

- Plan:
1. Recap high defect method from last time (S.5).
 2. See phase plane portraits in case of defective eigenvalues (S.3)
 3. Start discussing autonomous systems. (6.1)

System: $\dot{x} = Ax$ A has eigenvalue(s) of high defect.

Idea: if λ has defect $k \geq 1$, use chains of gen. e-vectors to "fill up" multiplicity

Ex: Multiplicity 4, defect 2, i.e. only 2 lin. indep. eigenv.

possibility 1:

$$\begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{\text{rank 3}} \boxed{v_3} \\ | \\ \xrightarrow{\text{rank 2}} \boxed{v_2} \\ | \\ \boxed{v_1} - \boxed{w_1} \\ \text{e-vectors, lin. indep.} \end{array}$$

possibility 2:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \xrightarrow{\text{rank 2}} & \boxed{v_2} & \boxed{w_2} \\ | & | & | \\ \boxed{v_1} - \boxed{w_1} & & \end{array}$$

won't appear in H/W

Method: 1. Find eigenvalues, eigenvectors to compute defect.

2. If λ has defect k : try to find a chain of length $(k+1)$ starting at a gen. e-vector of rank $k+1$.

Try to solve, if possible.

$$(A - \lambda I)^{k+1} u_{k+1} = 0 \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \\ + \end{array} \right.$$

$$(A - \lambda I)^k u_{k+1} \neq 0$$

If u_{k+1} exists, build chain

$$(A - \lambda I) u_{k+1} = u_k$$

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$$(A - \lambda I) u_2 = u_1 \rightarrow \text{true eigenv.}$$

3. "Fill up" multiplicity using chains based on eigenvectors lin. indep. from u_1 .

4. ~~4~~ might not be possible (e.g. if $(A - \lambda I)^k = 0$).

In that case try to find chain of length k etc.

e.g.:
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & & \\ 0 & 2 & & \\ & & 2 & 1 \\ & & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad 0 \quad 7$$

5. Once found as many gen. eigenvectors as the multiplicity, build sol's as described on Wednesday.

Ex. from last time.

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Found: $\lambda = 2$ has mult. 4.
 $\begin{bmatrix} \alpha \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ b \end{bmatrix}$ eigen v. for all α, b .
 \Rightarrow at most 2 lin. indep. e-vectors.

Defect is 2. Try for chain of length 3.

Found:

$$\begin{aligned} (A - 2I)^3 v_3 &= 0 \\ (A - 2I)^2 v_3 &\neq 0 \quad \text{for } v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

So,

$$\begin{array}{c} \boxed{v_3} \\ \downarrow \\ \boxed{v_2} \\ \downarrow \\ \boxed{v} - \boxed{w_1} \end{array}$$

Build chain:

$$\begin{aligned} v_2 &= (A - \lambda I) v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ v_1 &= (A - \lambda I) v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Can take $w_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ to "fill up" multiplicity

4 Sols: $x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} e^{2t}, \tilde{x}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} e^{2t}$

$$\tilde{x}_2 = \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} t + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) e^{2t}$$

$$\tilde{x}_3 = \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \frac{t^2}{2} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} t + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) e^{2t}$$

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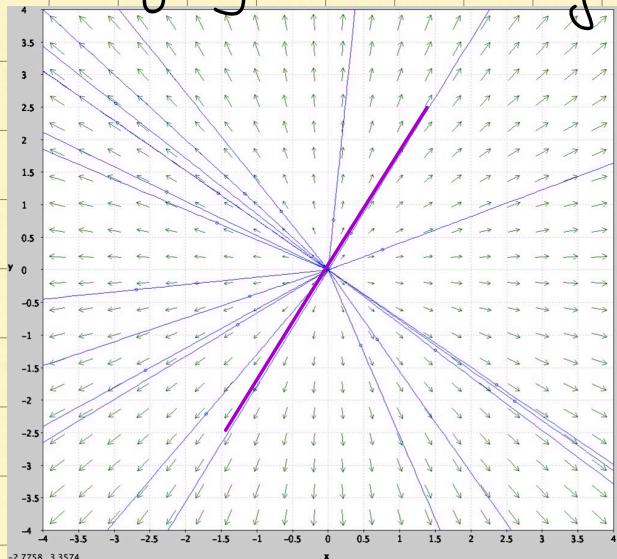
Phase plane portraits

$$\dot{\underline{x}} = A \underline{x}, \quad A = 2 \times 2 \text{ matrix}$$

Ex 1 defect 0, positive repeated e-values.

$$x' = x \quad x = a e^{rt}$$

$$y' = y \quad y = b e^{rt}$$



traj. are half lines
starting at origin.
recede from origin

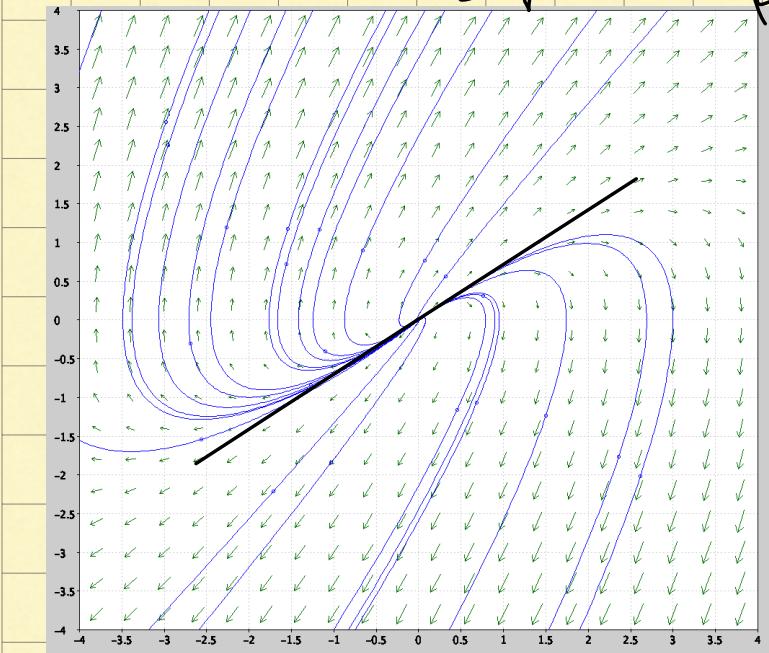
proper nodal source
at most one pair of
"opposite" trajectories
tangent to the same
line at origin.

Ex 2 Repeated positive e-v. defect 1.

$$x' = y$$

$$y' = -x + 2y$$

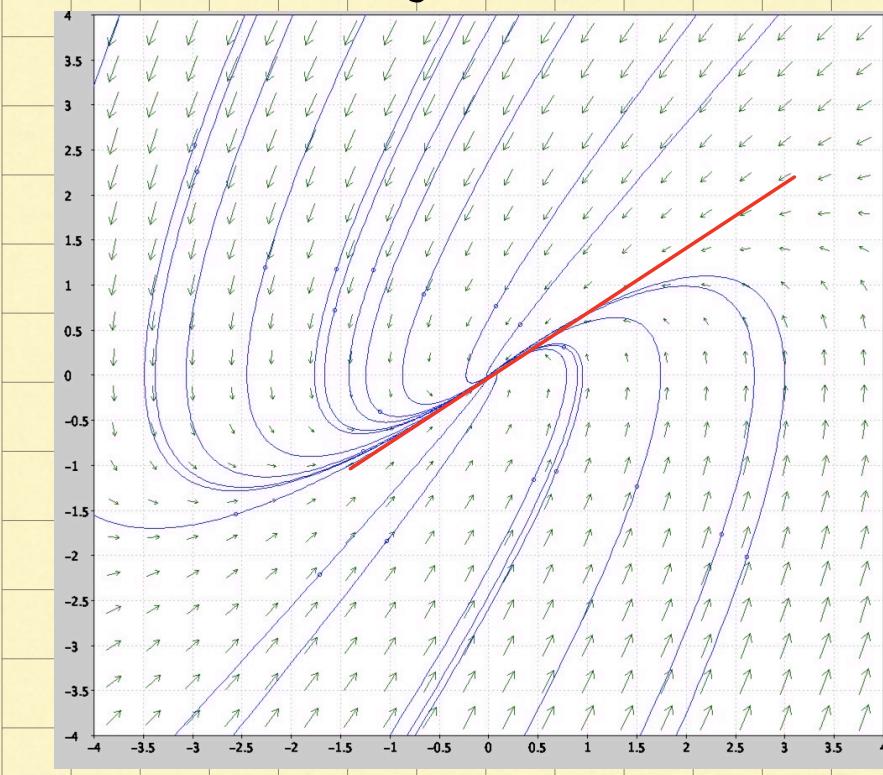
$$\dot{x}(t) = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} e^t + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} t + \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} e^t$$



All traj. tending
to a line at
origin, recede
from origin.

improper node
source.

Ex 3: negative repeated eigenvalues, defect 1.



improper
node sink

Look at p. 315-316 in textbook.

Ch 6. Non-linear systems.

6.1 Autonomous systems.

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt} = F(x,y) \\ \frac{dy}{dt} = G(x,y) \end{cases}$$

no time dependence.

Ex:

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt} = 2x + y \\ \frac{dy}{dt} = y \end{cases}$$

linear, autonomous.

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt} = \sin(y) \\ \frac{dy}{dt} = \cos(x) \end{cases}$$

non-linear, autonomous.

Non-ex:

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt} = 2x + y + t \\ \frac{dy}{dt} = x + 2y + \cos(t) \end{cases}$$

non-autonomous
linear
(non-homogeneous)

Existence & Uniqueness

If (x_0, y_0) , to given, F, G are nice then there is exactly one sol'n of $x' = F(x,y), y' = G(x,y)$ in an interval containing t_0 so that $\begin{cases} x(t_0) = x_0 \\ y(t_0) = y_0 \end{cases}$

Fact: If (x_0, y_0) is such that $\begin{cases} F(x_0, y_0) = 0 \\ G(x_0, y_0) = 0 \end{cases}$

then: $\begin{cases} x(t) = x_0 \\ y(t) = y_0 \end{cases}$ is a sol'n to

$\begin{cases} x' = F(x, y) \\ y' = G(x, y) \end{cases}$. Such an (x_0, y_0) is called a critical point for the system.