

MTH20014 Mathematics 3B. Tutorial 4

1. Find matrix functions $\exp(\mathbf{A}t)$, $\sin(\mathbf{A}t)$ and $\cos(\mathbf{A}t)$ if \mathbf{A} is

$$(a) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}; \quad (b) \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}; \quad (c) \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Observe the pattern in your answers.

2. Determine the type of quadratic curves given by the following equations by converting them to a canonical form:

$$(a) 11x_1^2 + 6x_1x_2 + 3x_2^2 = 1; \quad (b) x_1^2 + 8x_1x_2 + 7x_2^2 = 1; \quad (c) x_1^2 - 4x_1x_2 - 2x_2^2 = 1.$$

Give expressions for the canonical coordinates (y_1, y_2) in terms of the original coordinates (x_1, x_2) in each case.

Answers

1.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(a)} \quad \exp(\mathbf{A}t) &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} e^{3t} + e^{-t} & e^{3t} - e^{-t} \\ e^{3t} - e^{-t} & e^{3t} + e^{-t} \end{bmatrix}, \\
 \sin(\mathbf{A}t) &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} \sin(3t) - \sin(t) & \sin(3t) + \sin(t) \\ \sin(3t) + \sin(t) & \sin(3t) - \sin(t) \end{bmatrix}, \\
 \cos(\mathbf{A}t) &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} \cos(3t) + \cos(t) & \cos(3t) - \cos(t) \\ \cos(3t) - \cos(t) & \cos(3t) + \cos(t) \end{bmatrix}; \\
 \text{(b)} \quad \exp(\mathbf{A}t) &= \begin{bmatrix} 2e^{3t} - e^{2t} & e^{2t} - e^{3t} \\ 2e^{3t} - 2e^{2t} & 2e^{2t} - e^{3t} \end{bmatrix}, \\
 \sin(\mathbf{A}t) &= \begin{bmatrix} 2\sin(3t) - \sin(2t) & \sin(2t) - \sin(3t) \\ 2\sin(3t) - 2\sin(2t) & 2\sin(2t) - \sin(3t) \end{bmatrix}, \\
 \cos(\mathbf{A}t) &= \begin{bmatrix} 2\cos(3t) - \cos(2t) & \cos(2t) - \cos(3t) \\ 2\cos(3t) - 2\cos(2t) & 2\cos(2t) - \cos(3t) \end{bmatrix}; \\
 \text{(c)} \quad \exp(\mathbf{A}t) &= \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 3e^{5t} + e^t & e^{5t} - e^t \\ 3e^{5t} - 3e^t & e^{5t} + 3e^t \end{bmatrix}, \\
 \sin(\mathbf{A}t) &= \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 3\sin(5t) + \sin(t) & \sin(5t) - \sin(t) \\ 3\sin(5t) - 3\sin(t) & \sin(5t) + 3\sin(t) \end{bmatrix}, \\
 \cos(\mathbf{A}t) &= \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 3\cos(5t) + \cos(t) & \cos(5t) - \cos(t) \\ 3\cos(5t) - 3\cos(t) & \cos(5t) + 3\cos(t) \end{bmatrix};
 \end{aligned}$$

2.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(a)} \quad \text{ellipse } 2y_1^2 + 12y_2^2 &= 1, \quad \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}(x_1 - 3x_2) \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}(3x_1 + x_2) \end{bmatrix}; \\
 \text{(b)} \quad \text{hyperbola } 9y_1^2 - y_2^2 &= 1, \quad \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}(x_1 + 2x_2) \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}(2x_1 - x_2) \end{bmatrix}; \\
 \text{(c)} \quad \text{hyperbola } 2y_1^2 - 3y_2^2 &= 1, \quad \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}(2x_1 - x_2) \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}(x_1 + 2x_2) \end{bmatrix}.
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