

Homework 6, Problem 3

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clear
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Step 1: State space representation

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% Define parameters  
N = 40;  
T = 10;  
mu = 0.1;  
L = 5;  
c = L^2*mu/(N^2*T);  
  
% Construct A matrix  
A = zeros(2*N);  
for i = 1:N % string element index  
    k = 2*i-1; % odd number index  
    A(k,k+1) = 1;  
    if i > 1; A(k+1,k-2) = 1/c; end  
    A(k+1,k) = -2/c;  
    if i < N; A(k+1,k+2) = 1/c; end  
end  
  
% Construct C matrix  
C = zeros(N,2*N);  
for i = 1:N  
    C(i,2*i-1) = 1;  
end  
  
% Display results for publishing  
A
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A = 80x80  
     0      1      0      0      0      0      0      ...  
-12800      0    6400      0      0      0      0  
      0      0      0      1      0      0  
  6400      0   -12800      0    6400      0  
      0      0      0      0      0      1  
      0      0    6400      0   -12800      0  
      0      0      0      0      0      0  
      0      0      0      0    6400      0  
      0      0      0      0      0      0  
      0      0      0      0      0      0
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C

eig(A)

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ans = 80x1 complex
10^2 ×
-0.0000 + 1.5988i
-0.0000 - 1.5988i
-0.0000 + 1.5953i
-0.0000 - 1.5953i
-0.0000 + 1.5894i
-0.0000 - 1.5894i
0.0000 + 1.5812i
0.0000 - 1.5812i
-0.0000 + 1.5707i
-0.0000 - 1.5707i
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Step 2: Modal decomposition

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% IMPORTANT (excerpt from MATLAB documentation, learned the hard way):
% By default eig does not always return the eigenvalues and
eigenvectors in
% sorted order. Use the sort function to put the eigenvalues in
ascending
% order and reorder the corresponding eigenvectors.

[V,D] = eig(A); % diagonalizes A
% WRONG (assumed eig always ordered eigenvalues):
% V = fliplr(V); % reorders eigenvalues from least to greatest
magnitude
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% D = rot90(D,2); % reorders eigenvectors
% RIGHT (copied from MATLAB documentation):
[d,ind] = sort(diag(D));
D = D(ind,ind);
V = V(:,ind);

X = zeros(size(V)); % preallocate transformation matrix
Anew = zeros(size(D)); % preallocate block diagonal matrix

% Construct block diagonal matrix Anew
for i = 1:N
    k = 2*i-1;

    p1 = (V(:,k)+V(:,k+1))/2;
    p2 = (V(:,k)-V(:,k+1))/2j;
    a1 = real(D(k,k));
    b1 = imag(D(k,k));

    X(:,k:k+1) = [p1 p2];
    Anew(k:k+1,k:k+1) = [a1 b1; -b1 a1];
end

% Display results for publishing
X

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X = 80x80
0.0000  0.0027  0.0000 -0.0027  0.0000  0.0027 -0.0000  0.0027 ...
0.0167  0.0000 -0.0336 -0.0000  0.0502 -0.0000  0.0666  0.0000
0.0000  0.0054  0.0000 -0.0054  0.0000  0.0053 -0.0000  0.0052
0.0333 -0.0000 -0.0664  0.0000  0.0979 -0.0000  0.1270 -0.0000
0.0000  0.0081  0.0000 -0.0080  0.0000  0.0076 -0.0000  0.0072
0.0497  0.0000 -0.0977 -0.0000  0.1403 -0.0000  0.1755  0.0000
0.0000  0.0107  0.0000 -0.0103  0.0000  0.0096 -0.0000  0.0085
0.0658 -0.0000 -0.1266 -0.0000  0.1754 -0.0000  0.2077  0.0000
0.0000  0.0133  0.0000 -0.0125  0.0000  0.0110 -0.0000  0.0090
0.0815  0.0000 -0.1526 -0.0000  0.2012 -0.0000  0.2205  0
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Anew

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Anew = 80x80
-0.0000 -6.1284      0      0      0      0      0      0 ...
6.1284 -0.0000      0      0      0      0      0      0
0      0  0.0000 -12.2479      0      0      0      0
0      0 12.2479  0.0000      0      0      0      0
0      0      0      0 -0.0000 -18.3493      0      0
0      0      0      0 18.3493 -0.0000      0      0
0      0      0      0      0      0 -0.0000 -24.4239
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0      0      0      0      0      0    24.4239   -0.0000
0      0      0      0      0      0      0      0
0      0      0      0      0      0      0      0

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Cnew = C*X

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Cnew = 40x80
0.0000  0.0027  0.0000  -0.0027  0.0000  0.0027  -0.0000  0.0027 ...
0.0000  0.0054  0.0000  -0.0054  0.0000  0.0053  -0.0000  0.0052
0.0000  0.0081  0.0000  -0.0080  0.0000  0.0076  -0.0000  0.0072
0.0000  0.0107  0.0000  -0.0103  0.0000  0.0096  -0.0000  0.0085
0.0000  0.0133  0.0000  -0.0125  0.0000  0.0110  -0.0000  0.0090
0.0000  0.0158  0.0000  -0.0143  0.0000  0.0118  -0.0000  0.0087
0.0000  0.0182  0.0000  -0.0158  0.0000  0.0120  -0.0000  0.0076
0.0000  0.0205  0.0000  -0.0169  0.0000  0.0116  0.0000  0.0057
0.0000  0.0226  0.0000  -0.0176  0.0000  0.0106  0.0000  0.0034
0.0000  0.0247  0.0000  -0.0180  0.0000  0.0090  0.0000  0.0007

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Step 3: First mode

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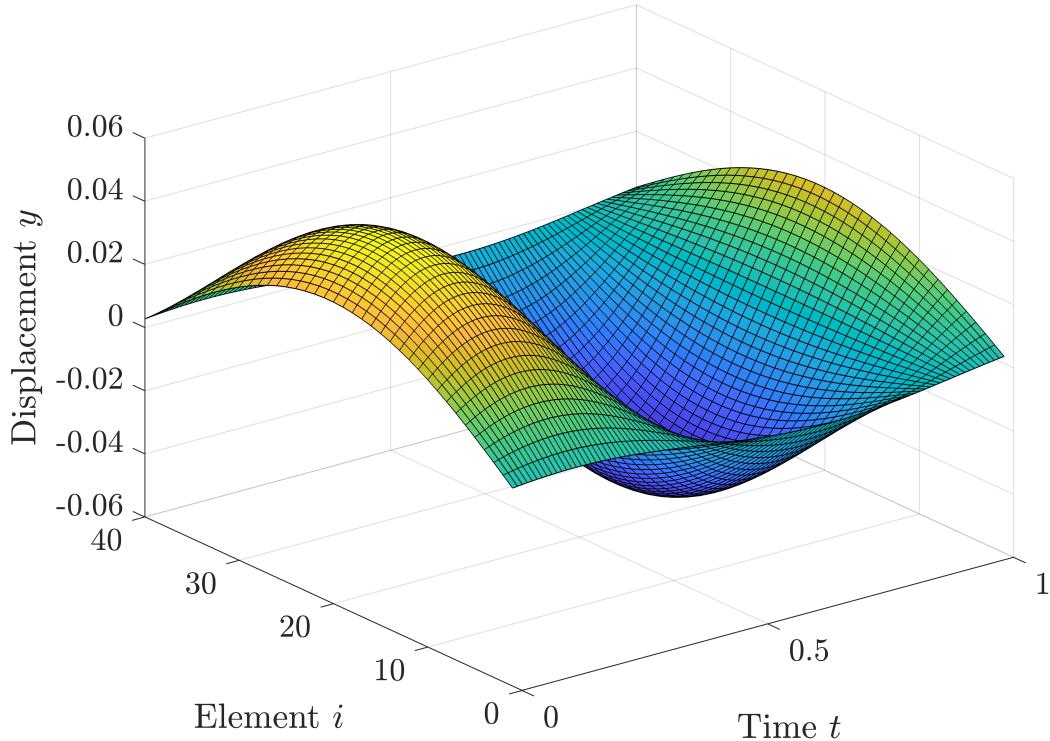
q01 = zeros(2*N,1);
q01(1:2) = [1;1]; % initial condition

t = 0:0.01:1;
M = length(t);
q1 = zeros(2*N,M);
q1(:,1) = q01;
for j = 2:M
    q1(:,j) = expm(Anew*t(j))*q1(:,1);
end
y1 = Cnew*q1;

figure(1)
surf(t,1:N,y1);
xlabel('Time $$t$$','Interpreter','latex')
ylabel('Element $$i$$','Interpreter','latex')
zlabel('Displacement $$y$$','Interpreter','latex')
title('First Mode of a Vibrating String','Interpreter','latex')
set(gca,'FontSize',16,'TickLabelInterpreter','latex')

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First Mode of a Vibrating String



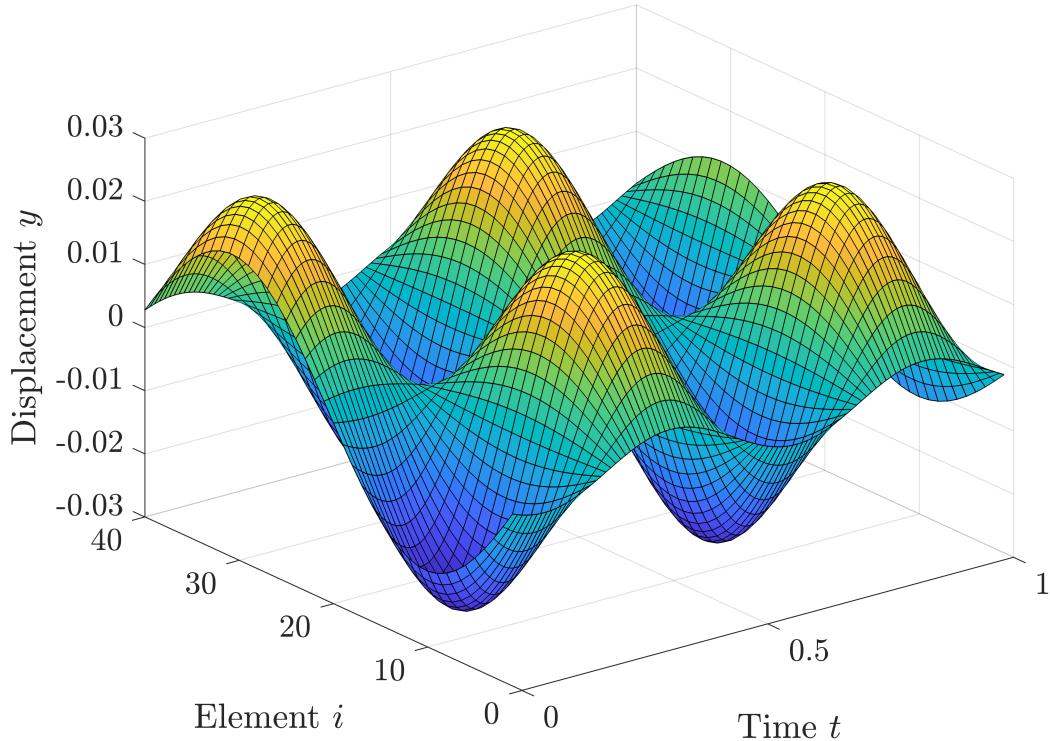
Step 4: Second mode

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q02 = zeros(2*N,1);
q02(3:4) = [1;1]; % initial condition

q2 = zeros(2*N,M);
q2(:,1) = q02;
for j = 2:M
    q2(:,j) = expm(Anew*t(j))*q2(:,1);
end
y2 = Cnew*q2;

figure(2)
surf(t,1:N,y2);
xlabel('Time $$t$$','Interpreter','latex')
ylabel('Element $$i$$','Interpreter','latex')
zlabel('Displacement $$y$$','Interpreter','latex')
title('Second Mode of a Vibrating String','Interpreter','latex')
set(gca,'FontSize',16,'TickLabelInterpreter','latex')
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Second Mode of a Vibrating String



Step 5: Third mode

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q03 = zeros(2*N,1);
q03(5:6) = [1;1]; % initial condition

q3 = zeros(2*N,M);
q3(:,1) = q03;
for j = 2:M
    q3(:,j) = expm(Anew*t(j))*q3(:,1);
end
y3 = Cnew*q3;

figure(3)
surf(t,1:N,y3);
xlabel('Time $$t$$','Interpreter','latex')
ylabel('Element $$i$$','Interpreter','latex')
zlabel('Displacement $$y$$','Interpreter','latex')
title('Third Mode of a Vibrating String','Interpreter','latex')
set(gca,'FontSize',16,'TickLabelInterpreter','latex')

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Third Mode of a Vibrating String

