

ELEC-7500

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- matrix exponential
state transition matrix }
- Eigenveector approach
- Laplace approach

The larger picture...

$$\dot{\underline{x}} = A \underline{x} \rightarrow \text{what is the state response?}$$

$$\underline{x}(t) = ?$$

Just study the form of the scalar (1st order) problem

$$\dot{x}(t) = \cancel{a(t)} a x(t)$$

$$\dot{x} = a x$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = a x$$

Separation of variables leads to

$$\frac{1}{x} dx = a dt$$

$$\int_{x(0)}^{x(t)} \frac{1}{x} dx = \int_0^t a dt$$

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$$\int_{x(0)}^{x(t)} \frac{1}{x} dx = \int_0^t a dt$$

dust clears

$$x(t) = e^{at} x(0)$$

exponential function

We desire (hope for)

$$x(t) = e^{At} x(0)$$

What is this matrix exponential?

Also called state transition matrix.

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More generally $\underline{x}(t_0) \rightarrow \underline{x}(t)$

$$\underline{x}(t) = \underbrace{e^{A(t-t_0)}}_{\text{state transition matrix}} \underline{x}(t_0)$$

- state transition matrix
- matrix exponential

Google: author Moler, Golub, Van Loan

"21 dubious solutions for the
matrix exponential"

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Recall Similarity Transformation

$$AV = V\Sigma$$

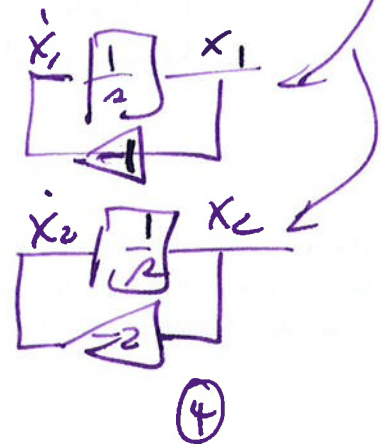
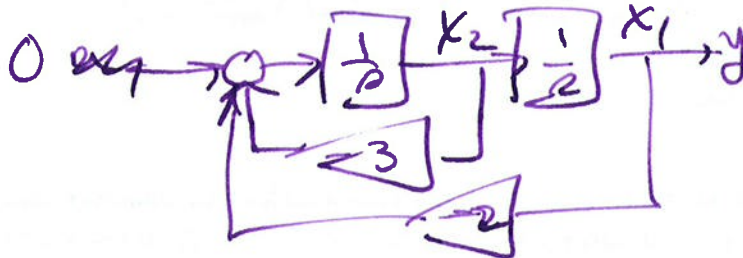
$$\text{or } A = V\Sigma V^{-1}$$

"A" is similar to " Σ "

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -2 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ is related to } \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Σ

Simulation diagram



So, given $\dot{x} = \underbrace{A}_{\text{matrix } n \times n} x \rightarrow \dim(x) = n \times 1$

Recall A has eigenvectors & eigenvalues

$$AV = V\Sigma$$

matrix of eigenvectors

diagonal matrix
of eigenvalues

Last meeting $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$ $V = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Claim Since $A = V \Sigma V^{-1}$

Then $e^{At} = V e^{\Sigma t} V^{-1}$

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Easy to compute

$$\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \quad e^{\Sigma t} = \begin{bmatrix} e^{-1t} & \emptyset \\ \emptyset & e^{-2t} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$e^{At} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}}_{\substack{v_1 \quad v_2 \\ V}} \begin{bmatrix} e^{-t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-2t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$V^{-1} = \frac{1}{|V|} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

cofactor

Finish
steps for
homework

$$\left[\begin{array}{c|c} e^{-t} & e^{-2t} \\ \hline & \end{array} \right]$$

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Another approach

$$\dot{\underline{x}}(t) = A \underline{x}(t)$$

Apply Laplace Transform to both sides

$$\underline{x}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ \vdots \\ x_n(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

Laplace transform
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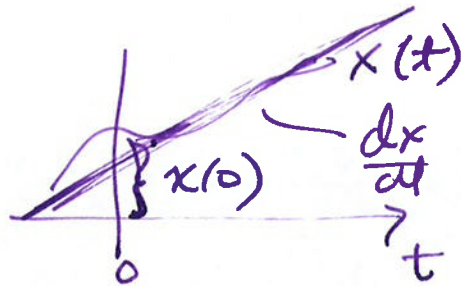
$$X(s) = \begin{bmatrix} \mathcal{L}\{x_1(t)\} \\ \vdots \\ \mathcal{L}\{x_n(t)\} \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$\text{If } \underline{x}(t) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} \underline{X}(s)$$

$$\text{then } \frac{d}{dt} \underline{x}(t) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} s \underline{X}(s) - \underline{x}(0)$$

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initial state



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Therefore $\dot{\underline{x}}(t) = A \underline{x}(t)$

transforms to

$$s \underline{X}(s) - \underline{x}(0) = A \underline{X}(s)$$

Solve for $\underline{X}(s)$

$$s \underline{X}(s) - A \underline{X}(s) = \underline{x}(0)$$

$$(s I - A) \underline{X}(s) = \underline{x}(0)$$

Solution in
transform
domain

$$\underline{X}(s) = (s I - A)^{-1} \underline{x}(0)$$

Inverse Laplace

$$\underline{x}(t) = e^{At} \underline{x}(0)$$

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Claim

$$e^{At} = \underbrace{\mathcal{L}^{-1}}_{\text{transform inverse}} \left\{ (sI - A)^{-1} \right\} \underbrace{\mathcal{L}}_{\text{matrix inverse}}$$

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Example 2 (compare result later to first method uses $e^{\Sigma t}$ eigenvalues)

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -2 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \Delta I - A = \begin{bmatrix} \Delta & -1 \\ 2 & \Delta + 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\Delta I - A)^{-1} = \frac{1}{\underbrace{\Delta^2 + 3\Delta + 2}} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta + 3 & 1 \\ -2 & \Delta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|\Delta I - A|$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\Delta + 3}{\Delta^2 + 3\Delta + 2} & \frac{1}{\Delta^2 + 3\Delta + 2} \\ \frac{-2}{\Delta^2 + 3\Delta + 2} & \frac{\Delta}{\Delta^2 + 3\Delta + 2} \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$(\lambda I - A)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\lambda+3}{\lambda^2+3\lambda+2} & \frac{1}{\lambda} \\ -2 & \lambda \end{bmatrix} \stackrel{?}{=} e^{At}$$

inverse Laplace transform, element-by-element

$$\frac{\lambda+3}{\lambda^2+3\lambda+2} \rightarrow ?$$

residues

$$\frac{\lambda+3}{\lambda^2+3\lambda+2} = \frac{\lambda+3}{(\lambda+1)(\lambda+2)} = \frac{\lambda+3}{\lambda+1} + \frac{\lambda+3}{\lambda+2} + K$$

partial fraction expansion

In MATLAB

>> num = [1 3]

>> den = [1 3 2]

>> [R, P, K] = residue(num, den)

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residues poles