

```
Clear["Global`*"]
```

1 - 6 Mixing problems.

1. Find out, without calculation, whether doubling the flow rate in example 1 has the same effect as halving the tank sizes. (Give a reason.)

I see the answer to this problem is yes, which surprised me.

3. Derive the eigenvectors in example 1 without consulting this book.

```
A = ( -0.02  0.02 )
      0.02 -0.02 )
{{-0.02, 0.02}, {0.02, -0.02}}
```

```
Eigensystem[A]
```

```
{{-0.04, 0.}, {{0.707107, -0.707107}, {0.707107, 0.707107}}}
```

As there is no text answer to this problem, I can't determine whether my guess is right or wrong.

5. If you extend example 1 by a tank T_3 of the same size as the others, and connected to T_2 by two tubes with flow rates as between T_1 and T_2 , what system of ODEs will you get?

7 - 9 Electrical network

In example 2, find the currents:

7. If the initial currents are 0 A and -3 A (minus meaning the $I_2(0)$ flows against the direction of the arrow).

```
Clear["Global`*"]
```

In example 2 the applicable matrix is found as

```
( -4  4 )
(-1.6 1.2 )
{{-4, 4}, {-1.6, 1.2}}
```

Mathematica, in calculating eigenvectors, always normalizes any which have any entries, in the parent matrix, which are floats. In this case I can pull the following into agreement with the text (which does not normalize the eigenvectors here) by rationalizing.

```
Rationalize[-1.6]
```

```
- 8
  5
```

Rationalize[1.2]

$$\frac{6}{5}$$

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{4}{5} & \frac{4}{5} \\ -\frac{8}{5} & \frac{6}{5} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left\{ \{-4, 4\}, \left\{-\frac{8}{5}, \frac{6}{5}\right\} \right\}$$

For which the applicable eigenvalues and eigenvectors can be found as

{vals, vecs} = Eigensystem[A]

$$\left\{ \left\{-2, -\frac{4}{5}\right\}, \left\{2, 1\right\}, \left\{\frac{5}{4}, 1\right\} \right\}$$

which I can then decimalize

NumberForm[N[{vals, vecs}], 3]

$$\left\{ \{-2., -0.8\}, \left\{2., 1.\right\}, \left\{1.25, 1.\right\} \right\}$$

Scooping up at a later stage in the example, there will be two equations for the two circuit loops.

$$\mathbf{I}_1 = 2 \mathbf{c}_1 e^{-2t} + \mathbf{c}_2 e^{-0.8t} + 3 \text{ and } \mathbf{I}_2 = \mathbf{c}_1 e^{-2t} + 0.8 \mathbf{c}_2 e^{-0.8t}$$

For the case where $t=0$, the example, at top of p. 134, states these as

$$\mathbf{I}_1[0] = 2 \mathbf{c}_1 + \mathbf{c}_2 + 3 = 0 \text{ and } \mathbf{I}_2[0] = \mathbf{c}_1 + 0.8 \mathbf{c}_2 = -3$$

The alteration, from example 2, for this problem is that at $t=0$ the two current values are 0 and -3 Amp respectively, so the above equations can be solved by

Solve[2 c₁ + c₂ + 3 == 0 && c₁ + 0.8 c₂ == -3, {c₁, c₂}]

$$\left\{ \left\{ \mathbf{c}_1 \rightarrow 1., \mathbf{c}_2 \rightarrow -5. \right\} \right\}$$

Then I will have

$$\mathbf{I}_1[t] = \left(2 \mathbf{c}_1 e^{-2t} + \mathbf{c}_2 e^{-0.8t} + 3 \right) /. \left\{ \mathbf{c}_1 \rightarrow 0.9999999999999997, \mathbf{c}_2 \rightarrow -4.999999999999999 \right\}$$

$$3 + 2. e^{-2t} - 5. e^{-0.8t}$$

and

$$\mathbf{I}_2[t] = \mathbf{c}_1 e^{-2t} + 0.8 \mathbf{c}_2 e^{-0.8t} /. \left\{ \mathbf{c}_1 \rightarrow 0.9999999999999997, \mathbf{c}_2 \rightarrow -4.999999999999999 \right\}$$

$$1. e^{-2t} - 4. e^{-0.8t}$$

The text answer only encompasses the constant values in green above, not the actual result-

ing current equations.

9. If the initial currents in example 2 are 28 A and 14 A.

The use of example 2 on p. 132 is not finished, there is this additional problem concerning it. Using the last problem, and jumping down to the pertinent expressions

```
Solve[2 c1 + c2 + 3 == 28 && c1 + 0.8 c2 == 14, {c1, c2}]
```

```
{ {c1 → 10., c2 → 5.} }
```

The above green cell matches the text answer. The text answer skips the final equations, so I will also.

10 - 13 Conversion to systems

Find a general solution of the given ODE (a) by first converting it to a system, (b), as given.

11. $4y'' - 15y' - 4y = 0$

Converting to a system is set out in example 3 on p. 135. It does not look that difficult, but my initial effort did not come up with the desired outcome. I will defer it for now.

```
Clear["Global`*"]

eqn = 4 y''[x] - 15 y'[x] - 4 y[x] == 0
-4 y[x] - 15 y'[x] + 4 y''[x] == 0

sol = DSolve[eqn, y, x]
{ {y → Function[{x}, e-x/4 C[1] + e4x C[2]]} }

eqn /. sol // Simplify
{True}
```

13. $y'' + 2y' - 24y = 0$

```
Clear["Global`*"]

eqn = y''[x] + 2 y'[x] - 24 y[x] == 0
-24 y[x] + 2 y'[x] + y''[x] == 0

sol = DSolve[eqn, y, x]
{ {y → Function[{x}, e-6x C[1] + e4x C[2]]} }

eqn /. sol // Simplify
{True}
```

15.