

## Solns to HW 7

Solve the following systems

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \frac{d\vec{x}}{dt} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & -1 \\ 5 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x} \quad \vec{x}(0) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Soln:  $\beta = 10 \quad \gamma = 29 \quad r_{1,2} = 5 \pm 2i \quad \vec{v}_{1,2} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \pm 2i \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \pm i \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$   
 $\beta^2 - 4\gamma = 100 - 116 = -16 < 0$

genl soln:

$$\vec{x}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{pmatrix} = \left[ c_1 \begin{pmatrix} \cos 2t \\ \cos 2t + 2\sin 2t \end{pmatrix} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} \sin 2t \\ -2\cos 2t + \sin 2t \end{pmatrix} \right] e^{5t}$$

$$\vec{x}(0) = \begin{pmatrix} x(0) \\ y(0) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_1 - 2c_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} c_1 = 1 \\ c_2 = c_1/2 = 1/2 \end{matrix}$$

$$\vec{x}(t) = \left[ 1 \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \cos 2t \\ \cos 2t + 2\sin 2t \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \sin 2t \\ -2\cos 2t + \sin 2t \end{pmatrix} \right] e^{5t}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \cos 2t + \frac{1}{2} \sin 2t \\ \frac{5}{2} \sin 2t \end{bmatrix} e^{5t}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \frac{d\vec{x}}{dt} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 5 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x} \quad \vec{x}(0) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Soln:  $\beta = 4 \quad \gamma = 3 - 15 = -12 \quad \text{for } r_1 = -2 \quad \text{for } r_2 = 6$   
 $\beta^2 - 4\gamma = 16 + 48 = 64 \quad r_{1,2} = -2, 6 \quad \vec{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$

genl soln:  $x(t) = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-2t} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} e^{6t}$

at  $t=0 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 + 3c_2 \\ -c_1 + 5c_2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} c_1 = -3c_2 \\ 1 = -c_1 + 5c_2 = 8c_2 \end{matrix}$

$$c_2 = 1/8, \quad c_1 = -3/8$$

$$\vec{x}(t) = -\frac{3}{8} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-2t} + \frac{1}{8} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} e^{6t}$$

Solve

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$$\frac{d\vec{x}}{dt} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$$

$$\vec{x}(0) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

eigenvalues :

$$r_1 = -1$$

$$r_2 = 4$$

eigenvectors

$$\vec{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2/3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{gen'l soln: } \vec{x}(t) = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-t} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2/3 \end{pmatrix} e^{4t}$$

$$\text{at } t=0 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 + c_2 \\ -c_1 + 2/3 c_2 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \quad 2 = c_2 + 2/3 c_2 = \frac{5}{3} c_2$$

$$c_2 = 6/5$$

$$c_1 = 1 - c_2 = -1/5$$

$$\vec{x}(t) = -\frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-t} + \frac{6}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2/3 \end{pmatrix} e^{4t}$$

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$$\frac{d\vec{x}}{dt} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 8 \\ -1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$$

$$\vec{x}(0) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

eigenvalues

$$r = \pm 2i$$

eigenvectors

$$\vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ -2 \pm 2i \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \pm \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} i$$

$\xrightarrow{\quad} = \vec{a} \pm \vec{b} i$

gen'l soln:

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 \left[ \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \cos 2t + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \sin 2t \right] + c_2 \left[ \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \cos 2t - \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \sin 2t \right]$$

ICs:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 8c_1 \\ -2c_1 - 2c_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

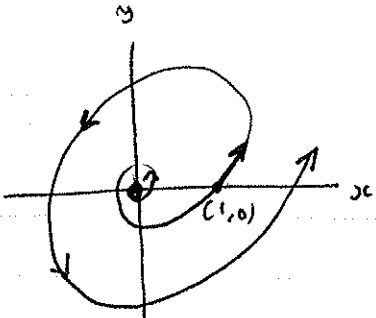
$$\Rightarrow c_1 = 1/8$$

$$c_2 = -c_1 = -1/8$$

$$\vec{x}(t) = \frac{1}{8} \left[ \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \cos 2t + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \sin 2t \right] - \frac{1}{8} \left[ \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \cos 2t - \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \sin 2t \right]$$

$$\vec{x}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos 2t + \sin 2t \\ -\frac{1}{2} \sin 2t \end{bmatrix}$$

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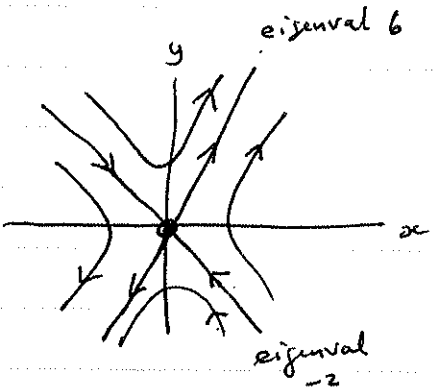


Solns are oscillatory, with increasing amplitude

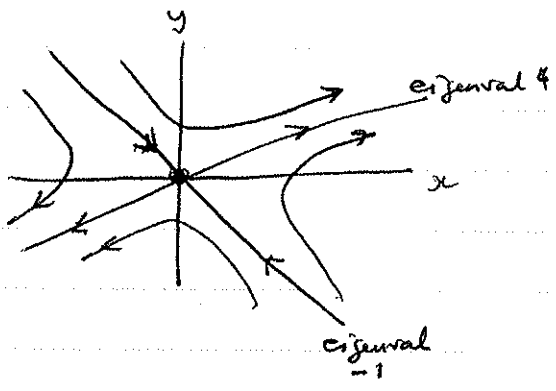
To get which direction spirals go, plug in any one point, e.g. at

$$\vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \frac{d\vec{x}}{dt} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

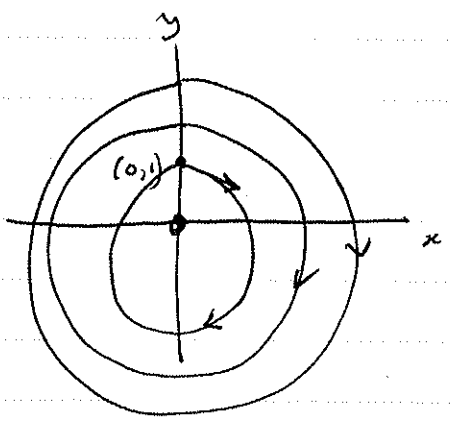
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Solns are neutral cycles (amplitude does not grow nor shrink)

to get direction of cycle: plug in any I.C. e.g. at  $\vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\text{I.C. e.g. at } \vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{d\vec{x}}{dt} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 8 \\ -1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$\frac{d\vec{x}}{dt} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x} \quad \vec{x}(0) = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

eigenvalues:  $r_1 = 1$   $r_2 = 2$  (since matrix is diagonal)

eigenvectors:  $(M - rI) \cdot \vec{v} = \vec{0}$

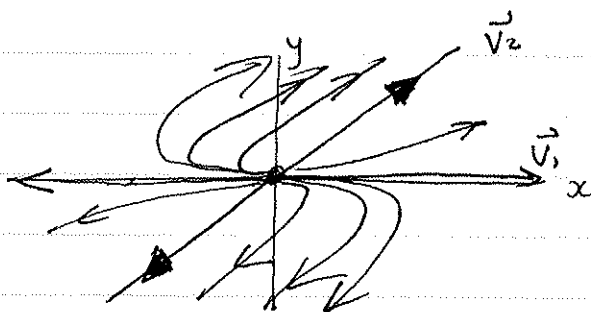
$$\begin{pmatrix} 1-r & 3 \\ 0 & 2-r \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{aligned} (1-r)v_1 + 3v_2 &= 0 \\ (2-r)v_2 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

let  $v_1 = 1$  then  $v_2 = \frac{1-r}{3}$

so for eigenvalue  $r_1 = 1$   $\vec{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{1-r}{3} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

for  $r_2 = 2$   $\vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{1-r}{3} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{1}{3} \end{pmatrix}$  ← direction of largest magnitude eigenvalue (fastest flow)

Soln:  $\vec{x} = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} e^t + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{1}{3} \end{pmatrix} e^{2t}$



eigenvalues both positive  $\Rightarrow$  flow away from origin, and most rapid in direction of  $\vec{v}_2$

at  $t=0$   $\vec{x}(0) = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{1}{3} \end{pmatrix}$   $\begin{aligned} -1 &= c_1 + c_2 \\ 1 &= \frac{1}{3} c_2 \end{aligned}$

$\Rightarrow c_2 = 3$   $c_1 = -1 - c_2 = -4$

$$\vec{x}(t) = -4 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} e^t + 3 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{1}{3} \end{pmatrix} e^{2t}$$