

# Ordinary differential equations for Math

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Questions to submit: 1.a.ii. 1.c. 2.a. 2.d. 3.a. 3.d. 4.b. 4.c.

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1. a. Study the stability of the equilibria points for the systems:
    - i.  $x' = e^{x+2y} - \cos(3x)$ ,  $y' = \sqrt{4+8x} - 2e^y$ .
    - ii.  $x' = x^2 + y^2 - 1$ ,  $y' = 2xy$ .
  - b. Prove that the following conditions are equivalent:
    - i. Any solution of  $\underline{x}' = A(t)\underline{x} + \underline{b}(t)$  is stable.
    - ii. At least one solution of  $\underline{x}' = A(t)\underline{x}$  is stable.
    - iii. all the solutions of  $\underline{x}' = A(t)\underline{x}$  are bounded for  $t \rightarrow \infty$ .(In particular: either all solutions are stable or all are unstable.)
  - c. (Dis)Prove: if all the solutions of  $x' = f(x)$  are bounded then the equilibria points are stable.
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2. a. Given the system  $\underline{x}' = A(t)\underline{x} + \underline{b}(t)$ , denote by  $\lambda_{max}(t)$  the largest eigenvalue of the matrix  $\frac{A(t)+A^T(t)}{2}$  (for each time moment). Prove:
    - i. If  $-\infty \leq \int_{t_0}^{\infty} \lambda_{max}(s)ds < \infty$  then any solution is stable.
    - ii. If  $\int_{t_0}^{\infty} \lambda_{max}(s)ds = -\infty$  then any solution is exponentially-stable.
  - b. Consider the equation  $x^{(n)} + a_{n-1}(x, x', \dots, x^{(n-1)}) \cdot x^{(n-1)} + \dots + a_0(x, x', \dots, x^{(n-1)}) \cdot x = 0$ , for some continuous functions  $\{a_i(\cdot)\}$ . Prove: if  $Re(\lambda) < 0$  for all the roots of the polynomial  $\lambda^n + a_{n-1}(o)\lambda^{n-1} + \dots + a_0(o)$  then the zero solution is stable.
  - c. Consider the system  $\underline{x}' = A(t) \cdot \underline{x}$ , where  $A(t) \in Mat_{n \times n}(C^0(0, \infty))$ . Suppose any solution satisfies:  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \|\underline{x}(t)\| = 0$ . Prove:  $\int_{t_0}^{\infty} trace[A(s)]ds = -\infty$ .
  - d. Suppose  $x = 0$  is an asymptotically stable solution for the system  $\underline{x}' = A\underline{x}$ , where  $A$  is  $\mathbb{C}$ -diagonalizable. Suppose  $\int_0^{\infty} \|B(s)\|_{op}ds < \infty$ . Prove: any solution of the system  $\underline{x}' = (A + B(t))\underline{x}$  is asymptotically stable.
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3. a. Let  $\mathbb{X}(t), \tilde{\mathbb{X}}(t)$  be two fundamental matrices of the system  $\underline{x}' = A(t)\underline{x}$ . Suppose  $\mathbb{X}(t_1) = \mathbb{I}$  and  $\tilde{\mathbb{X}}(t_2) = \mathbb{I}$ . Prove:  $\mathbb{X}(t_2) \cdot \tilde{\mathbb{X}}(t_1) = \mathbb{I}$ .
  - b. Let  $\mathbb{X}_A(t)$  be a fundamental matrix for  $\underline{x}' = A(t) \cdot \underline{x}$ , let  $\mathbb{X}_B(t)$  be a fundamental matrix for  $\underline{x}' = B(t) \cdot \underline{x}$ . Prove: if  $\mathbb{X}_A(t)B(t) = B(t)\mathbb{X}_A(t)$  then  $\mathbb{X}_A(t)\mathbb{X}_B(t)$  is a fundamental matrix of  $\underline{x}' = (A(t) + B(t))\underline{x}$ .
  - c. Prove:  $\lambda$  is an eigenvalue of the monodromy matrix  $e^{RT}$  iff there exists a solution  $\underline{x}(t)$  satisfying  $\underline{x}(t+T) = \lambda \cdot \underline{x}(t)$ .
  - d. Let  $\underline{x}' = A(t)\underline{x}$  where  $A(t)$  is periodic with period  $T$ . Take the fundamental matrix  $\mathbb{X}(t)$  satisfying:  $\mathbb{X}(0) = \mathbb{I}$ . Prove:  $\mathbb{X}(d \cdot T) = \mathbb{X}(T)^d$ .
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4. a. Let  $A(t)$  be a periodic matrix. Prove: there exists a constant matrix  $C \in Mat_{n \times n}(\mathbb{C})$  such that the system  $\underline{x}' = (A(t) - C)\underline{x}$  has a basis of periodic solutions.
  - b. Suppose two solutions,  $x(t), \tilde{x}(t)$  of  $D_n x = 0$  satisfy:  $\tilde{x}^{(i)}(t_0 + T) = x^{(i)}(t_0)$  for all  $i = 0, \dots, n-1$ . Prove:  $x(t) = \tilde{x}(t+T)$ .
  - c. Suppose the operator  $D_2$  has periodic coefficients. Suppose a non-trivial solution of  $D_2 x = 0$  has at least two zeros. Prove: any solution has infinity of zeros.