

Solution Set #8

5.2.1 Solve the system of ODEs and graph the corresponding direction field and typical solution curves.

$$\begin{aligned}x_1' &= x_1 + 2x_2 \\x_2' &= 2x_1 + x_2\end{aligned}$$

$$\vec{x}' = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1-\lambda & 2 \\ 2 & 1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (1-\lambda)^2 - 4 = \lambda^2 - 2\lambda - 3 \\ = (\lambda-3)(\lambda+1)$$

So, we have eigenvalues $\lambda = 3, -1$ with corresponding eigenvectors

$$\lambda = 3 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} = 3 \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Rightarrow a + 2b &= 3a &\Rightarrow -2a + 2b &= 0 \\ 2a + b &= 3b &2a - 2b &= 0\end{aligned}$$

So, $a = b$ and an eigenvector

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

$$\lambda = -1$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} = - \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{matrix} 2a + 2b = 0 \\ 2a + 2b = 0 \end{matrix} \Rightarrow a = -b$$

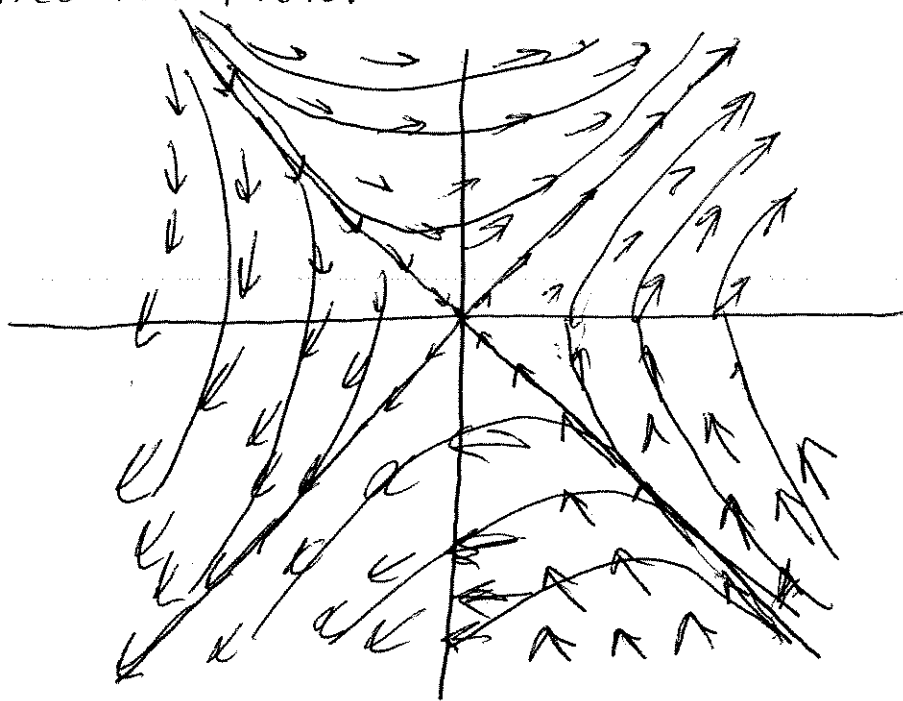
So,

$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ is a working eigenvector.

So, we have general solution

$$x(t) = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{3t} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-t}$$

Direction Field:



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$$\begin{aligned}x_1' &= 2x_1 - 5x_2 \\x_2' &= 4x_1 - 2x_2\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}x_1(0) &= 2 \\x_2(0) &= 3\end{aligned}$$

$$\vec{x}' = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -5 \\ 4 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\begin{vmatrix} 2-\lambda & -5 \\ 4 & -2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} &= \cancel{(2-\lambda)^2 + 20} = \cancel{\lambda^2 + 4\lambda + 6} \\ &= (2-\lambda)(-2-\lambda) + 20 \\ &= -4 + \lambda^2 + 20\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^2 + 16 \Rightarrow \boxed{\lambda = \pm 4i}$$

So, we have complex eigenvalues.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & -5 \\ 4 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a_1 + ib_1 \\ a_2 + ib_2 \end{pmatrix} = 4i \begin{pmatrix} a_1 + ib_1 \\ a_2 + ib_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Rightarrow (2a_1 - 5a_2) + i(2b_1 - 5b_2) &= -4b_1 + i4a_1 \\ (4a_1 - 2a_2) + i(4b_1 - 2b_2) &= -4b_2 + i4a_2\end{aligned}$$

So, we get the relations

$$\begin{aligned}2a_1 - 5a_2 &= -4b_1 \\ 4a_1 - 2a_2 &= -4b_2 \\ 2b_1 - 5b_2 &= 4a_1 \\ 4b_1 - 2b_2 &= 4a_2\end{aligned}$$

One set that works is

$$\begin{aligned}a_1 &= 5 & b_1 &= 5 \\ a_2 &= 6 & b_2 &= -2\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\cancel{2b_1 - 5b_2} - \cancel{2b_1 + b_2} &= -4b_2 \\ \Rightarrow &\end{aligned}$$

So, we get the general solution:

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 \left[\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} \cos(4t) - \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \sin(4t) \right] + c_2 \left[\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \cos(4t) + \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} \sin(4t) \right]$$

$$x_1(0) = 2 \quad x_2(0) = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} 5c_1 + 5c_2 = 2 \\ 6c_1 - 2c_2 = 3 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 30c_1 + 30c_2 = 12 \\ 30c_1 - 10c_2 = 15 \end{cases}$$

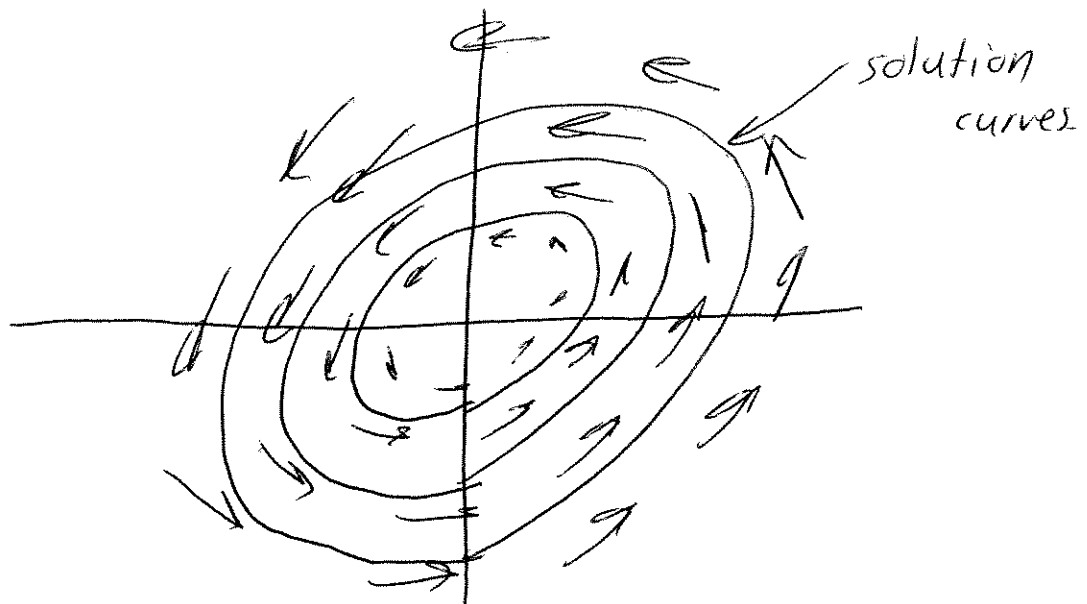
$$\Rightarrow 40c_2 = -3 \quad c_2 = -\frac{3}{40}$$

$$c_1 = \frac{1}{5} \left(2 + \frac{3}{8} \right) = \frac{19}{40}$$

So,

$$\vec{x}(t) = \frac{19}{40} \left[\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} \cos(4t) - \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \sin(4t) \right] - \frac{3}{40} \left[\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \cos(4t) + \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} \sin(4t) \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{x}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \cos(4t) - \frac{11}{4} \sin(4t) \\ 3 \cos(4t) + \frac{1}{2} \sin(4t) \end{pmatrix}$$



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$$\begin{aligned}x_1' &= 7x_1 - 5x_2 \\x_2' &= 4x_1 + 3x_2\end{aligned}$$

$$\vec{x}' = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & -5 \\ 4 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$$

Solving for the eigenvalues:

$$\begin{vmatrix} 7-\lambda & -5 \\ 4 & 3-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (7-\lambda)(3-\lambda) + 20$$

$$= 21 - 10\lambda + \lambda^2 + 20$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^2 - 10\lambda + 41$$

$$\lambda = \frac{10 \pm \sqrt{(-10)^2 - 4(1)(41)}}{2} = 5 \pm 4i$$

So, we want to find an eigenvector:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 7 & -5 \\ 4 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a_1 + ib_1 \\ a_2 + ib_2 \end{pmatrix} = (5 + 4i) \begin{pmatrix} a_1 + ib_1 \\ a_2 + ib_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{aligned} (7a_1 - 5a_2) + i(7b_1 - 5b_2) &= (5a_1 - 4b_1) + i(4a_1 + 5b_1) \\ (4a_1 + 3a_2) + i(4b_1 + 3b_2) &= (5a_2 - 4b_2) + i(4a_2 + 5b_2) \end{aligned}$$

Interestingly enough we see, again, that the set:

$$\begin{aligned} a_1 &= 5 & b_1 &= 5 \\ a_2 &= 6 & b_2 &= -2 \end{aligned}$$

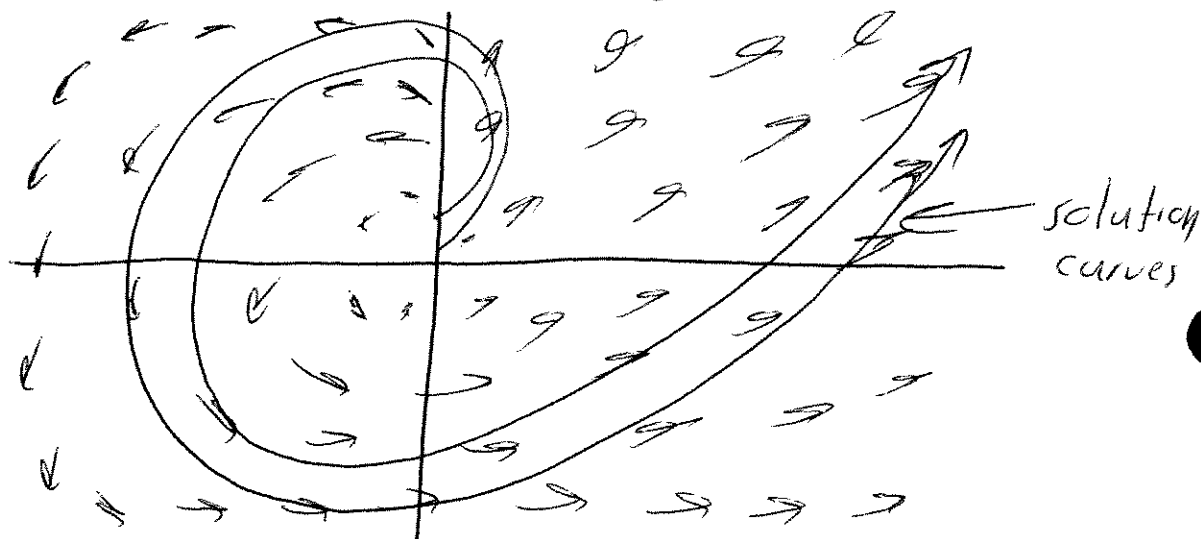
So, we have the solutions:

$$\vec{x}_1(t) = e^{5t} \left[\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} \cos(4t) - \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \sin(4t) \right]$$

$$\vec{x}_2(t) = e^{5t} \left[\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \cos(4t) + \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} \sin(4t) \right]$$

and the general solution:

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 \vec{x}_1(t) + c_2 \vec{x}_2(t)$$



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Solve the system of equations:

$$\begin{aligned}x_1' &= 5x_1 - 6x_3 \\x_2' &= 2x_1 - x_2 - 2x_3 \\x_3' &= 4x_1 - 2x_2 - 4x_3\end{aligned}$$

$$\vec{x}' = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 & -6 \\ 2 & -1 & -2 \\ 4 & -2 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 5-\lambda & 0 & -6 \\ 2 & -1-\lambda & -2 \\ 4 & -2 & -4-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (5-\lambda)[(-1-\lambda)(-4-\lambda)-4] - 6[-4 - (-1-\lambda)4]$$

$$\begin{aligned}&= (5-\lambda)(5\lambda + \lambda^2) + 24 + 24(-1-\lambda) \\&= 25\lambda + 5\lambda^2 - 5\lambda^2 - \lambda^3 - 24\lambda \\&= -\lambda^3 + \lambda = -\lambda(\lambda+1)(\lambda-1)\end{aligned}$$

So, we have eigenvalues $\lambda = 0, -1, 1$.

With associated eigenvectors:

For $\lambda = 0$:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 & -6 \\ 2 & -1 & -2 \\ 4 & -2 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$5a - 6c = 0$$

$$a = 6$$

$$2a - b - 2c = 0$$

$$b = 2$$

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$$4a - 2b - 4c = 0$$

$$c = 5$$

$$\vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

is an associated eigenvector.

For $\lambda = -1$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 & -6 \\ 2 & -1 & -2 \\ 4 & -2 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} = - \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{array}{rcl} 6a & -6c & = 0 & a=2 \\ 2a & -2c & = 0 & b=1 \\ 4a & -2b & -3c & = 0 & c=2 \end{array} \quad \text{works}$$

$\vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ is an associated eigenvector.

For $\lambda = 1$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 & -6 \\ 2 & -1 & -2 \\ 4 & -2 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 4a & -6c & = 0 & a=6 \\ 2a & -2b & -2c & = 0 & b=2 \\ 4a & -2b & -5c & = 0 & c=4 \end{array}$$

$\vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$ is an associated eigenvector.

So, we get the general solution:

$$\vec{X}(t) = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} e^{-t} + c_3 \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} e^t$$

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Find the general solution of the system:

$$\vec{x}' = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 & 0 & 9 \\ 4 & 2 & 0 & -10 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 8 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$$

Finding the eigenvalues:

$$\begin{vmatrix} -2-\lambda & 0 & 0 & 9 \\ 4 & 2-\lambda & 0 & -10 \\ 0 & 0 & -1-\lambda & 8 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1-\lambda \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (-2-\lambda)[(2-\lambda)(-1-\lambda)(1-\lambda)]$$

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

So, we have eigenvalues $\lambda = 1, -1, 2, -2$
with associated eigenvectors:

$$\lambda = 1$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 & 0 & 9 \\ 4 & 2 & 0 & -10 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 8 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a &= 9 \\ b &= -8 \\ c &= 16 \\ d &= 2 \end{aligned} \text{ works, so } \vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ -8 \\ 16 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = -1$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{cccc|c} -2 & 0 & 0 & 9 & a \\ 4 & 2 & 0 & -10 & b \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 8 & c \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & d \end{array} \right) \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{pmatrix} = - \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} a = 0 \\ b = 0 \\ c = 1 \\ d = 0 \end{array} \text{ works so } \vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = 2$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{cccc|c} -2 & 0 & 0 & 9 & a \\ 4 & 2 & 0 & -10 & b \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 8 & c \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & d \end{array} \right) \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{pmatrix} = 2 \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} a = 0 \\ b = 1 \\ c = 0 \\ d = 0 \end{array} \text{ works so } \vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = -2$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{cccc|c} -2 & 0 & 0 & 9 & a \\ 4 & 2 & 0 & -10 & b \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 8 & c \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & d \end{array} \right) \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{pmatrix} = -2 \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} a = 1 \\ b = 0 \\ c = 0 \\ d = 1 \end{array} \text{ works so } \vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

And we have the general solution:

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ -8 \\ 16 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} e^t + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} e^{-t} + c_3 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} e^{2t} + c_4 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} e^{-2t}$$

5.3.1

Find the two natural frequencies of the given system and describe its two natural modes of oscillation.

$$m_1 = m_2 = 1 \quad k_1 = 0, k_2 = 2, k_3 = 0$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1'' \\ x_2'' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{x}'' = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} -2-\lambda & 2 \\ 2 & -2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (-2-\lambda)^2 - 4 = \lambda^2 + 4\lambda$$

$$\lambda = 0, -4$$

with associated eigenvectors:

$$\begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{aligned} -2a + 2b &= 0 & a &= b \text{ so } \vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ works.} \\ 2a - 2b &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda = -4$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} = -4 \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow 2a + 2b &= 0 \\ 2a + 2b &= 0 \end{aligned} \Rightarrow \vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ works.}$$

So, the solution to our ODE is:

$$\vec{x}(t) = a_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + a_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \cos(2t) + b_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \sin(2t)$$

$$\vec{x}(t) = a_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + b_1 t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + a_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \cos(2t) + b_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \sin(2t)$$

The natural ~~frequencies~~ frequencies are $\omega=0$ and $\omega=2$. In the $\omega=0$ frequency it moves linearly in ~~and~~ one direction, while at $\omega=2$ it oscillates in opposite directions with angular frequency $\omega=2$.

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$$\begin{aligned} m_1 &= 1 & k_1 &= 1 \\ m_2 &= 2 & k_2 &= k_3 = 2 \end{aligned}$$

So, we have the system of ODEs:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1'' \\ x_2'' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 2 \\ 2 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\vec{x}'' = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 2 \\ 2 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$$

we get eigenvalues:

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{vmatrix} -3-\lambda & 2 \\ 1 & -2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} &= (3+\lambda)(2+\lambda) - 2 \\ &= 6 + 5\lambda + \lambda^2 - 2 = \lambda^2 + 5\lambda + 4 \end{aligned}$$

$\lambda = -1, -4$ with eigenvectors

$$\begin{pmatrix} -3 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} = - \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cancel{-4a + 2b} &= 0 & -2a + 2b &= 0 & a &= b \\ \cancel{a - 3b} &= 0 & a - b &= 0 & & \end{aligned}$$

So,

$$v = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ works.}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -3 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} = -4 \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{aligned} a+2b &= 0 & 2a &= -b \\ a+2b &= 0 & & \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So, } \vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \text{ works}$$

So, the general solution is:

$$\vec{x}(t) = a_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cos t + b_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \sin t + a_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \cos(2t) + b_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \sin(2t)$$

The two natural frequencies are $\omega=1$ and $\omega=2$. At $\omega=2$ they oscillate in opposite directions with m_2 moving twice as far as m_1 . At $\omega=1$ they oscillate in the same direction with the same amplitude.

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$$m_1 = m_2 = 1 \quad k_1 = 2, \quad k_2 = 1, \quad k_3 = 2$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1'' \\ x_2'' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\vec{x}'' = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$$

this has eigenvalues:

$$\begin{vmatrix} -3-\lambda & 1 \\ 1 & -3-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (3+\lambda)^2 - 1 = \lambda^2 + 6\lambda + 8 \\ = (\lambda+4)(\lambda+2)$$

So, we have eigenvalues $\lambda = -2, -4$.

The associated eigenvectors are:

$$\begin{pmatrix} -3 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} = -2 \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} -a + b &= 0 \Rightarrow a = b \\ a - b &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad \vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ works}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -3 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} = -4 \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a + b &= 0 \Rightarrow a = -b \\ a + b &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad \vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ works}$$

So, we get the general solution:

$$\vec{x}(t) = a_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cos(\sqrt{2}t) + b_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \sin(\sqrt{2}t) + a_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \cos(2t) + b_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \sin(2t)$$

So, the natural frequencies are $\omega = \sqrt{2}$ and $\omega = 2$. At $\omega = \sqrt{2}$ the masses oscillate in the same direction with the same ~~frequency~~^{amplitude}. At $\omega = 2$ the masses oscillate in opposite directions but with the same amplitude.

5.3.9

The mass and spring system in problem 3 is set in motion from rest ($x_1'(0) = x_2'(0) = 0$) in its equilibrium position ($x_1(0) = x_2(0) = 0$) with the external forces $F_1(t) = 0$ and $F_2(t) = 120 \cos(3t)$ acting on the masses m_1 and m_2 , respectively. Find the resulting motion and describe it as a superposition of oscillations at three different frequencies.

We get the system of ODEs:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}'' = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 2 \\ 2 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 120 \end{pmatrix} \cos(3t)$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{x}'' = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 60 \end{pmatrix} \cos(3t)$$

a particular solution to this ODE is:

$$\vec{x}_p = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix} \cos(3t)$$

$$\vec{X}_p'' = -9 \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix} \cos(3t)$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix} \cos(3t) + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 60 \end{pmatrix} \cos(3t)$$

So,

$$\begin{aligned} -9c_1 &= -3c_1 + 2c_2 \\ -9c_2 &= c_1 - 2c_2 + 60 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{aligned} 6c_1 + 2c_2 &= 0 \\ c_1 + 7c_2 + 60 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{3}c_2 + 7c_2 + 60 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{20}{3}c_2 = -60 \Rightarrow c_2 = -9 \quad c_1 = 3$$

So,

$$\vec{X}(t) = a_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cos(t) + b_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \sin(t) + a_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \cos(2t) + b_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \sin(2t) + \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -9 \end{pmatrix} \cos(3t)$$

This is a superposition of oscillations with frequencies $\omega=1$, $\omega=2$, and $\omega=3$.

Now, using our initial conditions

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 + a_2 + 3 \\ a_1 - 2a_2 - 9 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} &\cancel{a_1 = 3}, \cancel{a_2 = 6} \\ &a_1 = 1, a_2 = -4 \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 + 2b_2 \\ b_1 - 4b_2 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow b_1 = b_2 = 0.$$

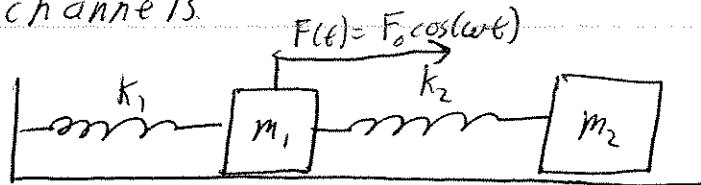
So, our final solution is:

~~$$\vec{x}(t) = 3 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cos(t) - 6 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cos(2t) + \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix} \cos(3t)$$~~

$$\vec{x}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cos(t) - 4 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \cos(2t) + \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -9 \end{pmatrix} \cos(3t)$$

5.3.14

In the system below assume that $m_1=1$, $k_1=50$, $k_2=10$, and $F_0=9$ in mks units, and that $\omega=10$. Then find m_2 so that in the resulting steady periodic oscillations, the mass m_1 will remain at rest (!). Thus the effect of the second mass-and-spring pair will be to neutralize the effect of ~~the~~ the force on the first mass. This is an example of a dynamic damper. It has an electrical analogy that some cable companies use to prevent your reception of certain cable channels.



We want to find the appropriate particular solution \vec{x}_p :

$$\vec{x}_p = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix} \cos(10t)$$

for the ODE:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & m_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1'' \\ x_2'' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -60 & 10 \\ 10 & -10 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cos(10t)$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{x}'' = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{m_2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -60 & 10 \\ 10 & -10 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x} + \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cos(10t)$$

~~$$\vec{x}'' = \begin{pmatrix} -60 + \frac{10}{m_2} \end{pmatrix}$$~~

$$\Rightarrow \vec{x}'' = \begin{pmatrix} -60 & 10 \\ \frac{10}{m_2} & -\frac{10}{m_2} \end{pmatrix} \vec{x} + \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cos(10t)$$

So, plugging in \vec{x}_p :

$$-100 \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix} \cos(10t) = \begin{pmatrix} -60 & 10 \\ \frac{10}{m_2} & -\frac{10}{m_2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix} \cos(10t) + \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cos(10t)$$

So, we get the relations:

$$-100c_1 = -60c_1 + 10c_2 + 5$$

$$-100c_2 = \frac{10}{m_2}c_1 - \frac{10}{m_2}c_2$$

Now, we want $c_1 = 0$. If this is the case then $c_2 = -\frac{1}{2}$ and $\boxed{m_2 = 1}$

So, for $c_1 = 0$ (x_p has no movement of m_1) then $m_2 = 1$.

5.4.1. Find a general solution to the system of equations and graph (for problem 1) the direction field and corresponding solution curves.

$$\vec{x}' = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ -1 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$$

The system has eigenvalues:

$$\begin{vmatrix} -2-\lambda & 1 \\ -1 & -4-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (2+\lambda)(4+\lambda) + 1 \\ = \lambda^2 + 6\lambda + 9 = (\lambda+3)^2$$

So, we have eigenvalue $\lambda = -3$.

We want a vector \vec{v}_2 such that:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}^2 \vec{v}_2 = 0$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \vec{v}_2 = \vec{v}_1 \neq 0.$$

Now,

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

So, if we take $\vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

we get

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

and the corresponding solutions:

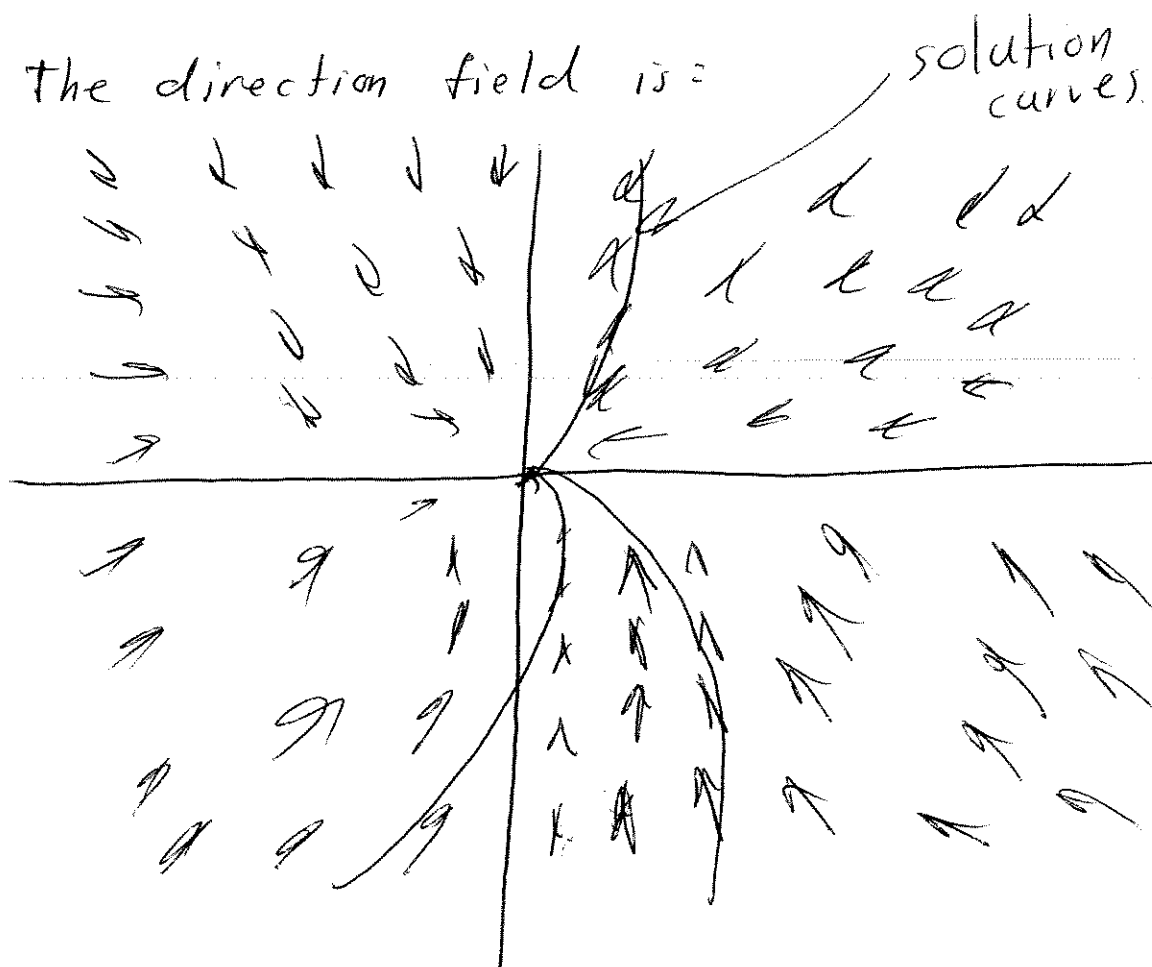
$$\vec{x}_1(t) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-3t}$$

$$\vec{x}_2(t) = \left[\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} t + \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right] e^{-3t}$$

So, the general solution is:

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-3t} + c_2 \left[\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} t + \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right] e^{-3t}$$

The direction field is:



5.4.8.

$$\vec{x}' = \begin{pmatrix} 25 & 12 & 0 \\ -18 & -5 & 0 \\ 6 & 6 & 13 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$$

the characteristic equation is:

$$\begin{aligned} & (13 - \lambda) [(25 - \lambda)(-5 - \lambda) - (12)(-18)] \\ &= (13 - \lambda) (\lambda^2 - 20\lambda + 91) \\ &= -(\lambda - 13)^2 (\lambda - 7) \quad \text{So, eigenvalues: } \lambda = 7, \lambda = 13 \end{aligned}$$

For $\lambda = 7$ we have the eigenvector:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 25 & 12 & 0 \\ -18 & -5 & 0 \\ 6 & 6 & 13 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} = 7 \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \quad & 18a + 12b = 0 & a = 2 \\ & -18a - 12b = 0 & b = -3 \quad \text{works} \\ & 6a + 6b + 6c = 0 & c = 1 \end{aligned}$$

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

~~as for $\lambda = 13$ we must find two vectors satisfying:~~

$$\begin{aligned} & \cancel{(A - \lambda I)^2 \vec{v}_2 = 0} \\ & \cancel{(A - \lambda I) \vec{v}_2 = \vec{v}_1 \neq 0} \end{aligned}$$

Now, for $\lambda = 13$ we have eigenvectors

$$\begin{pmatrix} 12 & 12 & 0 \\ -18 & -18 & 0 \\ 6 & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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

both work! so, our general solution is:

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{7t} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} e^{13t} + c_3 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{13t}$$

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$$\vec{x}' = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -9 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} -2-\lambda & -9 & 0 \\ 1 & 4-\lambda & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (1-\lambda) [(-2-\lambda)(4-\lambda) + 9]$$

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

So, we have the eigenvalue $\lambda = 1$ which has order 3.

So, we have the eigenvector equation:

$$\begin{pmatrix} -3 & -9 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

we get two linearly independent eigenvectors
 $\vec{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ $\vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ for example

Now, one must be "defective" and I'll bet it's the first. So, we get:

$$\begin{pmatrix} -3 & -9 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -3 & -9 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

So, any vector works as long as

$$\begin{pmatrix} -3 & -9 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \vec{v}_2 \neq 0.$$

Take $\vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ then

$$\vec{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & -9 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

So, we get the general solution:

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^t + c_2 \left[\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} t + \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right] e^t + c_3 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^t$$

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$$\vec{x}' = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 17 & 4 \\ -1 & 6 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$$

with eigenvalues (given in problem) $\lambda = 2, 2, 2$.

So, we have the eigenvector equation:

$$(A - \lambda I) = \begin{pmatrix} -4 & 17 & 4 \\ -1 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \left| \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} \right. = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Eigenvectors that work are:

$$\vec{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and that's it!}$$

So, we take:

$$\begin{pmatrix} -4 & 17 & 4 \\ -1 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -4 & 17 & 4 \\ -1 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 4 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = (A - \lambda I)^2$$

Now,

$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 4 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -4 & 17 & 4 \\ -1 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

So, any vector \vec{v}_3 that satisfies

$$(A - \lambda I)^2 \vec{v}_3 \neq 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \cancel{(A - \lambda I)}$$

will work. Take $\vec{v}_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

we then get:

$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 4 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \vec{v}_1$$

and

$$\begin{pmatrix} -4 & 17 & 4 \\ -1 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \vec{v}_2$$

So, we get solutions:

$$\vec{x}_1(t) = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} e^{2t}$$

$$\vec{x}_2(t) = \left[\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} t + \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right] e^{2t}$$

$$\vec{x}_3(t) = \left[\frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} t^2 + \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} t + \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right] e^{2t}$$

So, our general solution is:

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} e^{2t} + c_2 \left[\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} t + \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right] e^{2t} + c_3 \left[\frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} t^2 + \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} t + \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right] e^{2t}$$

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The characteristic equation of the coefficient matrix A of the system

$$\vec{x}' = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -4 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$$

is

$$\phi(\lambda) = (\lambda^2 - 6\lambda + 25)^2 = 0$$

Therefore, A has the repeated complex conjugate pair $3 \pm 4i$ of eigenvalues. First show that the complex vectors

$$\vec{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ i \end{pmatrix}$$

Note: There is a typo in the book! The top entry here should be 0, not 1!

form a length 2 chain $\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2\}$ associated with the eigenvalue $\lambda = 3 - 4i$. Then calculate the real and imaginary parts of the complex-valued solutions $\vec{v}_1 e^{\lambda t}$ and $(\vec{v}_1 + \vec{v}_2) e^{\lambda t}$

to find four independent real-valued solutions of $\vec{x}' = A\vec{x}$.

First, we verify it's a chain:

$$(A - \lambda I) = \begin{pmatrix} 4i & -4 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 4i & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 4i & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & 4i \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(A - \lambda I)\vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 4i & -4 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 4i & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 4i & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & 4i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ i \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \vec{v}_1$$

$$(A - \lambda I)\vec{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 4i & -4 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 4i & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 4i & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & 4i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

So, it's a chain.

So, we have solutions:

$$\vec{x}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} e^{(3-4i)t} \quad \vec{x}_2 = \left[\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} t + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ i \end{pmatrix} \right] e^{(3-4i)t}$$

Breaking this up into its real and complex parts we get:

$$e^{(3-4i)t} = e^{3t} (\cos(4t) - i\sin(4t))$$

$$\operatorname{Re}(\vec{x}_1) = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(4t) \\ \sin(4t) \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} e^{3t}$$

$$\operatorname{Im}(\vec{x}_1) = \begin{pmatrix} -\sin(4t) \\ \cos(4t) \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} e^{3t}$$

$$\operatorname{Re}(\vec{x}_2) = \begin{pmatrix} t\cos(4t) \\ t\sin(4t) \\ \cos(4t) \\ \sin(4t) \end{pmatrix} e^{3t}$$

$$\operatorname{Im}(\vec{x}_2) = \begin{pmatrix} -t\sin(4t) \\ t\cos(4t) \\ -\sin(4t) \\ \cos(4t) \end{pmatrix} e^{3t}$$

So, our final solution is:

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} \cos(4t) \\ \sin(4t) \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} e^{3t} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} -\sin(4t) \\ \cos(4t) \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} e^{3t} \\ + c_3 \begin{pmatrix} t \cos(4t) \\ t \sin(4t) \\ \cos(4t) \\ \sin(4t) \end{pmatrix} e^{3t} + c_4 \begin{pmatrix} -t \sin(4t) \\ t \cos(4t) \\ -\sin(4t) \\ \cos(4t) \end{pmatrix} e^{3t}$$