Solutions- Homework set to replace 7.1

1. If x(t) and y(t) are plotted below (versus time), plot the graph in the xy-plane. (Hint: You might think about some specific points in the xy-plane). Remember that at t = -2, you're starting all the way to the left, and at t = 2, you're all the way to the right (in the t-plane). You may assume that the x-coordinate is the parabola.



Hint: If you're having trouble, try plotting specific points and transfer those points onto the xy plane.

2. Exercise 22, p 363 (Section 7.1)

Construct the DE's by looking at "Rate In - Rate Out", and make sure your units are matching up. Define $Q_1(t)$ and $Q_2(t)$ to be the ounces of salt in Tanks 1 and 2 (respectively). Before we start, we take note of the rates in and out of each tank- The total amounts of water in tanks 1 and 2 (30 gallons and 20 gallons, respectively) does not change (important for the rates in and out).

Filling in the quantities from the figure on p. 363, we have:

$$\frac{dQ_1}{dt} = \frac{1.5 \text{ gal}}{\min} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ oz}}{\text{gal}} + \frac{1.5 \text{ gal}}{\min} \cdot \frac{Q_2 \text{ oz}}{20 \text{ gal}} - \frac{3 \text{ gal}}{\min} \cdot \frac{Q_1 \text{ oz}}{30 \text{ gal}}$$
$$\frac{dQ_2}{dt} = \frac{1 \text{ gal}}{\min} \cdot \frac{3 \text{ oz}}{\text{gal}} + \frac{3 \text{ gal}}{\min} \cdot \frac{Q_1 \text{ oz}}{30 \text{ gal}} - \frac{4 \text{ gal}}{\min} \cdot \frac{Q_2 \text{ oz}}{20 \text{ gal}}$$

Simplifying, and putting them in order:

$$\frac{dQ_1}{dt} = -\frac{1}{10}Q_1 + \frac{3}{40}Q_2 + \frac{3}{2}$$
$$\frac{dQ_2}{dt} = \frac{1}{10}Q_1 - \frac{1}{5}Q_2 + 3$$

The system is currently non-homogeneous because of the constants 3/2 and 3.

The equilibria are found by solving for where the derivatives are zero. We simplify to make Cramer's Rule easier to apply:

$$\begin{array}{rcl} -\frac{1}{10}Q_1 + \frac{3}{40}Q_2 + \frac{3}{2} &= 0\\ \frac{1}{10}Q_1 - \frac{1}{5}Q_2 + 3 &= 0 \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{rcl} -4Q_1 + 3Q_2 &= -60\\ Q_1 - 2Q_2 &= -30 \end{array}$$

Therefore, using the determinants, the equilibrium solution is:

$$Q_1 = \frac{210}{5} = 42 \qquad Q_2 = \frac{180}{5}$$

The last part of the question shows that a change of variables results in a homogeneous differential equation. That is, if $x_1 = Q_1 - 42$ and $x_2 = Q_2 - 36$, then substitution into the system of DE's:

$$x_1' = Q_1' \qquad x_2' = Q_2'$$

and

$$-\frac{1}{10}(x_1+42) + \frac{3}{40}(x_2+36) + \frac{3}{2} = -\frac{1}{10}x_1 + \frac{3}{40}x_2$$

Similarly, substitution into the second equation and substituting:

$$\frac{1}{10}(x_1+42) - \frac{1}{5}(x_2+36) + 3 = \frac{1}{10}x_1 - \frac{1}{5}x_2$$

Notice that our change of coordinates simply shifted the coordinate system so that the equilibrium is now at the origin. To get the initial conditions, make the last substitution:

$$\begin{array}{ll} x_1' &= -\frac{1}{10}x_1 + \frac{3}{40}x_2 \\ x_2' &= \frac{1}{10}x_1 - \frac{1}{5}x_2 \end{array} \qquad x_1(0) = -17, \quad x_2(0) = -21 \end{array}$$

- 3. Solve the system of equations given by first converting it into a second order linear ODE (then use Chapter 3 methods):
 - (a) $\begin{aligned} x' &= -2x + y \\ y' &= x 2y \end{aligned} \Rightarrow y = x' + 2x \Rightarrow (x' + 2x)' = x 2(x' + 2x) \\ \text{So we have: } x'' + 2x' = x 2x' 4x, \text{ or} \end{aligned}$

$$x'' + 4x' + 3x = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad r^2 + 4r + 3 = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad (r+1)(r+3) = 0$$

Therefore, $x(t) = C_1 e^{-t} + C_2 e^{-3t}$. For y, we have y = x' + 2x, or

$$y = -C_1 e^{-t} - 3C_2 e^{-3t} + 2C_1 e^{-t} + 2C_2 e^{-3t} = C_1 e^{-t} - C_2 e^{-3t}$$

(b) $\begin{array}{l} x' = 2y \\ y' = -2x \end{array} \Rightarrow y = \frac{1}{2}x' \Rightarrow (\frac{1}{2}x')' = -2x \\ For x'' + 4x = 0, \text{ we have } r = \pm 2i, \text{ so } x(t) = C_1 \cos(2t) + C_2 \sin(2t), \text{ and } y = \frac{1}{2}(-2C_1 \sin(2t) + 2C_2 \cos(2t)) = -C_1 \sin(2t) + C_2 \cos(2t) \end{array}$

4. Give the solution to each system of equations. If it has an infinite number of solutions, give your answer in vector form:

For the first system,

$$\begin{array}{cccc} 3x + 2y &= 1\\ 2x - y &= 3 \end{array} \quad \Rightarrow \quad x = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2\\ 3 & -1 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2\\ 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix}} = 1 \qquad y = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1\\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2\\ 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix}} = -1$$

For the second system, the two lines are parallel (NO SOLUTION).

For the third system, the two lines are the same line, 3x + 2y = 1, or y = -(3/2)x + (1/2). Writing the equation of the line in vector form, we need a point and a direction. For the point, pick anything- The *y*-intercept, for example, or perhaps the point (1, -1). Secondly, the direction comes from the slope: -3/2 is "rise over run", or "change in y over change in x", so the direction can be interpreted as the vector $\langle 2, -3 \rangle$. Therefore, the line (in vector form and parameterized by *t*):

$$\left[\begin{array}{c}1\\-1\end{array}\right]+t\left[\begin{array}{c}2\\-3\end{array}\right]$$

5. Let A, B be the matrices below. Compute the matrix operation listed.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \qquad B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(a)
$$2A + B^T = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -5 \\ 3 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$
 (b) $BA = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -7 \\ 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ (c) $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{7} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

6. Vectors and matrices might have complex numbers. If z = 3 + 2i and vector $\mathbf{v} = [1 + i, 2 - 2i]^T$, then find the real part and the imaginary part of $z\mathbf{v}$. SOLUTION:

$$z\mathbf{v} = (3+2i) \begin{bmatrix} 1+i\\ 2-2i \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1+5i\\ 10-2i \end{bmatrix}$$

The real and imaginary parts of the vector are:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1\\10 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 5\\-2 \end{bmatrix}$$

7. Adding two vectors: Geometrically (and numerically) compute the following, where $\mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$. Be sure to draw each vector out, and see if you can see a pattern.



8. Verify that $\mathbf{x}_1(t)$ below satisfies the DE: $\mathbf{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}, \quad \mathbf{x}_1(t) = e^{3t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ SOLUTION: First, the derivative is:

$$\mathbf{x}_1' = 3\mathrm{e}^{3t} \left[\begin{array}{c} 1\\2 \end{array} \right]$$

Secondly, the matrix times \mathbf{x}_1 is (I factored the exponential out):

$$e^{3t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = e^{3t} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

And this is the same as the derivative.

9. Consider

$$\begin{array}{ll} x' &= 2x + 3y + 1 \\ y' &= x - y - 2 \end{array}.$$

First find the equilibrium solution, x_e, y_e . Then show that, if $u = x - x_e$ and $v = y - y_e$, then

$$\begin{array}{ll} u' &= 2u + 3v \\ v' &= u - v \end{array}$$

SOLUTION: This exercise will hopefully make the tank modeling problem make more sense. In this case, solving for the equilibrium solution gives us the system:

$$\begin{array}{rrrr} 2x + 3y &= -1 \\ x - y &= 2 \end{array} \quad x = 1, y = -1 \end{array}$$

Now, if u = x - 1 and v = y + 1, then

$$u' = x' = 2x + 3y + 1 = 2(u + 1) + 3(v - 1) = 2u + 3v$$

$$v' = y' = x - y - 2 = (u + 1) - (v - 1) - 2 = u - v$$

- 10. The four graphs in the figure show the direction fields for the four systems of differential equations below. Try to reason out which direction field goes with which system.
 - (a) $\begin{array}{ll} x' &= 3x y \\ y' &= 4x 2y \end{array}$ Graph 3

Along the positive x-axis, arrows should go in the direction of (3, 4)- Only in Graph 3.

(b)
$$\begin{array}{c} x' &= -2x + y \\ y' &= x - 2y \end{array}$$
 Graph 1

Along the positive x-axis, arrows should go in the direction of $\langle -2, 1 \rangle$, which could be 1 or 4. Along the positive y-axis, arrows should go in the direction of $\langle 1, -2 \rangle$, so that is only for Graph 1.

(c)
$$\begin{array}{c} x' &= 2y \\ y' &= -2x \end{array}$$
 Graph 2

Along the positive x-axis, arrows are going straight down, so Graph 2 is the only choice.

(d)
$$\begin{array}{cc} x' &= -x - 4y \\ y' &= x - y \end{array}$$
 Graph 4

This is 4 by process of elimination, but you can also check the positive x- and y- axis.





