

Section 7.5 - Q(1a).  $X' = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ -2 & -2 \end{pmatrix} X$ .

Finding eigenvalues of the matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ -2 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$ ,

$$0 = \det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} 3-\lambda & 2 \\ -2 & -2-\lambda \end{vmatrix}$$

$$0 = (3-\lambda) \cdot (-2-\lambda) - 2 \cdot (-2)$$

$$0 = -6 - 3\lambda + 2\lambda + \lambda^2 + 4$$

$$0 = \lambda^2 - \lambda - 2 = (\lambda - 2)(\lambda + 1)$$

So  $\lambda_1 = -1$  and  $\lambda_2 = 2$ .

To find eigenvectors,

$$0 = (A - \lambda_1 I)v = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ -2 & -1 \end{pmatrix} v \quad \text{so} \quad v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ +2 \end{pmatrix}$$

and,

$$0 = (A - \lambda_2 I)v = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -2 & -4 \end{pmatrix} v \quad \text{so} \quad v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Thus, the general solution of the equation is,

$$X(t) = C_1 \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} e^{-t} + C_2 \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{2t}$$

$$\boxed{\text{Q5a}}: X' = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} X. \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

eigenvalues  $0 = \det(A - \lambda I)$  i.e.  $\lambda_1 = -3$ ,  $\lambda_2 = -1$   
and corresponding eigenvectors are  $v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\text{Hence, } X(t) = C_1 \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-3t} + C_2 \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-t}$$

3.(a) Setting  $\mathbf{x} = \boldsymbol{\xi} e^{rt}$  results in the algebraic equations

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2-r & 3 \\ -1 & -2-r \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \xi_1 \\ \xi_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

For a nonzero solution, we must have  $\det(\mathbf{A} - r\mathbf{I}) = r^2 - 1 = 0$ . The roots of the characteristic equation are  $r_1 = 1$  and  $r_2 = -1$ . For  $r = 1$ , the system of equations reduces to  $\xi_1 = -3\xi_2$ . The corresponding eigenvector is  $\boldsymbol{\xi}^{(1)} = (-3, 1)^T$ . Substitution of  $r = -1$  results in the single equation  $\xi_1 = -\xi_2$ . A corresponding eigenvector is  $\boldsymbol{\xi}^{(2)} = (-1, 1)^T$ . Since the eigenvalues are distinct, the general solution is

$$\mathbf{x} = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^t + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-t}.$$

15. Setting  $\mathbf{x} = \boldsymbol{\xi} e^{rt}$  results in the algebraic equations

$$\begin{pmatrix} 5-r & -1 \\ 3 & 1-r \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \xi_1 \\ \xi_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

For a nonzero solution, we must have  $\det(\mathbf{A} - r\mathbf{I}) = r^2 - 6r + 8 = 0$ . The roots of the characteristic equation are  $r_1 = 4$  and  $r_2 = 2$ . With  $r = 4$ , the system of equations reduces to  $\xi_1 - \xi_2 = 0$ . The corresponding eigenvector is  $\boldsymbol{\xi}^{(1)} = (1, 1)^T$ . For the case  $r = 2$ , the system is equivalent to the equation  $3\xi_1 - \xi_2 = 0$ . An

eigenvector is  $\boldsymbol{\xi}^{(2)} = (1, 3)^T$ . Since the eigenvalues are distinct, the general solution is

$$\mathbf{x} = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{4t} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} e^{2t}.$$

Invoking the initial conditions, we obtain the system of equations

$$\begin{aligned} c_1 + c_2 &= 3 \\ c_1 + 3c_2 &= -1. \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $c_1 = 5$  and  $c_2 = -2$ , and the solution of the IVP is

$$\mathbf{x} = 5 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{4t} - 2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} e^{2t}.$$

**7a**:  $x' = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 8 \\ -3 & -6 \end{pmatrix} x$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 8 \\ -3 & -6 \end{pmatrix}$$

eigenvalues are  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2$  such that  $0 = \det(A - \lambda I)$   
 from which we obtain  $\lambda_1 = 0$  and  $\lambda_2 = -2$   
 And, corresponding eigenvectors  $v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$

Thus,

$$x(t) = C_1 \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{0 \cdot t} + C_2 \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} e^{-2t}$$

**Q16**:  $x' = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ -5 & 4 \end{pmatrix} x$ ,  $x(0) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ .

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ -5 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

eigenvalues are  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2$  roots of  $\det(A - \lambda I) = 0$   
 so that  $\lambda_1 = -1$  and  $\lambda_2 = 3$ . And  
 corresponding eigenvectors  $v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$

So,  $x(t) = C_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-t} + C_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} e^{3t}$

Imposing the initial value  $x(0) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ ,

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = x(0) = C_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^0 + C_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} e^0 = \begin{pmatrix} C_1 + C_2 \\ C_1 + 5C_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

OR  $C_1 = \frac{7}{4}$  and  $C_2 = \frac{1}{4}$

Thus,  $x(t) = \frac{7}{4} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-t} + \frac{1}{4} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} e^{3t}$



7.6.) 1.a. Setting  $x = \xi e^{rt}$  results:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3-r & 4 \\ -2 & -1-r \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \xi_1 \\ \xi_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

For a non-zero solution, we require that  $\det(A-rI) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (3-r)(-1-r) + 8 = 0$$

$$r_{1,2} = 1 \pm 2i$$

$$r_1 = 1+2i, \quad r_2 = 1-2i$$

Substituting  $r_{1,2}$ , we have associated eigenvectors; respectively

$$\xi^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1-i \end{pmatrix}, \quad \xi^{(2)} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1+i \end{pmatrix}$$

Hence one of the complex-valued solutions is given by:

$$x^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1-i \end{pmatrix} e^{(1+2i)t} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1-i \end{pmatrix} e^t (\cos 2t + i \sin 2t)$$

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

Based on the real and imaginary parts of this solution, the general solution is:

$$x = c_1 e^t \begin{pmatrix} -2 \cos 2t \\ \cos 2t + \sin 2t \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^t \begin{pmatrix} -2 \sin 2t \\ -\cos 2t + \sin 2t \end{pmatrix}$$

3.(a) Solution of the ODEs is based on the analysis of the algebraic equations

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2-r & 1 \\ -5 & -2-r \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \xi_1 \\ \xi_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

For a nonzero solution, we require that  $\det(\mathbf{A} - r\mathbf{I}) = r^2 + 1 = 0$ . The roots of the characteristic equation are  $r = \pm i$ . Setting  $r = i$ , the equations are equivalent to  $(2 - i)\xi_1 + \xi_2 = 0$ . The eigenvectors are  $\boldsymbol{\xi}^{(1)} = (1, -2 + i)^T$  and  $\boldsymbol{\xi}^{(2)} = (1, -2 - i)^T$ . Hence one of the complex-valued solutions is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{x}^{(1)} &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 + i \end{pmatrix} e^{it} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 + i \end{pmatrix} (\cos t + i \sin t) = \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} \cos t \\ -2 \cos t - \sin t \end{pmatrix} + i \begin{pmatrix} \sin t \\ \cos t - 2 \sin t \end{pmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore the general solution is

$$\mathbf{x} = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} \cos t \\ -2 \cos t - \sin t \end{pmatrix} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} \sin t \\ \cos t - 2 \sin t \end{pmatrix}.$$

The solution may also be written as

$$\mathbf{x} = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} -2 \cos t + \sin t \\ 5 \cos t \end{pmatrix} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} -2 \sin t - \cos t \\ 5 \sin t \end{pmatrix}.$$

5.(a) Setting  $\mathbf{x} = \boldsymbol{\xi} t^r$  results in the algebraic equations

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1-r & 5 \\ -1 & -3-r \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \xi_1 \\ \xi_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

The characteristic equation is  $r^2 + 2r + 2 = 0$ , with roots  $r = -1 \pm i$ . Substituting  $r = -1 - i$  reduces the system of equations to  $(2 + i)\xi_1 + 5\xi_2 = 0$ . The eigenvectors are  $\boldsymbol{\xi}^{(1)} = (-2 + i, 1)^T$  and  $\boldsymbol{\xi}^{(2)} = (-2 - i, 1)^T$ . Hence one of the complex-valued solutions is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{x}^{(1)} &= \begin{pmatrix} -2 + i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-(1+i)t} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 + i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-t} (\cos t - i \sin t) = \\ &= e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \cos t + \sin t \\ \cos t \end{pmatrix} + i e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} \cos t + 2 \sin t \\ -\sin t \end{pmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

The general solution is

$$\mathbf{x} = c_1 e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \cos t + \sin t \\ \cos t \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} \cos t + 2 \sin t \\ -\sin t \end{pmatrix}.$$



7.6) g. eigenvalues:

$$(1-r)(-3-r)+5=0$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1-r & -5 \\ 1 & -3-r \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow r^2 + 2r + 2 = 0$$

$$r_1 = -1 + i \quad \xi^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 2-i \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow r_{1,2} = -1 \mp i$$

$$x^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 2-i \end{pmatrix} e^{(-1+i)t} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 2-i \end{pmatrix} e^{-t} (\cos t + i \sin t)$$

$$= e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 5 \cos t + i 5 \sin t \\ 2 \cos t + \sin t + i (2 \sin t - \cos t) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 5 \cos t \\ 2 \cos t + \sin t \end{pmatrix} + e^{-t} \cdot i \begin{pmatrix} 5 \sin t \\ 2 \sin t - \cos t \end{pmatrix}$$

Hence the general solution is:

$$x = c_1 e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 5 \cos t \\ 2 \cos t + \sin t \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 5 \sin t \\ 2 \sin t - \cos t \end{pmatrix}$$

Substitute the I.C.  $x(0) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\begin{cases} 5c_1 = 2 \\ 2c_1 - c_2 = 1 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} c_1 = 2/5 \\ c_2 = -1/5 \end{cases}$$

$$x = \frac{2}{5} e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 5 \cos t \\ 2 \cos t + \sin t \end{pmatrix} - \frac{1}{5} e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 5 \sin t \\ 2 \sin t - \cos t \end{pmatrix}$$

$$t \rightarrow \infty, \quad x \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



$$7.6.7) 11.a. \quad \begin{vmatrix} \frac{3}{4} - \lambda & 1 \\ -2 & -\frac{5}{4} - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 + \frac{1}{2}\lambda + \frac{17}{16} = 0$$

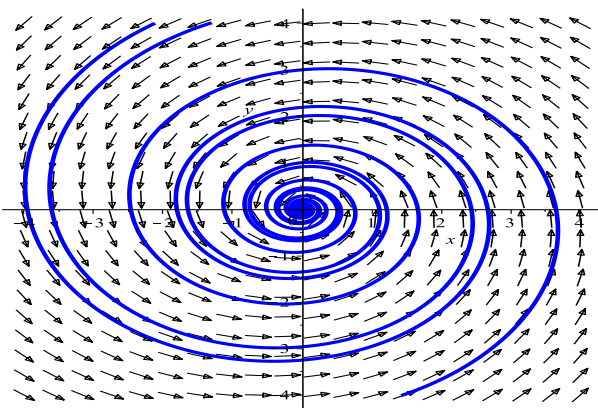
$$\Delta = -4$$

$$r_{1,2} = \frac{-\frac{1}{2} \pm \sqrt{-4}}{2} = -\frac{1}{4} \pm i$$

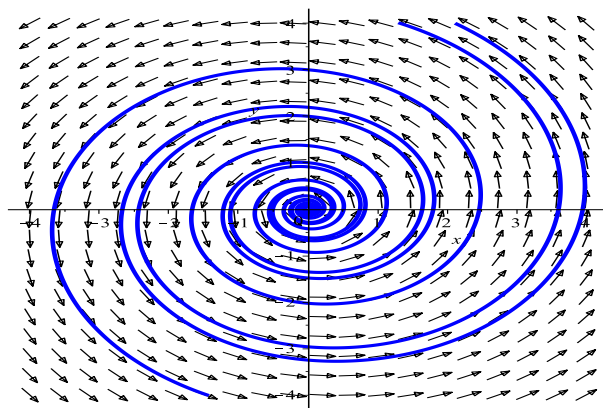
13.(a) The characteristic equation is  $r^2 - 2\alpha r + 1 + \alpha^2 = 0$ , with roots  $r = \alpha \pm i$ .

(b) When  $\alpha < 0$  and  $\alpha > 0$ , the equilibrium point  $(0, 0)$  is a stable spiral and an unstable spiral, respectively. The equilibrium point is a center when  $\alpha = 0$ .

(c)



(a)  $\alpha = -1/8$



(b)  $\alpha = 1/8$