

HW 5: Look at comments before submitting HW 6 as HW 6 will be graded more rigorously. ✖

In class quizzes are available again. While I recommend doing them on each class day, the unofficial due date is Sunday (note there is no late penalty to allow schedule flexibility).

Linear matrix equation:  $Ax = b$

*MATH 700 equivalent to linear system of linear eqns*

Linear differential equation:

$$y^{(n)} + p_1(t)y^{(n-1)} + \dots + p_{n-1}(t)y' + p_n(t)y = g(t)$$

*equation  $\Rightarrow =$*

Linear combination of vectors:  $c_1\mathbf{v}_1 + \dots + c_n\mathbf{v}_n$

Linear combination of functions:  $c_1\phi_1 + \dots + c_n\phi_n$

Linear Functions

*vector space of fns  
soln set for homog*

A function  $f$  is linear if  $f(a\mathbf{x} + b\mathbf{y}) = af(\mathbf{x}) + bf(\mathbf{y})$

Or equivalently  $f$  is linear if

- 1.)  $f(a\mathbf{x}) = af(\mathbf{x})$  and
- 2.)  $f(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}) = f(\mathbf{x}) + f(\mathbf{y})$

*LHS of linear eqn is a linear function*

EX 14

function

Theorem: If  $f$  is linear, then  $f(\mathbf{0}) = \mathbf{0}$  ←

Proof:  $f(\vec{0}) = f(0 \cdot \vec{0}) = 0 \cdot f(\vec{0}) = \vec{0}$

Example 1a.)  $f : R \rightarrow R, f(x) = 2x$  ✓

Proof:

$f(ax + by) = 2(ax + by) = 2ax + 2by = af(x) + bf(y)$

Example 1b.)  $f : R \rightarrow R, f(x) = 2x + 3$  is NOT linear.

eqn of line, NOT

Proof:  $f(2 \cdot 0) = f(0) = 3$ , but  $2f(0) = 2 \cdot 3 = 6$ . LINEAR FN

Hence  $f(2 \cdot 0) \neq 2f(0)$

Alternate Proof:  $f(0 + 1) = f(1) = 5$ , but  $f(0) + f(1) = 3 + 5 = 8$ . Hence  $f(0 + 1) \neq f(0) + f(1)$

Note confusing notation: Most lines,  $f(x) = mx + b$  are not linear functions.

Question: When is a line,  $f(x) = mx + b$ , a linear function?

$b = 0$

$f(x) = mx$  is a linear fn  
 $f(ax + by) = m(ax + by) = amx + bmy = a f(x) + b f(y)$

EX 1:  $f(x) = [2]x$

EX 2:  $f\left(\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$

Example 2.)  $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ ,

$f((x_1, x_2)) = (2x_1, x_1 + x_2)$

matrix  
e2n

Proof: Let  $\mathbf{x} = (x_1, x_2)$ ,  $\mathbf{y} = (y_1, y_2)$

$A(x+s)$

$a\mathbf{x} + b\mathbf{y} = a(x_1, x_2) + b(y_1, y_2) = (ax_1, ax_2) + (by_1, by_2) = (ax_1 + by_1, ax_2 + by_2)$

$f(ax_1 + by_1, ax_2 + by_2)$

$= (2(ax_1 + by_1), ax_1 + by_1 + ax_2 + by_2)$

$= (2ax_1 + 2by_1, ax_1 + ax_2 + by_1 + by_2)$

$= (2ax_1, ax_1 + ax_2) + (2by_1, by_1 + by_2)$

$= a(2x_1, x_1 + x_2) + b(2y_1, y_1 + y_2)$

$= af((x_1, x_2)) + bf((y_1, y_2))$

✓ Example 3.)  $D$  : set of all differential functions  $\rightarrow$  set of all functions,  $D(f) = f'$

Proof:

$D(\underline{af + bg}) = (af + bg)' = af' + bg' = aD(f) + bD(g)$

Example 4.) Given  $a, b$  real numbers,

$I$  : set of all integrable functions on  $[a, b] \rightarrow R$ ,

$$I(f) = \int_a^b f$$

Proof:  $I(sf + tg) = \int_a^b sf + tg = s \int_a^b f + t \int_a^b g = sI(f) + tI(g)$

Example 5.) The inverse of a linear function is linear (when the inverse exists). *Math 2560 → ch 6*

Suppose  $f^{-1}(x) = c, f^{-1}(y) = d$ .

*Laplace transform*

Then  $f(c) = x$  and  $f(d) = y$  and  $f(ac + bd) = af(c) + bf(d) = ax + by$ .

Hence  $f^{-1}(ax + by) = ac + bd = af^{-1}(x) + bf^{-1}(y)$ .

Example 6.)  $D$  : set of all twice differential functions → set of all functions,  $L(f) = af'' + bf' + cf$

Proof:

*LHS of Linear DE*

$$\begin{aligned} L(sf + tg) &= a(sf + tg)'' + b(sf + tg)' + c(sf + tg) \\ &= saf'' + tag'' + sbf' + tbg' + scf + tcg \\ &= s(af'' + bf' + cf) + t(ag'' + bg' + cg) \\ &= sL(f) + tL(g) \end{aligned}$$

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$$L(f) = \overbrace{af'' + bf' + cf}^{LH5} = 0$$

Consequence 1: If  $\phi_1, \phi_2$  are solutions to  $af'' + bf' + cf = 0$ , then  $3\phi_1 + 5\phi_2$  is also a solution to  $af'' + bf' + cf = 0$ ,

pf: Since  $\phi_1, \phi_2$  are solns to  $af'' + bf' + cf = 0$

$$\Rightarrow a\phi_i'' + b\phi_i' + c\phi_i = 0$$

$$\text{Let } L(f) = af'' + bf' + cf$$

$$L(\phi_i) = a\phi_i'' + b\phi_i' + c\phi_i = 0$$

$$L(3\phi_1 + 5\phi_2) = 3L(\phi_1) + 5L(\phi_2) = 3 \cdot 0 + 5 \cdot 0 = 0$$

Thm 3.2.2: If  $\phi_1$  and  $\phi_2$  are two solutions to a homogeneous linear differential equation

$$y'' + p(t)y' + q(t)y = 0$$

then  $c_1\phi_1 + c_2\phi_2$  is also a solution to this linear differential equation.

Let  $L(y) = y'' + p(t)y' + q(t)y$   
 Note  $L$  is a linear function  
 (special case of example 6)

Note  $f$  is a soln  $\Leftrightarrow L(f) = 0$

$$L(c_1\phi_1 + c_2\phi_2) = c_1L(\phi_1) + c_2L(\phi_2) = c_1 \cdot 0 + c_2 \cdot 0 = 0$$

$\Rightarrow c_1\phi_1 + c_2\phi_2$  is a soln

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$$\text{let } L(f) = af'' + bf' + cf$$

Proof: Since  $\phi_1, \phi_2$  are solutions to  $af'' + bf' + cf = 0$ ,  $L(\phi_1) = 0$  and  $L(\phi_2) = 0$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hence } L(3\phi_1 + 5\phi_2) &= 3L(\phi_1) + 5L(\phi_2) \\ &= 3(0) + 5(0) = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $3\phi_1 + 5\phi_2$  is also a solution to  $af'' + bf' + cf = 0$   $\square$

Thm 3.2.2: If  $\phi_1$  and  $\phi_2$  are two solutions to a homogeneous linear DE

$$y'' + p(t)y' + q(t)y = 0 \quad (*)$$

$c_1\phi_1 + c_2\phi_2$  is also a solution to this linear DE.

Proof:  $L(y) = y'' + p(t)y' + q(t)y$  is a linear function.

The function  $y = h(t)$  is a solution to (\*) iff  $L(h) = 0$ .

Since  $\phi_i$  are solutions to (\*),  $L(\phi_i) = 0$  for  $i = 1, 2$ .

$$L(c_1\phi_1 + c_2\phi_2) = c_1L(\phi_1) + c_2L(\phi_2) = c_1(0) + c_2(0) = 0$$

Thus  $y = c_1\phi_1 + c_2\phi_2$  is also a solution to (\*).

3.2 (A) Linear combinations of homog solns are homog solns to Linear homog DE

(B) Wronskian

B1) The coef matrix used to find  $c_1$  &  $c_2$  when solving IVP

B2)  $W(\phi_1, \phi_2)(t_0) \neq 0$

$\iff$  IVP soln exists & is unique

Consequence 2: (relate to section 3.5

If  $\psi_1$  is a solution to  $af'' + bf' + cf = h$  and  $\psi_2$  is a solution to  $af'' + bf' + cf = k$ , then  $3\psi_1 + 5\psi_2$  is a solution to  $af'' + bf' + cf = 3h + 5k$ , } NOT homog if  $h \neq 0, k \neq 0$

$$L(f) = af'' + bf' + cf$$

Since  $\psi_1$  is a solution to  $af'' + bf' + cf = h$ ,  $L(\psi_1) = h$ .

Since  $\psi_2$  is a solution to  $af'' + bf' + cf = k$ ,  $L(\psi_2) = k$ .

$$\text{Hence } L(3\psi_1 + 5\psi_2) = 3L(\psi_1) + 5L(\psi_2)$$

$$= 3h + 5k$$

Thus  $3\psi_1 + 5\psi_2$  is also a solution to

$$af'' + bf' + cf = 3h + 5k$$

Section 3.5: Solving linear non-homogeneous DE.

Example: Solve  $y'' - 4y' - 5y = 4\sin(3t)$

**Step 1**: Solve linear homog DE

$$y'' - 4y' - 5y = 0$$

$$r^2 - 4r - 5 = 0$$

$$(r-5)(r+1) = 0 \Rightarrow r = 5, -1$$

$\Rightarrow$  general homog soln is

$$y = c_1 e^{5t} + c_2 e^{-t}$$



**Step 4:** Find 1 non homog  
soln to non homog linear DE

$$y'' - 4y' - 5y = 4 \sin(3t)$$

Educated Guess (3.5 method)  
then plug in

$$y = A \sin(3t) + B \cos(3t)$$

$$\rightarrow y' = 3A \cos(3t) - 3B \sin(3t)$$

$$y'' = -9A \sin(3t) - 9B \cos(3t)$$

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$$(-9A \sin(3t) - 9B \cos(3t))$$

$$- 4(-3B \sin(3t) + 3A \cos(3t))$$

$$- 5(A \sin(3t) + B \cos(3t)) = 4 \sin(3t)$$

Example (cont): Solve  $y'' - 4y' - 5y = 4\sin(3t)$

$$\begin{aligned} & (-9A - 4(-3B) - 5A) \sin(3t) \\ & + (-9B - 4(+3A) - 5B) \cos(3t) \\ & = (-14A + 12B) \sin(3t) \\ & + (-14B - 12A) \cos(3t) \\ & \qquad \qquad \qquad = 4 \sin(3t) \\ & \qquad \qquad \qquad + 0 \cos(3t) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{cases} -14A + 12B = 4 \\ -14B - 12A = 0 \end{cases} \text{ etc}$$

Thm: Suppose  $c_1\phi_1(t) + c_2\phi_2(t)$  is a general solution to

$$ay'' + by' + cy = 0,$$

If  $\psi$  is a solution to

$$ay'' + by' + cy = g(t) \text{ [*]},$$

Then  $\psi + c_1\phi_1(t) + c_2\phi_2(t)$  is also a solution to [\*].

Moreover if  $\gamma$  is also a solution to [\*], then there exist constants  $c_1, c_2$  such that

$$\gamma = \psi + c_1\phi_1(t) + c_2\phi_2(t)$$

Or in other words,  $\psi + c_1\phi_1(t) + c_2\phi_2(t)$  is a general solution to [\*].

Proof:

Define  $L(f) = af'' + bf' + cf$ .

Recall  $L$  is a linear function.

Let  $h = c_1\phi_1(t) + c_2\phi_2(t)$ . Since  $h$  is a solution to the differential equation,  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$ ,

Since  $\psi$  is a solution to  $ay'' + by' + cy = g(t)$ ,

We will now show that  $\psi + c_1\phi_1(t) + c_2\phi_2(t) = \psi + h$  is also a solution to [\*].

Since  $\gamma$  a solution to  $ay'' + by' + cy = g(t)$ ,

We will first show that  $\gamma - \psi$  is a solution to the differential equation  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$ .

Since  $\gamma - \psi$  is a solution to  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$  and

$c_1\phi_1(t) + c_2\phi_2(t)$  is a general solution to

$$ay'' + by' + cy = 0,$$

there exist constants  $c_1, c_2$  such that

$$\gamma - \psi = \underline{\hspace{15em}}$$

Thus  $\gamma = \psi + c_1\phi_1(t) + c_2\phi_2(t)$ .