

# Lecture 15: Phase Plane Portraits

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- saddles, nodes
  - sources, sinks
  - centers, spiral
- } trajectory

Last Time:

$$\dot{\vec{x}} = A\vec{x} \text{ solns } \vec{x}(t) = c_1 \vec{v}_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} + c_2 \vec{v}_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} \quad 2 \times 2 \text{ case}$$

numbers that we get: eigenvalues  $\rightarrow$  solve characteristic polynomial

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = 0 \text{ eigenvalues; } (A - \lambda I) \vec{x}_j = \vec{0}$$

Romeo + Juliet

$x(t)$  = amount Juliet loves Romeo

what happens as  $t \rightarrow \infty$

$y(t)$  = amount Romeo loves Juliet

Ex. 1  $\dot{x} = y$  Juliet is responsive when she realizes that Romeo is interested  
 $\dot{y} = 100x$  Romeo is hypersensitive

$$\dot{\vec{x}} = (A\vec{x})$$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 100 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\det(I\lambda - A) = \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & 1 \\ 100 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 - 100 = 0$$

$$\lambda = \pm 10$$

$$\lambda_1 = -10 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 10 & 1 \\ 100 & 10 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -10 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

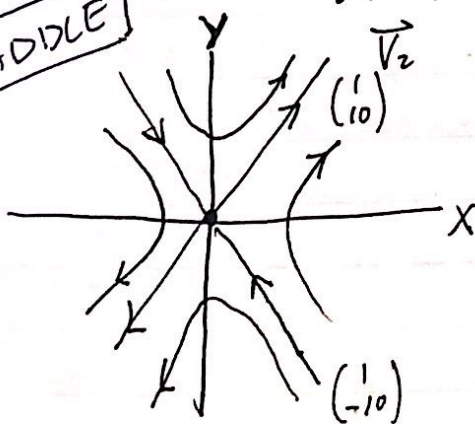
$\vec{v}_1$

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -10 \end{pmatrix} e^{-10t} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix} e^{10t}$$

$$\lambda_2 = 10 \quad \begin{pmatrix} -10 & 1 \\ 100 & -10 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\vec{v}_2$

**SADDLE**



no  $t$  on this map! instead  $t$  is an arrow on the trajectory.

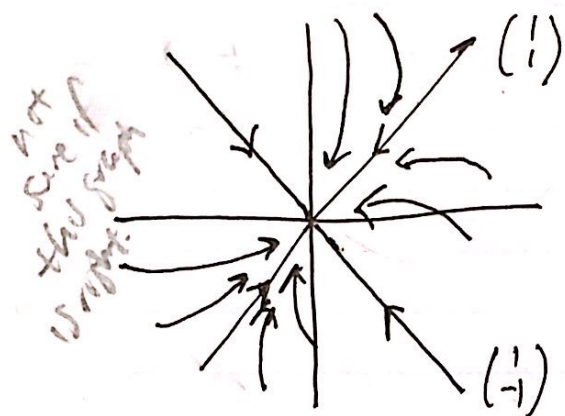
As  $t \rightarrow \infty$

$y > -10x_0$   $\vec{x}(0) = \begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ y_0 \end{pmatrix}$   
 $y_0 + 10x_0 > 0$   
 $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$  resembles  $c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix} e^{10t}$   $\boxed{c_2 > 0}$   
 because  $e^{10t} \gg e^{-10t}$

Ex 2  $A = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$   $\dot{x} = -3x + y$  Juliet is responsive but has a tear of commitment  
 $\dot{y} = x - 3y$  Romeo is similar

Recall from last lecture

$\vec{x}(t) = C_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-2t} + C_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-4t}$   $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 = -2, -4$



use eigenvectors as scaffolds

Which vector is dominant? as  $t \rightarrow \infty$

$e^{-2t} \gg e^{-4t}$

$x(t) \rightarrow 0$   
 $y(t) \rightarrow 0$

no speck of interest survives.

**Node, nodal sink**

when  $t \rightarrow -\infty$   
 $e^{-4t} \gg e^{-2t}$

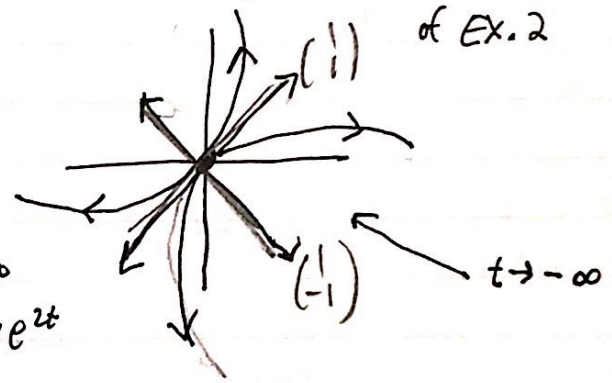
Ex 3  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$

$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = 3x - y \\ \dot{y} = -x + 3y \end{cases}$  Juliet is contrary (self reinforcing) - time reversible ( $t \rightarrow -t$ ) of Ex. 2  
 Romeo is similar

$\vec{x}(t) = C_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{2t} + C_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} e^{4t}$

**Nodal Source**

largest as  $t \rightarrow \infty$   
 $e^{4t} \gg e^{2t}$



In ex. 3, as  $t \rightarrow \infty$   $\frac{x(t)}{y(t)} \rightarrow -1$

Ex 4  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 100 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$   $\dot{x} = 100y$  Juliet is hypersensitive  
 $\dot{y} = -x$  Romeo is contrary

$|\begin{matrix} -\lambda & 100 \\ -1 & -\lambda \end{matrix}| = \lambda^2 + 100 = 0$

$\lambda = \pm 10i$

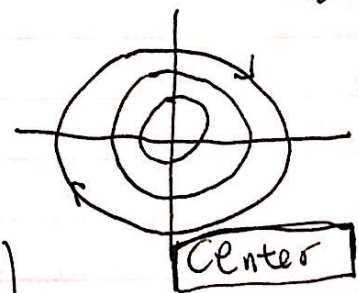
Draw one solution:  $\begin{pmatrix} 10 \sin(10t) \\ \cos(10t) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$

$\lambda = -10i: \begin{pmatrix} +10i & 100 \\ -1 & 10i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 10i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

Solution:  $C_1 \begin{pmatrix} 10i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-10it} + C_2 \begin{pmatrix} -10i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{10it}$

went need for discussion

$\begin{pmatrix} 10i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} [\cos(10t) - i \sin(10t)] = \begin{pmatrix} 10 \sin(10t) \\ \cos(10t) \end{pmatrix} + i \begin{pmatrix} 10 \cos(10t) \\ -\sin(10t) \end{pmatrix}$



**Center**

$x^2 + 100y^2 = 100 \frac{\sin^2(10t) + \cos^2(10t)}{\cos^2(10t)}$   
 $x^2 + 100y^2 = 100$   
 ellipse

same solution but with time shift

decide if clockwise or counterclockwise.

Warning: You can't decide on an orientation (counterclockwise vs. clockwise) using the characteristic equation and eigenvalues.

Instead, look at one velocity vector.

$$\text{i.e. } \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \oplus \downarrow$$

clockwise

$$\begin{cases} \ddot{x} + 4\dot{x} + 4x = 0 \\ t, x(t) \end{cases}$$

→ system,  $x_1(t), x_2(t)$

linear systems with constant coefficients

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}_1 = 8x_1 + x_2 \\ \dot{x}_2 = 2x_1 + 7x_2 \end{cases} \quad \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 8 & 1 \\ 2 & 7 \end{pmatrix}}_A \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Matrix form

Find eigenvalue & eigenvectors of A.

$$\det(A - \lambda I)$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 8-\lambda & 1 \\ 2 & 7-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (8-\lambda)(7-\lambda) - 2 = 56 - 15\lambda + \lambda^2 - 2$$

$$= \lambda^2 - 15\lambda + 54$$

$$= (\lambda - 6)(\lambda - 9) \Rightarrow \lambda = 6, 9$$

$$\lambda = 6 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

check:

$$\underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 8 & 1 \\ 2 & 7 \end{pmatrix}}_A \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}}_V = \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 12 \end{pmatrix}}_{= \lambda V} = 6 \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}}_V \quad \checkmark$$

$$\lambda = 9 \quad \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 2 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

general solution:

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{pmatrix} = C_1 e^{6t} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + C_2 e^{9t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

When it doesn't work...

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$v_2 = 0$ .  $v \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$  any non zero vector satisfies the equation

When eigenvalues come out imaginary:

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}_1 = -2x_1 + 2x_2 \\ \dot{x}_2 = -x_1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\det(A - \lambda I) = 0$  ← characteristic polynomial

$$\text{Tr}(A) = -2$$

$$\det(A) = 2$$

$$\lambda^2 + 2\lambda + 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 - 8}}{2} = -1 \pm i$$

$$\lambda = -1 + i \quad A = \lambda I$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 - i & 2 \\ -1 & 1 - i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\downarrow$   
 $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 + i \end{pmatrix}$

only need to do one eigenvector. The other is complex conjugate:  
 $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 - i \end{pmatrix}$

$$C_1 e^{(-1+i)t} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1+i \end{pmatrix} + C_2 e^{(-1-i)t} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1-i \end{pmatrix}$$

$C_1$  and  $C_2$  are complex numbers.

Real Solutions

$$e^{(-1+i)t} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1+i \end{pmatrix} = e^{-t} e^{it} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1+i \end{pmatrix} = e^{-t} (\cos t + i \sin t) \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1+i \end{pmatrix}$$

Re  $\rightarrow e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \cos t \\ \cos t - \sin t \end{pmatrix}$

Im  $\rightarrow e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \sin t \\ \cos t + \sin t \end{pmatrix}$

$$C_1 e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \cos t \\ \cos t - \sin t \end{pmatrix} + C_2 e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \sin t \\ \cos t + \sin t \end{pmatrix}$$

alternative method:

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{tr}(B) = a + d$$

$$\det(B) = ad - bc$$

$$\det(B - \lambda I)$$

$$= \lambda^2 - \text{tr}(B)\lambda + \det(B)$$

# Lecture 16: Phase Portraits (Continued)

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- modes, spirals
- trace-determinant plane
- stability
- structural stability (borderlines)

Last time

$$\vec{x} = A\vec{x}$$

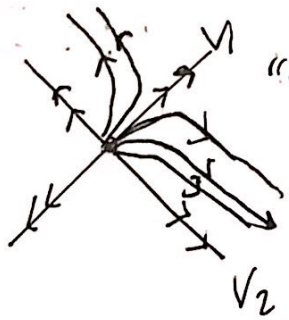
$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 3-\lambda & -1 \\ -1 & 3-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (3-\lambda)^2 - (-1)^2 = \lambda^2 - 6\lambda + 8$$

$$x(t) = c_1 \vec{v}_1 e^{2t} + c_2 \vec{v}_2 e^{4t}$$

shortcut: trace(A) = 6  
det(A) = 8  
notice this is a nodal source

$$\lambda = +2, +4 \rightsquigarrow e^{2t}, e^{4t}$$



"eigendirections"

$t \rightarrow +\infty$

real eigenvectors divide into 4 quadrants

$t \rightarrow \infty \quad e^{4t} \gg e^{2t}$   
 $t \rightarrow -\infty \quad e^{2t} \ll e^{4t}$

**Nodal Source**

Ex. 4 center



Ex. 5  $\dot{\vec{x}} = A\vec{x}$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ complex response}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1-\lambda & 1 \\ 1 & 1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (1-\lambda)^2 - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = 1 \pm i$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 - (1-i) & 1 \\ 1 & 1 - (1+i) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} i & 1 \\ 1 & -i \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = 1-i$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} i & -1 \\ 1 & i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\vec{v}$

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{pmatrix} e^{(1-i)t} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{pmatrix} e^{(1+i)t}$$

$$e^{it} = -it$$

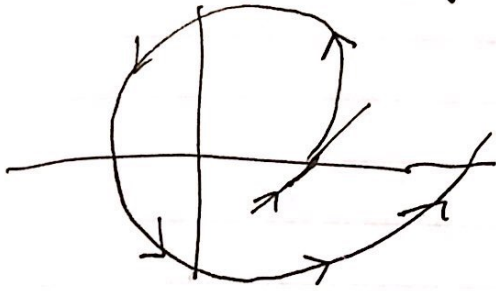
$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{pmatrix} e^{(1-i)t} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{pmatrix} e^t \begin{pmatrix} \cos t & \sin t \\ -\sin t & \cos t \end{pmatrix} = e^t \begin{pmatrix} \cos t \\ \sin t \end{pmatrix} + i e^t \begin{pmatrix} -\sin t \\ \cos t \end{pmatrix}$$

one solution is  $e^t \begin{pmatrix} \cos t \\ \sin t \end{pmatrix}$

$e^t \cos t, e^t \sin t$

Q (1) which way am I going?  $\dot{x} = A(x) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

North east



Characteristic Polynomial:  
 $\lambda^2 - \text{trace}(A)\lambda + \det(A) = 0$

Ex. 3:  
 $\lambda^2 - 6\lambda + 8 = 0$

$b = \text{trace} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = 6$      $d = \det \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = 8$

**SPIRAL: COMPLEX ROOTS  $\lambda = s \pm i\omega$  ( $\omega \neq 0$ )**

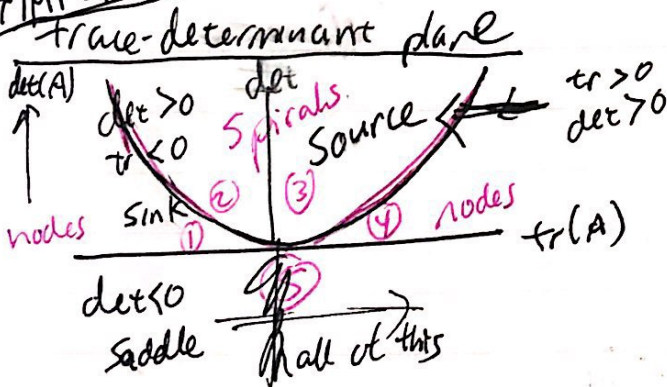
Nodes:  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2$  same sign

Saddle:  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2$  opposite sign (always unstable)

Nodes examples:  $C_1 \vec{v}_1 e^{2t} + C_2 \vec{v}_2 e^{4t}$  unstable (source)  
 $C_1 \vec{v}_1 e^{-2t} + C_2 \vec{v}_2 e^{-4t}$  stable (sink)

Spirals:  $e^{(1 \pm i)t}$ ;  $e^t \rightarrow \infty$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty \Rightarrow$  unstable  
 $e^{-t}$  is stable

**IMPORTANT BIT**

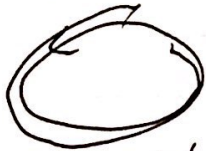


ie.  $\lambda^2 - 10\lambda + 80 = 0$

Spiral happens

Complex roots  $\Leftrightarrow$   
 $(\text{trace}(A))^2 - 4 \det A < 0$   
 $\Downarrow$   
 that  $\det A > \frac{1}{4} (\text{trace}(A))^2$

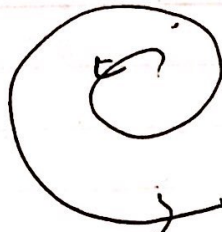
there are 5 regions  
 borderline between spirals & sinks & spiral ~~sinks~~ sources is "center"



Stable spiral sink  
~~Spiral sink~~  
 Spiral sink



center



unstable spiral =  
 spiral source

Is the center stable?

NO

Structural Stability (Not same as stability)

~~Passing~~ DEF'N  $x(t) \rightarrow 0$  all homogeneous solutions = stability

If we change the coefficients (i.e.  $A$ ) slightly then the picture does not change  $\Rightarrow$  Fails exactly on boundaries

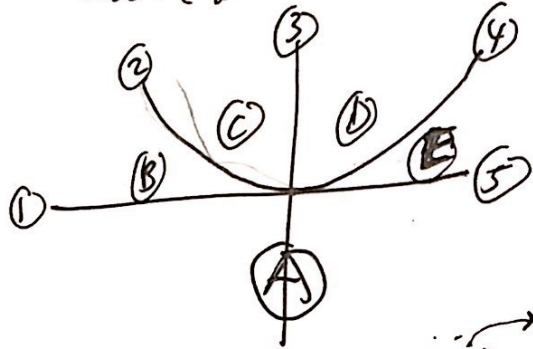


# Lecture 17: Matrices, Geometric + Arithmetic

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- borderlines in trace-determinant representation
- geometry of matrix multiplication
- solving  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  (elimination algorithm)

Review:  $\text{tr} \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = a+d$   
 $\det \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = ad-bc$



1, 2, 3, 4, 5 → (structurally unstable) borderlines

ABCDE → structurally stable regions.

(A) Saddle:  $\lambda_1 < 0, \lambda_2 > 0$

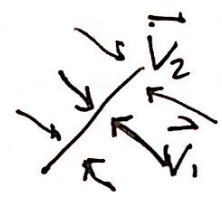
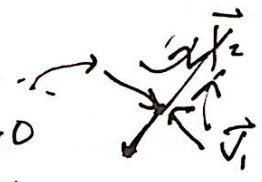
(1)  $\lambda_1 < 0, \lambda_2 = 0$  "comb"

(B) Stable node

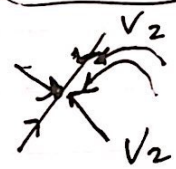
$\lambda_1 < 0, \lambda_2 < 0$

(2)  $\lambda_1 = \lambda_2$   $e^{\lambda_1 t} = e^{\lambda_2 t}$

Stable "degenerate node"



In these pictures,  $V_2$  dominates  $e^{\lambda_2 t} \gg e^{\lambda_1 t}$



$\vec{v}_1$  and  $\vec{v}_2$  collapse to one vector

another case  $\vec{v}_1$  &  $\vec{v}_2$  stay apart



Star node

(2) → Stable spiral (C)  
 you visualize how to modify (2)

## Geometry of Matrix Multiplication

Recall  $\dot{x} = Ax$  (Euler) → complex arithmetic

$\frac{1}{a+bi}$  (polar form)

$\vec{x} = A\vec{x}$   $\vec{x}$  vectors A matrices → linear algebra

$\frac{1}{|a+bi|}$

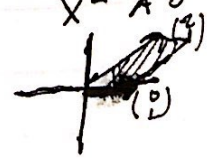
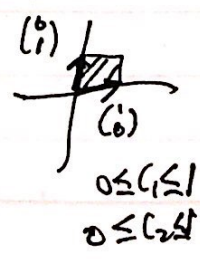
$A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$

what do we mean by  $\vec{x} = \frac{1}{A} \vec{b}$ ?

Matrix multiplication geometry (2x2 case)

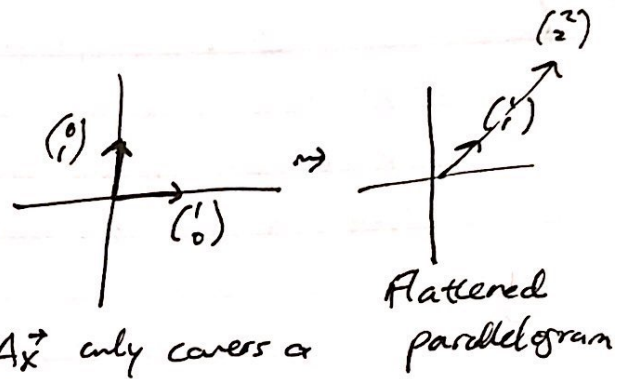
$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$      $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$(\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2) \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix} = c_1 \vec{v}_1 + c_2 \vec{v}_2$



Collapse

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



Even in 3D, but especially for  $n \times n$  matrices, dealing with whether we can solve  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  is serious.

$A\vec{x}$  only covers a line not a plane

Ex. 1

$$\begin{cases} x + 4y - z = 1 \\ 2y + z = 3 \\ -2x + 2y + 2z = 2 \end{cases}$$

① Augmented matrix  $(A|\vec{b})$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & -1 & | & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & | & 3 \\ -2 & 2 & 2 & | & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

3x4 matrix

elementary row operations w/ goal of eliminating ~~steps~~ creating zeros

multiply row 1 x 2 + row 3

②

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & -1 & | & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & | & 3 \\ 0 & 10 & 0 & | & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

← same  
← same  
←  $r_3 = r_3 + 2r_1$

really efficient algorithm for machines.

③ now repeat on smaller matrix (dotted)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & -1 & | & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & | & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & -5 & | & -11 \end{pmatrix} \quad r_3 = r_3 - 5r_2$$

row echelon form (REF)

Solve using back substitution

$$\begin{cases} x + 4y - z = 1 \\ 2y + z = 3 \\ -5z = -11 \end{cases}$$

$$z = \frac{11}{5}, \quad y = \frac{3 - \frac{11}{5}}{2} = \frac{\frac{15}{5} - \frac{11}{5}}{2} = \frac{4}{5} = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$x = \frac{8}{5}$$

# Lecture 18: Gauss-Jordan Algorithm

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- $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ ;  $\vec{x} = A^{-1}\vec{b}$
- REF (Row echelon form) and reduced REF
- non-invertible A, nullspace  $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$

Ex 1

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 4 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ -2 & 2 & 2 & 2 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{\text{row operations}} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 4 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & -5 & -11 \end{array} \right) \text{ REF}$$

backsubstitution

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 8/5 \\ 2/5 \\ 11/5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 4 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & -5 & -11 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{r_3 = -\frac{1}{5}r_3} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 4 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & x \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & * \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & * \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & * \end{array} \right) \text{ reduced REF}$$

Finding  $A^{-1}$  (p55)

$A\vec{x}_j = \vec{e}_j, j=1,2,3$  all at once.

augmented 3x6

$$\left( A \mid \vec{e}_1 \mid \vec{e}_2 \mid \vec{e}_3 \right) = \left( A \mid \begin{matrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{matrix} \right) = (A \mid I)$$

$$A(\vec{x}_1 \mid \vec{x}_2 \mid \vec{x}_3) = (\vec{e}_1 \mid \vec{e}_2 \mid \vec{e}_3)$$

$AB = I$

↑  
right inverse

Definition: An  $n \times n$  matrix  $A$  is called invertible if there is a matrix  $B$  such that  $AB = BA = I$

Thm: the Gauss-Jordan algorithm produces  $B = A^{-1}$

Ex 2

$$\left( \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 4 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ -2 & -4 & 4 & 2 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 4 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 4 & 2 & 4 \end{array} \right) \quad r_3 = r_3 + 2r_1$$

A is not invertible

$$\rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 4 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -2 \end{array} \right)$$

$0x + 0y + 0z = -2$  (no solution)

Ex. 3  $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$  (homogeneous) i.e.  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  with  $\vec{b} = \vec{0}$

$$\sim \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} \boxed{1} & 4 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & \boxed{2} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \textcircled{0} & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

missing pivot

$z$  is called a free variable

$$0x + 0y + 0z = 0$$

$$2y + z = 0 \quad y = -z/2$$

$$x + 4y - z = 0 \quad x = 3z$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3z \\ -z/2 \\ z \end{pmatrix}$$

Solutions form a 1 dim.  $\mathbb{R}$  vector space

$$\left\{ c \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1/2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\} = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1/2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\} = \text{Null space of } A$$

$\Leftrightarrow z$

Ex. 4

$A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$   $A$  is  $3 \times 5$ . 3 rows 5 columns, 3 eqns. 5 unknowns

$$A \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \\ x_5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccccc} \boxed{3} & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & \boxed{2} & 3 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \textcircled{0} & 7 & 19 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccccc} \boxed{1} & 0 & * & 0 & * \\ 0 & \boxed{1} & * & 0 & * \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \boxed{1} & * \end{array} \right)$$

REF

pivot variables  $\boxed{x_1}, \boxed{x_2}, \boxed{x_4}$

Free variables  $\textcircled{x_3}, \textcircled{x_5}$

Back substitution: try  $(x_3, x_5) = (1, 0) \rightarrow \vec{v}_1$   
 $\rightarrow (x_3, x_5) = (0, 1) \rightarrow \vec{w}$

$$NS(A) = \{ x_3 \vec{v} + x_5 \vec{w} \} = \text{span}(\vec{v}, \vec{w}) \quad \dim 2$$

row-echelon form

$$\begin{pmatrix} \textcircled{1} & 4 & 2 & 13 \\ 0 & 0 & \textcircled{3} & 14 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \textcircled{2}$$

the first non-zero entry occurs farther to the right

reduced row-echelon form

$$\begin{pmatrix} \textcircled{1} & 4 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \textcircled{1} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \textcircled{1} \end{pmatrix}$$

- is in row-echelon form ✓
- first non-zero entry has to be a 1 or a 0
- if row has first non-zero entry, then numbers above + below must be 0.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

row operations

1. swap two rows
2. add a multiple of a row to another row.
3. Multiply a row by a scalar

i.e. swap 1st + 3rd:  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$

2x row 2  
row 1:  $\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 4 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

i.e. row 2  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 & 4 \\ 3 & 3 & 6 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \boxed{1} & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Matrices

$$\begin{cases} x + 3y = 11 \\ 2x + y + z = 6 \\ x + y + z = 4 \end{cases} \quad \left| \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 11 \\ 6 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \right.$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 & | & 11 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 & | & 6 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & | & 4 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 & | & 11 \\ 0 & -5 & 1 & | & -16 \\ 0 & -2 & 1 & | & -7 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 & | & 11 \\ 0 & -5 & 1 & | & -16 \\ 0 & 1 & -1/2 & | & 7/2 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 & | & 11 \\ 0 & 1 & -1/2 & | & 7/2 \\ 0 & -5 & 1 & | & -16 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3/2 & | & 4/2 \\ 0 & 1 & -1/2 & | & 7/2 \\ 0 & 0 & -3/2 & | & 3/2 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3/2 & | & 1/2 \\ 0 & 1 & -1/2 & | & 7/2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

### Matrices

things that can happen

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 4 \end{pmatrix} \checkmark \text{ no solution}$$

pivots

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & | & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} x - y = 2 \\ z = 3 \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 & 4 & 0 & | & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & | & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} 2 \text{ free} \\ \text{variables.} \\ x_1 = -1 + 2x_2 \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \\ x_5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} + x_2 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + x_4 \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

rows without pivots called free variables

at least as well  $\begin{cases} x = 2 + y \\ z = 3 \end{cases}$  infinitely many solutions

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + y \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} x_1 = -1 + 2x_2 - 4x_4 \\ x_2 = x_2 \\ x_3 = -1 + 2x_4 \\ x_4 = x_4 \\ x_5 = 4 \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} + x_2 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + x_4 \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Lecture 19: Solving  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  systematically

3/20/19

$\vec{x} = \vec{x}_p + \vec{x}_h; (A/\vec{b})$

- nullspace, column space, dimension, rank
- determinants

Solve  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$

one piece:  $A\vec{x}_p = \vec{b}$

$\vec{x}_p$  particular solution

$A(\vec{x} - \vec{x}_p) = A\vec{x} - A\vec{x}_p = \vec{b} - \vec{b} = \vec{0}$   
distributive law

Hence  $\vec{x} - \vec{x}_p = \vec{x}_h$  homogeneous solution  $A\vec{x}_h = \vec{0}$  same

General solution:  $\boxed{\vec{x} = \vec{x}_p + \vec{x}_h}$

Examples 2 & 3 from last time  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 4 & -1 & b_1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & b_2 \\ -2 & -4 & 4 & b_3 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} \boxed{1} & 4 & -1 & b_1 \\ 0 & \boxed{2} & 1 & b_2 \\ 0 & 0 & \boxed{0} & b_3 + 2b_1 - 2b_2 \end{array} \right)$$

$\uparrow \quad \uparrow \quad \uparrow$   $A$        $x \quad y \quad z$  Free

$0 = b_3 + 2b_1 - 2b_2$

Case A:  $b_3 + 2b_1 - 2b_2 \neq 0$

No solution.

Case B:  $b_3 + 2b_1 - 2b_2 = 0$  Always solutions

$\vec{x} = \vec{x}_p + \vec{x}_h$

Last equation  
 $0z = 0$

Step 1: Solve  $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$  ( $\vec{x}_h$  part)

We did this last time  $b_1 = b_2 = b_3 = 0$

set free variable  $z = 1$ . Now use back substitution.

$2y + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow y = -\frac{1}{2} \quad x + 4(-\frac{1}{2}) - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 3$

$\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1/2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  solves  $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$

$NS(A) =$  all  $\vec{x}$  such that  $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$

(nullspace) =  $\text{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1/2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$  1 dimensional vector space  
 $= \left\{ c \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1/2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$

Step 2  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  with  $z=0$  (easiest)

$$2y + 1 \cdot 0 = b_2 \quad y = b_2/2$$

$$x + 4\left(\frac{b_2}{2}\right) - 1 \cdot 0 = b_1 \quad x = b_1 - 2b_2$$

$$\vec{x}_p = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 - 2b_2 \\ b_2/2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 - 2b_2 \\ b_2/2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + c \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1/2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

only works when  $b_3 + 2b_1 - 2b_2 = 0$

Nullspace(A) = span  $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1/2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$  dim 1 ("nullity" of A)

Column space

CS(A) = span of all columns  $\Leftrightarrow$  all  $\vec{b}$  for which  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  has a solution  
 $= \text{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$  ← redundant

CS(A) = span pivot columns which are always independent and hence a basis for the column space

span  $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} \right\} = \text{all } \vec{b}$  Columns come from original matrix

Such that  $b_3 + 2b_1 - 2b_2 = 0$  only two because  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$  is not a pivot column  
 2 dimensional plane

Defn rank(A) = dim(CS(A)) in our case rank = 2

creaky "rank-nullity" rank + nullity = # columns

proof: rank = # pivots; nullity = dim(NS(A)) = # free variables (non-pivot columns)



Ex 4 from last time

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccccc|c} 0 & 2 & 3 & -1 & 0 & b_1 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & b_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 7 & -14 & b_3 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccccc|c} \boxed{3} & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & b_2 \\ 0 & \boxed{2} & 3 & -1 & 0 & b_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \boxed{7} & -14 & b_3 \end{array} \right)$$

A

Gauss elim.

B = REF(A)

row operations to REF  
 $NS(A) = NS(B)$   $A\vec{x} = \vec{0} \Leftrightarrow B\vec{x} = \vec{0}$

2 free variable  $x_5$  and  $x_3$   $\vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} \vdots \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$   $(x_3, x_5) = (1, 0)$

$NS(A) = \text{span}\{\vec{v}, \vec{w}\}$   $\dim 2 = \# \text{ free variable}$

$CS(A) = \text{span of pivot columns}$   $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$

$\dim 3$  # pivot variable

0 and 1 used for convenience

$\vec{w} = \begin{pmatrix} \vdots \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

note  $2+3=5$

you must copy from A  
not row echelon form

Jordan  $(B|\vec{b}) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{cccc|c} \boxed{1} & 0 & -\frac{1}{6} & 0 & \frac{4}{3} & B_1 \\ 0 & \boxed{1} & \frac{2}{3} & 0 & -1 & B_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \boxed{1} & 2 & B_3 \end{array} \right)$

$$\rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & -\frac{1}{6} & 0 & \frac{4}{3} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{2}{3} & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right) \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{6} \\ -\frac{2}{3} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & -\frac{1}{6} & 0 & \frac{4}{3} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{2}{3} & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right) \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{4}{3} \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\vec{x}_p (x_3, x_5) = (0, 0) \begin{pmatrix} B_1 \\ B_2 \\ B_3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} B_1 \\ B_2 \\ B_3 \end{pmatrix} \vec{w}$$

# Lecture 20: Eigenvalues, ~~Eigenvalues~~ Eigenvectors, Diagonalization

3/22/19

• invertibility and determinants

• e-vals & e-vecs

all are true or  
all are false

## Theorem

If  $A$  is a square matrix  $n \times n$  then the following are equivalent:

- 1)  $A^{-1}$  exists ( $A$  is invertible)
- 2)  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  has exactly one solution for every entry  $\vec{b} \in \mathbb{R}^n$
- 3)  $A$  has  $n$  pivots
- 4)  $NS(A) = \{0\}$  (Nullity of  $A = \dim NS(A) = 0$ )
- 5)  $CS(A) = \mathbb{R}^n$  (rank  $A = \dim CS(A) = n$ , full rank)
- 6)  $\det(A) \neq 0$  ( $A$  is called non-singular)

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = ad - bc = \begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \\ c_1 & c_2 & c_3 \end{pmatrix} = a_1(b_2c_3 - b_3c_2) - a_2(b_1c_3 - b_3c_1) + a_3(b_1c_2 - b_2c_1)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} + & - & + \\ - & + & - \\ + & - & + \end{pmatrix} a_1 \begin{vmatrix} b_2 & b_3 \\ c_2 & c_3 \end{vmatrix} - a_2 \begin{vmatrix} b_1 & b_3 \\ c_1 & c_3 \end{vmatrix} + a_3 \begin{vmatrix} b_1 & b_2 \\ c_1 & c_2 \end{vmatrix}$$


$n \times n$   $n!$  terms

warning:  $10 \times 10$  is 5000 row ops  $\left( \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \right)$   $10! \approx 10^6 \dots$

## Properties of det

$\det(A) = 0 \Leftrightarrow A$  is "singular"

$\Leftrightarrow A$  collapsed  $\mathbb{R}^n$  to a lower dim-column space

$A$   has volume  $|\det(A)|$

↑  
unit cube

$\det A < 0$  means orientation reversing

$$A \begin{pmatrix} \vec{x} \\ \vec{y} \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} 0 \leq x_1 \leq 1 & 0 \leq x_3 \leq 1 \\ 0 \leq x_2 \leq 1 & \end{matrix}$$

$$\det(AB) = (\det A)(\det B) = \det(BA)$$

Recall an eigenvalue  $\lambda$  of a (always square) matrix  $A$  is a number  $\lambda$  such that there exists a  $\vec{v} \neq \vec{0}$  for which  $A\vec{v} = \lambda\vec{v}$

$$A\vec{v} = \lambda\vec{v}$$

add  $I$  for

$$A\vec{v} = \lambda I\vec{v} \quad I = \text{identity matrix} \quad \Leftrightarrow \text{parallel structure}$$

$$\vec{v} \text{ is in } NS(A - \lambda I) \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad A - \lambda I \text{ is singular} \quad \Leftrightarrow (A - \lambda I)\vec{v} = \vec{0}$$

In particular  $\det(A - \lambda I) = 0 \dots$   
 $\uparrow$   
 degree  $n$  poly in  $\lambda$

Example 1

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightsquigarrow \text{cubic eqn for } \lambda$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -\lambda & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} = -\lambda \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & 1 \\ 1 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} - 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -\lambda \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -\lambda(\lambda^2 - 1) - (-\lambda - 1) + (1 + \lambda)$$

$$= -\lambda^3 + 3\lambda + 2 = 0 = -(\lambda + 1)^2(\lambda - 2)$$

$\lambda = -1$  is a double root  $\lambda = 2$  a simple root

Eigenvectors

$$\lambda_1 = -1 \quad \begin{cases} \begin{pmatrix} -(-1) & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -(-1) & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -(-1) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \end{cases} \quad \begin{matrix} \searrow \text{2 dim null space} \\ \begin{matrix} \nearrow (1) \\ \searrow (-1) \end{matrix} \text{ these are perpendicular} \end{matrix}$$

$$\lambda_2 = -1$$

$$\lambda_3 = 2 \quad \begin{matrix} \nearrow \\ \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

$$\vec{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \vec{v}_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

matrix of eigenvectors

$$A\vec{v}_j = \lambda_j \vec{v}_j$$

$\downarrow$   
S

D diagonal

$$A(\vec{v}_1 | \vec{v}_2 | \vec{v}_3) = (\lambda_1 \vec{v}_1 | \lambda_2 \vec{v}_2 | \lambda_3 \vec{v}_3) = (V_1 | V_2 | V_3) \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\boxed{AS = SD} \text{ multiply by } S^{-1}$$

Definition An eigenvalue is called complete if it has as many eigenvectors as its multiplicity.  
eigenspace of  $\lambda$  has dimension = multiplicity of  $\lambda$

When the eigenvalues are complete,

S is invertible

$$\boxed{A = SDS^{-1}}$$

$$(AS)S^{-1} = SDS^{-1}$$

# Lecture 21: Diagonalization Exam 2 Review

4/1/19

Exam: 7-9 pm Room 2-255  
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Recall: A nxn matrix

If  $A\vec{v} = \lambda\vec{v}$ , then  $\vec{x}(t) = e^{\lambda t}\vec{v}$  solves  $\dot{\vec{x}} = A\vec{x}$

A matrix A is called complete if it has a basis of eigenvectors  $\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \dots, \vec{v}_n$  such that  $A\vec{v}_j = \lambda_j\vec{v}_j$  (lin. independence)

In this situation

$S = (\vec{v}_1 | \vec{v}_2 | \dots | \vec{v}_n)$  is fullrank so that  $S^{-1}$  exists.

$$\boxed{A\vec{v}_j = \lambda_j\vec{v}_j \quad j=1, \dots, n} \Leftrightarrow A = SDS^{-1}, \quad D = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & & 0 \\ & \ddots & \\ 0 & & \lambda_n \end{pmatrix}$$

diagonalization

PROOF ( $\Rightarrow$ )  $A\vec{v}_j = \lambda_j\vec{v}_j \Rightarrow AS = SD \Rightarrow A = SDS^{-1}$

( $\Leftarrow$ ) If  $A = SDS^{-1}$

$A\vec{v}_j = SDS^{-1}\vec{v}_j = SD\vec{e}_j = S\lambda_j\vec{e}_j = \lambda_j\vec{v}_j$

$\vec{e}_j = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow j\text{th}$

$\boxed{A\vec{v}_j = \lambda_j\vec{v}_j}$

characteristic polynomial

$P(\lambda) = \det(\lambda I - A) \leftarrow$  degree n

$= (\lambda - \lambda_1)(\lambda - \lambda_2) \dots (\lambda - \lambda_n)$  may have repeats

Example from before vacation:

$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \lambda_1 = 2, \vec{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \left| \quad \begin{array}{l} \lambda_2 = -1 \quad \vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ \lambda_3 = -1 \quad \vec{v}_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \end{array} \right. \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{(2 dimensional} \\ \text{eigenspace)} \end{array}$

$P(\lambda) = (\lambda - 2)(\lambda - (-1))^2 = (\lambda - 2)(\lambda^2 + 2\lambda + 1) = \lambda^3 - 3\lambda - 2$

$\boxed{\text{trace}(A) = \lambda_1 + \dots + \lambda_n}$

$\boxed{\det(A) = \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \dots \lambda_n}$

Theorem 1 If the roots of the characteristic polynomial are distinct, then the matrix is complete

Theorem 2 If the matrix is real and symmetric ( $A^T = A$ ), then there is an orthogonal basis of eigenvectors (and the eigenvectors are real)

$\begin{pmatrix} a & d & e \\ d & b & f \\ e & f & c \end{pmatrix}^T = \text{(itself)} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$  are perpendicular to each other.

Ex. complex eigenvalues (and eigenvectors) do occur.

But the 2x2 case illustrates everything we need.

(use to describe systems that have oscillatory behavior)

PS 6

rotations in 3D



$$A = S \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \text{rotation} \\ & & \text{magn} \end{pmatrix} S^{-1}$$

What's on the test:

- complex replacement, gain, resonance
- 2x2 systems, eigenvalues, eigenvectors, phase portraits
- solving  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  by elimination ( $\vec{x} = \vec{x}_p + \vec{x}_h$ )

1. ERF, 'ERF' are written on Exam 2

2. Memorize the trace-determinant plane & terminology  
= names of structurally stable types

3. Need basis,  $CS(A)$ , basis of  $NS(A)$ , rank, nullity, dimension counting

Q. Limits of dimensions of space (related rank-nullity theorem)

$$\underbrace{\text{rank}}_{\text{dim. of column space}} + \underbrace{\text{nullity}}_{\text{dim. of nullspace}} = \# \text{ columns}$$

Example If  $A$  is  $m \times n$  matrix and  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  has solutions for some <sup>non-zero</sup> but not all  $\vec{b}$ , then what are the limitations on rank  $A$ ?

$m=4$  (4 rows)  $\begin{pmatrix} \text{grid} \\ \text{grid} \\ \text{grid} \\ \text{grid} \end{pmatrix}$   $n=6$  (6 columns)  $\text{rank } A + \text{nullity } A = 8$   $m=5, n=8$

$m \times n$

$\text{dim}(CS(A)) < 5$  columns. ~~Some solutions~~  $\mathbb{R}^5$

$0 < \text{rank } A < 5 \implies \text{nullity}(A) = \text{dim } NS(A)$  <sup>is</sup> strictly between  $8-4$  and  $8-1$   
4 and 7

Characteristic polynomial:

$\det(A - \lambda I)$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1-\lambda & -1 & 4 \\ -1 & 4-\lambda & -1 \\ 4 & -1 & 1-\lambda \end{pmatrix} = (1-\lambda) \det \begin{pmatrix} 4-\lambda & -1 \\ -1 & 1-\lambda \end{pmatrix} - (-1) \det \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 4 \\ -1 & 1-\lambda \end{pmatrix} + 4 \det \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 4 \\ 4-\lambda & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= (1-\lambda)((4-\lambda)(1-\lambda) - 1) + \dots$$

(... I'm not going to write it out)

$$= (\lambda^3 - 6\lambda^2 - 9\lambda + 54) = (\lambda - 6)(\lambda - 3)(\lambda + 3)$$

$\lambda = 6, 3, -3$

Find the eigenvector

$\Rightarrow NS(A - 3I)$

$\lambda = 3 \quad A - 3I = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -1 & 4 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 4 & -1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{row reduce}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$A = S D S^{-1}$   
 ↑ eigenvectors      ↖ inverse of eigenvectors

i.e.  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}^{-1}$

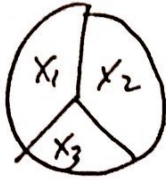
↑ diagonal of eigenvalues

↑ eigenvectors:  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ , eigenvalues: 3, 6, -3

A eigenvalue  $\lambda$

$NS(A - \lambda I)$  can be larger than 1 dim.

Example:



$x_k$  salinity

$$\dot{x}_1 = a(x_2 - x_1) + a(x_3 - x_1) = a(-2x_1 + x_2 + x_3)$$

$$\boxed{a=1} \quad \dot{x}_1 = (-2 \ 1 \ 1) \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

By symmetry:

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \dot{x}_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \dot{\vec{x}} = A\vec{x}$$

Eigenvalues + eigenvectors  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3$   
 $\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_3$

general solution

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} \vec{v}_1 + c_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} \vec{v}_2 + c_3 e^{\lambda_3 t} \vec{v}_3$$

$$\lambda_1 = 0 \quad \vec{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \lambda_2 = -3 \quad \vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \lambda_3 = -3 \quad \vec{v}_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A = SDS^{-1}$$

$$S = (\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_3)$$

$$D = \begin{pmatrix} \boxed{0} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \boxed{-3} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \boxed{-3} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\vec{x}(t) = y_1(t) \vec{v}_1 + y_2(t) \vec{v}_2 + y_3(t) \vec{v}_3 \quad (\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_3 \text{ is basis})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\vec{x}} = A\vec{x} &\Leftrightarrow \sum_{k=1}^3 \dot{y}_k \vec{v}_k = A \sum_{k=1}^3 y_k \vec{v}_k = \sum_{k=1}^3 y_k \lambda_k \vec{v}_k \\ \Rightarrow \boxed{y_k = \lambda_k y_k} & \quad k=1, 2, 3 \end{aligned}$$

independence

$$\vec{x} = (\vec{v}_1 \ \vec{v}_2 \ \vec{v}_3) \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\vec{x} = S\vec{y} \quad \boxed{S^{-1}\vec{x} = \vec{y}}$$

$$S^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \vec{v}_1^T / 3 \\ \vec{v}_2^T / 2 \\ \vec{v}_3^T / 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$S^{-1}S = I$$

$$\vec{v}_1^T \vec{v}_1 = \|\vec{v}_1\|^2 = 3$$

$$\vec{v}_3^T \vec{v}_3 = \|\vec{v}_3\|^2 = 6$$

$$\vec{v}_2^T \vec{v}_2 = \|\vec{v}_2\|^2 = 2$$



$$\boxed{V_j V_k^T = 0 \text{ if } j \neq k}$$

$$y_1 = \left(\frac{V_1^T}{3}\right) \vec{x} = \frac{1}{3}(x_1 + x_2 + x_3) \quad \vec{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$y_2 = \left(\frac{V_2^T}{2}\right) \vec{x} = \frac{1}{2}(x_1 - x_2)$$

$$y_3 = \left(\frac{V_3^T}{6}\right) \vec{x} = \frac{1}{6}(x_1 + x_2 - 2x_3)$$

these quantities are decoupled. Example 2 P56

$$\dot{y}_1 = 0 \quad \boxed{y_1(t) = y_1(0) e^{0t}}$$

$$\dot{y}_2 = -3y_2 \quad y_2(t) = y_2(0) e^{-3t}$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{c|cc} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & R(t) & \\ 0 & & \end{array} \right)$$

Example 3 in MITX notes



$$4 \times 4 \quad \left( \begin{array}{c|c} R(\omega t) & \\ \hline & R(\beta \omega t) \end{array} \right)$$

### Fundamental Solutions

A fundamental solution of  $\dot{\vec{x}} = A\vec{x}$  is an  $n \times n$  matrix whose columns are <sup>in-</sup>dependent solutions

$$X(t) = (\vec{x}_1(t), \dots, \vec{x}_n(t))$$

For example

$$\underline{X}(t) = (e^{\lambda_1 t} \vec{v}_1 \mid e^{\lambda_2 t} \vec{v}_2 \mid e^{\lambda_3 t} \vec{v}_3) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & e^{-3t} & e^{-3t} \\ 1 & -e^{-3t} & e^{-3t} \\ 1 & 0 & -2e^{-3t} \end{pmatrix}$$

Defining properties of fundamental solution(s)

1) determinant  $X(0) \neq 0$

2) ~~matrix~~  $\dot{X} = AX$  matrix differential equation

3x3 matrix

why (2)?  $\dot{X} = (\dot{\vec{x}}_1 \mid \dot{\vec{x}}_2 \mid \dot{\vec{x}}_3) = (A\vec{x}_1 \mid A\vec{x}_2 \mid A\vec{x}_3) = A(\vec{x}_1 \mid \vec{x}_2 \mid \vec{x}_3) = AX$

1) allows us to solve the initial value problem

$$\vec{x}(t) = C_1 \vec{x}_1(t) + \dots + C_n \vec{x}_n(t) = \underline{X}(t) \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ \vdots \\ c_n \end{pmatrix} = \underline{X}(t) \vec{c} \quad \text{general solution}$$

$$\vec{x}(0) = \underline{X}(0) \vec{c} \Leftrightarrow \vec{c} = \underline{X}(0)^{-1} \vec{x}(0) \quad \text{inverse exists because the determinant } \det(\underline{X}(0)) \neq 0$$

Theorem If  $X(t)$  is a fundamental ~~is~~ solution and  $\det(X(0)) \neq 0$   
then ~~is~~  $\det(X(t)) \neq 0$  for all  $t$ .

Proof  $W(t) = \det(X(t))$  (Wronskian)

$$\dot{W}(t) = \text{trace}(A)W(t) \quad W(t) = W(0)e^{\text{trace}(A)t} \neq 0$$

even for  $A=A(t)$ , the theorem works

$$\det(X(t)) = e^{-3t} e^{-3t} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = e^{-6t} \det(X(0))$$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{trace}(A) = -6$$

Lecture 23:

4/8/19

Exam 2 median: 83  $A \geq 87$   $B \geq 73$   $C \geq 60$

Fundamental Matrix:  $\underline{X} = A\underline{X}$  ( $\det \underline{X}(0) \neq 0$ )

Variation of Parameters:  $\dot{\underline{X}} = A\underline{X} + \underline{r}(t)$  (inhomogeneous prob)

Exponential matrix:  $e^{At}$

Review: A fundamental matrix  $\underline{X}(t)$  is a  $n \times n$  matrix satisfying  $\dot{\underline{X}} = A\underline{X}$ ,  $\det(\underline{X}(0)) \neq 0$ .

Thm:  $\det(\underline{X}(t)) \neq 0$  for all  $t$ .

homogeneous problem  $\dot{\underline{X}} - A\underline{X} = 0$

$$\dot{\underline{X}} - A\underline{X} = 0 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underline{X}_h = c_1 \underline{x}_1 + c_2 \underline{x}_2 \quad 2 \text{ dim if}$$

$$= (\underline{x}_1 | \underline{x}_2) \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix} = \underline{X} \underline{c}$$

Inhomogeneous problem

$$\dot{\underline{X}} - A\underline{X} = \underline{r}(t) \quad (\dot{\underline{X}} = A\underline{X} + \underline{r}(t))$$

Method of Variation of parameters

TRY:  $\underline{X} \underline{u}$   $\underline{u} = \begin{pmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{pmatrix}$

$c_1, c_2 \rightsquigarrow u_1(t), u_2(t)$

1 dimensional case

TRY  
 $\dot{x} - ax = r(t) \quad | \quad x(t) = u(t)e^{at} \rightarrow x(t) = e^{at} \int e^{-at} r(t) dt + C$   
 $x_h = Ce^{at} \quad | \quad x(t) = x_p(t) + x_h(t) \quad x_h(t) = Ce^{at}$

Plug in  $\underline{x} = \underline{X} \underline{u}$  into  $\dot{\underline{x}} - A\underline{x} = \underline{r}(t)$

$$(\underline{X} \underline{u})' - A(\underline{X} \underline{u}) = \underline{r}(t)$$

$$\dot{\underline{X}} \underline{u} + \underline{X} \dot{\underline{u}} - A(\underline{X} \underline{u}) = \underline{r}(t)$$

$$(A\underline{X}) \underline{u} + \underline{X} \dot{\underline{u}} - A(\underline{X} \underline{u}) = \underline{r}(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{X} \dot{\underline{u}} = \underline{r} \quad \underline{\dot{u}} = \underline{X}^{-1}(t) \underline{r}(t) \quad (\underline{X}(t) \text{ nonsingular})$$

$(AB)C = A(BC)$   
associative law, shift the parenthesis.

$$\vec{u} = \int \underline{X}(t)^{-1} \vec{r}(t) dt$$

$$\vec{x} = \underline{X}(t) \left( \int \underline{X}(t)^{-1} \vec{r}(t) dt + \vec{c} \right)$$

$$\vec{x}_h = \underline{X}(t) \vec{c}$$

Exponential:

definition

$e^{At}$  is the  $n \times n$  matrix  $E(t)$  satisfying  $\dot{E} = AE$  and  $E(0) = I$   
 $\begin{pmatrix} i & 0 \\ 0 & i \end{pmatrix}$

Analogy

$$\dot{y} = ay \quad y(0) = 1$$

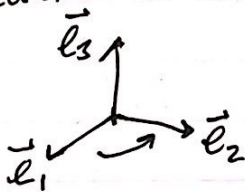
$$y(t) = e^{at}$$

$$\dot{z} = iz \quad z(0) = 1$$

$$z(t) = e^{it} \quad i^2 = -1$$

PS 6  $i \leftrightarrow$  rotation by  $90^\circ$   
 $J = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow J^2 = -I$   
 $e^{Jt}$  rotation by  $t$  radians

Rotations in 3dims.



$$J_3 = e^{(i/2)J_3}$$

$$i = e^{(i/2)i}$$

~~$$J_1 J_3 \neq J_3 J_1$$~~

$$e^{A(t_1+t_2)} = e^{At_1} e^{At_2}$$

but

$$e^{A_1+A_2} \neq e^{A_1} e^{A_2}$$

nearly always false

$$e^{A_1} e^{A_2} \neq e^{A_2} e^{A_1}$$

Example 1

$$D = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 \end{pmatrix}, e^{Dt} = \begin{pmatrix} e^{\lambda_1 t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{\lambda_2 t} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} e^{\lambda_1 t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{\lambda_2 t} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e^{\lambda_1 t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{\lambda_2 t} \end{pmatrix} = D e^{Dt}$$

addition is commutative  
 but matrix multiplication is not.

Example 2

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ -3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_1 = 4 \quad \vec{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad S = (v_1 | v_2) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_2 = -2 \quad \vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

~~$$e^{\lambda_1 t} \vec{v}_1 | e^{\lambda_2 t} \vec{v}_2$$~~

$$\underline{X}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} e^{4t} & e^{-2t} \\ -e^{4t} & e^{-2t} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e^{4t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-2t} \end{pmatrix} = S e^{Dt} \quad \text{where } D = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

What about  $e^{At}$ ?

$$\bar{X}(0) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ not } \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

if we start with one fundamental solution, we can always generate the rest.

$$F(t) = \bar{X}(t) \bar{C} \text{ any constant matrix } C$$

$$\dot{F} = \dot{\bar{X}}C + \bar{X}\dot{C} = (A\bar{X})C = A(\bar{X}C) = AF$$

$$\underline{\dot{F} = AF}$$

Choose  $C = X(0)^{-1}$

$$e^{At} = \bar{X}(t) \bar{X}(0)^{-1} \text{ and } \bar{X}(0) \bar{X}(0)^{-1} = I \checkmark$$

In our example,  $\bar{X}(0) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = S$

$$\bar{X}(0)^{-1} = S^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/2 & -1/2 \\ 1/2 & 1/2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$e^{At} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e^{4t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-2t} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1/2 & -1/2 \\ 1/2 & 1/2 \end{pmatrix} = \underline{S e^{tD} S^{-1}}$$

Decoupling

$$S^{-1} \vec{r} = \left( \begin{pmatrix} 1/2 \\ 1/2 \end{pmatrix} r_1 - \begin{pmatrix} 1/2 \\ 1/2 \end{pmatrix} r_2 \right)$$

"if there are 40 things to look at, we can only look at one"

input  $\frac{r_1 - r_2}{2} \rightsquigarrow \frac{x_1 - x_2}{2}$  particular response without looking at all other components

another way of defining the exponential

(will help on problem set)

$$e^{At} = I + At + \frac{(At)^2}{2!} + \frac{(At)^3}{3!} + \dots$$

$n \times n$  matrices

one of the ways we deal with the exponential matrix

# Lecture 24:

4/10/19

Exponents:  $e^{At} = I + At + \frac{(At)^2}{2!} + \dots = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(At)^n}{n!}$   
 numerical methods (euler's method)

Ex. 1  $D = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 \end{pmatrix}$   $D^2 = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1^2 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2^2 \end{pmatrix}$   $D^n = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1^n & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2^n \end{pmatrix}$   
 $e^{Dt} = \sum \frac{(Dt)^n}{n!} = \sum D^n \frac{t^n}{n!} = \sum \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1^n & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2^n \end{pmatrix} \frac{t^n}{n!} = \begin{pmatrix} e^{\lambda_1 t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{\lambda_2 t} \end{pmatrix}$

Ex. 2.  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ -3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = SDS^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$   
 $A^2 = SDS^{-1} SDS^{-1} = SD^2S^{-1}$   $A^n = SD^nS^{-1}$

$e^{At} = \sum \frac{(At)^n}{n!} = \sum SDS^{-1} \frac{t^n}{n!} = S \left( \sum \frac{D^n t^n}{n!} \right) S^{-1}$

$e^{At} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e^{4t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-2t} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} = S e^{Dt} S^{-1}$   
 don't simplify unless you have  $tD$

## Ex. 3

$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$   $\lambda^2 - 6\lambda + 9 = 0$   $(\lambda - 3)^2 = 0$  repeated root

$A - 3I = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = N$   $N^2 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

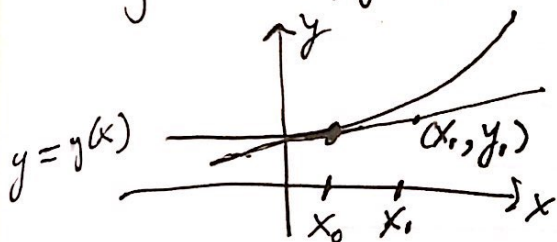
$e^{At} = e^{(3I+N)t} = e^{3It} \cdot e^{Nt} = \begin{pmatrix} e^{3t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{3t} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -t \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  nilpotent

$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -t & t \\ -t & t \end{pmatrix}$   
 $e^{Nt} = I + Nt + \frac{(Nt)^2}{2!} + \dots = I + Nt + 0 + 0 + \dots$   
 3I and N commute

Solution should be built from  $e^{3t}$  and  $te^{3t}$   
 $\vec{v}_1 e^{3t} + \vec{v}_2 te^{3t}$  on solution is 1st column of  $e^{At}$   
 $\begin{pmatrix} (1-t)e^{3t} \\ -te^{3t} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} e^{3t} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} te^{3t}$

# Numerical Methods (Euler's Method)

Euler's Method (the just name you to remember it...)  
 $y'(x) = f(x, y(x))$  ← could be nonlinear



$y(x_0) = y_0$  initial condition

$x_1 - x_0 = h$   
step size

$\frac{y_1 - y_0}{x_1 - x_0} = \text{slope at } x_0$

$y_1 = y_0 + h f(x_0, y_0) = f(x_0, y_0)$

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + hf(x_n, y_n)$$

Ex on mathlet  $f(x, y) = y^2 - x$

$h=1$   
orange |  $x_0=0$   
 $y_0=0$

$h=0.125 = 1/8$

$y' = y^2 - x$

Goal  $y(x)$  should resemble the sequence  $y_0, y_1, y_2, \dots$

$y_n - y(x_0 + nh) = E(\text{error})$   $|E| \leq C_h$  ( $0 \leq nh \leq 3$ )  
 approx. exact

( $C_h$  depends on  $|f| + \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right| + \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right|$ )

## Implementation by hand

$h = 1/10, x_0 = 1, y_0 = 1$

Make a table

n	$x_n$	$y_n$	$f(x_n, y_n)$	$hf(x_n, y_n)$
0	1	1	$1^2 - 1 = 0$	0
1	1.1	1.0	$1^2 - 1.1 = -0.1$	-0.01
2	1.2	0.99	$0.99^2 - 1.2$	$\frac{1}{10} (0.99^2 - 1.2)$

## Reliability

- self consistency. No crossing
- convergence as  $h \rightarrow 0$
- stability (boring)

Inhomogeneous differential equation

$$\dot{x} - 2x = \cos(3t)$$

$$\vec{x} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} \quad \vec{\dot{x}} = A\vec{x} + \vec{g}(t)$$

↑  
n x n matrix

Method 1: Decoupling

$$A = SDS^{-1}$$

$$\vec{\dot{x}} = A\vec{x} + \vec{g} = SDS^{-1}\vec{x} + \vec{g}$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$S^{-1}$$

$$S^{-1}\vec{\dot{x}} = DS^{-1}\vec{x} + S^{-1}\vec{g}$$

$$S^{-1}\vec{x} = \vec{y} \quad S^{-1}\vec{g} = \vec{p} \quad \vec{\dot{y}} = D\vec{y} + \vec{p} \quad D = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & & \\ & \lambda_2 & \\ & & \ddots \\ & & & \lambda_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{y}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{y}_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 y_1 \\ \lambda_2 y_2 \\ \vdots \\ \lambda_n y_n \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} p_1 \\ \vdots \\ p_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$D\vec{y} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 y_1 \\ \lambda_2 y_2 \\ \vdots \\ \lambda_n y_n \end{pmatrix}$$

Get simple variable equations

$$\dot{y}_i = \lambda_i y_i + p_i$$

↖ solve using method from beginning of semester.

Example

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}_1 = -16x_1 + 6x_2 + t^2 \\ \dot{x}_2 = -45x_1 + 17x_2 + 1+t \end{cases}$$

homogeneous part      inhomogeneous

$$\vec{\dot{x}} = \begin{pmatrix} -16 & 6 \\ -45 & 17 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x} + \begin{pmatrix} t^2 \\ 1+t \end{pmatrix}$$

1) write  $A = SDS^{-1}$

eigenvalues + vectors

$$2 \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \quad -1 \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$D = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad S = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$



$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad-bc} \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 5 & -2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -5 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\dot{\vec{x}} = S D S^{-1} \vec{x} + \vec{q} \quad S^{-1} \dot{\vec{x}} = D S^{-1} \vec{x} + S^{-1} \vec{q} \quad \vec{y} = S^{-1} \vec{x}$$

$$\dot{\vec{y}} = D \vec{y} + S^{-1} \vec{q}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -5 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} t^2 \\ 1+t \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5t^2 + 2t + 2 \\ 3t^2 - t - 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\dot{\vec{y}} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \vec{y} + \begin{pmatrix} -5t^2 + 2t + 2 \\ 3t^2 - t - 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{y}_1 \\ \dot{y}_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2y_1 \\ -y_2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -5t^2 + 2t + 2 \\ 3t^2 - t - 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\dot{y}_1 = 2y_1 - 5t^2 + 2t + 2$$

$$\dot{y}_2 = -y_2 + 3t^2 - t - 1$$

$$\dot{y}_1 - 2y_1 = -5t^2 + 2t + 2$$

guess a solution to be of the form  $at^2 + bt + c$

$$(at^2 + bt + c) - 2(at^2 + bt + c) = -5t^2 + 2t + 2$$

$$2at + b - 2at^2 - 2bt - 2c = -5t^2 + 2t + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2at^2 + (2a - 2b)t + (b - 2c) = -5t^2 + 2t + 2$$

$$-2a = 5 \quad 2a - 2b = 2 \quad b - 2c = 2$$

$$y_1 = \frac{5}{2}t^2 + \frac{3}{2}t - \frac{1}{4}$$

$$y_2 = 3t^2 - t - 1$$

$$\vec{x} = S \vec{y} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{5}{2}t^2 + \frac{3}{2}t - \frac{1}{4} \\ 3t^2 - t - 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \frac{17}{2}t^2 - \frac{t}{2} - \frac{9}{4} \\ \frac{45}{2}t^2 - \frac{t}{2} - 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

## Method 2: Variation of parameters

$$\dot{\vec{x}} = A\vec{x} + \vec{g}(t) \quad \dot{\vec{x}} = A\vec{x} \quad \dot{\vec{x}} = A\vec{x}_n \quad X(t) \text{ fundamental solutions.}$$

homogeneous solution

guess that  $\vec{x} = X(t)\vec{u}$

$$\dot{\vec{x}} = A\vec{x} + \vec{g} \quad (\dot{X}\vec{u}) = AX\vec{u}$$

$$\dot{X}\vec{u} + X\dot{\vec{u}} = AX\vec{u} + \vec{g}$$

~~$$\dot{X}\vec{u} + X\dot{\vec{u}} = AX\vec{u} + \vec{g}$$~~

$$X\dot{\vec{u}} + (\dot{X} - AX)\vec{u} = \vec{g}$$

$$\dot{X}\vec{u} = \vec{g} \Rightarrow \dot{\vec{u}} = X^{-1}\vec{g}$$

Solve for  $\vec{u}$   
then

$$\vec{x} = X(t)\vec{u}$$

$$\dot{\vec{x}} = \begin{pmatrix} -16 & 6 \\ -45 & 17 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x} + \begin{pmatrix} e^t \\ e^{-t} \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{cases} \dot{x}_1 = -16x_1 + 6x_2 + e^t \\ \dot{x}_2 = -45x_1 + 17x_2 + e^{-t} \end{cases}$$

Find fundamental solution to

$$\dot{\vec{x}}_0 = A\vec{x}_0$$

Eigenvalues/vectors

$$2 \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \quad -1 \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$e^{2t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \quad e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X(t) = \begin{pmatrix} e^{2t} & 2e^{-t} \\ 3e^{2t} & 5e^{-t} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X(t)^{-1} = \frac{1}{\underbrace{ab-bc}_{-e^t}} \begin{pmatrix} 5e^{-t} & -2e^t \\ -3e^{2t} & e^{2t} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X(t)^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} -5e^{-2t} & 2e^{2t} \\ 3e^t & -e^t \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X(t)^{-1} \vec{q} = \begin{pmatrix} -5e^{-2t} & 2e^{-2t} \\ 3e^t & -e^t \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e^t \\ e^{-t} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X^{-1} \vec{q} = \begin{pmatrix} -5e^{-t} + 2e^{-3t} \\ 3e^{2t} + e^{-2t} \end{pmatrix} = \vec{u}$$

$$u_1 = -5e^{-t} + 2e^{-3t} \quad u_2 = 3e^{2t} + e^{-2t}$$

$$u_1 = 5e^{-t} - \frac{2}{3}e^{-3t} \text{ integrate}$$

$$u_2 = \frac{3}{2}e^{2t} - \frac{1}{2}e^{-2t}$$

$$\vec{x} = X(t) \vec{u} = \begin{pmatrix} e^{2t} & 2e^{-t} \\ 3e^{2t} & 5e^{-t} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 5e^{-t} - \frac{2}{3}e^{-3t} \\ \frac{3}{2}e^{2t} - \frac{1}{2}e^{-2t} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 5e^t - \frac{2}{3}e^{-t} + 10e^{-2t} - \frac{4}{3}e^{-4t} \\ 15e^{4t} - 2e^{-t} + \frac{15}{2}e^t - \frac{5}{2}e^{-3t} \end{pmatrix}$$

Final answer

from handout, do parts (a, d, e, f, s)

# Lecture 25: Eigenvalues & Eigenvectors in disordered media

4/12/17

This is just him talking about his research...

$$\vec{y} = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix} \quad \dot{\vec{y}} = A\vec{y} \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & -2 & \\ & & & \ddots & \\ & & & & -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\vec{y}(t) = e^{At} \vec{y}(0)$$

Vibrations  $\ddot{u} = A\vec{u}$

$$\vec{u}(t) = \cos(At)\vec{u}(0) + \sin(At)\vec{v}(0)$$

Schrödinger equation

$$\hat{H}\vec{z} = EA\vec{z}$$

$$\vec{z}(t) = e^{iAt}\vec{z}(0)$$

Biggest unsolved problem in condensed matter physics: shape of structures... (?)

$$A \leftrightarrow \frac{d^2}{dx^2}$$

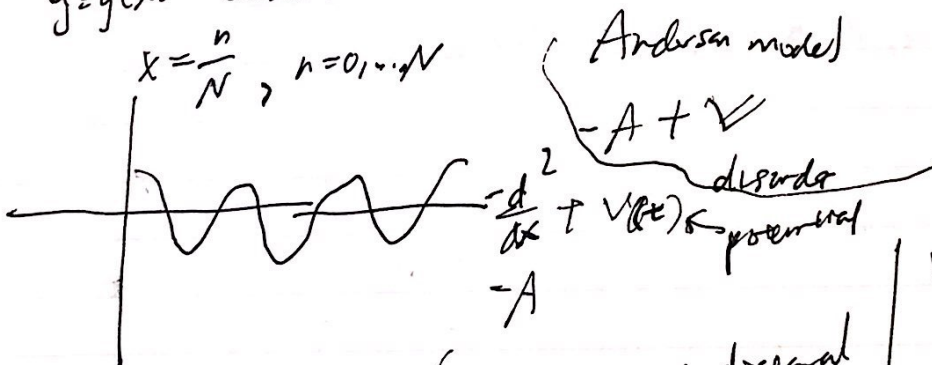
$$\frac{d^2}{dx^2} \cos(kx) = -k^2 \cos(kx)$$

$\cos(kx)$  eigenfunction  
 $-k^2$  its eigenvalue

Shape:

$$y = y(x) \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1$$

$$x = \frac{n}{N}, \quad n = 0, \dots, N$$



$$V = \begin{pmatrix} v(1) & & 0 \\ & \ddots & \\ 0 & & v(N) \end{pmatrix} \text{ diagonal}$$

$$V(n) = \begin{cases} v^* & \frac{1}{10^4} \\ 0 & \frac{9}{10^4} \end{cases}$$

$$v^* = \frac{1}{10}$$

What do the eigenvalues look like?  
 eigenfunctions localize

at certain energy levels, the eigenvalues/eigenfunctions are concentrated

low energies - highly localized  
 higher energies "extended" spread out  
 transition is called the mobility edge.

open question for 60 yrs edge between when semiconductor is insulating or conducting

Quantum mechanics: particles are eigenstates  
 we (everywhere in physical space) are superpositions of eigenstates, evolving according to Schrödinger's equations.

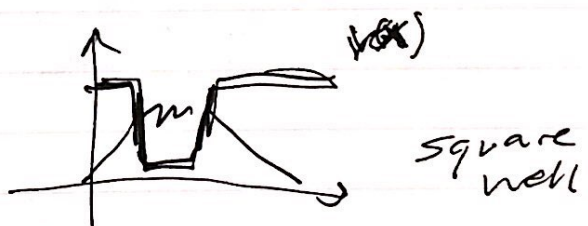
→ we don't know initial condition  
 this is what discussions about wave & effects are about

$$\vec{z}(t) = e^{iAt} \vec{z}(0)$$

$$P_n = |z_n(t)|^2$$

prob. that the particle is at state n  
 $P_1 + \dots + P_N = 1$

Example  $-\frac{d^2}{dx^2} + V(x)$



bose einstein condensate  
 collect particles using lasers.  
 cools stuff down to nano kelvin.

$$\left( -\frac{d^2}{dx^2} + V(x) \right) \cos(kx) = -k^2 \cos(kx) \quad \text{inside}$$

$$\left( -\frac{d^2}{dx^2} + V^* \right) \chi(x) = -k^2 \chi(x)$$

$$= \frac{d^2 \chi}{dx^2} = (k^2 - V^*) \chi(x)$$

$\psi(x) \sim e^{-\frac{|x|}{(V^* - k^2)^{-1/2}}}$  outside the well

Uniform pressure problem

$$(-A + V)\vec{u} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{where } \vec{u} = \begin{pmatrix} u(1) \\ \vdots \\ u(n) \end{pmatrix}$$

$V(x) \rightarrow \frac{1}{u(x)}$  have the same units.

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{u(1)} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{1}{u(n)} \end{pmatrix} (-A + V) \begin{pmatrix} u(1) & 0 \\ 0 & \dots & u(n) \end{pmatrix} = \text{New matrix } \begin{pmatrix} -\tilde{A} \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{u(1)} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{1}{u(n)} \end{pmatrix}$$

$v(1), v(n)$   
cliffs & waterways  $\rightarrow \frac{1}{u(1)}, \frac{1}{u(n)}$   
Hills & valleys

punchline: "Weyl law" ... eigenvalues in how many times  $K^2/V^*$   
 $V^* = 1/VU \quad K = 1, \dots, 10$

Filobor Mayboroda used eigenvalue counting to speed up algorithms to simulate performance of LEDs of a factor of 500 to 1000  
 1 yr  $\rightarrow$  10 hrs.

Lecture 26  
Intro to Fourier Series

4/17/19

- periodic functions
- square waves

Fourier coefficient formula

- orthogonality

Motivation

$$\ddot{x} + Ax + Bx = f(t)$$

any periodic input

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sq(wt)

Def:  $f(t)$  is periodic if period  $p$

if  $f(t+p) = f(t)$

what is the period of  $\sin(3t)$

\* trick question:  
many answers

Ans: Any multiple of  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ ,  $\frac{4\pi}{3}$ ,  $\frac{6\pi}{3}$ ,  $\frac{8\pi}{3}$  ...

"All" sinusoidal functions of period  $2\pi$

$\sin t, \sin 2t, \sin 3t, \dots, \sin(nt)$

$\cos(nt)$   $n=0, 1, 2, \dots$

$n=1, 2, \dots$

includes  $\cos(0t) = 1$

$$S_q(t) = \begin{cases} +1 & 0 < t < \pi \\ -1 & -\pi < t < 0 \end{cases}$$



mathlet

$\frac{1}{c} S_q(t)$

$c = 4/\pi$

2π-periodic

to interpret, need to expand in Fourier series. How can be written as a superposition of basic building blocks

$$f(t) = c \left( \sin t + \frac{1}{3} \sin 3t + \frac{1}{5} \sin 5t + \dots \right)$$

Fourier sine series

Fourier Analysis: split a signal into its pure frequencies.

If  $f(t) = \sum_n b_n \sin(nt)$ , what are the  $b_n$ 's?

hard step: finding the coefficients

answer is better than a decimal expansion

approximate functions using sine waves ← Fourier

What is the 101st digit of  $\sqrt{2}$ ?

radius to find and essentially meaningless

In contrast  $b_{101}$  is easy to find and has a specific meaning.

Fourier  $f(t) = \sum b_n \sin(nt)$

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(t) \sin(nt) dt = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (b_1 \sin t + b_2 \sin 2t + \dots) \sin nt dt$$

$$= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} b_n (\sin(nt))^2 dt = \pi b_n$$

$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (\sin(mt))(\sin(nt)) dt = 0$  interested in  $m \neq n$

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin^2(nt) dt = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (\sin^2 nt + \cos^2 nt) dt = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} 1 dt = 2\pi$$

$$= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos^2(nt) dt = \pi$$

Fourier coefficient formula

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(t) \sin nt dt$$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(t) \cos(nt) dt$$

$a_0$  is special because 1 is not oscillatory

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"Fourier Theorem" every periodic function  $f(t)$  of period  $2\pi$  satisfies  $f(t) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos(nt) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin(nt)$

Every means all piecewise differentiable functions



$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f_9(t) \sin(nt) dt = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} 1 \sin nt dt$$

both odd  
so new even.

$$\cos(n\pi) = (-1)^n, \quad \cos 0 = 1$$

$$= \frac{-2}{\pi} \left( \frac{\cos(nt)}{n} \right) \Big|_0^{\pi} = \frac{-2}{\pi} \left( \frac{(-1)^n - 1}{n} \right)$$

$$= \begin{cases} 4/\pi n & n \text{ odd} \\ 0 & n \text{ even} \end{cases}$$

To get the cosines as well as sines, we need several identities

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin^2 nt dt = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos^2 nt dt = \pi$$

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (\sin(mt))(\sin(nt)) dt = 0 \quad m \neq n$$

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} 1^2 dt = 2\pi \quad \left( \frac{a_0}{2} \text{ term} \right)$$

$$\frac{a_0}{2} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(t) dt$$

= average value of f

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(mt) \sin(nt) dt = 0 \quad \text{all } n, m$$

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \text{ same as } \int_{-\pi}^{\pi}$$

# Recreation: Fourier Series

Taylor Series  $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$

Fourier Series:  $f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos(nx) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin(nx)$

Find Fourier series for a  $2\pi$  periodic function

$n \geq 0 \quad a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos(nx) dx$

$n \geq 1 \quad b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin(nx) dx$

$g(x) = f(x)$  odd,  $g(-x) = -f(x)$

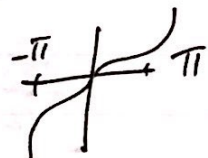
(even)(even) = even

(even)(odd) = odd

(odd)(odd) = even

$g$  odd function

$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} g(x) dx = 0$



$= \int_{-\pi}^0 g(x) dx + \int_0^{\pi} g(x) dx$

(cancels out)

since  $f(x)$  is odd,  
 $f(x) \cos(nx)$  is odd,  
 $a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos(nx) dx = 0$

For an odd function, all cosines in the Fourier series will be zero  
 For an even function, all sine terms in the Fourier series are zero

$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin(nx) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} x \sin(nx) dx$

integration by parts

$u dv \quad dv = \sin(nx)$   
 $u = x \quad v = \frac{-\cos(nx)}{n}$   
 $du = dx$

$\int u dv - uv = \int v du$

$\int x \sin(nx) dx = -\frac{x \cos(nx)}{n} + \frac{\sin(nx)}{n}$

$$\frac{-x \cos(nx)}{n} \Big|_{-\pi}^{\pi} - \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \left( \frac{-\cos(nx)}{n} \right) dx \quad \begin{matrix} = u \\ \int v dx \end{matrix}$$

↓  
∫ u dv

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{-\cos(nx)}{n} dx = \left[ \frac{-\sin(nx)}{n^2} \right]_{-\pi}^{\pi} = 0$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{-2\pi(i)^n}{n} \leftarrow \frac{-2(-1)^n}{n} \right)$$

$$f(x) = -2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n \sin(nx)}{n} = -2 \sin(x) - \frac{2 \sin(2x)}{2} + \frac{2 \sin(3x)}{3} - \frac{2 \sin(4x)}{4} \dots$$

4/19/19 Lecture 27: Workshop with Fourier Series

- scaling period  $2\pi \rightarrow 2L$
- odd/even shortcuts
- convergence



$$Sg(t) = \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_{n \text{ odd}} \frac{\sin(n\frac{t}{L})}{n}$$

Scale  
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Suppose  $g(t)$  period  $2L$   $\pi \leftrightarrow L$   $g(t+2L) = g(t)$

building blocks:  $\cos(n\frac{\pi}{L}t)$   $\leftarrow$  period  $2L$   $n=0,1,2$   
 $\sin(n\frac{\pi}{L}t)$   $\leftarrow$   $n=1,2,3,\dots$

Fourier Thm

$$g(t) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}t\right) + b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}t\right)$$

with  $a_n = \frac{1}{L} \int_{-L}^L g(t) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}t\right) dt$ ,  $b_n = \frac{1}{L} \int_{-L}^L g(t) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}t\right) dt$

Proof:

$$f(r) = g\left(\frac{L}{\pi}r\right) \quad t = \frac{L}{\pi}r \quad \left(r = \frac{\pi}{L}t\right)$$

$$f(r) \dots a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(r) \cos(nr) dr = \text{right answer.}$$

$\uparrow$   
 $t = \frac{L}{\pi}r \quad dt = \frac{L}{\pi} dr$

A function  $f$  is odd if  $f(-t) = -f(t)$   
 even if  $f(-t) = f(t)$

Extra pair of Fourier coeff. formulas

suppose  $g(-t) = -g(t)$  odd

$$\int_{-L}^L \underbrace{g(t)}_{\text{odd}} \underbrace{\cos\left(n\frac{\pi}{L}t\right)}_{\text{even}} dt = 0$$

$$\int_{-L}^L = - \int_{-L}^0 + \int_0^L \Rightarrow \int_{-L}^L f + \int_0^L = 0$$

Hence  $a_n = 0$  for all  $n$

$$b_n = \frac{1}{L} \int_{-L}^L f(t) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}t\right) dt = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L g(t) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}t\right) dt$$

$\underbrace{\quad}_{\text{odd}}$ 
 $\underbrace{\quad}_{\text{odd}}$

$$\int_{-L}^0 = \int_0^L \quad \text{even} \quad \int_{-L}^L = 2 \int_0^L$$

Example  $w(t) = t$

period  $2\pi$

sawtooth

$a_n = 0$   
because  
odd

$$b_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} t \sin nt \, dt$$

$$\int_0^{\pi} t \sin(nt) \, dt = \left( -\frac{t \cos nt}{n} + \frac{\sin(nt)}{n^2} \right) \Big|_0^{\pi} = \frac{-\pi}{n} (-1)^n$$

$\downarrow$   
 $\neq 0$

$\cos(n\pi) = (-1)^n$

Don't FORGET

$$2 (-1)^{n+1}$$

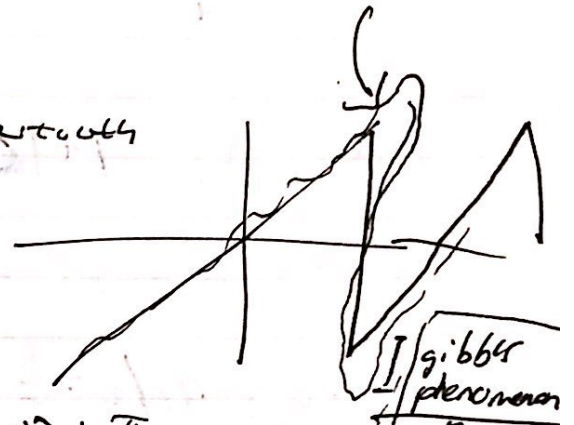
$$\Rightarrow w(t) = 2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{\sin(nt)}{n}$$

$$= 2 \left( \sin t - \frac{\sin 2t}{2} + \frac{\sin 3t}{3} - \dots \right)$$

### Convergence of F Series

If  $f$  is piecewise differentiable with at most jump discontinuities then the Fourier series converges to the value for the average of left and right limits.

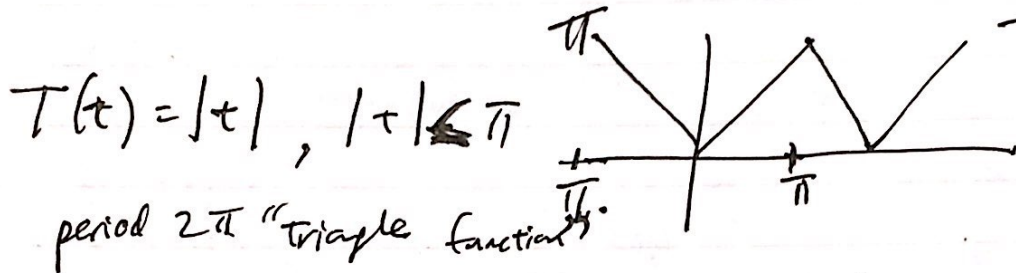
this overshoots



Even function  $g(-t) = g(t)$   $b_n = 0$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{L} \int_{-L}^L g(t) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{L} t\right) dt = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L g(t) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{L} t\right) dt$$

$$n=0 \quad a_0 = \frac{1}{L} \int_{-L}^L g(t) dt \Leftrightarrow a_0/2 = \frac{1}{2L} \int_{-L}^L g(t) dt \quad \text{Average value of } g$$



$$b_n = 0, \quad a_0/2 = \frac{\pi}{2} \quad (\text{average value})$$

$$a_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} t \cos(nt) dt = \begin{cases} \frac{-4}{\pi n^2} & n \text{ odd (omitted)} \\ 0 & n \text{ even} \end{cases}$$

$n=1, 2, \dots$

$$T(t) = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_{n \text{ odd}} \frac{\cos nt}{n^2} \quad \boxed{\text{all } t}$$

# Lecture 28: Solving ODEs with Fourier Series

4/22/19

I didn't go to class because I felt sick, so this is what I missed.  
(Stanton exam links)

Goal for Fourier series: solve 2nd order diff eq w/ constant coefficients  
undamped

$$x'' + \omega_0^2 x = f(t)$$

solve this / find a particular solution.

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{L} + \frac{2}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin(n\pi/L)}{n}$$

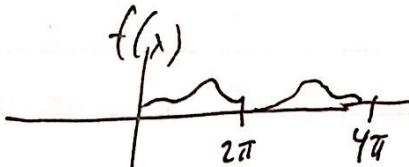
Can find  $x_p$  if RHS:  $\begin{cases} \cos \omega t \\ \sin \omega t \end{cases}$   $\frac{\begin{cases} \cos \omega t \\ \sin \omega t \end{cases}}{\omega_0^2 - \omega^2}$  } if almost resonance }  $\omega$  from lecture on exp zero, amplitude very large

If  $f(t) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \cos \omega_n t + b_n \sin \omega_n t$   $\omega_n = \frac{n\pi}{L}$  (period is  $2L$ )

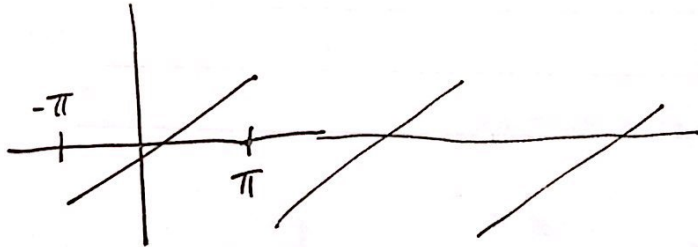
then  $x_p = \frac{a_0}{2\omega_0^2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{A_n \cos \omega_n t}{\omega_0^2 - \omega_n^2} + \frac{b_n \sin \omega_n t}{\omega_0^2 - \omega_n^2}$  } particular solution

4/23/19 Fourier Series

$f(x)$  repeats every  $2\pi$  ish.



$$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos(nx) + \sum b_n \sin(nx)$$



make  $2\pi$  periodic by repeating it.

$$a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos(nx) dx$$

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin(nx) dx$$

$$f(x) = -2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n} \sin(nx)$$

Consider functions which are periodic with period  $L$ .

$$\sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{L} nx\right) \text{ and } \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{L} nx\right)$$

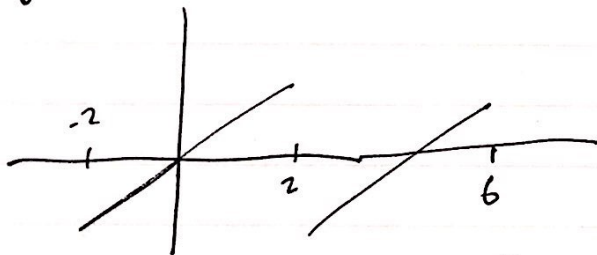
building blocks for Fourier Series of functions of period  $L$

$$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{L} nx\right) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{L} nx\right)$$

$$a_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L f(x) \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{L} nx\right) dx \quad b_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L f(x) \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{L} nx\right) dx$$

average of the function

$g(x) = x$  between  $-2$  and  $2$  and is  $4$ -periodic



$$f(x) = -2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n} \sin(nx)$$

need to transform to  $g(x)$

need to put down  $\rightarrow \frac{2}{\pi} f\left(\frac{\pi}{2} x\right) = g(x)$  stretches the function



$$\frac{2}{\pi} f\left(\frac{y}{2}\right) = \frac{2}{\pi}(-2) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n} \sin\left(\frac{\pi n}{2} x\right)$$

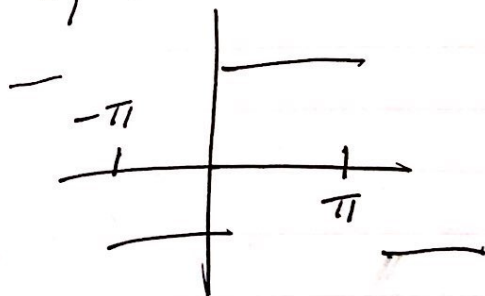
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g(x)

$$\sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{L} nx\right) \quad \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{L} nx\right) \quad L=4$$

$$\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} nx\right) \quad \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} nx\right)$$

Find Fourier series: find relationship between your function and something you already know.

$S_g(t)$



2π periodic

$$S_g(t) = \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_{\substack{k=1 \\ k=\text{odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{\sin(kt)}{k}$$

$$\ddot{x} + 2\dot{x} + 2 = S_g(t)$$

$$\ddot{x} + 2\dot{x} + 2 = \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_{k=\text{odd}} \frac{\sin(kt)}{k}$$

$$\ddot{x} + 2\dot{x} + 2 = \frac{4}{\pi} \frac{\sin(kt)}{k} \rightarrow \ddot{x} + 2\dot{x} + 2 = \frac{4}{\pi} \frac{e^{ikt}}{k}$$

~~(2+2i) = 0~~  
 $\lambda = -1 \pm i$

$p(D)x$  where  $p(D) = D^2 + 2D + 2$

$$\tilde{x} = \frac{4}{\pi n} \frac{e^{ikt}}{p(ik)}$$

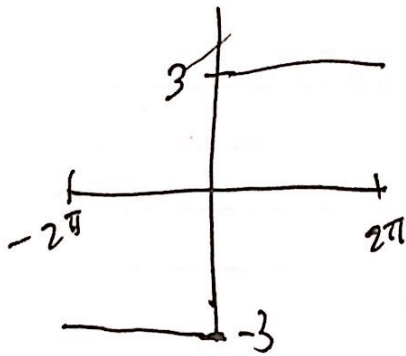
$$\tilde{x} = \frac{4}{\pi k} \frac{e^{ikt}}{(k^2+2)+2ik}$$

$$\frac{4}{\pi k((-k+2)^2+4k^2)} (2\cos(kt) + (2-k^2)\sin(kt))$$

$$= \frac{8}{\pi} \sum_{k=\text{odd}} \frac{1}{k(k^2+2)+4k^2} \cos t$$

$$+ \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_{k=\text{odd}} \frac{2-k^2}{k(k^2+2)+4k^2} \sin t$$

Let  $g(x)$  be the  $4\pi$  periodic function which is 3 from 0 to  $2\pi$  and -3 from  $-2\pi$  to 0.



What is its  $4\pi$  periodic Fourier series?

$2\pi - 1, 2$   
 $3\pi - 1, 2$

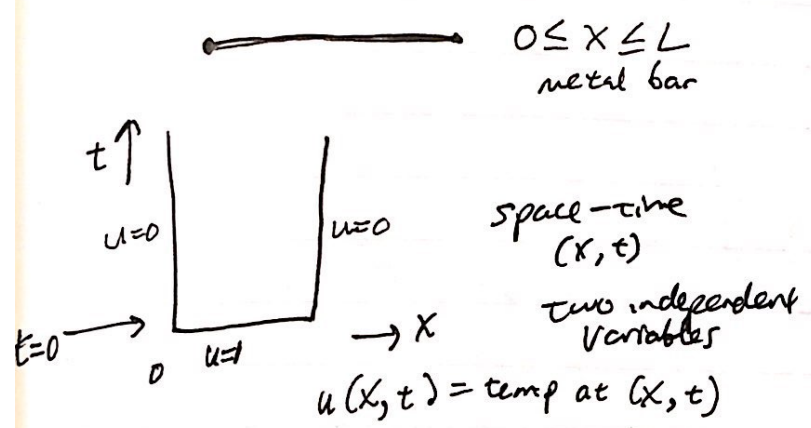
# Lecture 29. Introduction to Partial Differential Equations

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- the heat equation
- separation of variables
- boundary value problems

Hint on P58: try narrower window to get more resonant frequencies

heat equation describes the temperature



initially a temperature 1, ends are plunged into 0. See how rod cools.

Heat equation  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \nu \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$   $\nu$  conductivity constant (diffusion constant)

$u(L/2, t) \sim C e^{-t/\tau}$  ( $t \rightarrow \infty$ )

boundary conditions  $u(x, 0) = 1$   $u(0, t) = 0$   $t > 0$  (left)  $u(L, t) = 0$   $t > 0$  (right)

Newton's law of cooling

Copper choose unit of time  $T=1$  // iron  $T \approx 8$  // concrete  $T \approx 200$

$T$  inversely proportional to the  $\nu$

Also  $c$  is universal  $c \approx 1.3$

$u(x, t) \sim \frac{4}{\pi} \sin(\frac{\pi}{L} x) e^{-t/\tau}$   $t > T$

$x$  fixed

$x = \frac{L}{2} \Rightarrow \frac{\pi x}{L} = \frac{\pi}{2}$   $C = \frac{4}{\pi}$

$\sin$  is the solution to differential equation, which is why it covers up so much.

get rid of this condition

## Separation of Variables

Solve  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$  (set  $\nu=1$  for simplicity) (set  $L=\pi$  for simplicity)

$0 \leq x \leq \pi$   $u(x, 0) = 1$   $u(0, t) = 0$   $u(\pi, t) = 0$   $t > 0$

Fourier's trick

• Abandon one of the conditions: the initial one

• Separation of variables:  $u(x,t) = v(x)w(t)$  ← look first for these solutions

Plug into the PDE

$$v(x) \dot{w}(t) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = v''(x)w(t)$$

$$\frac{\dot{w}(t)}{w(t)} = \frac{v''(x)}{v(x)} \Rightarrow \text{implies both sides are constants} \quad \frac{\dot{w}}{w} = \lambda = \frac{v''(x)}{v(x)} \quad \lambda \text{ constant}$$

$$\frac{\dot{w}}{w} = \lambda \quad \dot{w} = \lambda w$$

$$w(t) = a e^{\lambda t} \quad \rightsquigarrow \lambda = -\frac{1}{T}$$

$$\frac{v''(x)}{v(x)} = \lambda \Leftrightarrow \boxed{v'' = \lambda v} \quad 0 \leq x \leq L$$

boundary conditions  $\boxed{v(0) = v(\pi) = 0}$



Case 0  $\lambda = 0$   $v'' = 0$   $v(x) = ax + b$   $v(0) = v(\pi) = 0 \rightarrow a\pi = 0 \Rightarrow a = 0$   
gives only the boring solution:  $v = 0$   $\rightarrow$  forces  $b = 0$

Case 1  $\lambda > 0$   $v(x) = c_1 e^{\sqrt{\lambda}x} + c_2 e^{-\sqrt{\lambda}x}$   $v(0) = 0 \Rightarrow c_1 + c_2 = 0$   
 $v(\pi) = 0 \Rightarrow c(e^{\sqrt{\lambda}\pi} - e^{-\sqrt{\lambda}\pi})$   
 $v = 0$

Case 2  $\lambda < 0$   $\omega = \sqrt{-\lambda} > 0$

solutions span  $\cos(\omega x), \sin(\omega x)$   $\omega^2 = \lambda$

$$v(x) = a \cos(\omega x) + b \sin(\omega x) \quad v(0) = 0 \Rightarrow 0 = a \overset{\text{cos}}{\cos 0} = a$$

$$\text{Lastly } v(\pi) = 0 \Rightarrow b \sin(\omega\pi) = 0$$

Hence we need  $\omega = 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots$

Solutions  $v_n(x) = \sin(nx)$ , ~~span~~ eigenfunction  $\lambda = -n^2$  eigenvalue

solution (normal modes)

$$\boxed{e^{-n^2 t} \sin(nx)}$$

now we need to go back to  $\psi(x,0) = 1$  (the boundary condition we dropped)

$A\vec{v} = \lambda\vec{v}$  analogy

Important for quantum mechanics

you get discrete numbers as opposed to continuous (?)

$V(x)$  function  $\leftrightarrow$   $\vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} v(x_1) \\ v(x_2) \\ \vdots \\ v(x_n) \end{pmatrix}$

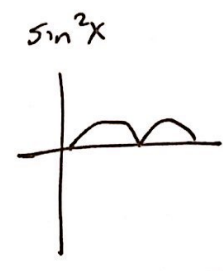
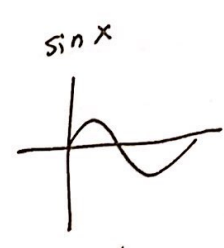
$$\frac{d^2}{dx^2} V = \lambda V$$
$$A\vec{v} = \lambda\vec{v}$$

$$x_k = \frac{k}{N} \pi \quad 1 \leq k \leq N$$

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Rectification

Trick:  
 $\sin^2 x$



Compute the integral

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin^2(x) dx$$

$$\cos(x) = \sin(x + \frac{\pi}{2})$$

$$\cos^2(x) = \sin^2(x + \frac{\pi}{2})$$

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos^2(x) dx = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin^2(x + \frac{\pi}{2}) dx$$

$$u = x + \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$= \int_{-\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}}^{\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^2(u) du$$

$$\int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi} \sin^2(u) du + \int_{-\pi}^{\pi/2} \sin^2(u) du = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin^2(u) du$$

$$= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi} \sin^2 u du + \int_{\pi}^{3\pi/2} \sin^2(u) du$$

$$2 \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin^2 x dx = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin^2(x) dx + \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos^2(x) dx = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} [\sin^2(x) + \cos^2(x)] dx$$

$$= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} 1 dx = 2\pi \Rightarrow \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin^2(x) dx = \pi$$

$$\ddot{x} + 4x = \sin(2t)$$

$$\ddot{x} + 4x = e^{2it}$$

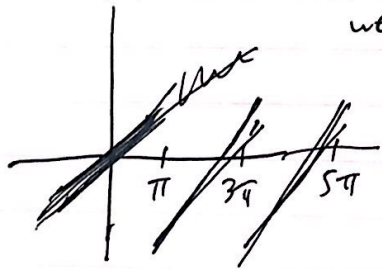
$$P(D) = D^2 + 4$$

$$x = \text{Im}(\tilde{x}) \quad \sin(2t) = \text{Im}(e^{2it})$$

$\frac{e^{2it}}{P(2i)}$  gets 0, so we need to do generalized erf

⇒ since erf doesn't work, the solution is unbounded. We call this resonance

$f(x) = x$  when  $x$  is between  $-\pi$  and  $\pi$   
 we want to make it  $2\pi$  periodic.



← this is an odd function  $f(-x) = -f(x)$

so we have sines in the Fourier series.

$$f(x) = -2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n} \sin(nx)$$

$$\ddot{x} + 4x = f(x)$$

$$\ddot{x} + 4x = -2 \frac{(-1)^n}{n} \sin(nx)$$

→ solutions to this differential equation are unbounded

$x^2 + 10x = f(x)$  resonance frequency =  $i\sqrt{10}$ .

no resonance

because  $f(x)$ 's terms are integers, so there is no  $\sqrt{10}$