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Part A

1. (10 points) Find the general solution of the differential equation

$$(x^2 + 3) dy - (2xy - 2x) dx = 0.$$

Separate variables.

$$\frac{dy}{y-1} = \frac{2x}{x^2+3} dx$$

$$\int \frac{dy}{y-1} = \int \frac{2x}{x^2+3} dx \Rightarrow \ln|y-1| = \ln|x^2+3| + C$$

(For the RHS integral use the substitution $u = x^2 + 3$)

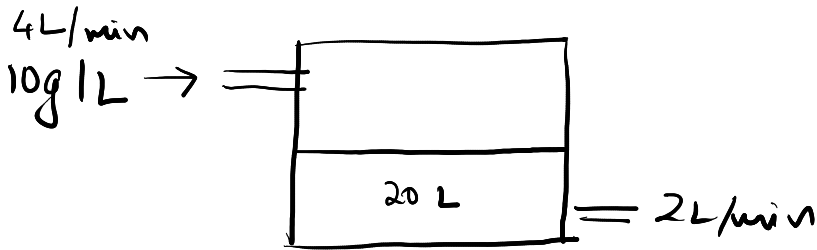
$$\Rightarrow |y-1| = e^C |x^2+3| \Rightarrow y-1 = c'(x^2+3) \quad c' \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 1 + c'(x^2+3) \text{ is a general solution.}$$

(To remove the absolute value, you need to consider the cases $y-1 = e^C(x^2+3)$ and $y-1 = -e^C(x^2+3)$ and define $c' = \pm e^C$)

Answer:

2. (10 points) A tank whose volume is 40 L is initially half full with fresh water. A solution containing 10 g/L of salt is pumped into the tank at a rate of 4 L/min, and the well-stirred mixture flows out at a rate of 2 L/min. How much salt is in the tank just before the solution overflows?



$$V(t) = 20 + 2t$$

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = \left(40 - 2 \frac{A(t)}{V(t)} \right) \Rightarrow \frac{dA}{dt} + \frac{2}{20+2t} A = 40$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dA}{dt} + \frac{A}{10+t} = 40 \quad \int \frac{1}{10+t} dt = e^{\log(10+t)} = 10+t$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} (A(10+t)) = 40(10+t)$$

$$A(t)(10+t) - A(0)10 = 40 \int_0^t (10+t) dt = 40 \left[10t + \frac{t^2}{2} \right]$$

$$A(t) = \frac{400t + 20t^2}{10+t}$$

$A(0) = 0$ follows from the fact that initially we have no salt

Answer:

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Continue working on Problem 2 here.

3. (10 points) Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{bmatrix}$$

and assume $\det A = 1$. Find the determinants of the following matrices:

(a)

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} d-2a & e-2b & f-2c \\ 2g-3d & 2h-3e & 2i-3f \\ -4a & -4b & -4c \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det B \stackrel{R=R-\frac{R_3}{2}}{=} \begin{vmatrix} d & e & f \\ 2g-3d & 2h-3e & 2i-3f \\ -4a & -4b & -4c \end{vmatrix} \stackrel{R_2=R_2+3R_3}{=} \begin{vmatrix} d & e & f \\ 2g & 2h & 2i \\ -4a & -4b & -4c \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\stackrel{\text{move constants out}}{=} (-4)(2) \begin{vmatrix} d & e & f \\ g & h & i \\ a & b & c \end{vmatrix} \stackrel{\substack{\text{exchange } R_1 \leftrightarrow R_3 \\ (-1)}}{=} (-4)(-2)(-1) \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ g & h & i \\ d & e & f \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\stackrel{R_2 \leftrightarrow R_3}{=} (-8)(-1) \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{vmatrix} = 8$$

Answer: $\det B =$

(b)

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} a+2b & d+2e & g+2h \\ 3b-5c & 3e-5f & 3h-5i \\ b & e & h \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det(C) = \begin{vmatrix} a & d & g \\ 3b-5c & 3e-5f & 3h-5i \\ b & e & h \end{vmatrix}$$

$R_1 = R_1 - 2R_3$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} a & d & g \\ -5c & -5f & -5i \\ b & e & h \end{vmatrix} = (-5) \begin{vmatrix} a & d & g \\ c & f & i \\ b & e & h \end{vmatrix}$$

$R_2 = R_2 - 3R_1$

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & d & g \\ b & e & h \\ c & f & i \end{vmatrix} = 5 \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{vmatrix}$$

swap $R_2 \leftrightarrow R_3$
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 $= (-5)(-1) \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{vmatrix}$

$\det(A) = \det(A^T)$

$$= 5$$

Answer: $\det C =$

4. (10 points) For the following vector spaces V , determine whether or not the given set W is a subspace of V . In either case, justify your answer thoroughly.

(a) $V = M_3(\mathbb{R})$ (i.e., the vector space of 3×3 matrices with real elements) and

$$W = \{A \in V \mid A^T = 2A\}.$$

Suppose $A \in W$ then $A^T = 2A$. If $B \in W$
 $(A+B)^T = A^T + B^T = 2A + 2B = 2(A+B)$ closed under addition.
 $\Rightarrow A+B \in W$

If $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$

$$(\lambda A)^T = \lambda A^T = \lambda 2A = 2(\lambda A)$$

closed under scalar multiplication

YES W is a subspace

Circle one answer. W is a subspace: YES or NO.

(b) $V = C^1(\mathbb{R})$ (i.e., the vector space of differentiable functions on \mathbb{R} , whose derivative is continuous) and W is the subset of V consisting of those functions satisfying the differential equation

$$y' = y^2 + 2y$$

on \mathbb{R} .

Ugly method
(Solve the DE)

$$\frac{dy}{y^2 + 2y} = dx \quad \frac{dy}{y(y+2)} = dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{2} \left(\frac{1}{y} - \frac{1}{y+2} \right) = dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} [\log|y| - \log|y+2|] = x + C$$

$$\frac{y}{y+2} = c' e^{2x} \quad c' \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$y(1 - c' e^{2x}) = 2c' e^{2x}$$

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$$y = \frac{2c' e^{2x}}{1 - c' e^{2x}}$$

Take $c' = 1$ and $c' = -1$

$$y_1 = \frac{2e^{2x}}{1 - e^{2x}} \quad y_2 = \frac{-2e^{2x}}{1 + e^{2x}}$$

$$y_1 + y_2 = \frac{2e^{2x}(1 + e^{2x} - 1 - e^{2x})}{1 - e^{4x}} \quad \text{which is not of form in } \star 1$$

Easy: $y = -2$ is a solution BUT $(2y)(x) = -4$ is not a solution

This shows that W is not closed under scalar multiplication.

Circle one answer. W is a subspace: YES or **(NO)**

5. (10 points) Determine a spanning set S for the subspace of \mathbb{R}^3 consisting of all solutions to the linear system

$$\begin{cases} 2x_1 - 3x_2 + 5x_3 = 0, \\ 3x_1 - 4x_2 + 7x_3 = 0. \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \# \\ A &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 5 & 0 \\ 3 & -4 & 7 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -4 & 7 & 0 \\ 2 & -3 & 5 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & -3 & 5 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ &\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Set $x_3 = t \Rightarrow x_2 = t, x_1 = -t$

So the solution set is $S = \{(-t, t, t) : t \in \mathbb{R}\}$

$$= \{t(-1, 1, 1) : t \in \mathbb{R}\} = \text{span} \{(-1, 1, 1)\}$$

Answer: $S = \{(-1, 1, 1)\}$

6. (10 points) Using the Wronskian, show that the functions

$$f_1(x) = \sin x, \quad f_2(x) = \cos x, \quad f_3(x) = \tan x,$$

are linearly independent on the interval $(-\pi/2, \pi/2)$.

$$W(x) = \begin{vmatrix} \sin x & \cos x & \tan x \\ \cos x & -\sin x & \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} \\ -\sin x & -\cos x & -\frac{2}{\cos^3 x} \sin x \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \tan x = \sec^2 x = \frac{1}{\cos^2 x}$$

$$\text{Try } W(0) = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \quad (\text{no use})$$

$$W\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 1 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 2 \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -2 \cdot 1 \cdot 2 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 2 \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -4 \end{vmatrix} = -\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} = -1$$

$\neq 0$

So they're linearly independent.

$$\text{We used } \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) \quad \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = 1$$

7. (10 points) Find, with proof, a basis B for the subspace of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$ spanned by

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{A_1}, \quad \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{A_2}, \quad \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}}_{A_3}, \quad \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}}_{A_4}.$$

Corresponding equations:

$$\text{span}\{A_1, A_2, A_3, A_4\} = \left\{ aA_1 + bA_2 + cA_3 + dA_4 : a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & -2 & -4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & -2 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & -11 & -13 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 5/4 \\ 0 & 0 & -11 & -13 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 5/4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -13 + \frac{55}{4} \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 5/4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -107/4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\text{Rank}(A) = 4 = \dim(M_2)$ So $\text{span}\{A_1, A_2, A_3, A_4\} = M_2$

Answer: $B = \{A_1, A_2, A_3, A_4\}$

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Part B

8. (10 points) Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 & 5 & 5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(a) Determine a basis B for $\text{colspace}(A)$.

lets find RREF (A) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 & 5 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

$R_1 = R_1 - R_2$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 & 5 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & -2 & 6 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & -2 \\ 0 & -2 & 6 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$R_3 = R_3 + 2R_2$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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So the 1st 2 columns of A form a basis.
for $\text{colspan}(A)$

$$B = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

Answer: $B =$

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Continue working on part (a) here.

(b) Using the Rank-Nullity Theorem, compute the nullity of A .

$$\text{rank}(A) = 2 \quad \# \text{ of columns of } A = 4$$

$$\text{null}(A) = 4 - 2 = 2$$

Answer: $\text{nullity}(A) =$

9. (10 points) Consider the matrix

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(a) Find all eigenvalues of C .

$$\det(\lambda I - C) = \begin{vmatrix} \lambda+3 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & \lambda+1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda+2 \end{vmatrix} = (\lambda+3)[(\lambda+1)(\lambda+2)] + 1 \cdot (\lambda+2) = 0$$

$$(\lambda+2)(\lambda^2 + 4\lambda + 3 + 1) = 0 \Rightarrow (\lambda+2)(\lambda+2)(\lambda+2) = 0$$

$\Rightarrow \lambda = -2$ is the only eigenvalue. To find the eigenspace of $\lambda = -2$

we have to find the solution set of $(C - \lambda I)v = \vec{0}$

$$(C - \lambda I)^\# = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 & 0 & : & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 2 & : & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & : & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 & 0 & : & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & : & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & : & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} x_3 = 0 & x_2 = t & x_1 = t \\ S = \{t(1, 1, 0) : t \in \mathbb{R}\} \end{matrix}$$

So the eigenspace is one dimensional

Answer:

(b) Determine a basis for each of the eigenspaces associated to C .

$$B = \{ (1, 1, 0) \}$$

Answer:

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Continue working on part (b) here.

(c) Using the previous parts, argue whether C is defective or nondefective.

The multiplicity of -2 is 3 .

$$\dim(E_{-2}) = 1 < 3$$

$\Rightarrow C$ is DEFECTIVE

Circle one answer. C is defective: **YES** or **NO**.

10. (10 points) If $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ is a linear transformation satisfying

$$T(\underbrace{1, 2, 0}_{u_1}) = \underbrace{(2, -1, 1)}_{z_1}, \quad T(0, 1, 1) = (3, -1, -1), \quad T(0, 2, 3) = (6, -5, 4),$$

find the matrix A associated to T (i.e., find the matrix A such that $T(\mathbf{x}) = A\mathbf{x}$.)

Write $A = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 & v_2 & v_3 \end{bmatrix}$ Using column expansion and the

equations $Au_i = z_i$ for $i=1,2,3$ we get the equations

$$\left. \begin{aligned} v_1 + 2v_2 &= \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ v_2 + v_3 &= \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \\ 2v_2 + 3v_3 &= \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -5 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} v_3 &= \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -5 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \\ v_2 &= \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} \\ v_1 &= \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 4 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ -5 \\ -7 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 3 & 0 \\ -5 & 2 & -3 \\ -7 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Answer:

$A =$

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Continue working on Problem 10 here.

Alternatively: We know the matrix corresponding to T consists of the columns $[Te_1 \ Te_2 \ Te_3]$. Thus we only need to

write $e_1 = a_1 u_1 + b_1 u_2 + c_1 u_3$ to get $Te_1 = a_1 Tu_1 + b_1 Tu_2 + c_1 Te_3$

Thus

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}}_B \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \\ c_1 & c_2 & c_3 \end{bmatrix}}_{B^{-1}} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Then $[Te_1 \ Te_2 \ Te_3] = \begin{bmatrix} z_1 & z_2 & z_3 \\ 2 & 3 & 6 \\ -7 & -1 & -5 \\ 1 & -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} B^{-1}$ $\det(B) = 1$

$$\text{adj}(A) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -6 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & -1 \\ 0 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad B^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -6 & 3 & -2 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow [Te_1 \ Te_2 \ Te_3] = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 3 & 0 \\ -5 & 2 & -3 \\ -7 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

11. (10 points) Consider the linear transformation $T : P_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow M_2(\mathbb{R})$ given by

$$T(ax^2 + bx + c) = \begin{bmatrix} a+b & b+c \\ b+c & a-c \end{bmatrix}.$$

(a) Determine a basis for $\text{Ker}(T)$.

$$Tp = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

gives

$$\begin{aligned} a+b &= 0 \\ b+c &= 0 \\ \underbrace{a-c}_{A} &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$A \# = \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \text{ Set } c = t \Rightarrow b = -t \ a = t$$

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Thus $S = \{ t(x^2 - x + 1) : t \in \mathbb{R} \}$ is the SOLUTION set.

and $\{ x^2 - x + 1 \}$ is a basis for the kernel.

Answer:

(b) Determine a basis for $\text{Rng}(T)$.

By rank-nullity we must have $\dim(\ker(T)) + \dim(\text{Rng}(T)) = \dim(\mathbb{P}_2) = 3$

$$\Rightarrow \dim(\text{Rng}(T)) = 2$$

Note that any Tx is of the form $\begin{bmatrix} a+b & b+c \\ b+c & a-c \end{bmatrix}$. Let $\lambda = a+b$
 $\mu = a-c$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \lambda & \lambda-\mu \\ \lambda-\mu & \mu \end{bmatrix} = \lambda \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \mu \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus the basis for the range is $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

Answer:

12. (10 points) Solve the initial value problem

$$\begin{cases} y''' + 2y'' - 4y' - 8y = 0, \\ y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 6, \quad y''(0) = 8. \end{cases}$$

This is a polynomial differential operator.

$$P(D) = D^3 + 2D^2 - 4D + 8 \quad \text{with corresponding}$$

polynomial $\lambda^3 + 2\lambda^2 - 4\lambda + 8 = 0$ You can guess 1 root ($\lambda = -2$)

$$\Rightarrow (\lambda + 2)(\lambda^2 - 4) = 0 \Rightarrow (\lambda + 2)(\lambda + 2)(\lambda - 2) \quad \text{So the eigenvalues are}$$

$$\lambda = \pm 2$$

-2 has multiplicity 2 so we have the 2 lin.

indep. solutions

$$\left\{ e^{-2t}, t e^{-2t} \right\}$$

and 2 has multiplicity 1 with solution e^{2t} .

Thus the general solution is

$$y(x) = A e^{-2t} + B t e^{-2t} + C e^{2t}$$

Answer: $y(x) =$

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$$y' = -2Ae^{-2t} + Be^{-2t} - 2Bte^{-2t} + 2Ce^{2t}$$

$$y'' = 4Ae^{-2t} - 2Be^{-2t} - 2Be^{-2t} + 4Bte^{-2t} + 4Ce^{2t}$$

Plugging in initial data

$$A + C = 0$$

$$-2A + B + 2C = 6$$

$$4A - 4B + 4C = 8$$

$$A - B + C = 2 \Rightarrow B = -2$$

$$-2A + 2C = 8$$

$$-A + C = 4 \Rightarrow C = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow A = -2$$

$$y(x) = -2e^{-2t} - 2te^{-2t} + 2e^{2t}$$

13. (10 points) Find the general solution to the differential equation

$$(D^2 + D - 2)y = 4 \cos x - 2 \sin x.$$

Homogeneous eqn: $y'' + y' - 2y = 0$

Characteristic polynomial
 $\lambda^2 + \lambda - 2 = 0$

Alternatively you can find the eigenvalues of the associated linear system
 Eigenvalues: $\det \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & -1 \\ -2 & \lambda+1 \end{pmatrix} = 0$

$\Rightarrow (\lambda+2)(\lambda-1) = 0$ $\lambda = 2$ and $\lambda = 1$ (with multiplicity 1 each)

So the homogeneous part: $y(x) = Ae^{2x} + Be^x$ (general solution)

To find a particular solution, let $u(x) = p \cos x + q \sin x$

Then $u' = -p \sin x + q \cos x$, $u'' = -p \cos x - q \sin x$

$(-q - p - 2q) \sin x$
 $(-p + q - 2p) \cos x$

$$u'' + u - 2u = \cos x \underbrace{(-p + q - 2p)}_4 + \sin x \underbrace{(-q - p - 2q)}_{-2}$$

Answer: $y(x) =$

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$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} -p-3q = -2 \\ -3p+q = 4 \end{cases} &\Rightarrow q+9q = 4+6 \Rightarrow q=1 \quad p=-1 \quad \text{Hence,} \end{aligned}$$

$$u(x) = -\cos x + \sin x$$

Thus the general solution is of the form

$$y(x) = -\cos x + \sin x + Ae^{2x} + Be^x$$

14. (10 points) Determine the general solution to the system

$$\begin{cases} x_1'(t) = 2x_1(t) + 3x_3(t), \\ x_2'(t) = -4x_2(t), \\ x_3'(t) = -3x_1(t) + 2x_3(t). \end{cases}$$

Note that $x_2' = -4x_2$ has general solution $x_2 = A_2 e^{-4t}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1' \\ x_3' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{has char polynomial } (\lambda-2)(\lambda-2)+9=0$$

solutions of the form $x_1 = e^{-2t} (A_1 \cos(3t) + A_3 \sin(3t))$
 $x_3 = e^{-2t} (-A_1 \sin(3t) + A_3 \cos(3t))$

So the general solution is

$$x_1 = e^{-2t} (A_1 \cos(3t) + A_3 \sin(3t))$$

$$x_2 = A_2 e^{-4t}$$

$$x_3 = e^{-2t} (-A_1 \sin(3t) + A_3 \cos(3t))$$

Answer: $\begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \\ x_3(t) \end{bmatrix} =$

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