

To do : System of Differential Equations Email : nareanphol.lin @

① Matrix-vector Form

② Change of Variable (Change of Basis)

Recall :

① $\frac{d}{dt}x(t) = \lambda x(t)$

② $\frac{d}{dt}x(t) = \lambda x(t) + u$ [Dirac 1B]

③ $\frac{d}{dt}x(t) = \lambda x(t) + u(t)$ [Dirac 2A + HW 2]

$$\begin{cases} \frac{d}{dt}x_1(t) = 5x_1(t) & \rightarrow x_1(t) = x_1(0)e^{5t} \\ \frac{d}{dt}x_2(t) = -5x_2(t) & \rightarrow x_2(t) = x_2(0)e^{-5t} \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} \frac{d}{dt}x_1(t) = 5x_1(t) - 5x_2(t) \\ \frac{d}{dt}x_2(t) = -5x_2(t) + 5x_1(t) \end{cases} \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{cases} \frac{d}{dt}x_1(t) = 5x_1(t) - 5x_2(t) \\ \frac{d}{dt}x_2(t) = -5x_2(t) + 5x_1(t) \end{cases}} \right\} \text{Diff. eqs are coupled!}$$

Problem : If your diff eqs are coupled, you don't know how to solve.

$$\vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^2 \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{bmatrix} \quad \frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -5 \\ 5 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\downarrow \quad \frac{d}{dt} \vec{x}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -5 \\ 5 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x}(t)$$

$$\vec{x}(t) \in (\mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R})^n \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ \vdots \\ x_n(t) \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \frac{d}{dt} \vec{x}(t) = \underline{A} \vec{x}(t)$$

$n \times n$
matrix

(a) $\frac{d}{dt} \vec{x}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} -9 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x}(t)$

$$\begin{cases} \frac{d}{dt}x_1(t) = -9x_1(t) & \Rightarrow x_1(t) = x_1(0)e^{-9t} \rightarrow -e^{-9t} \\ \frac{d}{dt}x_2(t) = -2x_2(t) & \Rightarrow x_2(t) = x_2(0)e^{-2t} \rightarrow 3e^{-2t} \end{cases}$$

$$(b) \frac{dy_1(t)}{dt} = -5y_1(t) + 2y_2(t)$$

$$\frac{dy_2(t)}{dt} = 6y_1(t) - 6y_2(t)$$

$$\vec{y}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} y_1(t) \\ y_2(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} y_1(t) \\ y_2(t) \end{bmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} -5 & 2 \\ 6 & -6 \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{"A"}} \begin{bmatrix} y_1(t) \\ y_2(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

Goal: How do I convert $\begin{bmatrix} -5 & 2 \\ 6 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$ into $\begin{bmatrix} -9 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$?

Method: Change of Variables (Change of Basis)

$$(c) y_1(t) = -\tilde{y}_1(t) + 2\tilde{y}_2(t)$$

$$y_2(t) = 2\tilde{y}_1(t) + 3\tilde{y}_2(t)$$

$$\vec{y}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} y_1(t) \\ y_2(t) \end{bmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{"V"}} \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{y}_1(t) \\ \tilde{y}_2(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{cases} \vec{y}(t) = V\tilde{y}(t) \\ \tilde{y}(t) = V^{-1}\vec{y}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \vec{y}(t) \\ \qquad \qquad \qquad \downarrow \\ \qquad \qquad \qquad \begin{bmatrix} -3/7 & 2/7 \\ 2/7 & 1/7 \end{bmatrix} \end{cases}$$

$$(d) \vec{\tilde{y}}(t) = V^{-1}\vec{y}(t)$$

$$\vec{\tilde{y}}(0) = V^{-1}\vec{y}(0)$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -3/7 & 2/7 \\ 2/7 & 1/7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

(c) $\frac{d}{dt} \vec{y}(t) = \underline{A} \vec{y}(t)$ from (b)

$\vec{y}(t) = V \vec{\tilde{y}}(t)$
 $\vec{\tilde{y}}(t) = V^{-1} \vec{y}(t)$ } from (c)

converted A to $V^{-1}AV$
 via change of variables/basis

$$\frac{d}{dt} V \vec{\tilde{y}}(t) = AV \vec{\tilde{y}}(t)$$

$$V \frac{d}{dt} \vec{\tilde{y}}(t) = AV \vec{\tilde{y}}(t)$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \vec{\tilde{y}}(t) = \underline{V^{-1}AV} \vec{\tilde{y}}(t)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -3/7 & 2/7 \\ 2/7 & 1/7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 2 \\ 6 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} V^{-1} & & A & & V \\ \downarrow & & & & \\ V^{-1} & & \begin{bmatrix} 9 & -4 \\ -18 & -6 \end{bmatrix} & & = \begin{bmatrix} -9 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

$\therefore \frac{d}{dt} \vec{\tilde{y}}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} -9 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \vec{\tilde{y}}(t)$

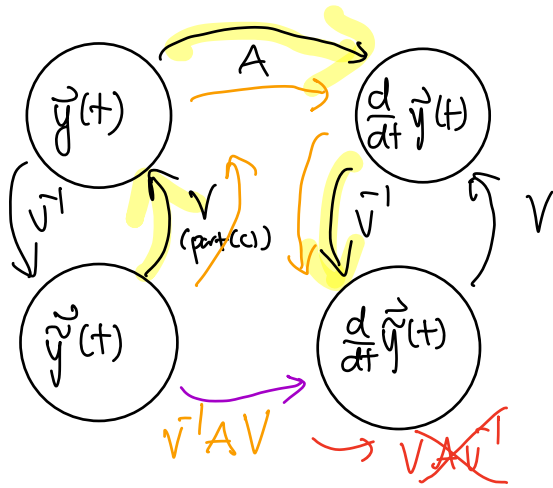
eigenvalues of A!

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt} \tilde{y}_1(t) &= -9 \tilde{y}_1(t) \Rightarrow \tilde{y}_1(t) = \tilde{y}_1(0) e^{-9t} = -e^{-9t} \\ \frac{d}{dt} \tilde{y}_2(t) &= -2 \tilde{y}_2(t) \Rightarrow \tilde{y}_2(t) = \tilde{y}_2(0) e^{-2t} = 3e^{-2t} \end{aligned}$$

(f) We have $\vec{\tilde{y}}(t)$, but we want $\vec{y}(t)$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{y}(t) &= V \vec{\tilde{y}}(t) \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -e^{-9t} \\ 3e^{-2t} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} e^{-9t} + 6e^{-2t} \\ -2e^{-9t} + 9e^{-2t} \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

• We told you what V is! But what if no one told you? \Rightarrow Next Monday



When multiplying matrices, you left multiply

• Diagonalization (Math 54)

$$A = V \Lambda V^{-1}$$

$$V^{-1} A V = \Lambda$$