

Solutions to Homework 6

① There are many ways to solve this problem.

METHOD 1:

$$e^{At} = e^{T\Lambda T^{-1}t} = T e^{\Lambda t} T^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} p_1 & p_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e^{\lambda_1 t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{\lambda_2 t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} q_1^T \\ q_2^T \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow e^{At} x_0 = q_1^T x_0 e^{\lambda_1 t} p_1 + q_2^T x_0 e^{\lambda_2 t} p_2 = x(t)$$

From the problem statement, we have

$$x_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow x(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} e^{-t} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \lambda_1 = -1 \\ p_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \end{cases}$$

$$x_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow x(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} e^t \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \lambda_2 = 1 \\ p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow T = [p_1 \ p_2] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow T^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{cases} q_1^T = [\frac{1}{2} \ -\frac{1}{2}] \\ q_2^T = [\frac{1}{2} \ \frac{1}{2}] \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow e^{At} &= T e^{\Lambda t} T^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e^{-t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^t \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} e^t + e^{-t} & e^t - e^{-t} \\ e^t - e^{-t} & e^t + e^{-t} \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\& A = T\Lambda T^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

METHOD 2:

Suppose $e^{At} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix}$. We know that $x(t) = e^{At} x_0$.

$$x_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow x(t) = e^{At} x_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} e^{-t}$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} e^{-t} \rightarrow \begin{cases} a_{11} - a_{12} = e^{-t} \\ a_{21} - a_{22} = -e^{-t} \end{cases}$$

$$x_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow x(t) = e^{At} x_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} e^t$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} e^t \rightarrow \begin{cases} a_{11} + a_{12} = e^t \\ a_{21} + a_{22} = e^t \end{cases}$$

Therefore we have 4 equations and 4 unknowns. We can thus find $a_{11}, a_{12}, a_{21}, a_{22}$

$$\begin{cases} a_{11} = \frac{e^t + e^{-t}}{2} \\ a_{12} = \frac{e^t - e^{-t}}{2} \\ a_{21} = \frac{e^t - e^{-t}}{2} \\ a_{22} = \frac{e^t + e^{-t}}{2} \end{cases} \rightarrow e^{At} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} e^t + e^{-t} & e^t - e^{-t} \\ e^t - e^{-t} & e^t + e^{-t} \end{bmatrix}$$

In particular, this means that $(sI - A)^{-1} = \mathcal{L}\{e^{At}\}$

To find A , assume $A = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_{11} & \alpha_{12} \\ \alpha_{21} & \alpha_{22} \end{bmatrix}$. Then

$$(sI - A)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} s - \alpha_{11} & -\alpha_{12} \\ -\alpha_{21} & s - \alpha_{22} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{(s - \alpha_{11})(s - \alpha_{22}) - \alpha_{12}\alpha_{21}} \begin{bmatrix} s - \alpha_{22} & \alpha_{21} \\ \alpha_{12} & s - \alpha_{11} \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore

$$\frac{1}{s^2 - (\alpha_{11} + \alpha_{22})s + \alpha_{11}\alpha_{22} - \alpha_{12}\alpha_{21}} \begin{bmatrix} s - \alpha_{22} & \alpha_{21} \\ \alpha_{12} & s - \alpha_{11} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{s^2 - 1} \begin{bmatrix} s & 1 \\ 1 & s \end{bmatrix}$$

This gives

$$\begin{cases} \alpha_{11} = 0 \\ \alpha_{12} = 1 \\ \alpha_{21} = 1 \\ \alpha_{22} = 0 \end{cases} \rightarrow A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Thus we have solved parts (a) & (c) of the problem.

$$(b) \quad x(t) = e^{At} x(0) \\ = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} e^t + e^{-t} & e^t - e^{-t} \\ e^t - e^{-t} & e^t + e^{-t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} e^t + e^{-t} \\ e^t - e^{-t} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(d) \quad x(t) = \underbrace{e^{At} x(0)}_{\text{affect of initial cond.}} + \underbrace{\int_0^t e^{A(t-\tau)} B u(\tau) d\tau}_{\text{affect of input.}}$$

~~$$e^{At} x(0) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} e^t + e^{-t} & e^t - e^{-t} \\ e^t - e^{-t} & e^t + e^{-t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$~~

$$y(t) = C x(t) + D u(t) \\ = C e^{At} x(0) + \int_0^t C e^{A(t-\tau)} B u(\tau) d\tau. \\ = C e^{At} x(0) + C e^{At} \int_0^t e^{-A\tau} B u(\tau) d\tau.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
C e^{At} x(0) &= [0 \ 1] \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} e^t + e^{-t} & e^t - e^{-t} \\ e^t - e^{-t} & e^t + e^{-t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} [e^t - e^{-t} \quad e^t + e^{-t}] \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} (e^t - e^{-t}) .
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_0^t e^{-A\tau} B u(\tau) d\tau &= \int_0^t \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} e^{-\tau} + e^{+\tau} & e^{-\tau} - e^{+\tau} \\ e^{-\tau} - e^{+\tau} & e^{-\tau} + e^{+\tau} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot 1 \cdot d\tau \\
&= \int_0^t -\frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} e^{-\tau} - e^{+\tau} \\ e^{-\tau} + e^{+\tau} \end{bmatrix} d\tau = -\frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} -e^{-\tau} - e^{+\tau} \\ -e^{-\tau} + e^{+\tau} \end{bmatrix} \Big|_0^t \\
&= -\frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} -e^{-t} - e^{+t} + 2 \\ -e^{-t} + e^{+t} - 0 \end{bmatrix} .
\end{aligned}$$

$$C e^{At} = \frac{1}{2} [e^t - e^{-t} \quad e^t + e^{-t}] .$$

$$C e^{At} \int_0^t e^{-A\tau} B u(\tau) d\tau = -\frac{1}{4} [e^t - e^{-t} \quad e^t + e^{-t}] \begin{bmatrix} -e^{-t} - e^{+t} + 2 \\ -e^{-t} + e^{+t} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{1}{4} (-e^{2t} + 2e^t - 2e^{-t} + e^{-2t} + 2e^{-t} + e^{2t})$$

$$= -\frac{1}{4} (-1 - e^{2t} + 2e^t + e^{-2t} + 1 - 2e^{-t} - 1 + e^{2t} - e^{-2t} + 1)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{4} (+2e^t - 2e^{-t}) = -\frac{1}{2} (e^t - e^{-t})$$

$$\Rightarrow C e^{At} x(0) + C e^{At} \int_0^t e^{-A\tau} B u(\tau) d\tau = \frac{e^t - e^{-t}}{2} - \frac{e^t - e^{-t}}{2} = 0$$

②

a- The governing equations for the circuit are

$$\begin{cases} 10 \frac{di_1}{dt} = u(t) - 30(i_1 - i_2) \\ 9 \frac{di_2}{dt} = 30(i_1 - i_2) - 6i_2 \end{cases}$$

Taking i_1, i_2 as the state variables of the system, we get

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{i}_1 \\ \dot{i}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 3 \\ \frac{30}{9} & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} i_1 \\ i_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1/10 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} u(t).$$

b- We now find the eigenvalues of A:

$$\det(sI - A) = \det \begin{bmatrix} s+3 & -3 \\ -\frac{30}{9} & s+4 \end{bmatrix} = s^2 + 7s + 2 = 0 \rightarrow \begin{cases} \lambda_1 = -0.2984 \\ \lambda_2 = -6.7016 \end{cases}$$

Clearly $e^{\lambda_2 t} \approx e^{-6.7t}$ goes to zero much faster than

$e^{\lambda_1 t} \approx e^{-0.3t}$. Therefore, we choose our initial conditions

to reside along the direction of the eigenvector

corresponding to the eigenvalue λ_2 . You can show that

the eigenvector corresponding to λ_2 is $p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -0.8105 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

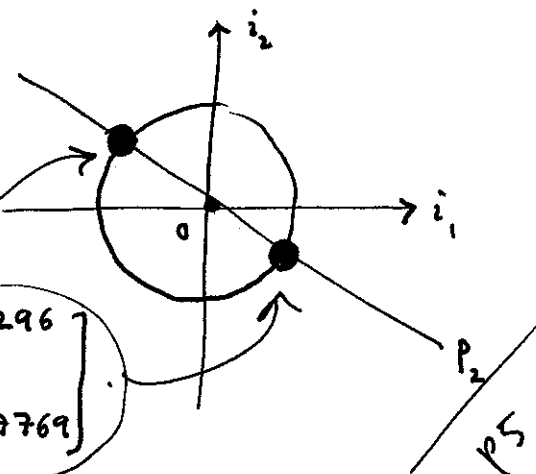
Finally, since the initial condition

should have unit length, we

divide p_2 by its length. Thus the

solution is

$$\begin{bmatrix} i_1(0) \\ i_2(0) \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{0.6296^2 + 0.7769^2}} \begin{bmatrix} -0.6296 \\ 0.7769 \end{bmatrix}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 \textcircled{3} \quad \int_0^t e^{A\sigma} d\sigma &= \int_0^t \left(I + A\sigma + \frac{1}{2!} A^2 \sigma^2 + \dots \right) d\sigma \\
 &= I\sigma \Big|_0^t + A \frac{\sigma^2}{2} \Big|_0^t + \frac{1}{2!} A^2 \frac{\sigma^3}{3} \Big|_0^t + \dots \\
 &= It + \frac{1}{2} A t^2 + \frac{1}{3!} A^2 t^3 + \dots
 \end{aligned}$$

If we define $\int_0^t e^{A\sigma} d\sigma =: Y(t)$ we have

$$YA = At + \frac{1}{2} A^2 t^2 + \frac{1}{3!} A^3 t^3 + \dots = e^{At} - I$$

$$\rightarrow Y = (e^{At} - I) A^{-1}$$

The solution of $\dot{x} = Ax + Bu$, $x(0) = x_0$ is

$$x(t) = e^{At} x_0 + \int_0^t e^{A(t-\tau)} B u(\tau) d\tau$$

If u is constant in time, then we can use the above formula to simplify the integral.

$$\begin{aligned}
 x(t) &= e^{At} x_0 + \left(\int_0^t e^{At} e^{-A\tau} B d\tau \right) u \\
 &= e^{At} x_0 + e^{At} \left(\int_0^t e^{-A\tau} d\tau \right) B u \\
 &= e^{At} x_0 + e^{At} \left(-\int_0^t e^{As} ds \right) B u \\
 &= e^{At} x_0 + e^{At} \left[-(e^{-At} - I) A^{-1} \right] B u \\
 &= e^{At} x_0 + (e^{At} - I) A^{-1} B u.
 \end{aligned}$$

used
change of
variable
 $s = -\tau$.

④

We have to show that

$$\frac{d}{dt} \Phi(t, t_0) = A(t) \Phi(t, t_0), \quad \Phi(t_0, t_0) = I.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt} \Phi(t, t_0) &= \frac{d}{dt} \left[e^{-Rt} e^{(R+S)(t-t_0)} e^{Rt_0} \right] \\ &= -R e^{-Rt} e^{(R+S)(t-t_0)} e^{Rt_0} + e^{-Rt} (R+S) e^{(R+S)(t-t_0)} e^{Rt_0} \\ &= -R e^{-Rt} e^{(R+S)(t-t_0)} e^{Rt_0} \\ &\quad + e^{-Rt} R e^{(R+S)(t-t_0)} e^{Rt_0} + e^{-Rt} S e^{(R+S)(t-t_0)} e^{Rt_0} \\ &= e^{-Rt} S e^{(R+S)(t-t_0)} e^{Rt_0} \end{aligned}$$

using the
fact that

$$R e^{-Rt} = e^{-Rt} R \leftarrow (\text{this can be proved using the Taylor series definition of } e^{-Rt})$$

On the other hand

$$\begin{aligned} A(t) \Phi(t, t_0) &= e^{-Rt} S \overbrace{e^{Rt} e^{-Rt}}^I e^{(R+S)(t-t_0)} e^{Rt_0} \\ &= e^{-Rt} S e^{(R+S)(t-t_0)} e^{Rt_0} \end{aligned}$$

which is the same as $\frac{d}{dt} \Phi(t, t_0)$. Furthermore

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi(t_0, t_0) &= e^{-Rt_0} e^{(R+S)(t_0-t_0)} e^{Rt_0} \\ &= e^{-Rt_0} I e^{Rt_0} = I. \end{aligned}$$