

Instructions: Show all work. Use exact answers unless otherwise asked to round.

1. Solve the system of linear equations. (Your solutions should be expressed in real-valued expressions.)

a.
$$\begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt} = 2x + 3y \\ \frac{dy}{dt} = 2x + y \end{cases}$$

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

$$(2-\lambda)(1-\lambda) - 6 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 3\lambda + 2 - 6 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 3\lambda - 4 = 0$$

$$(\lambda - 4)(\lambda + 1) = 0$$

$$\lambda = 4, \lambda = -1$$

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} e^{4t} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-t}$$

b.
$$\begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt} = 6x - y \\ \frac{dy}{dt} = 5x + 4y \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 6 & -1 \\ 5 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(6-\lambda)(4-\lambda) + 5 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 10\lambda + 24 + 5 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 10\lambda + 29 = 0$$

$$\lambda = \frac{10 \pm \sqrt{100 - 116}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{10 \pm 4i}{2} = 5 \pm 2i$$

$$\lambda = 4$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2-4 & 3 \\ 2 & 1-4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 3 \\ 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$2x_1 = 3x_2 \quad \vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_1 = \frac{3}{2}x_2$$

$$\lambda = -1$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2+1 & 3 \\ 2 & 1+1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 3 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_1 = -x_2 \quad \vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = 5 + 2i$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 6-5-2i & -1 \\ 5 & 4-5-2i \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1-2i & -1 \\ 5 & -1-2i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$5x_1 = (1+2i)x_2$$

$$x_1 = \frac{1+2i}{5}x_2 \quad \vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1+2i \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1+2i \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} e^{(5+2i)t} = e^{5t} \begin{bmatrix} 1+2i \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} (\cos 2t + i \sin 2t)$$

$$= e^{5t} \begin{bmatrix} \cos 2t + i \sin 2t + 2i \cos 2t - 2 \sin 2t \\ 5 \cos 2t + 5i \sin 2t \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 e^{5t} \begin{pmatrix} \cos 2t - \sin 2t \\ 5 \cos 2t \end{pmatrix} +$$

$$+ c_2 e^{5t} \begin{pmatrix} \sin 2t + 2 \cos 2t \\ 5 \sin 2t \end{pmatrix}$$