

Homogeneous Systems

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = Ax$$

- ① Find $A - \lambda I$
- ② $\det |A - \lambda I|$
- ③ solve for λ_i

Real λ ←

- ① if multiplicity = 1,
- ② Plug each λ_i into $A - \lambda I$
- ③ solve $[A - \lambda I] \begin{bmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}$
For members n_i of \vec{n}
- ④ $\vec{n} = \begin{bmatrix} n_1 \\ f(n_1) \end{bmatrix}$, e.g. (plug in the best n_1)
- ⑤ gen solution

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} \vec{n}_1 + c_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} \vec{n}_2$$

- ① if multiplicity > 1,
- ④ Find \vec{n}_i 's as above
- ⑤ solve $[A] \begin{bmatrix} p_1 \\ p_2 \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}$
for elements of \vec{p}
 $\vec{p} = \begin{bmatrix} p_1 \\ \vdots \\ f(p_1) \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow$

- ⑥ Pick a p_i that best solves matrix

- ⑦ general solution

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} \vec{n}_1 + c_2 (e^{\lambda_1 t} t \vec{n}_1 + e^{\lambda_1 t} \vec{p}_1)$$

- ⑥ solve for \vec{n} 's (or just \vec{n}_1)

Complex λ

- ① write out $\vec{x}_1(t) = c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} \vec{n}_1$
- ② $e^{\lambda_1 t} = \cos(\lambda_1 t) + i \sin(\lambda_1 t)$
- ③ split () \vec{n}_1 into Re, Im
- ④ $\vec{x}_1(t) = u(t) + i v(t)$
- ⑤ general solution

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 \vec{u}(t) + c_2 \vec{v}(t)$$

determinants

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix} = ad - bc$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & k \end{vmatrix} = a \begin{vmatrix} e & f \\ h & k \end{vmatrix} - b \begin{vmatrix} d & f \\ g & k \end{vmatrix} + c \begin{vmatrix} d & e \\ g & h \end{vmatrix}$$

diff eq

Non-Homogeneous Systems

Undetermined Coefficients

$$\vec{x}' = A\vec{x} + \begin{bmatrix} QP_1 \\ QP_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

- ① solve homogeneous version:

$$\vec{x}_c = c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} \vec{n}_1 + c_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} \vec{n}_2$$

$$\textcircled{2} \vec{x}_p = \begin{bmatrix} A_1 \\ A_2 \\ \vdots \\ A_n \end{bmatrix} + t \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ \vdots \\ b_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ \vdots \\ c_n \end{bmatrix} \cos(3t) + \begin{bmatrix} e_1 \\ \vdots \\ e_n \end{bmatrix} e^{5t} + \begin{bmatrix} d_1 \\ \vdots \\ d_n \end{bmatrix} \sin(3t)$$

Construct general (matrix) quasipolynomial incorporating all elements of given QP

$$\textcircled{3} \vec{x}(t) = \vec{x}_c + \vec{x}_p$$

$$\textcircled{4} \text{ plug into } \vec{x}' = A\vec{x}$$

VoP

$$\vec{x}_c = c_1 (e^{\lambda_1 t} \vec{n}_1) + c_2 (e^{\lambda_2 t} \vec{n}_2)$$

Variation of Parameters

$$\vec{x}' = A\vec{x}$$

- ① solve for li

$$\text{e.g. } \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} - & - \\ - & - \end{bmatrix}$$

- ② drop R

e.g.

- ③ express in t

e.g.

- ④ split e.g.

- ⑤ general

VoP

① find $\vec{x}_c = c_1 (e^{\lambda_1 t} \vec{n}_1) + c_2 (e^{\lambda_2 t} \vec{n}_2)$

② squish columns $(e^{\lambda_1 t} \vec{n}_1), (e^{\lambda_2 t} \vec{n}_2), \dots$
into $X(t)$

③ Find $X^{-1}(t)$

④ $x(t) = X(t) c + X(t) \int X^{-1}(t) f(t) dt$

⑤ IVP: $x(t) = X(t) X^{-1}(t_0) x_0 + X(t) \int_{t_0}^t X^{-1}(s) f(s) ds$
 $x(t_0) = x_0$

④ split \vec{u} into ~~Re, Im~~

e.g. $\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + i \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

⑤ general solution

$x(t) = c_1 e^{\alpha t}$