

Find eigenvector for $\lambda_2 = -1$

$$\text{Find } \underline{v} = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Solve: } (\underline{A} - \lambda_2 \underline{I}) \underline{v}^{(2)} = \underline{0}$$

$$\underline{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$v_1 + v_2 = 0$$

$$3v_1 + 3v_2 = 0$$

$$v_2 = -v_1$$

one unique eqn
2 unknowns

here v_1 is a free variable

$$\underline{v}^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ -v_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Fundamental solution

$$\underline{x}^{(2)} = e^{\lambda_2 t} \underline{v}^{(2)} = e^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Use the Principle of Superposition to find the general soln:

$$\underline{x}(t) = C_1 \underline{x}^{(1)}(t) + C_2 \underline{x}^{(2)}(t)$$

$$\underline{x}(t) = C_1 e^{3t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} + C_2 e^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

II. Graphical Interpretation:

eigenvalues

$$\lambda_1 = 3$$

$$\lambda_2 = -1$$

eigenvectors

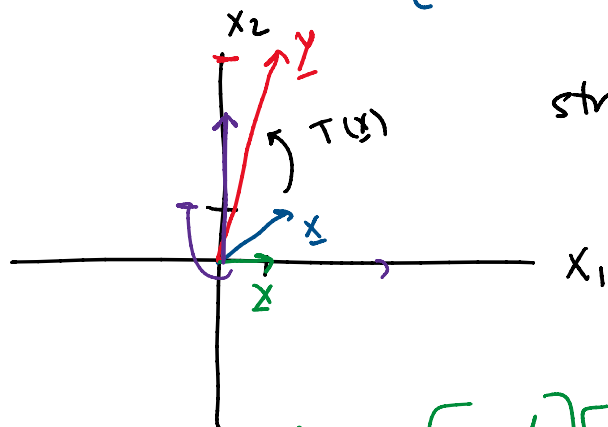
$$\underline{v}^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underline{v}^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Think of $T(\underline{x}) = \underline{A}\underline{x}$ as transformation

$$\underline{x} \longrightarrow \boxed{T(\underline{x})} \longrightarrow \underline{y} = \underline{A}\underline{x}$$

$$\underline{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \underline{y} = \underline{A}\underline{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$



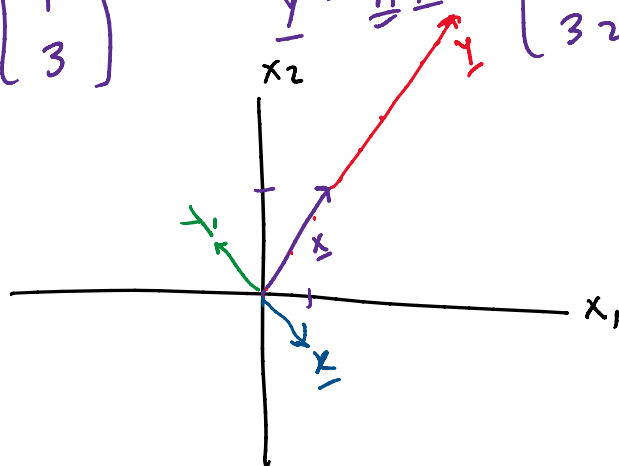
stretches and rotates the vector $\underline{x}$

$$\underline{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \underline{y} = \underline{A}\underline{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$T(\underline{x})$ stretches + rotates $\underline{x}$

Q: what happens if $\underline{x} = \underline{v}^{(1)}$ eigenvector?

$$\underline{x} = \underline{v}^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \underline{y} = \underline{A}\underline{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = 3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix}$$



$\underline{A}\underline{v}^{(1)} = 3\underline{v}^{(1)}$
T stretches by +3
no rotation

$$\underline{x} = \underline{v}^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underline{y} = \underline{A}\underline{x} = -1 \underline{v}^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Edit: $\underline{A}(e^{\lambda t} \underline{v}^{(1)}) = e^{\lambda t} (\lambda_1 \underline{v}^{(1)})$

In terms of the ODE
 $\underline{x}^{(1)}(t) = e^{3t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$

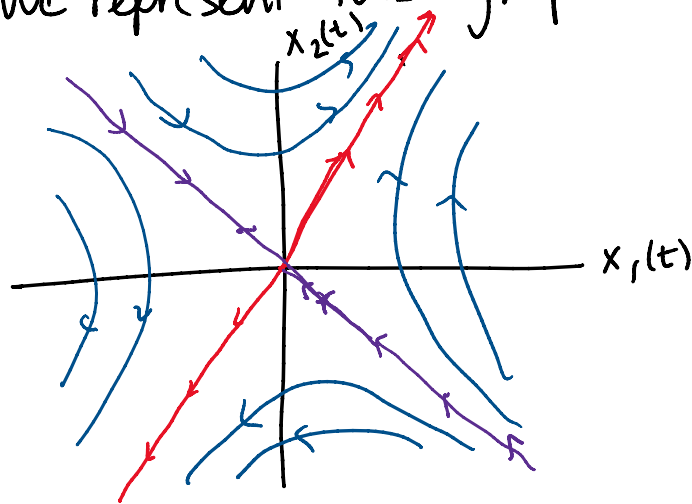
$$\frac{d\underline{x}^{(1)}}{dt} = \underline{A}\underline{x}^{(1)} = \lambda_1 \underline{x}^{(1)}$$

... curves grow ...

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

$\frac{d\underline{x}}{dt} = \underline{A}\underline{x}$
 solution curves grow exponentially along $\underline{v}^{(1)}$

We represent this graphically in a phase portrait



$$\frac{d\underline{x}^{(2)}}{dt} = \underline{A}\underline{x}^{(2)} = \lambda_2 \underline{x}^{(2)}$$

Saddle point

solution curves decay exponentially to origin along $\underline{v}^{(2)}$

$$\underline{x}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{plotting } x_1(t) \text{ vs } x_2(t)$$

III. Eigenvalue Method:

Given $\underline{x}' = \underline{A}\underline{x}$

($\underline{A}$ is $n \times n$ matrix)

0. Guess $\underline{x} = e^{\lambda t} \underline{v}$, plug into ODE to obtain
 $\underline{A}\underline{v} = \lambda \underline{v}$

1. Find n eigenvalues $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n$
 by solving $\det(\underline{A} - \lambda \underline{I}) = 0$

2. For each λ_i find the corresponding eigenvector $\underline{v}^{(i)}$
 solve $(\underline{A} - \lambda_i \underline{I}) \underline{v}^{(i)} = \underline{0}$

3. General solution is:

$$\underline{x}(t) = c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} \underline{v}^{(1)} + c_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} \underline{v}^{(2)} + \dots + c_n e^{\lambda_n t} \underline{v}^{(n)}$$

4. Plug in initial condition $\underline{x}(0) = \underline{x}_0$
solve for $c_1, \dots, c_n$

$$\det(\underline{A} - \lambda \underline{I}) = 0$$

$$a\lambda^2 + b\lambda + c = 0$$

$$\text{roots } \lambda = a \pm bi$$

$\underline{A}$ is 2×2

Q: What happens if λ are complex valued

IV. Complex Eigenvalues:

Ex: $\underline{x}' = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \underline{x}$

1. eigenvalues $\det(\underline{A} - \lambda \underline{I}) = 0$

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

$$\sqrt{(1-\lambda)^2} = \sqrt{-1}$$

$$1-\lambda = \pm i$$

$$\boxed{\lambda = 1 \pm i}$$

NOTE: complex eigenvalues always appear in conjugate pairs

2. eigenvectors:

$$\boxed{\lambda_1 = 1+i}$$

$$(\underline{A} - \lambda \underline{I}) \underline{v} = \underline{0}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1-(1+i) & 1 \\ -1 & 1-(1+i) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -i & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow -iv_1 + v_2 = 0$$

$$v_2 = iv_1$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -i & 1 \\ -1 & -i \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{aligned} -i v_1 + v_2 &= 0 \\ v_2 &= i v_1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} -v_1 - i v_2 &= 0 \\ -v_1 &= i v_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$i v_1 = (-i)(-v_1) = -\frac{v_1}{i} = v_2$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{i} = -i\right)$$

v_1 is a free variable, choose $v_1 = 1$

$$\underline{v}^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ i v_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\boxed{\lambda_2 = 1 - i}$$

$$(A - \lambda_2 I) \underline{v}^{(2)} = \underline{0}$$

$$\underline{v}^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{bmatrix}$$

eigenvectors
are
conjugate pairs

Fundamental solutions:

$$\underline{x}^{(1)} = e^{(1+i)t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{bmatrix}, \quad \underline{x}^{(2)} = e^{(1-i)t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{bmatrix}$$

one general solution

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

WANT: Real-valued solution

Find a set of fundamental solns $\hat{\underline{x}}^{(1)}$ and $\hat{\underline{x}}^{(2)}$ that are real-valued.

Euler's formula $e^{it} = \cos(t) + i \sin(t)$

$$\underline{x}^{(1)} = e^t e^{it} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{bmatrix} = e^t (\cos(t) + i \sin(t)) \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= e^t \begin{bmatrix} \cos(t) + i \sin(t) \\ i \cos(t) - \sin(t) \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= e^t \left\{ \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \cos(t) \\ -\sin(t) \end{bmatrix}}_{\underline{w}} + i \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \sin(t) \\ \cos(t) \end{bmatrix}}_{\underline{v}} \right\} = e^t (\underline{w} + i \underline{v})
 \end{aligned}$$

Since $\underline{x}^{(2)}$ is complex conj of $\underline{x}^{(1)}$

$$\underline{x}^{(2)} = e^t (\underline{w} - i \underline{v})$$

New basis of fundamental solns

$$\hat{\underline{x}}^{(1)} = \frac{1}{2} (\underline{x}^{(1)} + \underline{x}^{(2)}) = \frac{1}{2} \left[e^t \{\underline{w} + i \underline{v}\} + e^t \{\underline{w} - i \underline{v}\} \right]$$

$$\hat{\underline{x}}^{(1)} = e^t \underline{w}$$

$$\hat{\underline{x}}^{(2)} = \frac{1}{2i} (\underline{x}^{(1)} - \underline{x}^{(2)}) = e^t \underline{v}$$

Real-valued solution

$$\underline{x}(t) = c_1 e^t \underline{w} + c_2 e^t \underline{v}$$

$$= c_1 e^t \begin{bmatrix} \cos(t) \\ -\sin(t) \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^t \begin{bmatrix} \sin(t) \\ \cos(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

Next time: phase portrait