

ME 406

Assignment #8 Solutions

■ Problem 1

Let the linearly independent generalized eigenvectors of \mathbf{A} associated with λ be $\mathbf{V}^{(i)}$, $i = 1, m$. Let the solution of the equations formed from $\mathbf{V}^{(i)}$ be $\mathbf{X}^{(i)}$. We wish to show that the $\mathbf{X}^{(i)}$ form a linearly independent set. Suppose otherwise. Then there exist constants a_i not all zero such that

$$a_1\mathbf{X}^{(1)} + a_2\mathbf{X}^{(2)} + \dots + a_m\mathbf{X}^{(m)} = 0 \text{ for all } t.$$

Let $t = 0$. Then the above reduces to

$$a_1\mathbf{V}^{(1)} + a_2\mathbf{V}^{(2)} + \dots + a_m\mathbf{V}^{(m)} = 0 .$$

Because the set of $\mathbf{V}^{(i)}$ is linearly independent, it follows that all $a_i = 0$. Therefore the solutions $\mathbf{X}^{(i)}$ are linearly independent.

■ Problem 2

We enter the matrix \mathbf{A} and the vector \mathbf{b} into *Mathematica*.

$$\mathbf{A} = \{\{4, 1, 2\}, \{0, 4, 0\}, \{2, 1, 4\}\};$$

$$\mathbf{b} = \{3, -1, 2\};$$

We find a particular solution first.

$$\mathbf{x}_p = -\text{Inverse}[\mathbf{A}] \cdot \mathbf{b}$$

$$\left\{-\frac{17}{24}, \frac{1}{4}, -\frac{5}{24}\right\}$$

(a) Now we solve the initial value problem. To solve the homogeneous equation, we find the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of \mathbf{A} .

$$\text{eigans} = \text{Eigensystem}[\mathbf{A}]$$

$$\{\{6, 4, 2\}, \{\{1, 0, 1\}, \{1, -2, 1\}, \{-1, 0, 1\}\}\}$$

The eigenvalues are distinct so this will be straightforward. We name the eigenvectors and eigenvalues.

$$\lambda_1 = \text{First}[\text{First}[\text{eigans}]]$$

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λ2 = First[eigans][[2]]
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4
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λ3 = First[eigans][[3]]
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2
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v1 = Last[eigans][[1]]
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{1, 0, 1}
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v2 = Last[eigans][[2]]
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{1, -2, 1}
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```
v3 = Last[eigans][[3]]
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{-1, 0, 1}
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The solution of the homogeneous equation is then

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Xh = a1 * Exp[λ1 * t] * v1 + a2 * Exp[λ2 * t] * v2 + a3 * Exp[λ3 * t] * v3
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{-a3 e2t + a2 e4t + a1 e6t, -2 a2 e4t, a3 e2t + a2 e4t + a1 e6t}
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The general solution is the sum of the homogeneous and particular solutions.

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Xgen = Xp + Xh
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{- $\frac{17}{24}$  - a3 e2t + a2 e4t + a1 e6t,  $\frac{1}{4}$  - 2 a2 e4t, - $\frac{5}{24}$  + a3 e2t + a2 e4t + a1 e6t}
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To solve the initial value problem, we must find values of a1, a2, and a3 such that Xgen at $t = 0$ takes on the value

```
Xinit = {0, 0, 0};
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coeff = Solve[(Xgen /. t -> 0) == Xinit, {a1, a2, a3}]
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{{a1 ->  $\frac{1}{3}$ , a2 ->  $\frac{1}{8}$ , a3 ->  $-\frac{1}{4}$ }}
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Now we put these values back into Xgen to get our solution. We do it in such a way as to preserve the expression for Xgen, so that we can use it in the next solution.

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Xsol1 = Xgen /. Thread[Flatten[coeff]]
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$$\left\{ -\frac{17}{24} + \frac{e^{2t}}{4} + \frac{e^{4t}}{8} + \frac{e^{6t}}{3}, \frac{1}{4} - \frac{e^{4t}}{4}, -\frac{5}{24} - \frac{e^{2t}}{4} + \frac{e^{4t}}{8} + \frac{e^{6t}}{3} \right\}$$

We check our result, both for the equation and the initial condition.

```
D[Xsol1, t] - A.Xsol1 - b
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$$\left\{ -\frac{13}{4} + \frac{e^{2t}}{2} + \frac{3e^{4t}}{4} + 2e^{6t} - 2 \left(-\frac{5}{24} - \frac{e^{2t}}{4} + \frac{e^{4t}}{8} + \frac{e^{6t}}{3} \right) - 4 \left(-\frac{17}{24} + \frac{e^{2t}}{4} + \frac{e^{4t}}{8} + \frac{e^{6t}}{3} \right), 1 - e^{4t} - 4 \left(\frac{1}{4} - \frac{e^{4t}}{4} \right), -\frac{9}{4} - \frac{e^{2t}}{2} + \frac{3e^{4t}}{4} + 2e^{6t} - 4 \left(-\frac{5}{24} - \frac{e^{2t}}{4} + \frac{e^{4t}}{8} + \frac{e^{6t}}{3} \right) - 2 \left(-\frac{17}{24} + \frac{e^{2t}}{4} + \frac{e^{4t}}{8} + \frac{e^{6t}}{3} \right) \right\}$$

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Simplify[%]
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{0, 0, 0}
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Xsol1 /. t -> 0
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{0, 0, 0}
```

Everything checks.

(b) This is a repeat with a different initial condition. If you are observant you will know to expect a particularly simple solution. However, we can also let our machinery tell us that.

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Xinit = {-17/24, 1/4, -5/24};
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Xsol2 =
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Xgen /. Thread[Flatten[Solve[(Xgen /. t -> 0) == Xinit, {a1, a2, a3}]]]
```

$$\left\{ -\frac{17}{24}, \frac{1}{4}, -\frac{5}{24} \right\}$$

This answer is predictable if you happen to notice that the initial condition is equal to the time-independent particular solution.

■ Problem 3

We enter the matrix A and ask *Mathematica* for an eigenanalysis.

```
A = {{-1, 4, -1}, {-2, -2, 2}, {1, -4, -3}};
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$\{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3\} = \text{Eigenvalues}[A]$

$$\{-2 + 4i, -2 - 4i, -2\}$$

$\{v_1, v_2, v_3\} = \text{Eigenvectors}[A]$

$$\left\{ \left\{ -\frac{3}{5} + \frac{4i}{5}, -\frac{2}{5} - \frac{4i}{5}, 1 \right\}, \left\{ -\frac{3}{5} - \frac{4i}{5}, -\frac{2}{5} + \frac{4i}{5}, 1 \right\}, \{1, 0, 1\} \right\}$$

We have one real eigenvalue and two complex conjugate eigenvalues. We form three linearly independent real-valued solutions as a solution basis.

$X_1 = \text{Exp}[\lambda_3 * t] * v_3$

$$\{e^{-2t}, 0, e^{-2t}\}$$

$X_2 = \text{Simplify}[\text{Re}[\text{ComplexExpand}[\text{Exp}[\lambda_2 * t] * v_2]], t \in \text{Reals}]$

$$\left\{ -\frac{1}{5} e^{-2t} (3 \cos[4t] + 4 \sin[4t]), \right. \\ \left. -\frac{2}{5} e^{-2t} (\cos[4t] - 2 \sin[4t]), e^{-2t} \cos[4t] \right\}$$

$X_3 = \text{Simplify}[\text{Im}[\text{ComplexExpand}[\text{Exp}[\lambda_2 * t] * v_2]], t \in \text{Reals}]$

$$\left\{ \frac{1}{5} e^{-2t} (-4 \cos[4t] + 3 \sin[4t]), \right. \\ \left. \frac{2}{5} e^{-2t} (2 \cos[4t] + \sin[4t]), -e^{-2t} \sin[4t] \right\}$$

Now we construct the solution satisfying the given initial conditions.

$X_{\text{init}} = \{1, 3, 1\};$

$X_{\text{gen}} = a_1 * X_1 + a_2 * X_2 + a_3 * X_3$

$$\left\{ a_1 e^{-2t} + \frac{1}{5} a_3 e^{-2t} (-4 \cos[4t] + 3 \sin[4t]) - \right. \\ \left. \frac{1}{5} a_2 e^{-2t} (3 \cos[4t] + 4 \sin[4t]), \right. \\ \left. -\frac{2}{5} a_2 e^{-2t} (\cos[4t] - 2 \sin[4t]) + \frac{2}{5} a_3 e^{-2t} (2 \cos[4t] + \sin[4t]), \right. \\ \left. a_1 e^{-2t} + a_2 e^{-2t} \cos[4t] - a_3 e^{-2t} \sin[4t] \right\}$$

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Xsol2 = Simplify[
  Xgen /. Thread[Flatten[Solve[(Xgen /. t -> 0) == Xinit, {a1, a2, a3}]]]]]
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$$\left\{ \frac{1}{2} e^{-2t} (5 - 3 \cos[4t] + 6 \sin[4t]), \right. \\ \left. 3 e^{-2t} \cos[4t], -\frac{1}{2} e^{-2t} (-5 + 3 \cos[4t] + 6 \sin[4t]) \right\}$$

We check our result.

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D[Xsol2, t] - A.Xsol2
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$$\left\{ -12 e^{-2t} \cos[4t] - \frac{1}{2} e^{-2t} (5 - 3 \cos[4t] + 6 \sin[4t]) - \right. \\ \left. \frac{1}{2} e^{-2t} (-5 + 3 \cos[4t] + 6 \sin[4t]) + \frac{1}{2} e^{-2t} (24 \cos[4t] + 12 \sin[4t]), \right. \\ -12 e^{-2t} \sin[4t] + e^{-2t} (5 - 3 \cos[4t] + 6 \sin[4t]) + \\ \left. e^{-2t} (-5 + 3 \cos[4t] + 6 \sin[4t]), \right. \\ 12 e^{-2t} \cos[4t] - \frac{1}{2} e^{-2t} (24 \cos[4t] - 12 \sin[4t]) - \\ \left. \frac{1}{2} e^{-2t} (5 - 3 \cos[4t] + 6 \sin[4t]) - \frac{1}{2} e^{-2t} (-5 + 3 \cos[4t] + 6 \sin[4t]) \right\}$$

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Simplify[%]
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$$\{0, 0, 0\}$$

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(Xsol2 /. t -> 0) - Xinit
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$$\{0, 0, 0\}$$

■ Problem 4

We enter the matrix and ask *Mathematica* for the eigenanalysis.

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A = {{0, 1/4, 3/2, 3/4, -7/4},
      {3/2, 3/4, -1/2, -5/4, 11/4}, {1, -1/4, -1/2, -3/4, 7/4},
      {5, 19/4, -1/2, -15/4, 19/4}, {5/2, 5/2, 1, -2, 5/2}};
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MatrixForm[A]

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{3}{2} & \frac{3}{4} & -\frac{7}{4} \\ \frac{3}{2} & \frac{3}{4} & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{5}{4} & \frac{11}{4} \\ 1 & -\frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{3}{4} & \frac{7}{4} \\ 5 & \frac{19}{4} & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{15}{4} & \frac{19}{4} \\ \frac{5}{2} & \frac{5}{2} & 1 & -2 & \frac{5}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

Eigensystem[A]

$$\left\{ \{-2, -2, 1, 1, 1\}, \left\{ \left\{ -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{2}, 1 \right\}, \{0, 0, 0, 0, 0\}, \right. \right. \\ \left. \left. \{0, 1, 0, 2, 1\}, \{0, 0, 0, 0, 0\}, \{0, 0, 0, 0, 0\} \right\} \right\}$$

We have only two different eigenvalues. The eigenvalue 2 has multiplicity 2 and only a single eigenvector. The eigenvalue 1 has multiplicity 3 and again only a single eigenvector. We will need all of our machinery for repeated eigenvalues. We borrow some of the code from the notebook on repeated eigenvalues.

Id := IdentityMatrix[ndim]

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solmake[A_, λ_, m_, v0_, t_] := Module[{ans, i, term},
  ans = Id; Sum[term = MatrixPower[(A - λ * Id), i] * ((t^i) / (i!));
  ans = ans + term, {i, 1, m - 1}]; ans = Exp[λ * t] * (ans.v0); ans]
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In order to use this code, we must find, for each distinct eigenvalue, the generalized eigenvectors. We start with $\lambda = -2$.

ndim = 5;

λ = -2;

m = 2;

M = MatrixPower[(A - λ Id), m]

$$\left\{ \left\{ \frac{21}{4}, 0, 3, \frac{9}{4}, -\frac{9}{2} \right\}, \left\{ \frac{29}{4}, 9, \frac{7}{2}, -\frac{21}{4}, \frac{21}{2} \right\}, \right. \\ \left. \left\{ \frac{15}{4}, 0, 6, -\frac{9}{4}, \frac{9}{2} \right\}, \left\{ \frac{79}{4}, 18, 10, -\frac{33}{4}, \frac{33}{2} \right\}, \left\{ 11, 9, \frac{19}{2}, -\frac{15}{2}, 15 \right\} \right\}$$

{v1, v2} = NullSpace[M]

$$\{\{2, -2, -2, 0, 1\}, \{-1, 1, 1, 1, 0\}\}$$

X1 = solmake[A, λ, m, v1, t]

$$\left\{ e^{-2t} \left(-\frac{21t}{4} + 2(1+2t) \right), e^{-2t} \left(\frac{27t}{4} - 2 \left(1 + \frac{11t}{4} \right) \right), \right. \\ \left. e^{-2t} \left(\frac{17t}{4} - 2 \left(1 + \frac{3t}{2} \right) \right), \frac{25}{4} e^{-2t} t, e^{-2t} \left(1 + \frac{5t}{2} \right) \right\}$$

X2 = solmake[A, λ, m, v2, t]

$$\left\{ e^{-2t} \left(-1 + \frac{t}{2} \right), e^{-2t} \left(1 - \frac{t}{2} \right), e^{-2t} \left(1 - \frac{t}{2} \right), e^{-2t} \left(1 - \frac{5t}{2} \right), -e^{-2t} t \right\}$$

This completes the part of the solution basis associated with $\lambda = -2$. Now we construct the part of the basis associated with $\lambda = 1$.

λ = 1;

m = 3;

M = MatrixPower[(A - λ Id), m]

$$\left\{ \left\{ -\frac{27}{4}, \frac{27}{4}, \frac{81}{4}, \frac{27}{4}, -\frac{81}{4} \right\}, \right. \\ \left\{ \frac{27}{4}, -\frac{27}{4}, -\frac{81}{4}, -\frac{27}{4}, \frac{81}{4} \right\}, \left\{ \frac{27}{4}, -\frac{27}{4}, -\frac{81}{4}, -\frac{27}{4}, \frac{81}{4} \right\}, \\ \left. \left\{ \frac{135}{4}, \frac{81}{4}, -\frac{189}{4}, -\frac{135}{4}, \frac{189}{4} \right\}, \left\{ \frac{27}{2}, \frac{27}{2}, -\frac{27}{2}, -\frac{27}{2}, \frac{27}{2} \right\} \right\}$$

{v3, v4, v5} = NullSpace[M]

$$\left\{ \{-2, 1, 0, 0, 1\}, \{1, 0, 0, 1, 0\}, \{2, -1, 1, 0, 0\} \right\}$$

X3 = solmake[A, λ, m, v3, t]

$$\left\{ e^t \left(-\frac{3t}{2} + \frac{9t^2}{4} - 2 \left(1 - t + \frac{9t^2}{8} \right) \right), \right. \\ e^t \left(1 + \frac{5t}{2} - \frac{9t^2}{4} - 2 \left(\frac{3t}{2} - \frac{7t^2}{8} \right) \right), e^t \left(\frac{3t}{2} - \frac{9t^2}{4} - 2 \left(t - \frac{9t^2}{8} \right) \right), \\ \left. e^t \left(\frac{19t}{2} - \frac{45t^2}{4} - 2 \left(5t - \frac{41t^2}{8} \right) \right), e^t \left(1 + 4t - \frac{9t^2}{2} - 2 \left(\frac{5t}{2} - 2t^2 \right) \right) \right\}$$

X4 = solmake[A, λ, m, v4, t]

$$\left\{ e^t \left(1 - \frac{t}{4} \right), e^t \left(\frac{t}{4} + \frac{t^2}{4} \right), \frac{e^t t}{4}, e^t \left(1 + \frac{t}{4} + \frac{t^2}{2} \right), e^t \left(\frac{t}{2} + \frac{t^2}{4} \right) \right\}$$

X5 = solmake[A, λ, m, v5, t]

$$\left\{ e^t \left(\frac{5t}{4} - \frac{9t^2}{4} + 2 \left(1 - t + \frac{9t^2}{8} \right) \right), \right. \\ e^t \left(-1 - \frac{t}{4} + \frac{5t^2}{2} + 2 \left(\frac{3t}{2} - \frac{7t^2}{8} \right) \right), e^t \left(1 - \frac{5t}{4} + \frac{9t^2}{4} + 2 \left(t - \frac{9t^2}{8} \right) \right), \\ \left. e^t \left(-\frac{21t}{4} + \frac{47t^2}{4} + 2 \left(5t - \frac{41t^2}{8} \right) \right), e^t \left(-\frac{3t}{2} + \frac{19t^2}{4} + 2 \left(\frac{5t}{2} - 2t^2 \right) \right) \right\}$$

Now we form the general solution, and then find the constants to satisfy the initial condition.

Xgen = a1 * X1 + a2 * X2 + a3 * X3 + a4 * X4 + a5 * X5

$$\left\{ a_4 e^t \left(1 - \frac{t}{4} \right) + a_2 e^{-2t} \left(-1 + \frac{t}{2} \right) + a_1 e^{-2t} \left(-\frac{21t}{4} + 2(1 + 2t) \right) + \right. \\ a_3 e^t \left(-\frac{3t}{2} + \frac{9t^2}{4} - 2 \left(1 - t + \frac{9t^2}{8} \right) \right) + a_5 e^t \left(\frac{5t}{4} - \frac{9t^2}{4} + 2 \left(1 - t + \frac{9t^2}{8} \right) \right), \\ a_2 e^{-2t} \left(1 - \frac{t}{2} \right) + a_4 e^t \left(\frac{t}{4} + \frac{t^2}{4} \right) + a_1 e^{-2t} \left(\frac{27t}{4} - 2 \left(1 + \frac{11t}{4} \right) \right) + \\ a_3 e^t \left(1 + \frac{5t}{2} - \frac{9t^2}{4} - 2 \left(\frac{3t}{2} - \frac{7t^2}{8} \right) \right) + a_5 e^t \left(-1 - \frac{t}{4} + \frac{5t^2}{2} + 2 \left(\frac{3t}{2} - \frac{7t^2}{8} \right) \right), \\ a_2 e^{-2t} \left(1 - \frac{t}{2} \right) + \frac{1}{4} a_4 e^t t + a_1 e^{-2t} \left(\frac{17t}{4} - 2 \left(1 + \frac{3t}{2} \right) \right) + \\ a_3 e^t \left(\frac{3t}{2} - \frac{9t^2}{4} - 2 \left(t - \frac{9t^2}{8} \right) \right) + a_5 e^t \left(1 - \frac{5t}{4} + \frac{9t^2}{4} + 2 \left(t - \frac{9t^2}{8} \right) \right), \\ a_2 e^{-2t} \left(1 - \frac{5t}{2} \right) + \frac{25}{4} a_1 e^{-2t} t + a_4 e^t \left(1 + \frac{t}{4} + \frac{t^2}{2} \right) + a_3 e^t \\ \left(\frac{19t}{2} - \frac{45t^2}{4} - 2 \left(5t - \frac{41t^2}{8} \right) \right) + a_5 e^t \left(-\frac{21t}{4} + \frac{47t^2}{4} + 2 \left(5t - \frac{41t^2}{8} \right) \right), \\ -a_2 e^{-2t} t + a_1 e^{-2t} \left(1 + \frac{5t}{2} \right) + a_4 e^t \left(\frac{t}{2} + \frac{t^2}{4} \right) + \\ \left. a_3 e^t \left(1 + 4t - \frac{9t^2}{2} - 2 \left(\frac{5t}{2} - 2t^2 \right) \right) + a_5 e^t \left(-\frac{3t}{2} + \frac{19t^2}{4} + 2 \left(\frac{5t}{2} - 2t^2 \right) \right) \right\}$$

Xinit = {1, 0, 2, -1, 1};

coeff = Solve[(Xgen /. t → 0) == Xinit, {a1, a2, a3, a4, a5}]

{{a1 → -1, a2 → -2, a3 → 2, a4 → 1, a5 → 2}}

Now we form the solution.

```
Xsol5 = Simplify[Xgen /. Thread[Flatten[coeff]]]
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$$\left\{ \frac{1}{4} e^{-2t} (e^{3t} (4 - 3t) + t), \frac{1}{4} e^{-2t} t (-1 + e^{3t} (19 + 3t)), \right. \\ \left. \frac{1}{4} e^{-2t} (-t + e^{3t} (8 + 3t)), \frac{1}{4} e^{-2t} (-8 - 5t + e^{3t} (4 + 35t + 6t^2)), \right. \\ \left. \frac{1}{4} e^{-2t} (-2(2 + t) + e^{3t} (8 + 22t + 3t^2)) \right\}$$

We check this.

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Simplify[D[Xsol5, t] - A.Xsol5]
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{0, 0, 0, 0, 0}
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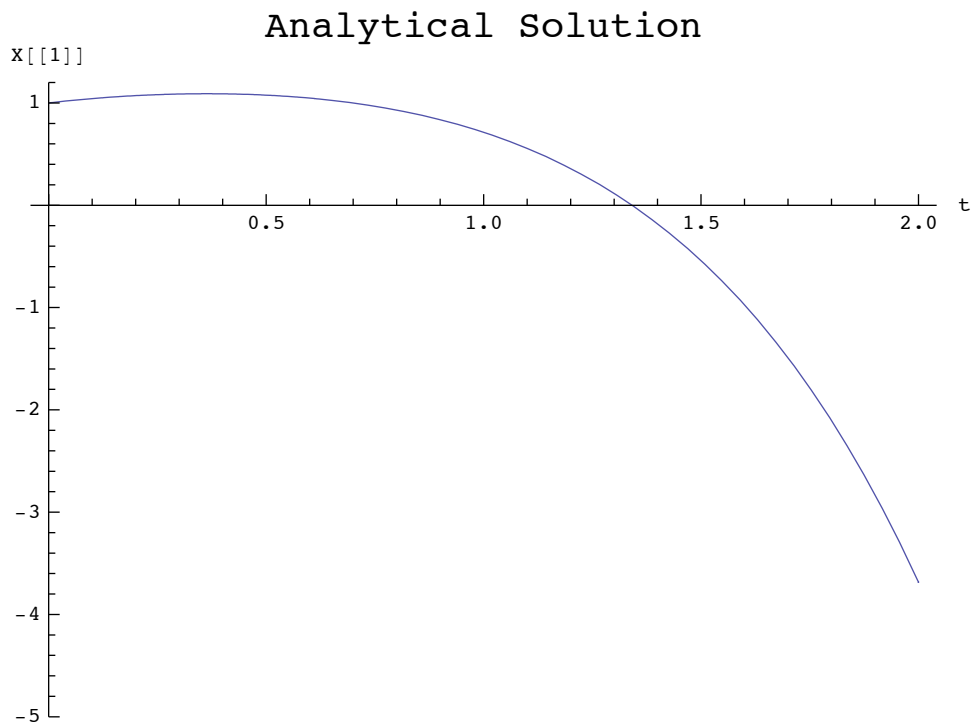
```
Simplify[(Xsol5 /. t -> 0) - Xinit]
```

```
{0, 0, 0, 0, 0}
```

Everything checks.

We make a plot of the first component for t in the range $[0,1]$.

```
graph1 = Plot[Xsol5[[1]], {t, 0, 2},
  AxesLabel -> {"t", "X[[1]"}], PlotLabel -> "Analytical Solution",
  AspectRatio -> 0.7, PlotRange -> {-5, 1.2}]
```



Now we solve the same problem with DynPac.

```
setstate[{x1, x2, x3, x4, x5}]; setparm[{}];
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slopevec = A.statevec
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$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{x_2}{4} + \frac{3x_3}{2} + \frac{3x_4}{4} - \frac{7x_5}{4}, \\ \frac{3x_1}{2} + \frac{3x_2}{4} - \frac{x_3}{2} - \frac{5x_4}{4} + \frac{11x_5}{4}, \quad x_1 - \frac{x_2}{4} - \frac{x_3}{2} - \frac{3x_4}{4} + \frac{7x_5}{4}, \\ 5x_1 + \frac{19x_2}{4} - \frac{x_3}{2} - \frac{15x_4}{4} + \frac{19x_5}{4}, \quad \frac{5x_1}{2} + \frac{5x_2}{2} + x_3 - 2x_4 + \frac{5x_5}{2} \end{array} \right\}$$

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t0 = 0.0; h = 0.01; nsteps = 200;
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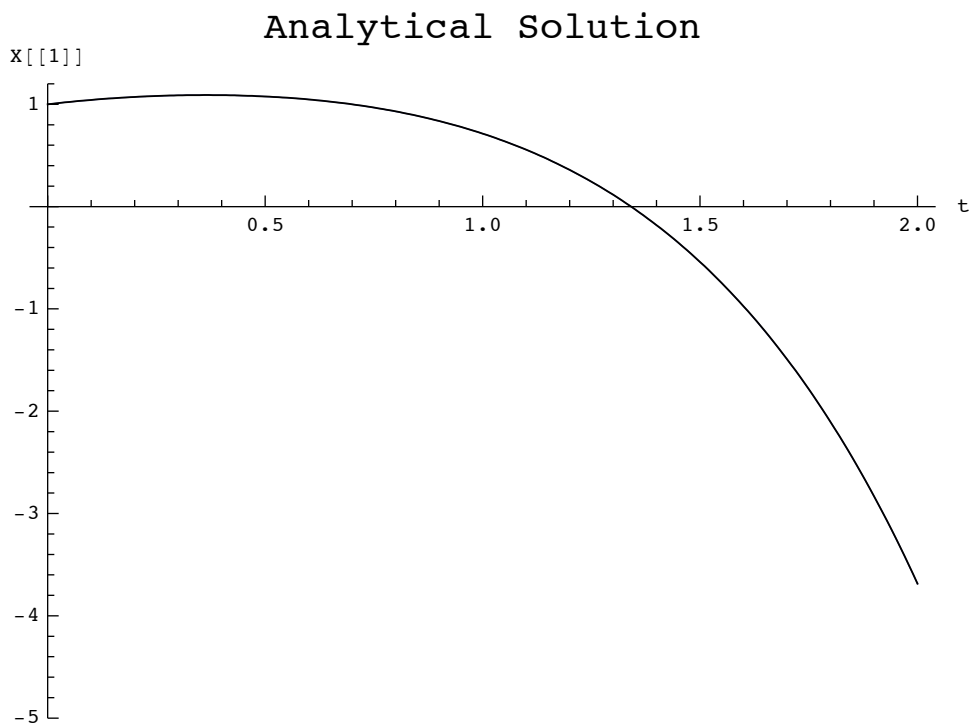
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sol5 = integrate[Xinit, t0, h, nsteps];
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asprat = 0.7; plrange = {{0, 2}, {-5, 1.2}};
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sysname = "Numerical Solution";
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graph2 = timeplot[sol5, 1];
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Show[graph1, graph2]
```



We see that the graphs are essentially identical. Let's compare values of the solutions at $t = 2$.

```
N[Xsol5 /. t -> 2]
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{-3.68537, 92.354, 25.8525, 180.949, 118.188}
```

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lastx
```

```
{-3.68537, 92.354, 25.8525, 180.949, 118.188}
```

We see perfect agreement to this number of places.