

Problem: Radioactive decay  $\alpha \rightarrow \beta \rightarrow \emptyset$   $\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 0 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix}$

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Eigensystem:  $\lambda_1 = -2, \vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \lambda_2 = -6, \vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$e^{tA} = \exp\left(t \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 0 & -6 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e^{-2t} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-6t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} e^{-2t} & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2}e^{-2t} - \frac{1}{2}e^{-6t} & e^{-6t} \end{bmatrix}$$

The meaning of the propagator  $e^{tA}$ :

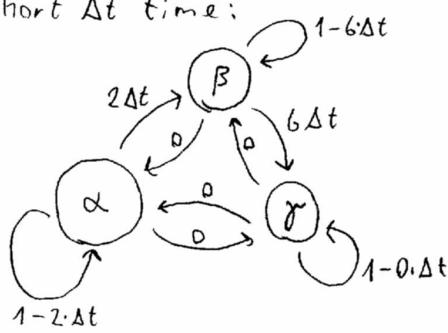
$$\vec{y}(t) = e^{tA} \vec{y}(0)$$

$$\vec{y}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{y}(t) = e^{tA} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} e^{-2t} \\ \frac{1}{2}e^{-2t} - \frac{1}{2}e^{-6t} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{first column of } e^{tA}$$

$$\vec{y}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{y}(t) = e^{tA} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ e^{-6t} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{second column of } e^{tA}$$

Probability theoretical interpretation:  $\alpha \rightarrow \beta \rightarrow \gamma$  3 state system

Transition probabilities in a short At time:



The evolution of the  $p_\alpha, p_\beta, p_\gamma$  probabilities

$$\begin{aligned} t=0 & \xrightarrow{\quad} t=\Delta t \\ \begin{bmatrix} p_\alpha \\ p_\beta \\ p_\gamma \end{bmatrix} & \longrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1-2\Delta t & 0 & 0 \\ 2\Delta t & 1-6\Delta t & 0 \\ 0 & 6\Delta t & 1-0\cdot\Delta t \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} p_\alpha \\ p_\beta \\ p_\gamma \end{bmatrix} \\ & = \left( E + \Delta t \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -6 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) \begin{bmatrix} p_\alpha \\ p_\beta \\ p_\gamma \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Here for example the  $[6\Delta t]$  matrix element at position " $\gamma\beta$ " gives the chance of the  $\gamma \rightarrow \beta$  transition if the current state is  $\beta$ .

$$\text{So } \frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} p_\alpha \\ p_\beta \\ p_\gamma \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -6 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} p_\alpha \\ p_\beta \\ p_\gamma \end{bmatrix}$$

The sum of the elements in each column is zero.

Conservation of probability:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt} (p_\alpha + p_\beta + p_\gamma) &= (-2+2+0)p_\alpha + (0-6+6)p_\beta \\ &\quad + (0+0+0)p_\gamma = 0 \end{aligned}$$

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Cont.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -6 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$\det(A - \lambda E) = \begin{vmatrix} -2-\lambda & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -6-\lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 6 & 0-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (-2-\lambda)(-6-\lambda)(0-\lambda) \longrightarrow \lambda_1 = -2, \lambda_2 = -6, \lambda_3 = 0$$

$$\lambda_1 = -2, \vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \lambda_2 = -6, \vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \lambda_3 = 0, \vec{v}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$e^{tA} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ -3 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e^{-2t} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-6t} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ -3 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} e^{-2t} & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2}e^{-2t} - \frac{1}{2}e^{-6t} & e^{-6t} & 0 \\ 1 - \frac{3}{2}e^{-2t} + \frac{1}{2}e^{-6t} & 1 - e^{-6t} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} W_{\alpha \leftarrow \alpha} & W_{\alpha \leftarrow \beta} & W_{\alpha \leftarrow \gamma} \\ W_{\beta \leftarrow \alpha} & W_{\beta \leftarrow \beta} & W_{\beta \leftarrow \gamma} \\ W_{\gamma \leftarrow \alpha} & W_{\gamma \leftarrow \beta} & W_{\gamma \leftarrow \gamma} \end{bmatrix}$$

Here for example the  $W_{\beta \leftarrow \beta} = 1 - e^{-6t}$  matrix element gives the chance that if the state was  $\beta$  at time  $t=0$ , then the state is  $\beta$  at time  $t$ .

The sum of the matrix elements in the columns of  $e^{tA}$  is always one.

Steady state:  $\vec{v}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Zero eigenvalue of  $e^{tA}$ .

Numerical approximation

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 2 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = A \vec{y}, \quad \exp(tA) = \begin{bmatrix} e^{-2t} & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2}e^{-2t} - \frac{1}{2}e^{-6t} & e^{-6t} \end{bmatrix}$$

Euler method:  $\vec{y}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{y}_n \approx \vec{y}(n\Delta t)$

$$\vec{y}_{n+1} = \vec{y}_n + \Delta t \cdot A \vec{y}_n = (E + \Delta t \cdot A) \vec{y}_n = \begin{bmatrix} 1 - 2\Delta t & 0 \\ 2\Delta t & 1 - 6\Delta t \end{bmatrix} \vec{y}_n$$

$$A \vec{V}_i = \lambda_i \vec{V}_i \longleftrightarrow (E + \Delta t \cdot A) \vec{V}_i = (1 + \Delta t \lambda_i) \vec{V}_i \quad A, E + \Delta t \cdot A: \text{same eigenvectors}$$

$$\vec{y}(T) \approx \vec{y}_{T/\Delta t} = (E + \Delta t \cdot A)^{T/\Delta t} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 - 2\Delta t & 0 \\ 2\Delta t & 1 - 6\Delta t \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 - 2\Delta t & 0 \\ 2\Delta t & 1 - 6\Delta t \end{bmatrix}^{T/\Delta t} (2\vec{v}_1 + 5\vec{v}_2) = 2 \cdot (1 - 2\Delta t)^{T/\Delta t} \vec{v}_1 + 5 \cdot (1 - 6\Delta t)^{T/\Delta t} \vec{v}_2$$

$$\approx 2 \cdot e^{-2T} \vec{v}_1 + 5 \cdot e^{-6T} \vec{v}_2 = \vec{y}(T). \quad \approx 0. k, \text{ b. } \Delta t \rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{Indeed } \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} (1 - 2\Delta t)^{T/\Delta t} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{-2}{n}\right)^{n \cdot T} = e^{-2T}$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \det(A - \lambda E) = 0 = (-\lambda)^n + a_{n-1} \lambda^{n-1} + \dots + a_0$$

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How to compute  $a_k$ ?

strategy: Compute  $a_k$  when  $A$  diagonal

Express  $a_k$  with  $\text{Tr}(A) \dots \text{Tr}(A^k)$

since  $\text{Tr}(A) = \text{Tr}(SAS^{-1})$ , the expression works in general, too.

Examples:

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \det(A - \lambda E) = \begin{vmatrix} d_1 - \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & d_2 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = (d_1 - \lambda)(d_2 - \lambda) = \lambda^2 - \underbrace{(d_1 + d_2)}_{\text{Tr } A} \lambda + \underbrace{d_1 d_2}_{\det A} = \frac{1}{2} (\text{Tr}(A)^2 - \text{Tr}(A^2))$$

So for  $2 \times 2 A$ , we have  $\det(A - \lambda E) = \lambda^2 - \text{Tr}(A)\lambda + \frac{1}{2} (\text{Tr}(A)^2 - \text{Tr}(A^2))$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad 3 \text{dim: } \begin{vmatrix} d_1 - \lambda & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & d_2 - \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & d_3 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = -\lambda^3 - (d_1 d_2 + d_1 d_3 + d_2 d_3) \lambda + (d_1 + d_2 + d_3) \lambda^2 + d_1 d_2 d_3$$

Set  $s_1 = d_1 + d_2 + d_3$ ,  $s_2 = d_1 d_2 + d_1 d_3 + d_2 d_3$ ,  $s_3 = d_1 d_2 d_3$ ,  $t_1 = d_1 + d_2 + d_3$ ,  $t_2 = d_1^2 + d_2^2 + d_3^2$ ,  $t_3 = d_1^3 + d_2^3 + d_3^3$

Then  $s_1 = t_1$ ,  $s_2 = \frac{1}{2} t_1^2 - \frac{1}{2} t_2$ ,  $s_3 = \frac{1}{6} t_1^3 - \frac{1}{2} t_1 t_2 + \frac{1}{3} t_3$

$$\text{So } \det(A - \lambda E) = -\lambda^3 + \text{Tr}(A) \lambda^2 - \left( \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}(A)^2 - \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}(A^2) \right) \lambda + \left( \frac{1}{6} \text{Tr}(A)^3 - \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}(A) \cdot \text{Tr}(A^2) + \frac{1}{3} \text{Tr}(A^3) \right) \xrightarrow{\text{det } A}$$

## $e^A$ numerical computation

Jordan decomposition is numerically unstable

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 10^{-20} \\ 0 & 10^{-10} \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 10^{-10} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 10^{-20} \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

only three multiplication  
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$$\textcircled{4} \quad \text{a) } B \leftarrow A/2^s \quad \text{b) Approximate } e^B, \quad \text{c) } e^A = (e^B)^{2^s} \quad (\text{for example } X^8 = X^2 = ((X^2)^2)^2)$$

## 3 Critically damped harmonic oscillator: $\ddot{y} + 4\dot{y} + 4y = 0$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -4 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \begin{vmatrix} 0-\lambda & 1 \\ -4 & -4-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0 \longrightarrow \lambda = -2$$

$$\text{Observe that } \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = -2 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = -2 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Search for similar vectors for  $A$ :

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -4 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \vec{v}_1 = -2 \vec{v}_1, \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -4 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \vec{v}_2 = -2 \vec{v}_2 + \vec{v}_1 \longrightarrow \vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1/2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Then } A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -4 & -4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1/2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1/2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$$

Consequently

$$e^{tA} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1/2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \left( e^{-2t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & t \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1/2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} 1+2t & t \\ -4t & 1-2t \end{bmatrix}$$

### 3 dim rotation

angular velocity vector  $\vec{\alpha}$ ;  $\frac{d}{dt} \vec{r}(t) = \vec{\alpha} \times \vec{r}(t)$

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$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{i} & \bar{j} & \bar{k} \\ a_1 a_2 a_3 \\ x_1 x_2 x_3 \end{bmatrix} = (a_2 x_3 - a_3 x_2) \bar{i} - (a_1 x_3 - a_3 x_1) \bar{j} + (a_1 x_2 - a_2 x_1) \bar{k}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 - a_3 & a_2 \\ a_3 & 0 - a_1 \\ -a_2 & a_1 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = R_{\vec{\alpha}} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

3d vector  $\vec{\alpha}$   $\longleftrightarrow$   $R_{\vec{\alpha}}$  3x3 antisymm. matrix  
bijection

Example:  $\vec{e}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $R_{\vec{e}_3} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$   $R_{\vec{e}_3}$  block diagonal, so compute the exp-mat. for the blocks

$$\exp(t \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + t \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{t^2}{2!} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^2 + \frac{t^3}{3!} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^3 + \frac{t^4}{4!} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^4 + \dots$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + t \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{t^2}{2!} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{t^3}{3!} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{t^4}{4!} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \dots$$

$$= \left(1 - \frac{t^2}{2!} + \frac{t^4}{4!} - \dots\right) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \left(t - \frac{t^3}{3!} + \dots\right) \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos t & -\sin t \\ \sin t & \cos t \end{bmatrix}$$

since  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim 90^\circ$  rotation, we have  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{2^3} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{5 \cdot 4 + 3} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{2+1} = -\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

analogy:  $i^2 = -1$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = -1 \cdot E$$

As  $\exp(t \cdot [0]) = [1]$ , we have

$$R_{\vec{e}_3} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha & -\sin \alpha & 0 \\ \sin \alpha & \cos \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Antisymmetric matrices generate rotations (preserve lengths)

$$A = -A^T \iff |\exp(tA) \vec{y}| = |\vec{y}| \text{ for all } \vec{y}.$$

$$\text{Indeed } \frac{d}{dt} |\vec{y}(t)|^2 = \frac{d}{dt} (\vec{y}(t), \vec{y}(t)) = \left( \frac{d}{dt} \vec{y}(t), \vec{y}(t) \right) + (\vec{y}(t), \frac{d}{dt} \vec{y}(t))$$

$$= (A \vec{y}, \vec{y}) + (\vec{y}, A \vec{y}) = ((A + A^T) \vec{y}, \vec{y}) = (0 \cdot \vec{y}, \vec{y}) = 0$$

$$\text{Moreover } A = -A^T \iff R = e^{tA}, R^{-1} = e^{-tA} = e^{tA^T} = (e^{tA})^T = R^T$$

Indeed for orthogonal matrices the inverse and the transposed matrices are the same.

## Control theory, reachability

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a ball.

Problem: Given are: two robotic arms can rotate the ball around the x and y axes.

Can we rotate the ball around the z axis?

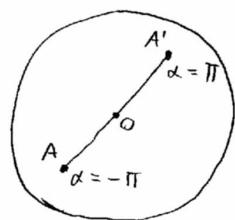
① State space:  $SO(3)$

rigid body's orientation:

rotation of an orthonormal basis,  
the set (group) of these is called  
 $SO(3)$  3dim orthogonal matrices  
 $\det = 1$ , no reflection

$SO(3)$  is a 3dim manifold:

rotation  $\sim$  axis + angle



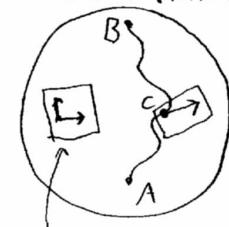
$SO(3) \cong$  3dim solid ball of radius  $\pi$

where the antipodal  $A$  and  $A'$  points on the surface represent the same rotation, so they should be identified with each other

② Reachability

3dim statespace

Does a curve between  $A$  and  $B$ , such that its tangent vectors are in the 2dim subspaces, exist?



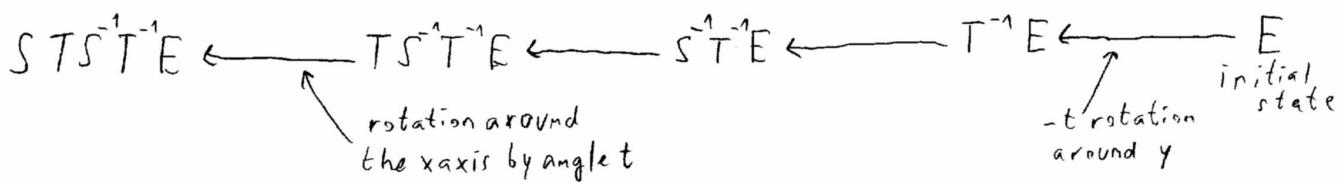
can move only in 2 directions

Initial state of the ball:  $E = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Possible rotations:

$$S = e^{tX} = \exp(tR_{\vec{e}_1}), \quad T = e^{tY} = \exp(tR_{\vec{e}_2})$$

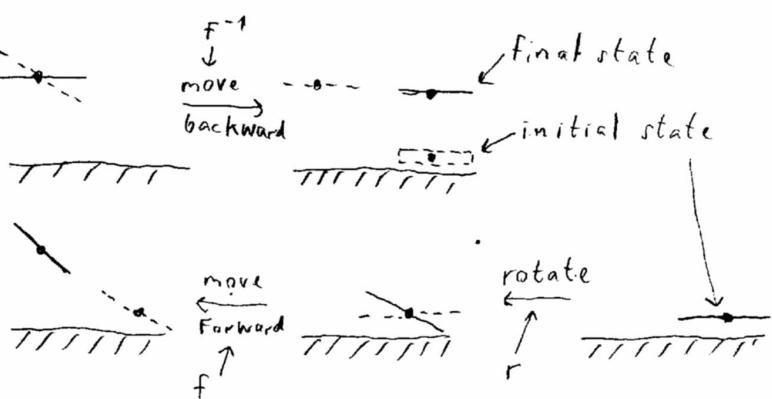
$$S^{-1} = e^{-tX}, \quad T^{-1} = e^{-tY}$$



Remark: The  $STS^{-1}T^{-1}$  combination might look a bit strange, but it is similar to what drivers do when they move a car to the middle of the road from the side of it.

Problem:

final state	$i$	$r(i)$	$f(r(i))$	$r^{-1}(f(r(i)))$	$f^{-1}(r^{-1}(f(r(i))))$
initial state	$\downarrow$	$\downarrow$	$\downarrow$	$\downarrow$	$\downarrow$
side of the road					



$$S = e^{tX}, S^{-1} = e^{-tX}, T = e^{tY}, T^{-1} = e^{-tY}$$

$$ST S^{-1} T^{-1} = (E + tX + \frac{t^2}{2!} X^2 + \dots)(E + tY + \frac{t^2}{2!} Y^2 + \dots)(E - tX + \frac{t^2}{2!} X^2 + \dots)(E - tY + \frac{t^2}{2!} Y^2 + \dots)$$

$$= E + t^2(XY - YX) + t^3(\dots) + \dots = E + t^2[X, Y] + \dots \approx \exp(t \cdot [X, Y]) \quad \text{if } t \ll 0$$

$S^{\pm 1}, T^{\pm 1}$  rotation  $\Rightarrow ST S^{-1} T^{-1}$  rotation, too  $\Rightarrow [X, Y] = XY - YX$  antisymmetric  
 commutator of  $X$  and  $Y$

In our case:

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, Y = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, XY - YX = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = R_{\vec{e}_3} = Z$$

So by rotating only around the  $x$  and  $y$  axes, we can produce a rotation around the  $z$  axis, so we can move in the third direction of the 3dim state space.

Consequently we can reach all the points of the state space.

$$\text{In general: } A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -a_3 & a_2 \\ a_3 & 0 & -a_1 \\ -a_2 & a_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -b_3 & b_2 \\ b_3 & 0 & -b_1 \\ -b_2 & b_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, AB - BA = [A, B] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -(a_1 b_2 - a_2 b_1) & a_3 b_1 - a_1 b_3 \\ a_1 b_2 - a_2 b_1 & 0 & -(a_2 b_3 - a_3 b_2) \\ -(a_3 b_1 - a_1 b_3) & a_2 b_3 - a_3 b_2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{a} \leftrightarrow A, \vec{b} \leftrightarrow B, \vec{a} \times \vec{b} \leftrightarrow AB - BA = [A, B]$$

Remark: Lie group:  $SO(3)$ : 3dim orthogonal matrices with  $\det = 1$

Lie algebra:  $so(3)$ : 3dim antisymmetric matrices,  
 operation: commutator (Lie-bracket)

$$A, B \rightarrow [A, B] = AB - BA$$

$$\text{multiplication table: } [X, Y] = Z, [Z, X] = Y, [Y, Z] = X \\ [Y, X] = -Z, [X, Z] = -Y, [Z, Y] = -X \\ [X, X] = 0, [Y, Y] = 0, [Z, Z] = 0$$

Properties of the bilinear commutator:  $[A, B] = -[B, A], [A, [B, C]] = [[A, B], C] + [B, [A, C]]$

Jacobi identity, similar to the Leibnitz rule:  $\frac{d}{dx}(f \cdot g) = (\frac{d}{dx}f) \cdot g + f \cdot (\frac{d}{dx}g)$

More Lie groups/algebras:

Lie algebra:  $gl(n)$ :  $n \times n$  matrices, Lie group:  $GL(n) = \{e^{tX} \mid X \in gl(n)\}$

Roughly a Lie group is a closed subset of some  $GL(n)$ , for example the matrices with determinant = 1, that is called  $SL(n)$

One can "almost" recover the Lie group from its Lie algebra.

"almost":  $(\mathbb{R}^1, +) = \left\{ \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & t \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{T(t)} \mid t \in \mathbb{R} \right\}, r_1 = \left\{ t \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}, SO(2) = \left\{ \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \cos t & -\sin t \\ \sin t & \cos t \end{bmatrix}}_{R(t)} \mid t \in [0, 2\pi] \right\}, so(2) = \left\{ t \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

Same trivial Lie-alg., different Lie-groups. But for small positive  $t$ , multiplication is the same:

$$T(t_1)T(t_2) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & t_1 + t_2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = T(t_1 + t_2), \quad R(t_1)R(t_2) = R(t_1 + t_2)$$

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$SL(n)$ , volume preserving transformations

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Problem: How much is  $\det(\exp(tA))$ ?

Solution: If  $A$  is diagonal, then

$$\det\left(t \cdot \begin{bmatrix} d_1 & 0 \\ 0 & d_n \end{bmatrix}\right) = \det\begin{bmatrix} e^{td_1} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{td_n} \end{bmatrix} = e^{t(d_1 + \dots + d_n)} = e^{t \cdot \text{Tr}(A)}$$

↑ Trace

Here  $\text{Tr}(A) = \sum_i A_{ii}$ , the sum of diagonal elements

$$\text{Tr}(AB) = \text{Tr}(BA) = \sum_i (\sum_j A_{ij} B_{ji}) = \sum_i (\sum_j B_{ij} A_{ji})$$

$\text{Tr}(SAS^{-1}) = \text{Tr}(S^{-1}SA) = \text{Tr}(A)$ , so  $\text{Tr}(A)$  is independent of the coord. basis

$$\begin{aligned} \text{If } A \text{ is diagonalizable: } \det(\exp(tA)) &= \det(\exp(t \cdot SDS^{-1})) = \det(S e^{tD} S^{-1}) \\ &= \det(S) \det e^{tD} \det(S^{-1}) = e^{t \cdot \text{Tr}(A)} \end{aligned}$$

Alternative solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \det(\exp((t+\Delta t)A)) &= \det e^{\Delta t \cdot A} \cdot \det e^{tA} \\ \det e^{\Delta t \cdot A} &= \det \left( E + \Delta t \cdot A + \frac{\Delta t^2}{2} \dots \right) \approx \det \begin{bmatrix} 1 + \Delta t \cdot a_{11} & \dots & \Delta t \dots \\ \Delta t \dots & \ddots & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & 1 + \Delta t \cdot a_{nn} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= 1 + \Delta t(a_{11} + \dots + a_{nn}) + \Delta t^2 \dots \approx 1 + \Delta t \cdot \text{Tr}(A) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So } \frac{d}{dt} \det(e^{tA}) = \text{Tr}(A) \cdot \det(e^{tA}), \quad \det(e^{0 \cdot A}) = \det E = 1,$$

$$\text{consequently } \det(e^{tA}) = e^{t \cdot \text{Tr}(A)}$$

Exercise: Compute  $\det(\exp(t \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}))$  !

$$\text{Solution: } \det e^{t \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}} = \exp(t \cdot \text{Tr} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}) = \exp(t \cdot (1+4)) = e^{5t}$$

$SL(n)$  is the Lie group of the  $n \times n$  matrices with determinant equal to 1.

Lie group:  $SL(n)$

Lie algebra:  $sl(n)$

$$\left\{ g \in GL(n) \mid \det g = 1 \right\}$$

$$\left\{ X \in \text{Mat}_n(\mathbb{R}) \mid \text{Tr } X = 0 \right\}$$

## Linear elasticity

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deformation:  $\vec{r} \rightarrow \vec{F}(\vec{r})$

translation:  $\vec{r} \rightarrow \vec{r} + \vec{a}$  makes no stress, so assume that  $\vec{F}(\vec{0}) = \vec{0}$ ,

Then for small  $\vec{r} \approx \vec{0}$ , we have

$$Jac = \frac{\partial \vec{F}}{\partial \vec{r}}, \quad \vec{F}(\vec{r}) \approx Jac(\vec{0}) \cdot \vec{r} = J\vec{r}. \quad \text{This is elasticity theory.}$$

Linear elasticity:  $J = E + tA$ ,  $t \approx 0$

For example: dimension  $\approx 1\text{m}$ , deformation  $\approx 1\text{mm}$ ,  $t = 0.001$ ,  $A$ : element of def. gradient  $\approx \frac{1\text{mm}}{1\text{m}}$ , order 1

Problem: Given  $A$ , compute the stress tensor

$$\text{Strategy: } J = E + tA \approx (E + tR)(E + t \cdot \lambda E)(E + tS) \quad \begin{matrix} \leftarrow \text{order is irrelevant in the} \\ \text{first order of } t \end{matrix}$$

Transformations:  $E + tR \approx$  rotation,  $R = -R^T$ , zero stress

$E + t \cdot \lambda E \approx$  (de)compression by the factor  $(1+t \cdot \lambda)$

$E + tS \approx$  (de)compression in orthogonal directions with zero net volume change;  $\text{Tr}(S) = 0$

$$J = E + tA \approx (E + tR) \cdot (E + t \cdot \lambda E) \cdot (E + tS) \approx E + t(R + \lambda E + S) \quad \begin{matrix} \nearrow \text{zero trace} \\ \searrow \text{antisymmetric} \end{matrix}$$

Exercise:  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = R + \lambda E + S$ , where  $R = -R^T$ ,  $\text{Tr} S = 0$ . Compute  $\lambda, R, S$ !

$$\text{Solution: } R = \frac{A - A^T}{2}, \quad \lambda = \frac{1}{\dim} \text{Tr}(A), \quad S = \frac{A + A^T}{2} - \lambda \cdot E$$

$$R = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}}{2} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1/2 \\ 1/2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \lambda = \frac{1}{2}(1+4) = \frac{5}{2}, \quad S = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}}{2} - \frac{5}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3/2 & 5/2 \\ 5/2 & 3/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Indeed

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1/2 \\ 1/2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{5}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -3/2 & 5/2 \\ 5/2 & 3/2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

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deformation:  $\vec{r} \rightarrow \vec{f}(\vec{r}) = \vec{r} + \vec{v}(\vec{r})$ ,  $\|\nabla \vec{v}\| \ll 1$

$$\text{Jac} = \frac{\partial \vec{F}}{\partial \vec{r}} = E + \frac{\partial \vec{v}}{\partial \vec{r}} = E + A, \quad (\text{Jac})_{ij} = \delta_{ij} + \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_j}$$

$$A = R + \Lambda E + S$$

$$R = \frac{A - A^T}{2}$$

$$\Lambda = \frac{\text{Tr}(A)}{\dim}, \quad \text{Tr}(A) = \sum_i \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_i} = \text{div } \vec{v}$$

$$S = \frac{A + A^T}{2} - \frac{\text{Tr}(A)}{\dim}$$

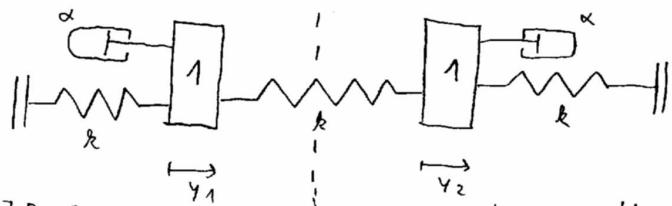
Homogeneous, isotropic material, Hook's Law, 3dim

$\sigma$ : stress tensor

$$\sigma = 2\mu \left( \frac{A + A^T}{2} \right) + \lambda \text{Tr}(A) \cdot E$$

$$= 2\mu S + (2\mu + 3\lambda) \cdot \frac{1}{3} E \quad \lambda, \mu: \text{Lamé parameters}$$

Symmetry



$$10 \frac{\text{d}}{\text{d}t}$$

Problem:

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & \\ -2k & k & -a & 0 \\ k & -2k & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -a \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix} = A \vec{z}$$

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symmetric with respect to reflection

Solution: ① Find the eigensystem of  $A$ , compute  $e^{tA}$ , and we are done.

② Alternative solution: use symmetry to simplify the computation

Reflection:  $P(\vec{z}) = P \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -y_2 \\ -y_1 \\ -v_2 \\ -v_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & & & \\ -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix} = P \vec{z}$

Evolution:  $\phi_t(\vec{z}) = e^{tA} \vec{z}$

Symmetry:  $\phi_t(P(\vec{z})) = P(\phi_t(\vec{z}))$

$$e^{tA} P \vec{z} = P e^{tA} \vec{z}$$

$$AP = PA, A = PAP^{-1}$$

$$\vec{z} \xrightarrow{P} P \vec{z} \xrightarrow{\phi_t} e^{tA} P \vec{z} = P e^{tA} \vec{z} \xrightarrow{P} \vec{z}$$

Strategy: Find common eigenvectors for  $A$  and  $P$

eigenvalues of  $P$ :  $(P - \lambda E) = (\lambda^2 - 1)^2 = 0 \rightarrow \lambda = \pm 1$  (automatic, since  $P^2 = E$ )

$$\lambda = 1 \quad \text{eigen subspace: } \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ -x \\ y \\ -y \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$\lambda = -1 \quad \text{eigen subspace: } \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ x \\ y \\ y \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$A \begin{bmatrix} x \\ -x \\ y \\ -y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y \\ -y \\ -3kx - ay \\ 3ky + ax \end{bmatrix}, \quad \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} y \\ -3kx - ay \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -3k & -a \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A \begin{bmatrix} x \\ x \\ y \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y \\ y \\ -ax - ay \\ -ay \end{bmatrix}, \quad \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} y \\ -ax - ay \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -a & a \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$

Let  $a = 3, k = 5/12$ , then  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -3/4 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \lambda_1 = -\frac{5}{2}, \vec{V}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -2/5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \lambda_2 = -\frac{1}{2}, \vec{V}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

So for  $A$ :

$$\lambda_1 = -\frac{5}{2}, \vec{V}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -2/5 \\ 2/5 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \lambda_2 = -\frac{1}{2}, \vec{V}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

For the  $P\vec{V} = -\vec{V}$  subspace:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\frac{5}{12} & -3 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \lambda_1 = -2.85, \quad \vec{V}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -0.35 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_2 = -0.14, \quad \vec{V}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -6.84 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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So for A:

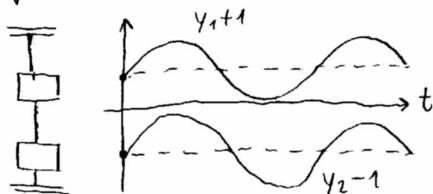
$$\lambda_3 = -2.85, \quad \vec{V}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -0.35 \\ -0.35 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \lambda_4 = -0.14, \quad \vec{V}_4 = \begin{bmatrix} -6.84 \\ -6.84 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

So  $e^{tA}$ :

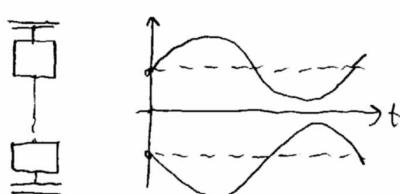
$$e^{tA} = \left[ \begin{array}{cc|cc} -\frac{2}{5} & -2 & -0.35 & -6.84 \\ \frac{2}{5} & -2 & -0.35 & -6.84 \\ \hline 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right] \left[ \begin{array}{c|c} e^{-\frac{5}{2}t} & \\ \hline e^{\frac{1}{2}t} & e^{2.85t} \\ \hline e^{-0.14t} & \end{array} \right] \left[ \begin{array}{cc|cc} -\frac{2}{5} & t & t & 1 \\ x & x & x & t \\ \hline x & t & y & t \\ x & x & x & 1 \end{array} \right]^{-1}$$

Oscillation modes (actually this is an overdamped system)

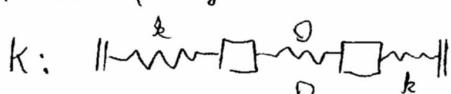
$$P\vec{V} = 1 \cdot \vec{V}$$



$$P\vec{V} = -1 \cdot \vec{V}$$



Effective spring constant:



Why was it reasonable to search for the eigenvalues of A in the subspaces

$$S_{\pm 1} = \{ \vec{v} \mid P\vec{v} = \pm 1 \} ?$$

For example if  $\vec{v} \in S_{+1}$ , then

$$P\vec{v} = 1 \cdot \vec{v} \Rightarrow P(A\vec{v}) = A P\vec{v} = A \cdot 1 \cdot \vec{v} = 1 \cdot (A\vec{v}), \text{ so if } v \in S_{+1}, \text{ then } Av \in S_{+1}, \text{ too.}$$

Theorem: Assume that A, B are diagonalizable matrices, and AB = BA.

Then there exist a common eigenvector basis for A and B.

# Discrete Fourier Transformation DFT, FFT

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Transition probability in  $\Delta t \approx 0$  time is  $w=1 \cdot \Delta t$   
 on the arrows, zero otherwise.  
 The system is symmetric with respect to the  
 $\pi = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$  permutation

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} y_0 \\ y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \end{bmatrix} = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} -2 & 1 & & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 & \\ \hline & 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & -2 \end{array} \right] \begin{bmatrix} y_0 \\ y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \end{bmatrix} = A \vec{y}, \quad P(\vec{y}) = P \begin{bmatrix} y_0 \\ y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \\ y_0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & \\ & 1 & & \\ & & 1 & \\ & & & 1 \end{bmatrix} \vec{y} = P \vec{y}$$

Evolution:  $\phi_t(\vec{y}) = e^{tA} \vec{y}$

$$P(\phi_t(\vec{y})) = \phi_t(P(\vec{y}))$$

$$Pe^{tA} \vec{y} = e^{tA} P \vec{y}$$

Symmetry:  $P(\vec{y}) = P \vec{y}$

$$PA = AP$$

Strategy: ① Find the eigensubspaces of  $P$

② In this case they are one-dimensional, so they provide the eigenvectors of  $A$

①  $P^4 = E$ , so if  $P\vec{v} = \lambda\vec{v}$ ,  $\rightarrow P^4\vec{v} = \lambda^4\vec{v} = E\vec{v} = 1 \cdot \vec{v} \rightarrow \lambda^4 = 1$   
 potential eigenvalues:  $\varepsilon^0 = 1, \varepsilon^1, \varepsilon^2, \varepsilon^3$ , where  $\varepsilon = e^{2\pi i/4} = \cos \frac{2\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{4} = i$

Normalized eigenvectors:

$$\lambda_0 = \varepsilon^0 = 1 \quad \lambda_1 = \varepsilon^1 = i \quad \lambda_2 = \varepsilon^2 = -1 \quad \lambda_3 = \varepsilon^3 = -i$$

$$\vec{V}_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon^{0 \cdot 0} \\ \varepsilon^{1 \cdot 0} \\ \varepsilon^{2 \cdot 0} \\ \varepsilon^{3 \cdot 0} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \vec{V}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon^{0 \cdot 1} \\ \varepsilon^{1 \cdot 1} \\ \varepsilon^{2 \cdot 1} \\ \varepsilon^{3 \cdot 1} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \vec{V}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon^{0 \cdot 2} \\ \varepsilon^{1 \cdot 2} \\ \varepsilon^{2 \cdot 2} \\ \varepsilon^{3 \cdot 2} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \vec{V}_3 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon^{0 \cdot 3} \\ \varepsilon^{1 \cdot 3} \\ \varepsilon^{2 \cdot 3} \\ \varepsilon^{3 \cdot 3} \end{bmatrix}$$

These are orthogonal vectors; for example

$$(\vec{V}_1, \vec{V}_3) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} \left( \overline{\varepsilon^{0 \cdot 1}} \cdot \varepsilon^{0 \cdot 3} + \overline{\varepsilon^{1 \cdot 1}} \cdot \varepsilon^{1 \cdot 3} + \overline{\varepsilon^{2 \cdot 1}} \cdot \varepsilon^{2 \cdot 3} + \overline{\varepsilon^{3 \cdot 1}} \cdot \varepsilon^{3 \cdot 3} \right) \\ = \frac{1}{4} (1 \cdot 1 + (-i) \cdot (-i) + (-1) \cdot (-1) + i \cdot i) = 0$$

This is automatic, since  $P$  is a normal matrix:  $PP^* = P^*P$ , where  $P^* = \bar{P}^T$

Actually  $P^* = P^T = P^3 = P^{-1}$ , so  $P^*P = PP^*$

①  $P$  orthogonal matrix  $\rightarrow P^{-1} = P^T$

②  $P$  real, so  $\bar{P} = P$ , consequently  $P^* = P^T$

③  $P^4 = E$ , so  $P(P^3) = E$ , consequently  $P^{-1} = P^3$

②  $\vec{V}_0 \dots \vec{V}_3$  are eigenvectors of  $A$ , the eigenvalues are

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$$A \vec{V}_k = \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} -2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ \hline 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{array} \right] \left[ \begin{array}{c} \varepsilon^{0,2} \\ \varepsilon^{1,2} \\ \varepsilon^{2,2} \\ \varepsilon^{3,2} \end{array} \right] = \left[ \begin{array}{c} * \\ \varepsilon^{0,k} - 2\varepsilon^{1,k} + \varepsilon^{2,k} \\ * \\ * \end{array} \right] = (\varepsilon^{-k} - 2 + \varepsilon^2) \left[ \begin{array}{c} * \\ \varepsilon^{1,k} \\ * \\ * \end{array} \right]$$

So  $A$ 's eigensystem:

$$\lambda_k = (\varepsilon^{-k} - 2 + \varepsilon^2), \quad \vec{V}_k = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} \left[ \begin{array}{c} \varepsilon^{0,2} \\ \varepsilon^{1,2} \\ \varepsilon^{2,2} \\ \varepsilon^{3,2} \end{array} \right], \quad k=0, 1, 2, 3$$

$A$  is diagonalized by  $S$ :

$$(S)_{k,\ell} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} e^{k,\ell}$$

with inverse  $S^{-1} = S^* = \bar{S}^T = \bar{S}$

$$(S^{-1})_{k,\ell} = \bar{S}_{k,\ell} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} \bar{\varepsilon}^{\ell,k} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} \varepsilon^{-\ell,k}$$

$$\lambda_k = 2(\cos(\frac{2\pi}{4} \cdot k) - 1)$$

$$\begin{array}{c|c|c|c|c} k & 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ \hline \lambda_k & 0 & -2 & -4 & -2 \end{array}$$

The exponential matrix is

$$e^{tA} = S e^{tD} S^{-1} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} \underbrace{\left[ \begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & i & -1 & -i \\ \hline 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -i & -1 & i \end{array} \right]}_S \left[ \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & e^{-2t} \\ \hline e^{-4t} & e^{-2t} \end{array} \right] \underbrace{\frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} \cdot \left[ \begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -i & -1 & i \\ \hline 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & i & -1 & -i \end{array} \right]}_{S^{-1} = \bar{S}}$$

$$\text{DFT: } 4 \leftrightarrow N, \quad \varepsilon = e^{\frac{2\pi i k}{N}} = \cos \frac{2\pi}{N} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{N}$$

$$\text{orthonormal basis of } \mathbb{C}^N: \quad \vec{V}_k = \left[ \begin{array}{c} \varepsilon^{0,2} \\ \varepsilon^{1,2} \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon^{(N-1),2} \end{array} \right], \quad k=0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

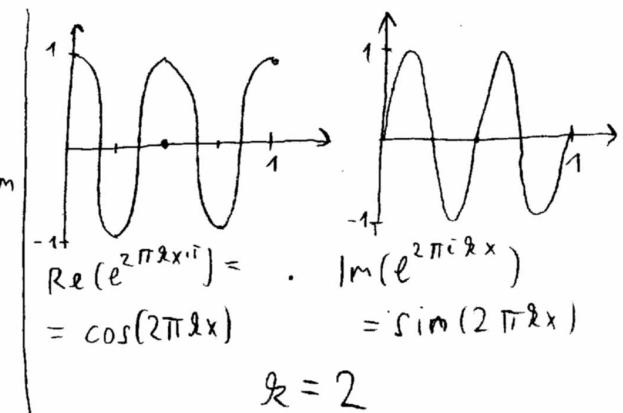
$x \in [0, 1]$

$\vec{V}_k$  can be obtained as the sampling of the function  $V_k(x)$  at the points:  $\Delta x = \frac{1}{N}$ ,  $x_m = m \cdot \Delta x$ ,  $m=0, 1, \dots, N-1$ , plus a normalization by  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}$ .

$$\textcircled{1} \text{ Function } V_k(x) = e^{2\pi i k x} = \cos(2\pi k x) + i \sin(2\pi k x)$$

\textcircled{2} sampling at  $x=0 \cdot \Delta x, 1 \cdot \Delta x, \dots, (N-1) \cdot \Delta x$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad (\vec{V}_k)_m = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \cdot V_k(x_m) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} e^{2\pi i k x_m} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} e^{k \cdot m}$$



$\mathbb{C}^N$  vector space (finite dimensional Hilbert space) 14

Inner product:  $(\vec{a}, \vec{b}) = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \bar{a}_k b_k$

Standard basis:  $\vec{e}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{e}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \dots, \vec{e}_{N-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Fourier basis:

$$\varepsilon = e^{2\pi i/N} \quad \vec{V}_k = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon^{0 \cdot k} \\ \varepsilon^{1 \cdot k} \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon^{(N-1) \cdot k} \end{bmatrix}, \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

It is easy to expand a vector in an orthonormalized basis:

$$\vec{U} = U_0 \vec{e}_1 + \dots + U_{N-1} \vec{e}_{N-1} = \begin{bmatrix} U_0 \\ \vdots \\ U_{N-1} \end{bmatrix}_e = Y_0 \vec{V}_1 + \dots + Y_{N-1} \vec{V}_{N-1} = \begin{bmatrix} Y_0 \\ \vdots \\ Y_{N-1} \end{bmatrix}_V$$

$$(\vec{V}_k, \vec{U}) = Y_k = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \left[ \overline{\varepsilon^{0 \cdot k}}, \overline{\varepsilon^{1 \cdot k}}, \dots, \overline{\varepsilon^{(N-1) \cdot k}} \right] \begin{bmatrix} U_0 \\ \vdots \\ U_{N-1} \end{bmatrix}_e, \quad \text{since } (\vec{V}_k, \vec{V}_l) = 0 \text{ if } k \neq l$$

$$\text{So } \begin{bmatrix} Y_0 \\ \vdots \\ Y_{N-1} \end{bmatrix}_V = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon^{-0 \cdot 0} & \varepsilon^{-1 \cdot 0} & \dots & \varepsilon^{-(N-1) \cdot 0} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \varepsilon^{-0 \cdot N} & \varepsilon^{-1 \cdot N} & \dots & \varepsilon^{-(N-1) \cdot N} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \varepsilon^{-0 \cdot (N-1)} & \varepsilon^{-1 \cdot (N-1)} & \dots & \varepsilon^{-(N-1) \cdot (N-1)} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} U_0 \\ \vdots \\ U_{N-1} \end{bmatrix}_e = \mathcal{F}(U) = F_U$$

Inverse Fourier tr:

$$\vec{U}_e = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{V}_1 & \dots & \vec{V}_N \end{bmatrix} \vec{y}_V = F^{-1} \vec{y}_V = F^* \vec{y}_V = \overline{F} \vec{y}_V = \overline{F}(\vec{y}_V) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon^{0 \cdot 0} & \dots & \varepsilon^{(N-1) \cdot 0} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \varepsilon^{0 \cdot (N-1)} & \dots & \varepsilon^{(N-1) \cdot (N-1)} \end{bmatrix} \vec{y}_V$$

We have  $\|\vec{U}\|^2 = \|\mathcal{F}(\vec{U})\|^2 = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} |U_k|^2 = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} |Y_k|^2$ . So  $\mathcal{F}$  is unitary, preserves the inner product. Remark: usually  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}$  is omitted in  $\mathcal{F}$ , compensated by  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \rightarrow \frac{1}{N}$  in  $\mathcal{F}^{-1}$

$\mathbb{C}^N$  vector space + inner product

$$\text{inner product: } (\vec{a}, \vec{b}) = \sum_m \bar{a}_m b_m$$

$$\vec{V}_k = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \begin{bmatrix} e^{0 \cdot k} \\ e^{1 \cdot k} \\ \vdots \\ e^{(N-1) \cdot k} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\vec{V}_k)_m = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} e^{2 \cdot m}$$

$$\vec{F} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \begin{bmatrix} f(0, \Delta x) \\ f(1, \Delta x) \\ \vdots \\ f((N-1), \Delta x) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\vec{f}, \vec{g}) = \sum_m \bar{f}_m g_m =$$

$$= \sum_m \overline{f(x_m)} g(x_m) \cdot \frac{1}{N}$$

vector

$H = L^2([0,1], dx)$  Hilbert space

$$\left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \right]$$

$$e^{2\pi i k x}$$

$$x \in [0,1]$$

values of  $V_k$  at  $x_m = m \cdot \Delta x$ ,  $\Delta x = 1/N$

$$V_k(x_m) = \exp(2\pi i k \cdot \frac{m}{N}) = e^{2\pi i k x_m}$$

$$f(x), \quad x \in [0,1]$$

sample f at  $x_m$ ,

$$x_m = 0, \Delta x, \dots, (N-1)\Delta x$$

$$\int_0^1 \overline{f(x)} g(x) dx = (f, g)$$

Orthonormal basis:

$$(\vec{V}_k, \vec{V}_l) = \delta_{k,l}, \quad k, l = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

DFT:

$$\mathcal{F}: \vec{x} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x_0 \\ \vdots \\ x_{N-1} \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(\vec{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} (\vec{V}_0, \vec{x}) \\ \vdots \\ (\vec{V}_{N-1}, \vec{x}) \end{bmatrix}$$

Inverse DFT:

$$\mathcal{F}^{-1}: \vec{y} = \begin{bmatrix} y_0 \\ \vdots \\ y_{N-1} \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \mathcal{F}^{-1}(\vec{y}) = \begin{bmatrix} (\vec{V}_0, \vec{y}) \\ \vdots \\ (\vec{V}_{N-1}, \vec{y}) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{derivation: } F(x_m) \approx \frac{1}{2\Delta x} (f(x_{m+1}) - f(x_{m-1}))$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \leftrightarrow \frac{1}{2\Delta x} (P - P^{-1}) = D$$

$$D \vec{V}_k = \left[ \frac{1}{2\Delta x} (\varepsilon - \varepsilon^{-1}) \right] \vec{V}_k =$$

$$= \left[ \frac{1}{\Delta x} \sin(2\pi k \Delta x) \cdot i \right] \vec{V}_k = \lambda_k \vec{V}_k$$

if  $k \ll N$ ,  $\Delta x \approx 0$ , then

$$\lambda_k \approx 2\pi k i$$

$$(e^{2\pi i k x}, e^{2\pi i l x}) = \int_0^1 e^{-2\pi i k x} \cdot e^{2\pi i l x} dx = \int_0^1 e^{2\pi i (l-k)x} dx = \delta_{k,l}$$

Fourier transform  $\mathcal{F}: L^2([0,1], dx) \rightarrow \ell_2$

$$\mathcal{F}: f(x) \rightarrow \hat{f}_k = (e^{2\pi i k x}, f(x)) =$$

$$= \int_0^1 e^{-2\pi i k x} f(x) dx$$

Inverse Fourier tr.

$$\mathcal{F}^{-1}: \hat{f} \rightarrow \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \hat{f}_k \cdot e^{2\pi i k x}$$

$$\text{Derivation } D = \frac{d}{dx}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [e^{2\pi i k x}] = 2\pi k i [e^{2\pi i k x}]$$

$$A \vec{V} = \lambda \vec{V}$$

$$A \leftrightarrow \frac{d}{dx}$$

$$\vec{V} \leftrightarrow e^{2\pi i k x}$$

$$\lambda \leftrightarrow 2\pi k i$$

eigenvalue of  $\frac{d}{dx}$

## Summary

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V

①  $e^{tA} = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{y}^1(t) & \dots & \vec{y}^n(t) \end{bmatrix}$ , where  $\vec{y}^1$  solves  $\dot{\vec{y}} = A\vec{y}$ ,  $\vec{y}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \vec{c}_1$   
 $\vec{y}^n$  solves  $\dot{\vec{y}} = A\vec{y}$ ,  $\vec{y}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \vec{c}_n$

② Sum of the columns of  $A$  is zero  $\leftrightarrow A$  generates a stochastic process. Steady state  $\leftrightarrow$  zero eigenvector of  $A$

③ The  $\vec{\alpha}$  angular velocity rotations are generated by  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\alpha_3 & \alpha_2 \\ \alpha_3 & 0 & -\alpha_1 \\ -\alpha_2 & \alpha_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .

$$A = -A^T \rightarrow (e^{tA}\vec{y}, e^{tA}\vec{y}) = (\vec{y}, \vec{y})$$

④  $\frac{d}{dt} \det(e^{tA}) = \text{Tr}(A) \cdot \det(e^{tA}) \rightarrow \det(e^{tA}) = e^{t \cdot \text{Tr}(A)}$

Volume preserving transformation group:  $\text{Tr}(A) = 0$

⑤ Symmetry:  $\frac{d}{dt} \vec{y} = A\vec{y}$  invariant with respect to the  $\vec{y} \rightarrow P\vec{y}$  transformation if  $PA=AP$ . If  $A, P$  diagonalizable  $\rightarrow$  have common eigenvector basis

⑥  $P \begin{bmatrix} x_0 \\ \vdots \\ x_{N-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_{N-1} \\ x_0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Orthonormalized eigensystem:  $\lambda_k = \varepsilon^k$ ,  $(\vec{V}_k)_l = \varepsilon^{kl}$   $\varepsilon = e^{\frac{2\pi i k}{N}}$   $k=0, 1, \dots, N-1$

Inverse DFT:  $\vec{f}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \dots & 1 \end{bmatrix}^\top$ , DFT:  $\vec{F}(\vec{f}^{-1})^{-1} = \overline{(\vec{f}^{-1})}$

⑦ Analogies of  $\mathbb{C}^N$  and  $\mathcal{H} = L^2([0, 1], dx)$

$$f(x)$$

$$(f, g) = \int_0^1 f(x) g(x) dx$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} f$$

$$e^{2\pi i k x}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} e^{2\pi i k x} = 2\pi i k e^{2\pi i k x}$$

$$\vec{f}, (\vec{f})_m = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} f(x_m), x_m = \frac{m}{N} = m \Delta x$$

$$(\vec{f}, \vec{g}) = \sum_m \vec{f}_m \vec{g}_m$$

$$\frac{1}{2N} (P - P^{-1}) = D$$

$$\vec{V}_k, (\vec{V}_k)_m = e^{2\pi i k x_m}$$

$$D\vec{V}_k = \left[ \underbrace{\frac{1}{\Delta x} \sin(2\pi k \Delta x) \cdot i}_{\approx 2\pi i k \text{ if } k \ll N} \right] \vec{V}_k$$

Sample problems

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① How much is  $\det \left( \exp \left( t \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \right) \right) = d(t)$ ?

Solution:  $d(t) = e^{t \cdot \text{Tr} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}} = e^{t \cdot (3+6)} = e^{9t}$

②  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 4 \\ 3 & 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = R + \lambda E + S$ , where  $R$  is any symmetric and  $S$  has zero trace. Compute  $R, S, \lambda$ !

Solution:

$$R = \frac{A - A^T}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \lambda = \frac{1}{3} \text{Tr}(A) = \frac{1}{3}(1+0+2) = 1, S = \frac{A+A^T}{2} - \frac{1}{3} \cdot 1 \cdot E = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{7}{2} & 3 \\ \frac{7}{2} & -1 & \frac{3}{2} \\ 3 & \frac{3}{2} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

③  $P \begin{bmatrix} x_0 \\ x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Find the eigensystem of  $P$ !

Solution:

$$\varepsilon = e^{\frac{2\pi i}{3}} = \cos 120^\circ + i \sin 120^\circ, P = E, \lambda_0 = 1, \lambda_1 = \varepsilon, \lambda_2 = \varepsilon^2$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i, \vec{V}_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{V}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \varepsilon \\ \varepsilon^2 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{V}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \varepsilon^2 \\ \varepsilon^4 \end{bmatrix}$$

④ Find the eigensystem of  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$ !

Solution:  $P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, PA = AP, \text{ so the eigenvalues of } P \text{ are}$

$$1, \varepsilon = e^{\frac{2\pi i}{3}} = \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{3} = -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i$$

with eigenvectors

$$\vec{V}_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{V}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \varepsilon \\ \varepsilon^2 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{V}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \varepsilon^2 \\ \varepsilon^4 \end{bmatrix}$$

On this eigenvector basis the eigenvalues of  $A$  are

$$\lambda_0 = 0, \lambda_1 = 2 \cos 120^\circ - 2 = -3, \lambda_2 = 2 \cos (2 \cdot 120^\circ) - 2 = -3$$