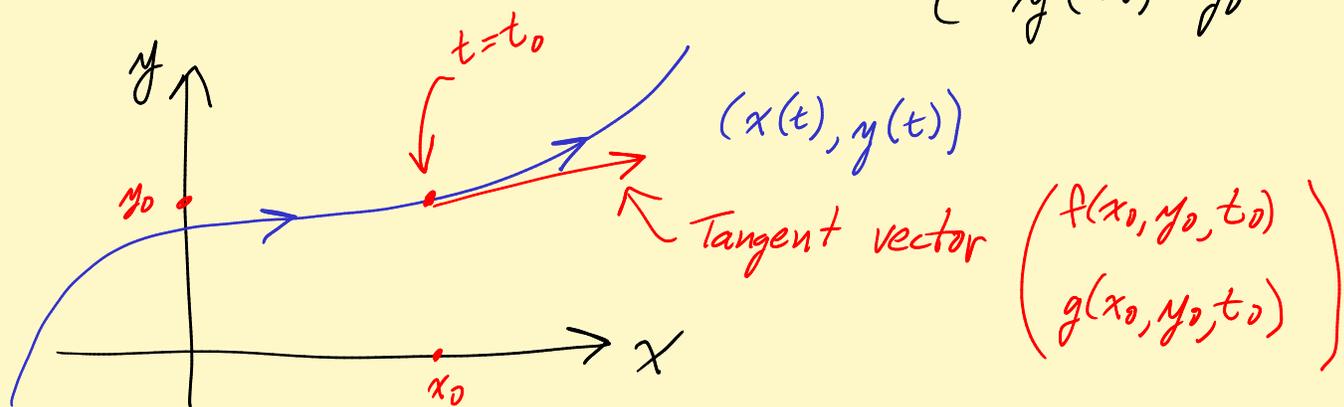


(*)
$$\begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt} = f(x, y, t) \\ \frac{dy}{dt} = g(x, y, t) \end{cases}$$
 Want fncs $x(t), y(t)$.
I.V.P.
$$\begin{cases} x(t_0) = x_0 \\ y(t_0) = y_0 \end{cases}$$



E₁U Thm: If f, g and their first partial derivatives are continuous on 3-D rectangle (x, y, t) containing (x_0, y_0, t_0) , then solutions to (*) exist on interval $(t_0 - \delta, t_0 + \delta)$ and the solⁿ to the IVP is unique. ($\delta > 0$ might be small)

Linear systems

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt} = p_{11}(t)x + p_{12}(t)y + q_1(t) \\ \frac{dy}{dt} = p_{21}(t)x + p_{22}(t)y + q_2(t) \end{cases}$$

homogeneous \rightarrow (points to the left side of the system)

non-homog. (points to the right side of the system)

$$\text{IVP } \begin{cases} x(t_0) = x_0 \\ y(t_0) = y_0 \end{cases}$$

Improved $E \dot{=} U$ thm Solⁿ exists and is unique
on largest interval where all p 's are continuous.

EX Linear first order 2×2 homogeneous system
with constant coeff.

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dx_1}{dt} = 5x_1 - x_2 & (A) \\ \frac{dx_2}{dt} = 3x_1 + x_2 & (B) \end{cases}$$

Note $x_1 \equiv 0, x_2 \equiv 0$ clearly is a solⁿ.

It is the unique solⁿ with $\begin{cases} x(0) = 0 \\ y(0) = 0 \end{cases}$.

Method of elimination Solve (A) for x_2 .

Plug what you get into (B). Get 2nd order
linear ODE in x_1 with const. coeff. Solve it.

$$\text{Get } x_1 = c_1 e^{r_1 t} + c_2 e^{r_2 t}.$$

Plug into $x_2 = \dots$ eqn, get

$$x_2 = c_1 A_1 e^{r_1 t} + c_2 A_2 e^{r_2 t}$$

Notation: $\vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_1 A_1 \end{pmatrix} e^{r_1 t} + \begin{pmatrix} c_2 \\ c_2 A_2 \end{pmatrix} e^{r_2 t}$

$$\vec{x} = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ A_1 \end{pmatrix} e^{r_1 t} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ A_2 \end{pmatrix} e^{r_2 t}$$

Ques What are r 's and vectors $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ A_1 \end{pmatrix}$, $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ A_2 \end{pmatrix}$?

Ans Eigenvalues and eigenvectors of the obvious 2×2 matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

$$\begin{cases} x_1' = 5x_1 - x_2 \\ x_2' = 3x_1 + x_2 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}' = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

\uparrow
 \vec{x}

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

Big idea Try solⁿs of form $\vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \end{pmatrix} e^{rt} = \vec{a} e^{rt}$ 4

$$\begin{cases} x_1 = a_1 e^{rt} \\ x_2 = a_2 e^{rt} \end{cases}$$

Want

$$\begin{cases} \frac{d}{dt}(a_1 e^{rt}) = 5a_1 e^{rt} - a_2 e^{rt} \\ \frac{d}{dt}(a_2 e^{rt}) = 3a_1 e^{rt} + a_2 e^{rt} \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} r a_1 e^{rt} = 5a_1 e^{rt} - a_2 e^{rt} \\ r a_2 e^{rt} = 3a_1 e^{rt} + a_2 e^{rt} \end{cases}$$

Cancel e^{rt} 's!

$$\begin{cases} r a_1 = 5a_1 - a_2 \\ r a_2 = 3a_1 + a_2 \end{cases}$$

$$\vec{x} = \vec{a} e^{rt}$$

$$(\vec{a} e^{rt})' = A \vec{a} e^{rt}$$

$$r \vec{a} e^{rt} = A \vec{a} e^{rt}$$

$$r \vec{a} = A \vec{a}$$

\uparrow eigenvalue \uparrow \vec{a} eigenvector

Don't want all the a 's to be zero. (We know the zero solⁿ.)

$$\begin{cases} 0 = (5-r)a_1 - a_2 \\ 0 = 3a_1 + (1-r)a_2 \end{cases}$$

$$\vec{0} = \begin{bmatrix} 5-r & -1 \\ 3 & 1-r \end{bmatrix} \vec{a}$$

$$(A - rI) \vec{a} = \vec{0}$$

Hmmm. Cramer's rule:

$$a_1 = \frac{\det \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1-r \end{bmatrix}}{\det \begin{bmatrix} 5-r & -1 \\ 3 & 1-r \end{bmatrix}} = 0$$

$$a_2 = \frac{\det \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}}{\det \begin{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix}} = 0$$

To get a non-zero \vec{a} , Cramer's has to bomb!

Must have

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} 5-r & -1 \\ 3 & 1-r \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\det (A - rI) = 0$$

Need $(5-r)(1-r) + 3 = 0$

$$r^2 - 6r + 8 = 0$$

$$(r-4)(r-2) = 0$$

$r = 2, 4$ eigenvalues.

Next, find eigenvectors for each r .

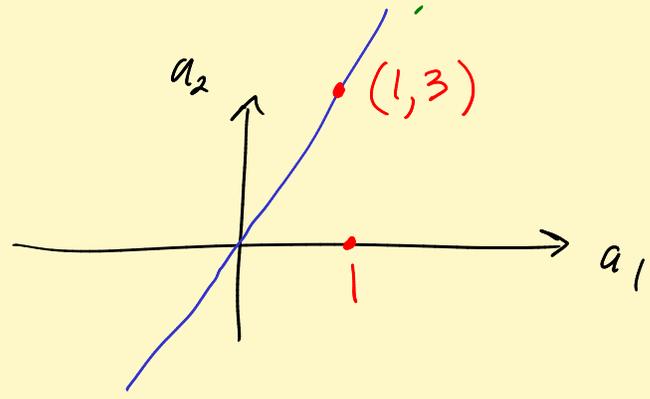
For $r=2$ $(A - rI)\vec{a} = \vec{0}$
 \uparrow
 $r=2$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5-2 & -1 \\ 3 & 1-2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \end{pmatrix} = \vec{0}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \end{pmatrix} = \vec{0}$$

One eqn in two unknowns! $3a_1 - a_2 = 0$

$$a_2 = 3a_1$$



Lots of non-zero vector solⁿs!
Pick a nice one.

Nice one: $\vec{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$.

Found solⁿ $\vec{x} = \vec{a} e^{rt} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} e^{2t}$

$$\begin{cases} x_1 = e^{2t} \\ x_2 = 3e^{2t} \end{cases} \quad \checkmark$$

For $r=4$: Get $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{4t}$

Superposition principle If \vec{x}_1 and \vec{x}_2 solve a linear homog system, so do linear combos.

$$\text{So } c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} e^{2t} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{4t}$$

looks like the gen^l solⁿ. Is it?

$E \hat{=} \bar{U}$ Thm: Can I solve any and all IVPs?

$$\begin{cases} x_1(0) = A \\ x_2(0) = B \end{cases}$$

$$c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} e^{2 \cdot 0} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{4 \cdot 0} = \begin{pmatrix} A \\ B \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{want}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} A \\ B \end{pmatrix}$$

Cramer's rule

$$\det = 1 \cdot 1 - 3 \cdot 1 = -2 \neq 0$$

Yes! Can solve all IVPs!