

# Lecture 26 Complex eigenvalues 5.2 (part 2)

MyLab HW 25  
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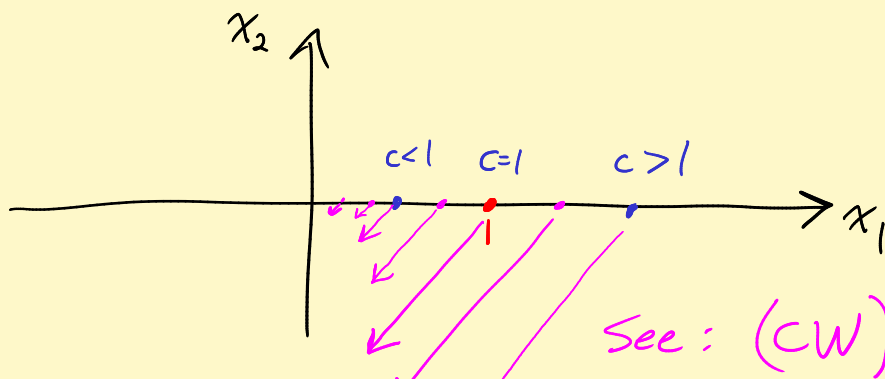
Last time: 
$$\begin{cases} \frac{dx_1}{dt} = -2x_1 + 2x_2 \\ \frac{dx_2}{dt} = -2x_1 - 2x_2 \end{cases} \quad \vec{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ -2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x}$$

E. vals:  $r = -2 \pm 2i$  Complex e. vect for  $r = -2 + 2i$ ;  $\vec{q} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{pmatrix}$

Complex sol<sup>n</sup>:  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{pmatrix} e^{(-2+2i)t}$  
$$\vec{x} = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} \cos 2t \\ -\sin 2t \end{pmatrix} e^{-2t} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} \sin 2t \\ \cos 2t \end{pmatrix} e^{-2t}$$

Spirals in. Clockwise (CW) or Counterclockwise? (CCW)

Plan: Test direction field:  $\vec{x}' = A\vec{x}$  along  $\mathbb{R}^+$ .



$$\vec{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ -2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} c = \begin{pmatrix} -2c \\ -2c \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow \text{downward since negative}$$

Spiral rule

negative: CW  
positive: CCW

In vs. Out?

EX: Complex sol<sup>n</sup>  $\begin{pmatrix} 3+4i \\ 5+6i \end{pmatrix} e^{(2+3i)t}$  e.val  $2+3i$   
e.vect  $\begin{pmatrix} 3+4i \\ 5+6i \end{pmatrix}$

Getting real sol<sup>n</sup>s

$$\left[ \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} i \right] (e^{2t} \cos 3t + i e^{2t} \sin 3t)$$

$$= \left[ \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} e^{2t} \cos 3t + \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} e^{2t} \sin 3t \right] + i \left[ \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} e^{2t} \sin 3t + \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} e^{2t} \cos 3t \right]$$

$\vec{x}_1$                        $\vec{x}_2$

Spirals out because of  $e^{2t}$ .

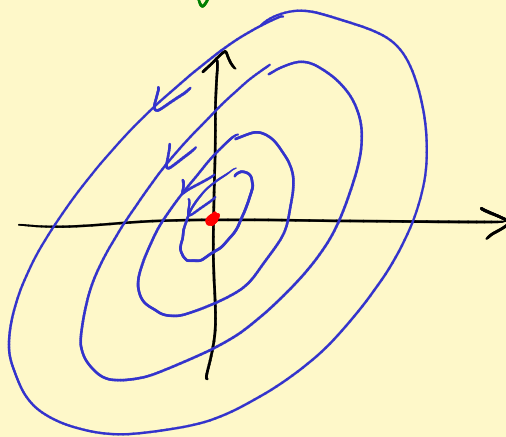
Fact Complex e.vals  $r = a \pm bi$

$a > 0$  Spirals out (Unstable "source")

$a < 0$  Spirals in (Asymptotically stable "sink")

$a = 0$  "Center" (Stable, but not asymp. stable)

Fact:  $r = \pm bi$  is a "center". Trajectories in the "phase plane" are ellipses.



3x3 system

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dx_1}{dt} = 4x_2 \\ \frac{dx_2}{dt} = -x_1 \\ \frac{dx_3}{dt} = x_1 + 4x_2 - x_3 \end{cases}$$

3x3 linear homog system  
with const coeff

$$\vec{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 4 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x} \quad \vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Try  $\vec{x} = \vec{a} e^{rt}$ . Need  $\det(A - rI) = 0$  #1

$$(A - rI)\vec{a} = \vec{0} \quad \#2$$

#1

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} 0-r & 4 & 0 \\ -1 & 0-r & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & -1-r \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} + & - & + \\ - & + & - \\ + & - & + \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= (+1) \cdot 0 \cdot \det \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -r \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} + (-1) \cdot 0 \cdot \det \begin{bmatrix} -r & 4 \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} + (+1) \cdot (-1-r) \det \begin{bmatrix} -r & 4 \\ -1 & -r \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= (-1-r) [r^2 + 4] = -(r+1)(r^2 + 4) = 0$$

e. vals  $r = -1, \pm 2i$

For  $r = -1$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0-(-1) & 4 & 0 & | & 0 \\ -1 & 0-(-1) & 0 & | & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & -1-(-1) & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 0 & | & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Bound

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} R1 \\ R2 + R1 \\ R3 - R1 \end{array}$$

 $\uparrow$   
 $a_1$  bound

 $\uparrow$   
 $a_2$  bound

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 $a_3$  free var

Let  $a_3 = c$ .

$a_1 + 4a_2 = 0$   $a_1 = 0$  too

$5a_2 = 0$   $a_2 = 0$

$$\vec{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} c, \quad c \neq 0.$$

Take  $c=1$ . Get  $\vec{x}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-t}$

For  $r = 2i$ 

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0-2i & 4 & 0 & | & 0 \\ -1 & 0-2i & 0 & | & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & -1-2i & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2i & 0 & | & 0 \\ -1 & -2i & 0 & | & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & -1-2i & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad R1 / (-2i)$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2i & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4-2i & -1-2i & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R3 - R1 \\ R2 - R1 \end{array}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2i & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -i/2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] R2 / (4-2i)$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -i/2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] R1 - 2i R2$$

↑ free

$$a_1 = a_3$$

$$a_2 = \frac{i}{2} a_3$$

Let  $a_3 = c$ .

$$\begin{cases} a_1 = a_3 = c \\ a_2 = \frac{i}{2} a_3 = \frac{i}{2} c \\ a_3 = c \end{cases}$$

$$\vec{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i/2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} c$$

Hmmm. Take  $c=2$  to clear fraction.

$$\text{Get } \vec{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ i \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$