

HW3

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Solve the system

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dx_1}{dt} &= x_1 + 2x_2 \\ \frac{dx_2}{dt} &= 2x_1 + x_2\end{aligned}$$

subject to initial condition $x_1(0) = 1, x_2(0) = 3$.

Write the equation as $\frac{dX}{dt} = AX$ where $X = [x_1, x_2]^\top$ and $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. For matrix A we find its eigenvalue and eigenvector pairs. We first solve $\det(\lambda I - A) = (\lambda - 1)^2 - (-2)^2 = (\lambda - 3)(\lambda + 1) = 0$ so $\lambda_1 = 3$ and $\lambda_2 = -1$. Their corresponding eigenvectors are obtained by solving $\lambda_i I - A = 0$ which gives $x_1 = [1, 1]^\top$ and $x_2 = [1, -1]^\top$. So we write the solution in the matrix form as

$$X(t) = [x_1, x_2][c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t}, c_2 e^{\lambda_2 t}]^\top = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c_1 e^{3t} \\ c_2 e^{-t} \end{bmatrix}$$

plug in initial conditions we have $X(0) = [1, 3]^\top = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} [c_1, c_2]^\top$, then solve this we have $[c_1, c_2] = [2, -1]$. The final solution is then

$$\begin{aligned}x_1(t) &= 2e^{3t} - e^{-t} \\ x_2(t) &= 2e^{3t} + e^{-t}\end{aligned}$$

2

Verify by direct calculation that the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -3 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ satisfies the Cayley-Hamilton theorem.

$$\begin{aligned}p_A(\lambda) &= (\lambda + 2)(\lambda - 2)(\lambda - 2) + 9 + 3 + 3(\lambda - 2) + 3(\lambda - 2) - 3(\lambda + 2) \\ &= \lambda^3 - 2\lambda^2 - 4\lambda + 8 + 12 + 3\lambda - 18 \\ &= \lambda^3 - 2\lambda^2 - \lambda + 2\end{aligned}$$

Next we plug in $\lambda = A$, we obtain the following:

$$\begin{aligned} p_A(A) &= \begin{bmatrix} -8 & -9 & -7 \\ 7 & 8 & 7 \\ 9 & 9 & 8 \end{bmatrix} - 2 \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -3 & -3 \\ 3 & 4 & 3 \\ 3 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -3 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -8+4+2+2 & -9+6+3+0 & -7+6+1+0 \\ 7-6-1+0 & 8-8-2+2 & 7-6-1+0 \\ 9-6-3-0 & 9-6-3-0 & 8-8-2+2 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

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Determine the general solution of the following system of equations by diagonalization

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x}_1 &= -10x_1 - 18x_2 + t \\ \dot{x}_2 &= 6x_1 + 11x_2 + 3 \end{aligned}$$

We first rewrite the original system as $\dot{X}(t) = AX(t) + f(t)$ where $A = \begin{bmatrix} -10 & -18 \\ 6 & 11 \end{bmatrix}$ and $f(t) = [t, 3]^\top$. Use the same way, we first get the eigenvalues of matrix A , $\lambda_1 = 2$ and $\lambda_2 = -1$, and corresponding eigenvectors are $[3, -2]^\top$ and $[2, -1]^\top$ so we have the diagonalization $A = B\Lambda B^{-1}$ where $\Lambda = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ -2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$. We can then let $X = BY$ and left multiply B^{-1} on both side and obtain the following equation.

$$\dot{Y}(t) = \Lambda Y(t) + B^{-1}f(t)$$

We first solve the homogenous equation $y_1(t) = c_1 e^{2t}$ and $y_2(t) = c_2 e^{-t}$; then guess the particular solution.

$$B^{-1}f(t) = [-t - 6, 2t + 9]^\top \implies y_1(t) = \frac{1}{2}t + \frac{13}{4}, y_2(t) = 2t + 7$$

We can then combine these two results and obtain the final solution for Y as

$$y_1(t) = c_1 e^{2t} + \frac{1}{2}t + \frac{13}{4}, y_2(t) = c_2 e^{-t} + 2t + 7$$

So that

$$x_1(t) = 3y_1(t) + 2y_2(t) = 3c_1 e^{2t} + 2c_2 e^{-t} + \frac{11}{2}t + \frac{95}{4}, x_2(t) = -2y_1(t) - y_2(t) = -2c_1 e^{2t} - c_2 e^{-t} - 3t - \frac{27}{2}$$

4

Determine the general solution of the following system of equations by diagonalization

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x}_1 &= -2x_1 + 2x_2 + 2x_3 + \sin t \\ \dot{x}_2 &= -x_2 + 3 \\ \dot{x}_3 &= -2x_1 + 4x_2 + 3x_3 \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, we write $\dot{X} = AX + f$ where $A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ -2 & 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ and $f = [\sin t, 3, 0]^\top$. We first find A 's eigenvalues $\lambda_1 = 2$ and $\lambda_2 = -1$, and corresponding eigenvectors $[1, 0, 2]^\top$, $[2, 0, 1]^\top$ and $[2, 1, 0]^\top$, so

we have the diagonalization $A = B\Lambda B^{-1}$ where $\Lambda = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. We then let $X = BY$ and left multiply $B^{-1} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & -4 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ and this gives $\dot{Y}(t) = \Lambda Y(t) + B^{-1}f(t)$. So that $y_1(t) = c_1 e^{2t}$, $y_{2,3}(t) = c_{2,3} e^{-t}$. Then we guess the particular solution using undetermined coefficients.

$$C \cos t - D \sin t + E = 2C \sin t + 2D \cos t + 2Et + 2F + \frac{1}{3}(-\sin t + 6)$$

$$\implies y_1(t) = \frac{2}{15} \sin t + \frac{1}{15} \cos t - 1$$

$$C \cos t - D \sin t + E = -C \sin t - D \cos t - Et - F + \frac{1}{3}(3 * 3)$$

$$\implies y_2(t) = 3$$

$$C \cos t - D \sin t + E = -C \sin t - D \cos t - Et - F + \frac{1}{3}(2 \sin t - 12)$$

$$\implies y_3(t) = \frac{1}{3} \sin t - \frac{1}{3} \cos t - 4$$

Then the general solution for Y is

$$y_1(t) = c_1 e^{2t} + \frac{2}{15} \sin t + \frac{1}{15} \cos t - 1$$

$$y_2(t) = c_2 e^{-t} + 3$$

$$y_3(t) = c_3 e^{-t} + \frac{1}{3} \sin t - \frac{1}{3} \cos t - 4$$

And finally the general solution for X is

$$\begin{aligned} x_1(t) &= y_1(t) + 2y_2(t) + 2y_3(t) \\ &= c_1 e^{2t} + 2(c_2 + c_3) e^{-t} + \frac{4}{5} \sin t - \frac{3}{5} \cos t - 3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x_2(t) &= y_2(t) \\ &= c_2 e^{-t} + 3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x_3(t) &= 2y_1(t) + y_3(t) \\ &= 2c_1 e^{2t} + c_3 e^{-t} + \frac{3}{5} \sin t - \frac{1}{5} \cos t - 6 \end{aligned}$$

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Determine the singular value decomposition of the matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ \sqrt{2} & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. Compare the singular values and singular vectors of A to its eigenvalues and eigenvectors.

To find the singular values, we find the eigenvalues of $AA^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 6 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ which are 8, 2, 0 and corre-

sponding eigenvectors are $[1, 2, 1]^\top, [1, -1, 1]^\top, [-1, 0, 1]^\top$. So that $U = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{6} & 1/\sqrt{3} & -1/\sqrt{2} \\ 2/\sqrt{6} & -1/\sqrt{3} & 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{6} & 1/\sqrt{3} & 1/\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$. Then $v_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{8}}A^\top u_1 = [\sqrt{6}/6, \sqrt{3}/2, \sqrt{3}/6]^\top$, similarly, $v_2 = [-\sqrt{3}/3, 0, \sqrt{6}/3]^\top$, and for v_3 , just make v_3 an orthonormal basis. From v_2 , we choose $v_3 = [\sqrt{2}, \eta, 1]$, then since $v_1 v_3 = 0$, we see $\eta = -1$, after normalization, we obtain $V = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{6}/6 & -\sqrt{3}/3 & \sqrt{2}/2 \\ \sqrt{3}/2 & 0 & -1/2 \\ \sqrt{3}/6 & \sqrt{6}/3 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix}$. So that $A = U\Sigma V^\top$ where

$$\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 2\sqrt{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Next we compare above with its eigenvalues and eigenvectors. We first obtain its characteristic polynomial as $\lambda^3 - 3\lambda^2 + (2 - \sqrt{2})\lambda$ so $\lambda_1 = 0$, $\lambda_{2,3} = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{1+4\sqrt{2}}}{2}$ and corresponding eigenvectors are $[\sqrt{2}, -1, 1]^\top, [1, \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1+4\sqrt{2}}}{2}, 1]^\top$. They aren't very related.

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Consider the matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ compute the left singular vectors and singular values of A ; then using the result find the first two right singular vectors of A .

For the left singular values, we first compute $AA^\top = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ so matrix A has singular value $\sqrt{4} = 2$, $\sqrt{3}$. And the singular vectors are the eigenvectors of AA^\top which are $u_1 = [1, 0]^\top$ and $u_2 = [0, 1]^\top$. The first 2 right singular values can be found using the formula. $v_1 = \frac{1}{2}A^\top u_1 = \frac{1}{2}[1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1]^\top$ and $v_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}A^\top u_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}[0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0]^\top$.