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TEST 2

Marks

1. Solve the inhomogeneous system $y' = Ay + \begin{pmatrix} t \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$, $y(0) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$, given the fundamental matrix solution is

$$Y(t) = e^{At} = \begin{pmatrix} e^t & te^t & 0 \\ 0 & e^t & 0 \\ e^t - e^{2t} & e^{2t} + te^t - e^t & e^{2t} \end{pmatrix}.$$

2. Find all critical points of the system

$$x' = x - 2xy$$

$$y' = -y + xy$$

and determine if they are stable, asymptotically stable or unstable.

3. Use the method of Lyapunov function to determine the stability of the origin $(0, 0)$ of the system

$$x' = -x - \frac{x^3}{3}$$

$$y' = -y - y^3.$$

4. Find the eigenvalues and eigenfunctions of the Sturm-Liouville equation:

$$y'' + \lambda y = 0,$$

$$y(0) = 0, \quad y'(1) = 0.$$

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1. The solution is $y(t) = Y(t) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + Y(t) \int_0^t Y'(s) f(s) ds$, where

$$Y'(t) = e^{-At} = \begin{pmatrix} e^{-t} & -te^{-t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-t} & 0 \\ e^{-t} - e^{-2t} & e^{-2t} - t e^{-2t} & e^{-2t} \end{pmatrix}, \quad f(s) = \begin{pmatrix} s \\ 0 \\ s \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^t \begin{pmatrix} te^{-t} \\ 0 \\ t(e^{-t} - e^{-2t}) + te^{-2t} \end{pmatrix} dt \\ &= \int_0^t \begin{pmatrix} te^{-t} \\ 0 \\ te^{-t} \end{pmatrix} dt = \left. \begin{pmatrix} -e^{-t}(t+1) \\ 0 \\ -e^{-t}(t+1) \end{pmatrix} \right|_0^t \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} -e^{-t}(t+1) + 1 \\ 0 \\ -e^{-t}(t+1) + 1 \end{pmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

∴ The solution is

$$y(t) = Y(t) \begin{pmatrix} 2 - e^{-t}(t+1) \\ 1 - e^{-t}(t+1) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 2e^{-t} - (t+1) + te^{-t} \\ e^{-t} \\ (t+1)e^{-t} - (t+1) \end{pmatrix}, \text{ after calculation.}$$

2. Critical points : $x(1-2y)=0$
 $-y(1-x)=0$
 $\therefore x=0, y=\frac{1}{2}.$
 $y=0, x=1.$

\therefore 2 c.p. are $(0, 0), (1, \frac{1}{2})$.

Nature of $(0, 0)$ $x' = x$
 $y' = -y.$

The matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ has eigenvalues $\lambda = 1, -1$.
 $\therefore (0, 0)$ is unstable.

Nature of $(1, \frac{1}{2})$ Let $u = x-1$,
 $v = y - \frac{1}{2}$.

Then $u' = x' = u+1 - 2(u+1)(v+\frac{1}{2}) = -2v - 2uv$
 $v' = -(v+\frac{1}{2}) + (u+1)(v+\frac{1}{2}) = \frac{u}{2} + uv.$

The matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -2 \\ \frac{1}{2} & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ has e.v. $\lambda = \pm i$

$\therefore (1, \frac{1}{2})$ is stable.

3. Liapunov function $V = \frac{1}{2}(x^2+y^2)$
 $\therefore V' = xx' + yy' = x(-x - \frac{x^3}{3}) + y(-y - y^3)$
 $= -(x^2 + y^2 + \frac{x^4}{3} + y^4) \leq 0$ ($= 0$ at $(0, 0)$)

\therefore The origin $(0, 0)$ is asymptotically stable.

$$4 \quad y'' + \lambda y = 0, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(1) = 0$$

$$m^2 + \lambda = 0$$

(i) If $\lambda = -\mu^2 < 0$ ($\mu > 0$), then $m = \pm \mu$. and.

$$y = C_1 e^{\mu t} + C_2 e^{-\mu t}.$$

$$y(0) = C_1 + C_2 = 0 \quad \therefore C_1 = -C_2.$$

$$y'(1) = \mu(C_1 e^{\mu} - C_2 e^{-\mu}) = 0 \quad \therefore \mu C_2 (e^{\mu} + e^{-\mu}) = 0$$

$$\therefore C_2 = 0 \quad \therefore C_1 = 0$$

∴ trivial solution

(ii) If $\lambda = 0$, then $y'' = 0$

$$\therefore y = C_1 + C_2 t.$$

$$y(0) = C_1 = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad y(1) = C_2 = 0$$

∴ trivial solution

(iii) If $\lambda = \mu^2 > 0$ ($\mu > 0$), then $m = \pm \mu i$ and

$$y = C_1 \cos \mu t + C_2 \sin \mu t.$$

$$y(0) = C_1 = 0$$

$$y'(1) = -\mu C_1 \sin \mu + \mu C_2 \cos \mu = 0$$

$$\therefore \cos \mu = 0$$

$$\therefore \mu = (2n+1)\frac{\pi}{2}, \quad n=0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$$

$$\therefore \lambda = \mu^2 = (2n+1)^2 \frac{\pi^2}{4}, \quad n=0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$$

are the eigenvalues and the eigenfunctions are

$$y = \sin (2n+1)\frac{\pi}{2} t, \quad n=0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$$