y_2(x) = a_0 \ln(x) x^{-1} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} b_m x^{m-1}$$

$$y_2'(x) = a_0 \ln(x) (-1x^{-2}) + a_0 x^{-2} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} b_m (m-1) x^{m-2}$$

$$y_2''(x) = a_0 \ln(x) \cdot 2x^{-3} - a_0 x^{-3} - 2a_0 x^{-3} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} b_m (m-1)(m-2) x^{m-3}$$

$$\text{(coefficients: } x^2y'' + 3xy' + y = 0)$$

$$x^{-1}: -a_0 - 2a_0 + b_0(-1)(-2) + 3(a_0 + b_0(-1)) + b_0 = 0$$

$$a_0(-3+3) + b_0(2-3+1) = 0 \Rightarrow a_0 \in \mathbb{R}, b_0 \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$x^{m-1}: b_m(m-1)(m-2) + b_m(m-1) + b_m = 0$$

$$m \geq 1 \quad \Rightarrow b_m [(m-1)(m-1) + 1] = b_m [\underbrace{(m-1)^2}_{\geq 0} + 1] = 0 \Rightarrow b_m = 0, \quad m \geq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow y_2(x) = \ln(x) y_1(x) + b_0 x^{-1}$$

$$= a_0 \ln(x) x^{-1} + b_0 x^{-1} = \underline{(b_0 + a_0 \ln x) x^{-1}}, \quad a_0, b_0 \in \mathbb{R}$$

↳ This also gives the general solution

Ex: Solve $y'' + y = 0$ using Frobenius method and otherwise

- a) Normally: char eq: $r^2 + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow r = \pm i$
complex: $y = e^{it} = \cos t + i \sin t$
real: $\underline{y(x) = C_1 \cos x + C_2 \sin x}$

b) Frobenius

$x \in \mathbb{R}$ is an ordinary point of this equation \Rightarrow don't need Frobenius

$$y(x) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^m \Rightarrow y' = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} m a_m x^{m-1} \Rightarrow y'' = \sum_{m=2}^{\infty} m(m-1) a_m x^{m-2}$$

$$\underline{y'' + y = 0}: \sum_{m=2}^{\infty} m(m-1) a_m x^{m-2} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^m = 0$$
$$\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (m+2)(m+1) a_{m+2} x^m + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^m = 0$$

$$x^m: (m+2)(m+1) a_{m+2} + a_m = 0 \Rightarrow a_{m+2} = -a_m \frac{1}{(m+1)(m+2)} \quad m \geq 0$$

$$\underline{\text{Even}}: a_0, a_2 = a_0 \frac{-1}{1 \cdot 2}, \hat{a}_4 - \hat{a}_0 \frac{(-1)^2}{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 4} \Rightarrow a_{2m} = a_0 \frac{(-1)^m}{(2m)!}$$

$$\underline{\text{Odd}}: a_1, a_3 = a_1 \frac{-1}{2 \cdot 3}, a_5 = a_1 \frac{(-1)^2}{2 \cdot 3 \cdot 4 \cdot 5} \Rightarrow a_{2m+1} = a_1 \frac{(-1)^m}{(2m+1)!}$$

$$y(x) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^m = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_{2m} x^{2m} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_{2m+1} x^{2m+1} =$$
$$= a_0 \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (-1)^m \frac{x^{2m}}{(2m)!} + a_1 \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (-1)^m \frac{x^{2m+1}}{(2m+1)!} = \underline{a_0 \cos x + a_1 \sin x}, \quad a_0, a_1 \in \mathbb{R}$$

Ex: Solve $4x y'' + 2y' + y = 0$ using Frobenius method

Standard form: $y'' + \frac{1}{2x} y' + \frac{1}{4x} y = 0$

• $x \neq 0$ are ordinary points

• $x=0$ is a singular point \rightarrow is it regular?

$x^2 \left(\frac{1}{4x}\right) = \frac{1}{4}x$ and $x\left(\frac{1}{2x}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$ are both analytical \Rightarrow it is regular

Frobenius: $y = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r}$, $y' = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (n+r) x^{n+r-1}$, $y'' = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (n+r)(n+r-1) x^{n+r-2}$

Coefficients $4x y'' + 2y' + y = 0$

$$x^{r-2}: 4(a_0(r)(r-1)) + 2(a_0(r)) = 0 \Rightarrow 2a_0 r [2(r-1)+1] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{indicial eq: } r(2r-1) = 0 \Rightarrow r_1 = \frac{1}{2} > r_2 = 0 \quad \& \quad r_1 - r_2 = \frac{1}{2} \notin \mathbb{N}$$

$$m \geq 0: x^{m+r}: 4[a_{m+r}(m+r)(m+r-1)] + 2[a_{m+r}(m+r-1)] + a_m = 0$$

note: $4(m+r)(m+r-1) + 2(m+r-1) = 2(m+r-1)(2(m+r)+1) = 2(m+r-1)(2m+2r+1)$

$$\Rightarrow a_{m+1} \cdot \textcircled{*} + a_m = 0 \Rightarrow a_{m+1} = a_m \frac{-1}{\textcircled{*}} = a_m \frac{-1}{2(m+r-1)(2m+2r+1)}$$

$$r_1 - \frac{1}{2}: a_0 \in \mathbb{R}, \quad a_{m+1} = \frac{-1}{2(m+\frac{1}{2})(2m+2)} a_m = \frac{-1}{(2m+3)(2m+2)} a_m \Rightarrow a_m = \frac{-1}{2m(2m+1)} a_{m-1}$$

$$r_2 = 0: b_0 \in \mathbb{R}, \quad b_{m+1} = \frac{-1}{2(m+1)(2m+1)} b_m = \frac{-1}{(2m+1)(2m+2)} b_m \Rightarrow b_m = \frac{-1}{2m(2m-1)} b_{m-1}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{solving } 4xy'' + 2y' + y = 0, \quad y(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+2} = x^n \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$$

$$r_1 = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow a_m = \frac{-1}{2m(2m+1)} a_{m-1} \quad | \quad r_2 = 0 \Rightarrow b_m = \frac{-1}{2m(2m-1)} b_{m-1}$$

- $a_0 \in \mathbb{R}, a_1 = \frac{-1}{2 \cdot 3} a_0, a_2 = \frac{(-1)^2}{2 \cdot 3 \cdot 4 \cdot 5} a_0, a_3 = \frac{(-1)^3}{2 \cdot 3 \cdot 4 \cdot 5 \cdot 6 \cdot 7} a_0 \Rightarrow a_m = \frac{(-1)^m}{(2m+1)!} a_0$
- $b_0 \in \mathbb{R}, b_1 = \frac{-1}{2 \cdot 1} b_0, b_2 = \frac{(-1)^2}{4 \cdot 2 \cdot 1} b_0 \Rightarrow b_m = \frac{(-1)^m}{(2m)!} b_0$

\Rightarrow General solution of $4xy'' + 2y' + y = 0$ is

$$y(x) = a_0 \sqrt{x} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m}{(2m+1)!} x^{m+2} + b_0 \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m}{(2m)!} x^{m+1} = \underline{a_0 \sin(\sqrt{x}) + b_0 \cos(\sqrt{x})}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos(x) &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m}{(2m)!} x^{2m} \Rightarrow \cos(\sqrt{x}) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m}{(2m)!} x^m \\ \sin(x) &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m}{(2m+1)!} x^{2m+1} \Rightarrow \sin(\sqrt{x}) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m}{(2m+1)!} x^{m+\frac{1}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\underline{\text{Ex: } y'' - 2xy' + 2y = 0}$$

a, Find the general solution about $x_0 = 0$

b, Solve the initial value problem with $y(0) = 1$ and $y'(0) = 2$

- $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$ are ordinary points \Rightarrow no singular points

$$y = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^m \Rightarrow y' = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} m a_m x^{m-1} \Rightarrow y'' = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} m(m-1) a_m x^{m-2} \xrightarrow{m=0,1} 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow y'' - 2xy' + 2y &= \sum_{m=2}^{\infty} m(m-1) a_m x^{m-2} - 2 \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} m a_m x^{m-1} + 2 \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^m \\ &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (m+2)(m+1) a_{m+2} x^m - 2 \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^{m+1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{coefficients: } x^m: (m+2)(m+1) a_{m+2} - 2a_m(m+1) = 0 \Rightarrow a_{m+2} = \frac{2a_m(m+1)}{(m+1)(m+2)}$$

$$a_0, a_1 \in \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \text{ODD: } a_3 = a_1 \frac{2 \cdot 0}{2 \cdot 3} = 0 \Rightarrow a_5 = 0 \Rightarrow \dots a_{999} = 0$$

$$\hookrightarrow \text{EVEN: } a_2 = \frac{2a_0(-1)}{1 \cdot 2} = -a_0 \Rightarrow a_4 = \frac{2a_2 \cdot 1}{3 \cdot 4} = -\frac{2}{3 \cdot 4} a_0$$

$$a_6 = -\frac{2}{3 \cdot 4} a_0 \cdot \frac{1 \cdot 3}{5 \cdot 6} = -4a_0 \cdot \frac{1 \cdot 3}{5 \cdot 6}$$

$$a_8 = -8a_0 \cdot \frac{1 \cdot 3}{3 \cdot 4 \cdot 5 \cdot 6} \cdot \frac{5}{7 \cdot 8} = -16a_0 \cdot \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 4 \cdot 5 \cdot 6 \cdot 7 \cdot 8} = -2a_0 \cdot \frac{5!!}{8!}$$

$$a_{10} = -2^5 a_0 \cdot \frac{5!!}{8!} \cdot \frac{7}{9 \cdot 10} = -2^5 a_0 \cdot \frac{7!!}{10!}, \quad a_{12} = -2^6 a_0 \cdot \frac{9!!}{12!}$$

$$\Rightarrow a_{2n} = -2^n a_0 \frac{(2n-1)!!}{(2n)!} = -2^n a_0 \frac{(2n-1)!!}{(2n)!!(2n-1)!!} = -a_0 \frac{2^n (2n-1)!!}{(2^n n!) (2n-1)!!} = -\frac{a_0}{(2n-1)!! n!}$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^m = a_0 x + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_{2m} x^{2m} = a_0 x - a_0 \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{2m}}{(2m)!! m!}, \quad a_0, a_1 \in \mathbb{R}$$

b) $y(0) = 1 \Rightarrow (\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n)(0) = 1 \Rightarrow a_0 + 0 = 1 \Rightarrow a_0 = 1$
 $y'(0) = 2 \Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n a_n x^{n-1} \stackrel{0}{=} 2 \Rightarrow 1 \cdot a_1 = 2 \Rightarrow a_1 = 2$
 $\rightarrow y(x) = 1 + 2x - \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{2m}}{(2m+1)m!}$

Solving ODEs using Fourier Transforms

Ex) Solve $y' + 2y = h(x)$, where $h(x) = \begin{cases} e^{-x}, & x \geq 0 \\ 0, & x < 0 \end{cases}$

Recall: $\frac{d^m}{dx^m} f(x) \leftrightarrow (ik)^m \hat{f}(k)$

\Rightarrow Take the F.T. on both sides:

$$ik \hat{y}' + 2\hat{y} = \hat{h} \Rightarrow \hat{y}(ik+2) = \hat{h} \Rightarrow \hat{y} = \frac{1}{ik+2} \hat{h}$$

\Rightarrow we need to find \hat{h}

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{h}(k) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(x) e^{-ikx} dx = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} e^{-ikx} dx = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x(ik+1)} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \cdot \frac{-1}{ik+1} e^{-x(ik+1)} \Big|_0^{\infty} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \cdot \frac{1}{ik+1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \hat{y}(k) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \cdot \frac{1}{(ik+2)(ik+1)} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \left(\frac{-1}{ik+2} + \frac{1}{ik+1} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \cdot \frac{1}{ik+1} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{ik+\frac{1}{2}} = \hat{h}(k) - \frac{1}{2} \hat{h}\left(\frac{k}{2}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x) = h(x) - h(2x) = \begin{cases} e^{-x} - e^{-2x}, & x \geq 0 \\ 0, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

General idea:

- 1) F.T. the whole equation, utilizing the derivative rule to get rid of the derivatives
- 2) express the F.T. of the unknown function
- 3) inverse F.T. to get the unknown function

REVISION FOR EXAM

(1) Solve the IVP $y''' - 4y'' - 3y' + 18y = 0$, $y(0) = y'(0) = 0$, $y''(0) = 25$

char eq: $r^3 - 4r^2 - 3r + 18 = 0 \rightarrow$ guess $\frac{1}{x}, \frac{2}{x}, \frac{-2}{\sqrt{x}}$ $\rightarrow -2$ is a root

$$(r+2)(r^2 - 6r + 9) = 0$$

$$(r+2)(r-3)^2 = 0 \Rightarrow r_1 = -2, r_{2,3} = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = C_1 e^{-2t} + (C_2 + C_3 t) e^{3t}$$

$$y'(t) = -2C_1 e^{-2t} + 3(C_2 e^{3t} + C_3 (3t e^{3t} + e^{3t}))$$

$$y''(t) = 4C_1 e^{-2t} + 9C_2 e^{3t} + C_3 (9t e^{3t} + 6e^{3t})$$

$$\Rightarrow y(0) = 0 = C_1 + C_2$$

$$y'(0) = 0 = -2C_1 + 3C_2 + C_3$$

$$y''(0) = 25 = 4C_1 + 9C_2 + 6C_3$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 0 \\ -2 & 3 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 4 & 9 & 6 & | & 25 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 6 & | & 25 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 & | & 25 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow C_3 = 5, 5C_2 + 5 = 0 \Rightarrow C_2 = -1, C_1 - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{y(t) = e^{-2t} + e^{3t} + 5t e^{3t}}$$

(2) Solve $x'(t) = \begin{bmatrix} -6 & -10 \\ 5 & 9 \end{bmatrix} x(t) + \begin{bmatrix} 8t+1 \\ e^{-2t} \end{bmatrix}$

$$\mu_4(t) = (-6-t)(9-t) + 50 = t^2 - 3t - 4 = (t+1)(t-4)$$

$$\lambda_1 = -1 : \begin{bmatrix} -5 & -10 \\ 5 & 20 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \nu_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow y_1(t) = C_1 e^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + C_2 e^{4t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_2 = 4 : \begin{bmatrix} -10 & -10 \\ 5 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \nu_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow A = R D R^{-1} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} -6 & -10 \\ 5 & 9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{let } \tilde{x} = R \tilde{z} \Rightarrow z = \tilde{R}^{-1} x \Rightarrow z' = \tilde{R}^{-1} x' = \tilde{R}^{-1} (A x + b) = \tilde{R}^{-1} (R D R^{-1} x + b) = D z + \tilde{R}^{-1} b$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} z'_1 \\ z'_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 8t+1 \\ e^{-2t} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -z_1 + 8t+1 + e^{-2t} \\ 4z_2 - 8t-1 - 2e^{-2t} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\boxed{1} \quad z'_1 + z_1 = 8t+1 + e^{-2t} \Rightarrow \mu_1 = e^{\int dt} = e^t$$

$$\Rightarrow z_1 = e^{-t} \int e^t (8t+1 + e^{-2t}) dt = e^{-t} \int (8t+1)e^t + e^{-t} dt$$

$$= e^{-t} ((8t+1)e^t - 8e^t - e^{-t}) = \underline{8t-7 - e^{-2t}}$$

$$\boxed{2} \quad z'_2 - 4z_2 = -8t-1 - 2e^{-2t} \Rightarrow \mu_2 = e^{-4t}$$

$$z_2 = -e^{4t} \int e^{-4t} (-8t-1 - 2e^{-2t}) dt = -e^{-4t} \int (8t+1)e^{-4t} + 2e^{-6t} dt$$

$$= -e^{-4t} \left(-\frac{1}{4}(8t+1)e^{-4t} - \frac{1}{2}e^{-4t} + \frac{2}{16}e^{-6t} \right) = \underline{2t + \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{3}e^{-2t}}$$

$$\tilde{x} = R \tilde{z} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 8e^{-t} - e^{2t} \\ 2e^t + \frac{2}{4} + \frac{1}{3}e^{2t} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 16e^{-t} - 14 - 2e^{2t} + 2e^t + \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{3}e^{2t} \\ -8e^t + 7 + e^{2t} - 2e^t - \frac{2}{4} - \frac{1}{3}e^{2t} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{x}(t) = C_1 e^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + C_2 e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + t \begin{bmatrix} 18 \\ -10 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} -53 \\ 25 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{1}{3} e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

(3) Solve $y' - xy^2 = 6xe^{4x^2}$, $y(1) = 3$

$$y' - xy = 6xe^{4x^2}y^{-1} \quad \dots \text{ Bernoulli equation}$$

$$\Rightarrow w = y^{1-(-1)} = y^2 \Rightarrow w' = 2yy' = 2y(xy + 6xe^{4x^2}y^{-1}) = 2xyw + 12xe^{4x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow w' - 2xyw = 12xe^{4x^2} \rightarrow \mu = e^{\int -2x dx} = e^{-x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow w = e^{x^2} \int e^{-x^2} 12xe^{4x^2} dx = e^{x^2} \int 12x e^{3x^2} dx = \left| \begin{array}{l} u = 3x^2 \\ du = 6xdx \end{array} \right|$$

$$= e^{x^2} \int 2e^u du = e^{x^2} (2e^u + C) = e^{x^2} (2e^{3x^2} + C)$$

$$y(1) = 3 \Rightarrow w(1) = y^2 = 9 \Rightarrow 9 = e^{(2e^3+C)} \Rightarrow \frac{9}{e^2} - 2e^3 - C$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x) = \sqrt{w} = e^{x^2/2} \sqrt{2e^{3x^2} + \frac{9}{e^2} - 2e^3}$$

(4) $x^3 + y^3 - xy^2 y' = 0$
 $1 + \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^3 - y' \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^2 = 0 \Rightarrow u = \frac{y}{x} \Rightarrow y = xu \Rightarrow y' = xu' + u$

$$1 + u^3 - (xu' + u) \cdot u^2 = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{1+u^3}{u^2} = xu' + u \Rightarrow xu' = \frac{1+u^3}{u^2} - u = \frac{1-u^3}{u^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{1}{u^2} \Rightarrow \int u^2 du = \int \frac{dx}{x} \Rightarrow \frac{u^3}{3} = \ln|x| + C$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \sqrt[3]{3\ln|x| + C} \Rightarrow y = x \sqrt[3]{\ln|x| + C}$$

(5) $y''' - 6y'' + 13y' - 10y = 0$

$$r^3 - 6r^2 + 13r - 10 = 0 \quad \dots \text{ guess } \frac{1}{x}, \sqrt[3]{x}, \frac{-2}{x}$$

$$(r-2)(r^2 - 4r + 5) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{16-20}}{2} = 2 \pm i$$

complex: $e^{(2+i)t} = e^{2t} (\cos t + i \sin t)$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = C_1 e^{2t} + C_2 e^{2t} \cos t + C_3 e^{2t} \sin t$$

$$\textcircled{6} \quad \text{Solve } y''' - 6y'' + 13y' - 10y = 17e^{-2t} - 10t + 33$$

from \textcircled{5}: $y_h(t) = e^{2t}(C_1 + C_2 \cos t + C_3 \sin t)$

undetermined coeff:

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} y_h(t) = A e^{2t} + Bt + C \\ y'_h(t) = -2A e^{2t} + B \\ y''_h(t) = 4A e^{2t} \\ y'''_h(t) = -8A e^{2t} \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} e^{-2t}: -8A - 24A - 26A - 10A = 17 \\ \Rightarrow A = -\frac{17}{68} = -\frac{1}{4} \\ t: -10B = -10 \Rightarrow B = 1 \\ t^0: 13B - 10C = 33 \Rightarrow 13 - 10C = 33 \Rightarrow C = -2 \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = e^{2t}(C_1 + C_2 \cos t + C_3 \sin t) - \frac{1}{4} e^{-2t} + t - 2$$

$$\textcircled{7} \quad \text{Use the method of successive approximations to solve } y' = -3t^2(y+1), \quad y(0) = 0$$

$y' = f(t, y) = -3t^2(y+1)$ and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = -3t^2$ are both continuous

→ initial guess $y_0(t) = 0$ satisfies $y(0) = 0$

$$y_1(t) = \int_0^t f(s, y(s)) ds = -3 \int_0^t s^2(0+1) ds = -3 \left[\frac{s^3}{3} \right]_0^t = -t^3$$

$$y_2(t) = -3 \int_0^t s^2(-s^3 + 1) ds = -3 \int_0^t -s^5 + s^2 ds = -3 \left[\frac{s^3}{3} - \frac{s^6}{6} \right]_0^t = -t^3 + \frac{t^6}{2}$$

$$y_3(t) = -3 \int_0^t s^2 \left(1 - s^3 + \frac{s^6}{2} \right) ds = -3 \left[\frac{s^3}{3} - \frac{s^6}{6} + \frac{s^9}{2 \cdot 9} \right]_0^t = -t^3 + \frac{t^6}{2} - \frac{t^9}{2 \cdot 3}$$

$$\Rightarrow y_m(t) = \sum_{i=1}^m (-1)^i \frac{t^{3i}}{i!}$$

Induction: $y_{m+1}(t) = -3 \int_0^t s^2 \sum_{i=1}^m (-1)^i \frac{s^{3i}}{i!} ds = -3 \sum_{i=1}^m (-1)^i \frac{s^{3i+3}}{i!(3i+3)}$ ✓

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} y_m(t) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} (-1)^i \frac{t^{3i}}{i!} = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-t^3)^i}{i!} = \underline{\underline{e^{-t^3} - 1}}$$

$$\textcircled{8} \quad \text{Let } t_0, y_0 \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and consider } y'(t) = 5(y(t))^{\frac{4}{5}}, \quad y(t_0) = y_0.$$

a) for which t_0, y_0 is the solution unique?

$f(t, y) = 5y^{\frac{4}{5}}$ and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 5 \frac{4}{5} y^{-\frac{1}{5}} = \frac{4}{y^{\frac{1}{5}}}$ have to be continuous

↪ problem when $y=0$

b) find 3 solutions when $y_0 = 0$

1, $y=0$ is a solution

$$2, \frac{dy}{dt} = 5y^{\frac{4}{5}} \Rightarrow \int y^{-\frac{4}{5}} dy = \int 5 dt \Rightarrow 5y^{\frac{1}{5}} = 5t + C = 5t - 5t_0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^{\frac{1}{5}} = t - t_0 \Rightarrow y = (t - t_0)^5$$

$$3) \quad \text{compound functions } y(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t < b \dots b > t_0 \\ (t-b)^5, & t \geq b \end{cases}$$

$$\textcircled{9} \quad \text{Solve } y'' + y' = \sec t, \quad y(0) = 2, \quad y'(0) = 1, \quad y''(0) = -2, \quad |t| < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\text{let } w := y', \text{ then } w'' + w = \sec t$$

$$r^2 + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow r = \pm i$$

$$\Rightarrow w = C_1 \cos t + C_2 \sin t$$

$$\text{Variation of parameters: } w_1 = \cos t, \quad w_2 = \sin t \rightarrow W = \begin{vmatrix} \cos t & \sin t \\ -\sin t & \cos t \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{g(t)}{W(t)} = \sec t / (\cos^2 t + \sin^2 t) = \sec t \quad \begin{matrix} w_1 = \cos t \\ dw_1 = -\sin t \end{matrix} \quad |t| < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow u_1' = -y_2 \cdot (\sec t) = -\sin t \sec t \Rightarrow u_1 = - \int \frac{\sin t}{\cos t} dt = \ln |\cos t| = \ln(\cos t)$$

$$u_2' = +y_1 \cdot (\sec t) = \cos t \sec t = u_2 = \int 1 dt = t$$

$$\Rightarrow W_p = W_1 u_1 + W_2 u_2 = \cos t \ln(\cos t) + t \sin t$$

$$\Rightarrow w(t) = C_1 \cos t + C_2 \sin t + \cos t \ln(\cos t) + t \sin t$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \int w = C_1 \sin t - C_2 \cos t + \int (C_1 t \ln(\cos t) + t \sin t) dt + C_3$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} D & I \\ + \ln(\cos t) & \cos t \\ - \frac{\sin t}{\cos t} & \sin t \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ll} D & I \\ + t & \sin t \\ -1 & -\cos t \\ 0 & -\sin t \end{array}$$

$$I_1 = \sin t \ln(\cos t) + \int \frac{\sin^2 t}{\cos t} dt = \sin t \ln(\cos t) + \int \frac{1 - \cos^2 t}{\cos t} dt$$

$$= \sin t \ln(\cos t) + \int \sec t dt - \int \cos t dt$$

$$= \sin t \ln(\cos t) - \sin t + \ln |\sec t + \tan t|$$

$$I_2 = -t \cos t + \sin t$$

$$\Rightarrow y = C_1 \sin t - C_2 \cos t - t \cos t + \sin t \ln(\cos t) + \ln |\sec t + \tan t| + C_3$$

$$y' = w = C_1 \cos t + C_2 \sin t + t \sin t + \cos t \ln(\cos t)$$

$$y'' = -C_1 \sin t + C_2 \cos t + \sin t + t \cos t - \sin t \ln(\cos t) + \cos t \frac{-\sin t}{\cos t}$$

$$= -C_1 \sin t + C_2 \cos t + t \cos t - \sin t \ln(\cos t)$$

$$\Rightarrow y(0) = 2 = -C_2 + C_3$$

$$y'(0) = 1 = C_1$$

$$y''(0) = -2 = C_2 \rightarrow 2 = 2 + C_3 \Rightarrow C_3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = \sin t + 2 \cos t - t \cos t + \sin t \ln(\cos t) + \ln |\sec t + \tan t|$$

$$\begin{aligned} w &= \sec t + \tan t \\ dw &= \sec t \tan t + \sec^2 t \\ \int \frac{dw}{w} &= \ln |\sec t + \tan t| \end{aligned}$$

$$\textcircled{10} \quad \underline{y' = \frac{y}{1+t} - \frac{y}{t} + t^2(1+t)}$$

$$\text{substitute } u = \frac{y}{1+t} \Rightarrow y = (1+t)u \rightarrow y' = (1+t)u' + u$$

$$(1+t)u' + u = u - \frac{1+t}{t}u + t^2(1+t)$$

$$(1+t)u' + \frac{1+t}{t}u = t^2(1+t) \Rightarrow u' + \frac{1}{t}u = t^2 \rightarrow u = e^{\int \frac{1}{t} dt} = e^{\ln|t|} = |t|$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \frac{1}{|t|} \cdot \int |t| t^2 dt$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} t > 0: u = \frac{1}{t} \int t^3 dt \\ t < 0: u = -\frac{1}{t} \int -t^3 dt \end{array} \right\} u = \frac{1}{t} \left(\frac{t^4}{4} + C \right) = \frac{t^3}{4} + \frac{C}{t}$$

$$\underline{y = (1+t)u = \frac{1}{4}t^3(1+t) + C \cdot \frac{t+1}{t}}$$

\textcircled{11} Show that the zero solution of the system $\begin{cases} x' = y \\ y' = -4x - 0.1y \end{cases}$ is stable

→ construct a Lyapunov function $V(x,y) = ax^2 + by^2$, $a, b > 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dV}{dt} &= 2axx' + 2byy' = 2axy - 8bx - 0.2by^2 \\ &= 2xy(a - 4b) - 0.2by^2 \leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

→ let $a = 4$, $b = 1$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = -0.2y^2 \leq 0 \quad \text{and} = 0 \text{ when } y = 0, x \in \mathbb{R}$$

→ $\frac{dV}{dt}$ is semi-negative definite \Rightarrow 0 is stable