

1. (i) $\underline{y}' = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \underline{y} \quad \therefore A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

evaluate of A: $\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} 2-\lambda & 3 \\ 2 & 1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (2-\lambda)(1-\lambda) - 6 = \lambda^2 - 3\lambda - 4 = 0$
 $\therefore \lambda = 4, -1$

evector: $(A - \lambda I)\underline{u} = \underline{0}$: $\lambda = 4 \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 3 \\ 2 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow 2u_1 - 3u_2 = 0 \Rightarrow \underline{u} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\lambda = -1 \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 3 \\ 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow u_1 + u_2 = 0 \Rightarrow \underline{u} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

general solution: $\underline{y} = c_1 e^{4x} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^{-x} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

(ii) $\underline{y}' = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \underline{y} \quad \therefore A = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

evaluate of A: $\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -2-\lambda & 2 \\ -1 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 + 2\lambda + 2 = 0 \quad \therefore \lambda = -1 \pm i$

evector: $(A - \lambda I)\underline{u} = \underline{0}$: $\lambda = -1 + i \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -1-i & 2 \\ -1 & 1-i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} -(1+i)u_1 + 2u_2 = 0 \\ -u_1 + (1-i)u_2 = 0 \end{matrix} \Rightarrow \underline{u} = \begin{pmatrix} 1-i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$\therefore e^{\lambda x} \underline{u} = e^{(-1+i)x} \begin{pmatrix} 1-i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = e^{-x} (\cos x + i \sin x) \begin{pmatrix} 1-i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = e^{-x} \begin{pmatrix} \cos x + \sin x \\ \cos x - \sin x \end{pmatrix}$

general solution: $\underline{y} = c_1 e^{-x} \begin{pmatrix} \cos x + \sin x \\ \cos x \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^{-x} \begin{pmatrix} \sin x - \cos x \\ \sin x \end{pmatrix}$

2. (i) $\underline{y}' = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \underline{y} \quad \therefore A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$, evaluate 2, 1; evector $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

trans.: $P = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow J = P^{-1}AP = \frac{1}{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

system $\underline{y}' = A\underline{y}$ with $\underline{y} = P\underline{z} \Rightarrow \underline{z}' = AP\underline{z} \Rightarrow \underline{z}' = P^{-1}AP\underline{z} = J\underline{z}$

$\underline{z}' = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \underline{z} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} z_1' = 2z_1 \\ z_2' = z_2 \end{matrix} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} z_1 = c_1 e^{2x} \\ z_2 = c_2 e^x \end{matrix}$

initial condition $\underline{z}(0) = P^{-1}\underline{y}(0) = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} c_1 = -2 \\ c_2 = 3 \end{matrix}$

solution $\underline{y} = P\underline{z} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -2e^{2x} \\ 3e^x \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2e^{2x} + 3e^x \\ -4e^{2x} + 3e^x \end{pmatrix}$

(ii) $\underline{y}' = \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 4 \\ -9 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \underline{y} \quad \therefore A = \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 4 \\ -9 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$, evaluate 3, 3; evector $\underline{u} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$

generalised evector: $(A - 3I)\underline{u} = \underline{v} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 4 \\ -9 & -6 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow 3v_1 + 2v_2 = 1 \Rightarrow \underline{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$

trans.: $P = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -3 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow J = P^{-1}AP = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$

system: $\underline{z}' = J\underline{z} \Rightarrow \underline{z}' = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \underline{z} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} z_1' = 3z_1 + z_2 \\ z_2' = 3z_2 \end{matrix}$

solve for z2: $z_2 = c_2 e^{3x}$
 $z_1' - 3z_1 = c_2 e^{3x} \therefore (e^{-3x} z_1)' = c_2 \therefore e^{-3x} z_1 = c_2 x + c_1 \therefore z_1 = (c_1 + c_2 x) e^{3x}$

solution: $\underline{y} = P\underline{z} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -3 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} (c_1 + c_2 x) e^{3x} \\ c_2 e^{3x} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2c_1 e^{3x} + c_2 e^{3x} + 2c_2 x e^{3x} \\ -3c_1 e^{3x} - c_2 e^{3x} - 3c_2 x e^{3x} \end{pmatrix}$

initial conditions: $\underline{y}(0) = \begin{pmatrix} 2c_1 + c_2 \\ -3c_1 - c_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow c_1 = 0, c_2 = 1$

$\therefore \underline{y}(x) = \begin{pmatrix} (1+2x)e^{3x} \\ -(1+3x)e^{3x} \end{pmatrix}$

3. $\underline{y}' = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \underline{y} + \begin{pmatrix} -7e^{-2x} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

evaluate/evector: $A = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \lambda = 5, \underline{u} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}; \lambda = -2, \underline{u} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$

cond trans.: $P = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow J = P^{-1}AP = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix}, P^{-1} = \frac{1}{-7} \begin{pmatrix} -3 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$

canonical system: $\underline{y}' = A\underline{y} + \underline{h}$ with $\underline{y} = P\underline{z} \Rightarrow \underline{z}' = AP\underline{z} + \underline{h} \Rightarrow \underline{z}' = P^{-1}AP\underline{z} + P^{-1}\underline{h}$

$\therefore \underline{z}' = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \underline{z} - \frac{1}{7} \begin{pmatrix} -3 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -7e^{-2x} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$\therefore \begin{matrix} z_1' = 5z_1 - 3e^{-2x} \\ z_2' = -2z_2 - e^{-2x} \end{matrix}$

solve for z1: $z_1' - 5z_1 = -3e^{-2x} \Rightarrow (e^{-5x} z_1)' = -3e^{-7x} \Rightarrow e^{-5x} z_1 = \frac{3}{7} e^{-7x} + c_1 \Rightarrow z_1 = \frac{3}{7} e^{-2x} + c_1 e^{5x}$

solve for z2: $z_2' + 2z_2 = -e^{-2x} \Rightarrow (e^{2x} z_2)' = -1 \Rightarrow e^{2x} z_2 = -x + c_2 \Rightarrow z_2 = -x e^{-2x} + c_2 e^{-2x}$

solution: $\underline{y} = P\underline{z} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_1 e^{5x} + \frac{3}{7} e^{-2x} \\ c_2 e^{-2x} - x e^{-2x} \end{pmatrix}$

$\therefore y_1(x) = 2c_1 e^{5x} + c_2 e^{-2x} + \left(\frac{6}{7} - x\right) e^{-2x}$

$y_2(x) = c_1 e^{5x} - 3c_2 e^{-2x} + \left(\frac{3}{7} + 3x\right) e^{-2x}$

4.(a) From Question 1 $\underline{y}_1(x) = e^{4x} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$, $\underline{y}_2(x) = e^{-x} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$

Let $M(x) = (\underline{y}_1, \underline{y}_2) = \begin{pmatrix} 3e^{4x} & e^{-x} \\ 2e^{4x} & -e^{-x} \end{pmatrix}$

$\det M(x) = -5e^{3x}$

Since $\det M(x) \neq 0$, then $M(x)$ is a fundamental matrix

(b) Transition matrix:

$M(x, x_0) = M(x) [M(x_0)]^{-1}$

$[M(x)]^{-1} = \frac{1}{(-5e^{3x})} \begin{pmatrix} -e^{-x} & -e^{-x} \\ -2e^{4x} & 3e^{4x} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} e^{-4x} & e^{-4x} \\ 2e^x & -3e^x \end{pmatrix}$

$M(x, x_0) = \frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 3e^{4x} & e^{-x} \\ 2e^{4x} & -e^{-x} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e^{-4x_0} & e^{-4x_0} \\ 2e^{x_0} & -3e^{x_0} \end{pmatrix}$
 $= \begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{5}e^{4(x-x_0)} + \frac{2}{5}e^{-(x-x_0)} & \frac{3}{5}e^{4(x-x_0)} - \frac{3}{5}e^{-(x-x_0)} \\ \frac{2}{5}e^{4(x-x_0)} - \frac{2}{5}e^{-(x-x_0)} & \frac{2}{5}e^{4(x-x_0)} + \frac{3}{5}e^{-(x-x_0)} \end{pmatrix}$

(c) solution: $\underline{y}(x) = M(x, 0) \underline{y}(0)$

$= \begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{5}e^{4x} + \frac{2}{5}e^{-x} & \frac{3}{5}e^{4x} - \frac{3}{5}e^{-x} \\ \frac{2}{5}e^{4x} - \frac{2}{5}e^{-x} & \frac{2}{5}e^{4x} + \frac{3}{5}e^{-x} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$
 $= \begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{5}e^{4x} - \frac{8}{5}e^{-x} \\ \frac{2}{5}e^{4x} + \frac{8}{5}e^{-x} \end{pmatrix}$

5. Transition matrix:

$M'(x, x_0) = \begin{pmatrix} -x \sin \frac{1}{2}(x^2-x_0^2) & x \cos \frac{1}{2}(x^2-x_0^2) \\ -x \cos \frac{1}{2}(x^2-x_0^2) & -x \sin \frac{1}{2}(x^2-x_0^2) \end{pmatrix}$
 $= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & x \\ -x & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \frac{1}{2}(x^2-x_0^2) & \sin \frac{1}{2}(x^2-x_0^2) \\ -\sin \frac{1}{2}(x^2-x_0^2) & \cos \frac{1}{2}(x^2-x_0^2) \end{pmatrix}$
 $= A(x) M(x, x_0)$

$\det M(x, x_0) = \cos^2 \frac{1}{2}(x^2-x_0^2) + \sin^2 \frac{1}{2}(x^2-x_0^2) = 1$

$\therefore M(x, x_0)$ is a fundamental matrix

Since $M(x_0, x_0) = I$ then $M(x, x_0)$ is a transition matrix

Solution $\underline{y}(x) = M(x, 0) \underline{y}(0) = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \frac{1}{2}x^2 & \sin \frac{1}{2}x^2 \\ -\sin \frac{1}{2}x^2 & \cos \frac{1}{2}x^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \cos \frac{1}{2}x^2 - \sin \frac{1}{2}x^2 \\ -2 \sin \frac{1}{2}x^2 - \cos \frac{1}{2}x^2 \end{pmatrix}$

6. Let $\underline{y}(x_1) = M(x_1, x_0) \underline{y}(x_0)$

and $\underline{y}(x_2) = M(x_2, x_1) \underline{y}(x_1)$

Then $\underline{y}(x_2) = M(x_2, x_1) M(x_1, x_0) \underline{y}(x_0)$ and $\underline{y}(x_2) = M(x_2, x_0) \underline{y}(x_0)$

Hence $M(x_2, x_0) = M(x_2, x_1) M(x_1, x_0)$

Using $M(x, x_0)$ from Question 5

$M(x_2, x_1) M(x_1, x_0) = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \frac{1}{2}(x_2^2-x_1^2) & \sin \frac{1}{2}(x_2^2-x_1^2) \\ -\sin \frac{1}{2}(x_2^2-x_1^2) & \cos \frac{1}{2}(x_2^2-x_1^2) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \frac{1}{2}(x_1^2-x_0^2) & \sin \frac{1}{2}(x_1^2-x_0^2) \\ -\sin \frac{1}{2}(x_1^2-x_0^2) & \cos \frac{1}{2}(x_1^2-x_0^2) \end{pmatrix}$
 $= \begin{pmatrix} \cos [\frac{1}{2}(x_2^2-x_1^2) + \frac{1}{2}(x_1^2-x_0^2)] & \sin [\frac{1}{2}(x_2^2-x_1^2) + \frac{1}{2}(x_1^2-x_0^2)] \\ -\sin [\frac{1}{2}(x_2^2-x_1^2) + \frac{1}{2}(x_1^2-x_0^2)] & \cos [\frac{1}{2}(x_2^2-x_1^2) + \frac{1}{2}(x_1^2-x_0^2)] \end{pmatrix}$
 $= \begin{pmatrix} \cos \frac{1}{2}(x_2^2-x_0^2) & \sin \frac{1}{2}(x_2^2-x_0^2) \\ -\sin \frac{1}{2}(x_2^2-x_0^2) & \cos \frac{1}{2}(x_2^2-x_0^2) \end{pmatrix}$
 $= M(x_2, x_0)$