

5.4. Differential Equations and e^{At}

• For differential equations, $\frac{dy}{dt} = A u(t)$. $\xrightarrow{\text{solution}}$ $u(t) = u(0) e^{At}$.
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 exponential of A .

\Rightarrow how to define the exponential of matrix A ?

② Relationship between eigenvalues and special solutions ($e^{\lambda t}$) of differential eqn.

$$\frac{du(t)}{dt} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} u(t) \rightarrow \begin{cases} x'(t) = ax(t) + by(t) & \text{--- ①} \\ y'(t) = cx(t) + dy(t) & \text{--- ②} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{②: } x(t) = \frac{1}{c} (y'(t) - d y(t)). \quad \text{--- ②'}$$

②' \rightarrow ①

$$\frac{1}{c} (y''(t) - d y'(t)) = \frac{a}{c} (y'(t) - d y(t)) + b y(t).$$

$$y''(t) - (a+d) y'(t) + (ad-bc) y(t) = 0. \quad y(t) = e^{\lambda t}.$$

\Rightarrow characteristic equation, $\lambda^2 - (a+d)\lambda + (ad-bc) = 0$,

$$\hookrightarrow y(t) = c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} + c_2 e^{\lambda_2 t}$$

• by eigenvalue problem of A

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} a-\lambda & b \\ c & d-\lambda \end{bmatrix} = (a-\lambda)(d-\lambda) - bc = 0.$$

$$\Downarrow \\ \lambda^2 - (a+d)\lambda + (ad-bc) = 0$$

same!

$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt} u(t) = A u(t) \rightarrow$ find eigenvalue of A to get $e^{\lambda t}$.

$$\Rightarrow u(t) = c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} x_1 + c_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} x_2$$

Examples.

$$\frac{du}{dt} = Au = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} u.$$

$$\rightarrow \lambda_1 = -1, \quad x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \lambda_2 = -3, \quad x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{직접 } \Rightarrow \text{선택.}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{solutions, } u(t) = c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} x_1 + c_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} x_2 \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} Ax_1 = \lambda_1 x_1 \\ Ax_2 = \lambda_2 x_2 \end{array} \right)$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} \\ c_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e^{\lambda_1 t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{\lambda_2 t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix} = S.$$

$$\text{Initial condition } u(0) = c_1 x_1 + c_2 x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix} = S c, \quad c = S^{-1} u(0).$$

$$u(t) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e^{\lambda_1 t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{\lambda_2 t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} u(0).$$

$$= S e^{\Lambda t} S^{-1} u(0), \quad e^{\Lambda t} = \begin{bmatrix} e^{\lambda_1 t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{\lambda_2 t} \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\hookrightarrow \text{solution of } \frac{du(t)}{dt} = A u(t)$$

exponential of matrix.

◦ definition of exponential of matrix.

$$\Rightarrow e^{\Lambda t} = \begin{bmatrix} e^{\lambda_1 t} & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & e^{\lambda_n t} \end{bmatrix}.$$

• for a general matrix A ,

→ use, $e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \dots$

replace $\begin{cases} x \rightarrow At \\ 1 \rightarrow I \end{cases}$

$$e^{At} = I + At + \frac{(At)^2}{2!} + \dots \rightarrow \text{series converges!}$$

$$\begin{cases} (e^{As})(e^{At}) = e^{A(s+t)} \\ (e^{At})(e^{-At}) = I \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}(e^{At}) = Ae^{At}.$$

$$e^{At} = I + At + \frac{(At)^2}{2!} + \dots$$

$$= I + S\Lambda S^{-1}t + \frac{S\Lambda S^{-1}t^2}{2!} + \dots$$

$$= S \left(I + \Lambda t + \frac{(\Lambda t)^2}{2!} + \dots \right) S^{-1}$$

$$= S e^{\Lambda t} S^{-1}$$

• $\frac{du}{dt} = Au(t) \rightarrow u(t) = u(0)e^{At} = u(0) \cdot S e^{\Lambda t} S^{-1}$

$$e^{\Lambda t} = \begin{bmatrix} e^{\lambda_1 t} & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & e^{\lambda_n t} \end{bmatrix}$$

(if A is diagonalized.)

$$= c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} x_1 + \dots + c_n e^{\lambda_n t} x_n$$

where, $C = S^{-1}u(0)$.

→ When A is not diagonalized, there is another form (Jordan form) $\rightarrow t e^{\lambda t}$.