

## Exam - secondary date

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**Ex.1)** Study the solvability of the BVP:  $x'' + gx = 2, x(0) = x(3\pi) = 0$ . Here, as usual, the unknown is the function  $t \in \mathbb{R} \mapsto x(t) \in \mathbb{R}$ .

$$x'' + gx = 2 \Rightarrow x_p = \frac{2}{g}$$

We need a general solution of the LDE:  $x'' + gx = 0$

• The char. eq:  $x^2 + g = 0 \Rightarrow x^2 = -g \Rightarrow \lambda_{1,2} = \pm \sqrt{-g} \mapsto e^{i\sqrt{-g}t}, e^{-i\sqrt{-g}t}$  (as cos, sin)

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = c_1 \cos \sqrt{-g}t + c_2 \sin \sqrt{-g}t \Rightarrow x = c_1 \cos \sqrt{-g}t + c_2 \sin \sqrt{-g}t + \frac{2}{g}$$

$$\begin{cases} x(0) = 0 \\ x(3\pi) = 0 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} c_1 \cos 0 + c_2 \sin 0 + \frac{2}{g} = 0 \\ c_1 \cos 3\pi + c_2 \sin 3\pi + \frac{2}{g} = 0 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} c_1 = -\frac{2}{g} \\ c_1 = \frac{2}{g} \end{cases}, \text{ so the system has no solution}$$

**! Ex.2)** Study the solvability of the following problem:  $x_{k+2} = e^{2k+1} - 5x_k + 7, k \geq 0, x_0 = 0, x_1 = 0, x_2 = 8$ .

Here, as usual, the unknown is the seq.  $k \in \mathbb{N} \mapsto x_k \in \mathbb{R}$

$$x_{k+2} = e^{2k+1} - 5x_k + 7 \Rightarrow x_{k+2} - e^{2k+1} + 5x_k = 7$$

For  $k=0 \Rightarrow x_2 - e^{2k+1} + 5x_0 = 7 \Rightarrow 8 - e^0 + 5 \cdot 0 = 7 \Rightarrow 7 = 7$ , true  $\Rightarrow$  The problem is solvable.

**Ex.3)** Find the general solution of:  $\begin{cases} x' = -y \\ y' = x + y \end{cases}$ , using the characteristic eq. method for systems.

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \det(A - \lambda I_2) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \begin{vmatrix} -1 - \lambda & 0 \\ 1 & 1 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Leftrightarrow -(-1 + \lambda)(1 - \lambda) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \lambda^2 - \lambda = 0 \Leftrightarrow \lambda_1 = 0, \lambda_2 = 1$$

$u_1 = ?$  an eigenvector corresp. to  $\lambda_1 = 0$  ( $\forall u_1 \in \mathbb{R}^2, u_1 \neq \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ ),  $Au_1 = -\lambda_1 u_1 \Rightarrow u_1 = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$

$$Au_1 = -0u_1 \Leftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -a \\ a+b \end{pmatrix} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} -a = -a \\ a + b = -a \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} a \in \mathbb{R} \\ b = -2a \end{cases}. \text{ Choose } a = 1, b = -2 \Rightarrow u_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$Au_2 = 1u_2 \Leftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ a+b \end{pmatrix} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} -a = a \\ a + b = a \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} 1a = 0 \\ a = 0 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \text{Choose } a = 0, b = 1 \Rightarrow u_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

So: - eigenvalues:  $\lambda_1 = 0, \lambda_2 = 1$

- eigenvectors:  $u_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, u_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \neq 0 \Rightarrow u_1, u_2 - \text{lin. indp.}$

$\Rightarrow e^{-kt} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $e^{kt} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  are lin. indp. sol. of  $Ax = x'$   $\Rightarrow$  gen. sol:  $X = c_1 e^{-kt} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^{kt} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R} \Rightarrow$

$$\begin{cases} x(t) = c_1 e^{-kt} \cdot 1 \\ y(t) = c_1 e^{-kt} \cdot (-1) + c_2 e^{kt} \end{cases}$$

**Ex.4)** We consider a non-linear planar system:  $\begin{cases} \dot{x} = x + 1 \\ \dot{y} = -3y - xy \end{cases} \Rightarrow f_1(x,y) = x + 1, f_2(x,y) = -3y - xy \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -3 & -x \end{pmatrix}$

a) Find its eq. point and the lin. system around it.

$$\begin{cases} x+1=0 \\ -3y-xy=0 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} x=-1 \\ -3y+y=0 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} x=-1 \\ y=0 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \eta = (-1, 0) \Leftrightarrow Jf(-1, 0) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \dot{X} = Jf(-1, 0) \cdot X$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} x' = x \\ y' = -2y \end{cases} \rightarrow \text{lin. system}$$

b) Find a first integral.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-3y - xy}{x+1} \Leftrightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-y(3+x)}{x+1} \Leftrightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{(3+x)}{x+1} \cdot (-y) \Leftrightarrow \frac{dy}{y} = \frac{-(3+x)}{x+1} \cdot dx \Leftrightarrow$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \int \frac{1}{y} dy = \int \frac{3+x}{x+1} dx \Leftrightarrow \ln|y| = -\int \left(1 + \frac{2}{x+1}\right) dx \Leftrightarrow \ln|y| = -x - 2\ln|x+1| + C \Leftrightarrow$$

$$\Leftrightarrow H(x, y) = \ln|y| + 2\ln|x+1| - x \Leftrightarrow H: (-\infty, \infty) \times (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, H(x, y) = \ln y + 2\ln(x+1) + x$$

$$\text{check: } \frac{\partial H}{\partial x} f_1(x, y) + \frac{\partial H}{\partial y} f_2(x, y) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \left(\frac{2}{x+1} + 1\right)(x+1) + \frac{1}{y}(-3y - xy) = 0 \Leftrightarrow$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 2 + (x+1) - 3 - x = 0 \Leftrightarrow 2 + x + 1 - 3 - x = 0 \Leftrightarrow 0 = 0, \text{ true} \Rightarrow H: (-1, \infty) \times (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, H(x, y) = \ln y + 2\ln(x+1) + x \text{ is a first integral}$$

c) The lin. system:  $\begin{cases} x' = x \\ y' = -2y \end{cases}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-2y}{x} \Leftrightarrow -\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{y} dy = \frac{1}{x} dx \Leftrightarrow -\frac{1}{2} \ln|y| = \ln|x| + C \Leftrightarrow \ln|xy| = C/2 \Leftrightarrow$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 2\ln|xy| = C \Leftrightarrow \ln(|xy|^2) = C \Leftrightarrow |xy|^2 = e^C = c_2, xy = H(x, y), H: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$\frac{\partial H}{\partial x} \cdot x + \frac{\partial H}{\partial y} \cdot (-2y) = 2xy \cdot x + x^2 \cdot (-2y) = 2x^2y - 2x^2y = 0, \text{ true} \Rightarrow H: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, H(x, y) = xy, \text{ global first integral}$$

d) Phase portrait:

