

# Solutions

## Math 3D Quiz 6 Afternoon - May 18th

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Show all of your work. \*There is a question on the back side.\*

1. Consider the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ . (a) What are the eigenvalues and eigenvectors?  
 (b) What are the defects? (c) Find the general solution to  $\vec{x}' = A\vec{x}$ .

(a) Note  $A \sim$  upper triangular, eigenvalues are on main diagonal,  $\lambda = 2$  (AM=4) +1

Check:  $\det \begin{bmatrix} 2-\lambda & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2-\lambda & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2-\lambda & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2-\lambda \end{bmatrix} = (2-\lambda) \det \begin{bmatrix} 2-\lambda & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2-\lambda & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2-\lambda \end{bmatrix}$   
 $= (2-\lambda)^2 \cdot \det \begin{bmatrix} 2-\lambda & 1 \\ 0 & 2-\lambda \end{bmatrix} = (2-\lambda)^4$ , (GM=2)

Eigenvectors, Solve  $(A-2I)\vec{v} = \vec{0}$ :  $\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} v_1 = \text{free} \\ v_2 = 0 \\ v_3 = \text{free} \\ v_4 = 0 \end{matrix}$   
 $\vec{v} = v_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + v_3 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  (Two Eigenvectors) +2

(b)  $\lambda = 2$  is twice defective +1 because  $AM - GM = 4 - 2 = 2$ .

(c) Need two more generalized eigenvectors. Note: Both work!

$(A-2I)\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ :

$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} u_1 = \text{free} \\ u_2 = 1 \\ u_3 = \text{free} \\ u_4 = 0 \end{matrix}$

$\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + u_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + u_3 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

(1<sup>st</sup> Generalized eigenvector from) +2

$(A-2I)\vec{w} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,

$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} w_1 = \text{free} \\ w_2 = 0 \\ w_3 = \text{free} \\ w_4 = 1 \end{matrix}$

$\vec{w} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + w_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + w_3 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

(1<sup>st</sup> Generalized eigenvector from) +2

So the general solution is

$\vec{x}_{\text{general}} = c_1 e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^{2t} \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) + c_3 e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c_4 e^{2t} \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + t \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right)$

+2

# Eigenvector Decomposition

Is  $\vec{f}(t)$

2. Find the general solution to  $\vec{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 4 \\ 1 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x} + \begin{bmatrix} t \\ -t \end{bmatrix}$ .

$\lambda = 4, \vec{v}_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$

$\lambda = 9, \vec{v}_9 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Hints: Use that the complementary solution is  $\vec{x}_c = C_1 e^{4t} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + C_2 e^{9t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

If you prefer Eigenvector Decomposition: Read the eigenvalues and eigenvectors from  $\vec{x}_c$ .

If you prefer Undetermined Coefficients: "All" you need to do is solve for  $\vec{x}_p$  now.

First construct  $E$ , like  $E = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $E^{-1} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ .

\* Get  $g_1(t), g_2(t)$ :

Way 2:  $E \begin{bmatrix} g_1 \\ g_2 \end{bmatrix} = \vec{f}$ ,

Way 1:  $\begin{bmatrix} g_1 \\ g_2 \end{bmatrix} = E^{-1} \vec{f}$ ,

$\begin{bmatrix} g_1 \\ g_2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} t \\ -t \end{bmatrix}$

$= \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} 2t \\ -3t \end{bmatrix}$

$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 & | & t \\ -1 & 1 & | & -t \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1 + 4R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 5 & | & -3t \\ -1 & 1 & | & -t \end{bmatrix}$

Row 1:  $5g_2 = -3t, g_2 = -\frac{3t}{5}$ ,

Row 2:  $-g_1 + g_2 = -t, g_1 = g_2 + t, g_1 = \frac{2t}{5}$

Either way  $g_1 = 2t/5, g_2 = -3t/5$ .

\* Set up/solve our eqns for  $\epsilon_1, \epsilon_2$ . Note:  $\lambda = 4 \sim 1st, \lambda = 9 \sim 2nd$

1)  $\epsilon_1' = 4\epsilon_1 + 2t/5$ , \* Need  $\epsilon_{1c}, \epsilon_{1p}$   
+1  $\epsilon_1' - 4\epsilon_1 = 2t/5$

For  $\epsilon_{1c}$ : Aux Eqn  $r - 4 = 0, r = 4$ ,

$\epsilon_{1c} = C_1 e^{4t}$

For  $\epsilon_{1p}$ : Guess  $\epsilon_{1p} = At + B, \epsilon_{1p}' = A$ .

Plugin  $\Rightarrow A - 4(At + B) = 2t/5$ ,

Fn Types:  $t: -4A = 2/5, A = -\frac{1}{10}$

$1: A - 4B = 0, B = \frac{A}{4} = -\frac{1}{40}$

So  $\epsilon_1 = \epsilon_{1c} + \epsilon_{1p} = C_1 e^{4t} - \frac{t}{10} - \frac{1}{40}$

\* Plug into  $\vec{X} = \epsilon_1 \vec{v}_1 + \epsilon_2 \vec{v}_2$ ,

2)  $\epsilon_2' = 9\epsilon_2 - 3t/5$ , \* Need  $\epsilon_{2c}, \epsilon_{2p}$   
+1  $\epsilon_2' - 9\epsilon_2 = -3t/5$

For  $\epsilon_{2c}$ : Aux Eqn  $r - 9 = 0, r = 9$ ,

$\epsilon_{2c} = C_2 e^{9t}$

For  $\epsilon_{2p}$ : Guess  $\epsilon_{2p} = At + B, \epsilon_{2p}' = A$

Plugin,  $A - 9(At + B) = -3t/5$ ,

Fn Types:  $t: -9A = -3/5, A = \frac{1}{15}$

$1: A - 9B = 0, B = \frac{A}{9}, B = \frac{1}{135}$

So  $\epsilon_2 = \epsilon_{2c} + \epsilon_{2p} = C_2 e^{9t} + \frac{t}{15} + \frac{1}{135}$

$\vec{X} = \left( C_1 e^{4t} - \frac{t}{10} - \frac{1}{40} \right) \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + \left( C_2 e^{9t} + \frac{t}{15} + \frac{1}{135} \right) \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

# Undetermined coefficients

2. Find the general solution to  $\vec{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 4 \\ 1 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x} + \begin{bmatrix} t \\ -t \end{bmatrix}$ . Is  $\vec{f}(t)$ .

Hints: Use that the complementary solution is  $\vec{x}_c = C_1 e^{4t} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + C_2 e^{9t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

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If you prefer Undetermined Coefficients: "All" you need to do is solve for  $\vec{x}_p$  now.

For  $\vec{x}_p$ , Guess:  $\vec{x}_p = t \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix}$  based on  $\vec{f}(t)$ .

And, then  $\vec{x}_p' = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix}$ . +2 (Note  $\vec{x}_p$  is not part of  $\vec{x}_c$  ✓)

No shift needed.

Plugin,  $\begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 4 \\ 1 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \left( t \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix} \right) + \begin{bmatrix} t \\ -t \end{bmatrix}$ ,

+1  $= \begin{bmatrix} t(5a_1 + 4a_2) + (5b_1 + 4b_2) \\ t(a_1 + 8a_2) + (b_1 + 8b_2) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} t \\ -t \end{bmatrix}$ .

Row 1:  $a_1 = t(5a_1 + 4a_2 + 1) + (5b_1 + 4b_2)$

Row 2:  $a_2 = t(a_1 + 8a_2 - 1) + (b_1 + 8b_2)$

Fn Types:  $t: 0 = 5a_1 + 4a_2 + 1$   
+1  $1: a_1 = 5b_1 + 4b_2$

Fn Types:  $t: 0 = a_1 + 8a_2 - 1$   
+1  $1: a_2 = b_1 + 8b_2$

\* Use the "t" eqns to get  $a_1, a_2$ :  $\begin{cases} 5a_1 + 4a_2 = -1 \\ a_1 + 8a_2 = +1 \end{cases} \Rightarrow 9a_1 = -3, \boxed{a_1 = -\frac{1}{3}}$

\* Then,  $\begin{cases} 5b_1 + 4b_2 = -1/3 \\ b_1 + 8b_2 = 1/6 \end{cases} \Rightarrow 9b_1 = -5/6, \boxed{b_1 = -\frac{5}{54}}$  +2

so  $8b_2 = \frac{1}{6} + \frac{5}{54} = \frac{14}{54}, \boxed{b_2 = \frac{7}{216}}$

So  $\vec{x}_p = t \begin{bmatrix} -1/3 \\ 1/6 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -5/54 \\ 7/216 \end{bmatrix}$ ,

$\vec{x}_{\text{general}} = C_1 e^{4t} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + C_2 e^{9t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + t \begin{bmatrix} -1/3 \\ 1/6 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -5/54 \\ 7/216 \end{bmatrix}$  +1

check w/ Eigendecomposition:

The particular part is  $(-\frac{t}{10} - \frac{1}{40}) \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + (\frac{t}{15} + \frac{1}{135}) \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Row 1:  $-\frac{4t}{10} - \frac{4}{40} + \frac{t}{15} + \frac{1}{135}$   
 (Do same with Row 2)  $= -\frac{2t}{5} - \frac{1}{10} + \frac{t}{15} + \frac{1}{135}$   
 $= -\frac{5}{15}t - \frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{135} \rightarrow -\frac{t}{3} - \frac{5}{54}$