

110.302 Lecture 22: ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~

Homogeneous with constant coefficients

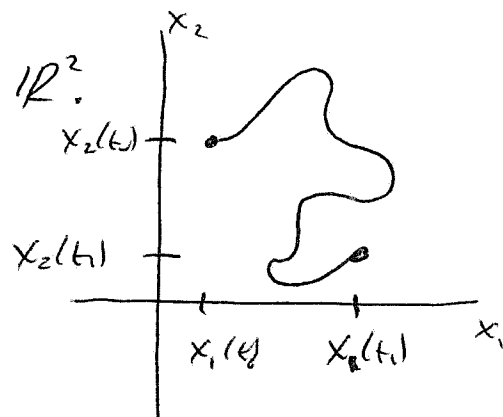
Let $\vec{x}' = A_{n \times n} \vec{x}$, $A_{n \times n}$ - matrix of constants.

(note: $\vec{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x}$ is an example).

For $n=2$, solutions look like $\vec{x}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{bmatrix}$.

For each t , $\vec{x}(t)$ is a pt in \mathbb{R}^2 .

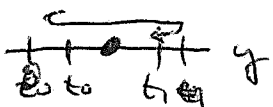
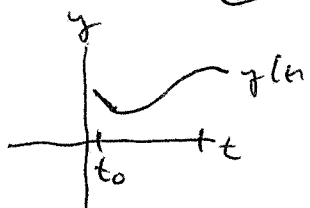
As t evolves, $\vec{x}(t)$ will trace out a parametrized curve



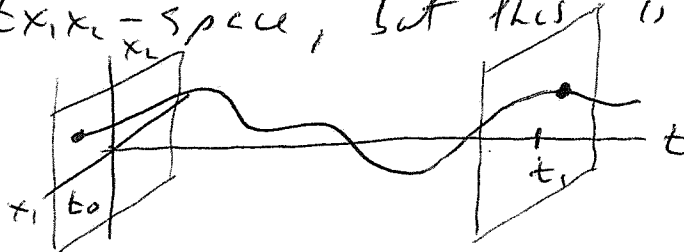
We call the x_1, x_2 -plane the phase plane for the system, noting that

(a) the independent variable t is implicit to the graph (not on axis but on the curve)

(b) For one equation $y' = f(y)$, the solution $y(t)$ lives in the ty -plane, but we could also track its evolution in the phase line



(c) We could graph $\vec{x}(t)$ in the tx_1x_2 -space, but this is hard to see

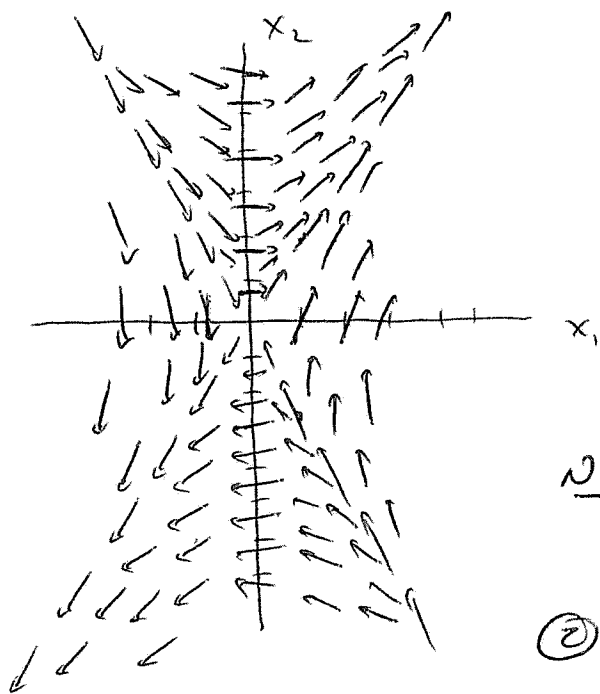


See overhead for example

Some ideas for study

① $\vec{x}'(t) = A\vec{x}(t)$, by simply choosing $\vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^2$, we can plot tangent lines, and make a slope field in the phase plane

ex. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$. Compute $\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$, $\vec{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$.



② $\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $\vec{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

③ $\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $\vec{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ (over up)

Notes ① looks very similar to example 1 of 358

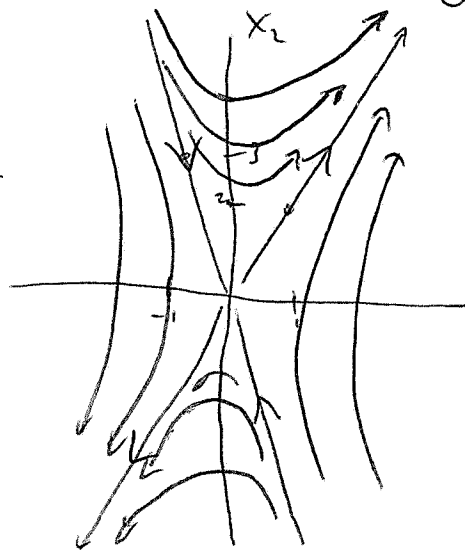
② Use JODE 2D calculator (420!) on website

④ The solution curves will be the integral curves of this slope field:

① Given a value of $c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}$, the curve $\vec{x}(t) = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} e^{3t} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} e^{-2t}$ will be one of these curves.

② Straight line motion occurs when c_1 or $c_2 = 0$.

choose $c_1 = -2, c_2 = 0$. Then $\vec{x}(t) = -2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} e^{3t} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} e^{3t}$



sketch of phase plane