

## Hw11 Solution

Section 7.8 1(c).  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -4 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$

**Solution:**

$$|A - \lambda I| = \begin{vmatrix} 3 - \lambda & -4 \\ 1 & -1 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = (\lambda - 3)(\lambda + 1) + 4 = \lambda^2 - 2\lambda + 1 = 0 \rightarrow \lambda = 1.$$

For  $\lambda = 1$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \implies x_1 - 2x_2 = 0.$$

The eigenvector is  $\Gamma = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \implies x_1 = 2x_2 + 1.$$

$\Gamma_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . The general solution is

$$X = C_1 e^t \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + C_2 \left( \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} t e^t + \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} e^t \right)$$

7(a).  $A = \begin{pmatrix} -5/2 & 3/2 \\ -3/2 & 1/2 \end{pmatrix}$   $x(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$

**Solution:**

$$|A - \lambda I| = \begin{vmatrix} -5/2 - \lambda & 3/2 \\ -3/2 & 1/2 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = (\lambda + 5/2)(\lambda - 1/2) + 9/4 = \lambda^2 + 2\lambda + 1 = 0 \rightarrow \lambda = -1.$$

For  $\lambda = -1$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -3/2 & 3/2 \\ -3/2 & 3/2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \implies x_1 - x_2 = 0.$$

The eigenvector is  $\Gamma = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} -3/2 & 3/2 \\ -3/2 & 3/2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \implies x_2 = x_1 + 2/3.$$

$\Gamma_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -2/3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . The general solution is

$$X = C_1 e^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + C_2 \left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} t e^{-t} + \begin{bmatrix} -2/3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} e^{-t} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} x(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} &\implies C_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + C_2 \begin{bmatrix} -2/3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &\implies C_1 - 2/3 C_2 = 3 \quad C_1 = -1 \\ &\implies \\ &C_1 = -1 \quad C_2 = -6. \end{aligned}$$

The solution is

$$X = -e^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - 6 \left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} t e^{-t} + \begin{bmatrix} -2/3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} e^{-t} \right) = e^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} - t e^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

8(a).  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 9 \\ -1 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \quad x(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$

**Solution:**

$$|A - \lambda I| = \begin{vmatrix} 3 - \lambda & 9 \\ -1 & -3 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = (\lambda - 3)(\lambda + 3) + 9 = \lambda^2 = 0 \rightarrow \lambda = 0.$$

For  $\lambda = 0$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 9 \\ -1 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \implies x_1 + 3x_2 = 0.$$

The eigenvector is  $\Gamma = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 9 \\ -1 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \implies x_1 = -3x_2 - 1.$$

$\Gamma_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . The general solution is

$$X = C_1 \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + C_2 \left( \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} t + \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} x(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} &\implies C_1 \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + C_2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \\ &\implies -3C_1 - C_2 = 2 \quad C_1 = 4 \\ &\implies \\ &C_1 = 4 \quad C_2 = -14. \end{aligned}$$

The solution is

$$X = 4 \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - 14 \left( \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} t + \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} - 14t \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$