

Derivation of asymptotical formulas for resolution of systems of differential equations with symmetrical matrices

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Abstract

Asymptotic formulae for resolution of L -diagonal systems of ordinary differential equations with symmetrical matrices are derived.

1) We shall consider a system of linear differential equations

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = (\Lambda(t) + Q(t))x, \quad (1)$$

where x is an n -vector, $\Lambda(t)$ is an $(n \times n)$ diagonal matrix, and $Q(t)$ is an $(n \times n)$ -matrix with summable elements in the interval (t_0, ∞) . Such a system was called L -diagonal system by I.M. Rapoport [1]. Studying these systems we assume that:

- a) The elements $\omega_i(t)$ ($i = 1, 2, \dots, n$) of the diagonal matrix $\Lambda(t)$ are summable in the interval (t_0, t_1) for any finite t_1 ;
- b) There exists T_0 big enough for any difference

$$\operatorname{Re} \omega_i(t) - \operatorname{Re} \omega_j(t), \quad i, j = 1, \dots, n,$$

not to change sign for $t \geq T_0$.

Then system (1) can be solved for $t \geq t_0$ and its n particular solutions have the form

$$x_i = \eta_{ij}(t) \exp \int_{t_0}^t \omega_j(t) dt, \quad i, j = 1, 2, \dots, n,$$

where $\eta_{ij}(t)$ are continuous functions in the closed interval $[t_0, \infty]$, and $\eta_{ij}(\infty) = 0$ when $i \neq j$, $\eta_{jj}(\infty) = 1$. I.M. Rapoport [1] found substitutions which can help us to reduce systems of differential equations

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = A(t)x \quad (2)$$

to L -diagonal systems in the case when roots of the characteristic equation are simple. In the paper [2] we suggested the method for construction of the mentioned substitutions in the case when the roots of the characteristic equation for $t \geq t_0$ maintain constant multiplicity.

2) In this paper we suggest the method for construction of such substitutions for systems of differential equations

$$B(t) \frac{dx}{dt} = A(t)x, \quad (3)$$

where the matrix $B(t)$ may not have an inverse matrix, when $t \geq t_0$.

3) We will consider instead of the system (3) the system

$$\varepsilon B(t) \frac{dx}{dt} = A(t)x, \quad (3')$$

where $\varepsilon > 0$ is a real parameter.

The system (3') coincides with the system (3) when $\varepsilon = 1$. We shall make use of a substitution $t = \varepsilon t_1$ in the system (3'). Now we have the system

$$B(t) \frac{dx}{dt_1} = A(t)x. \quad (4)$$

For construction of a fundamental matrix of solutions for this system, we can use the method from [2].

The equation

$$\det(A(t) - \lambda B(t)) = 0 \quad (5)$$

has v roots $\lambda(t), \dots, \lambda_v(t)$ ($v \leq n$).

We assume that the matrices $A(t), B(t)$ are symmetric for $t \geq t_0$. Then the roots of the equation (5) are real [3]. We assume that the roots $\lambda_i(t)$ are different when $t \leq t < \infty$. Hence when $t \geq t_0$ $\lambda_i(t) \neq \lambda_j(t)$, $i \neq j$, $i, j = 1, \dots, v$, so we can construct proper vectors $\mu_i(t)$ of the matrix $A(t)$ with respect to the matrix $B(t)$ in order for the scalar product

$$(B(t)\mu_i(t), \mu_j(t)) = \begin{cases} 1, & i = j; \\ 0, & i \neq j, \quad i, j = 1, \dots, v. \end{cases}$$

We put

$$x = \mathcal{U}_m(t, \varepsilon)y, \quad \mathcal{U}_m(t, \varepsilon) = \sum_{s=0}^m \varepsilon^s \mathcal{U}_s(t),$$

where y is an n -measurable vector, and $\mathcal{U}_s(t)$ are square $(n \times n)$ -matrices. We have

$$B(t)\mathcal{U}_m(t, \varepsilon) \frac{dy}{dt_1} = (A(t)\mathcal{U}_m(t, \varepsilon) - \varepsilon B(t)\mathcal{U}'_m(t, \varepsilon))y.$$

We construct the matrices $\mathcal{U}_s(t)$ ($s = 0, 1, \dots, m$) so as to get the matrix equality

$$A(t)\mathcal{U}_m(t, \varepsilon) - \varepsilon B(t)\mathcal{U}'_m(t, \varepsilon) = B(t)\mathcal{U}_m(t, \varepsilon)(\Lambda(t, \varepsilon) + \varepsilon^{m+1}C_m(t, \varepsilon)), \quad (6)$$

where $\Lambda(t, \varepsilon)$ is a diagonal matrix,

$$\Lambda_m(t, \varepsilon) = \sum_{s=0}^m \varepsilon^s \Lambda_s(t).$$

We have to compare coefficients of $\varepsilon^0, \varepsilon^1, \dots, \varepsilon^m$ in the matrix equalities (6). We have a matrix system of equations

$$A(t)\mathcal{U}_0(t) - B(t)\mathcal{U}_0(t)\Lambda_0(t) = 0, \tag{7}$$

$$A(t)\mathcal{U}_s(t) - B(t)\mathcal{U}_s(t)\Lambda_0(t) = B(t)\mathcal{U}'_{s-1}(t) + B(t)\sum_{j=1}^s \mathcal{U}_{s-j}(t)\Lambda_j(t). \tag{8}$$

Let $\Lambda_0(t) = \text{diag} \{ \lambda - 1(t), \lambda_2(t), \dots, \lambda_v(t), \dots, \lambda_n(t) \}$.

We write the matrix equation (7) in the vector form and designate columns of the matrix $\mathcal{U}_0(t)$ by $u_{0i}(t)$ ($i = 1, 2, \dots, n$). We have

$$(A(t) - \lambda_j(t)B(t))u_{0i}(t) = 0.$$

Then

$$u_{0i}(t) = \mu_i(t) \quad (i = 1, 2, \dots, n) \quad \text{and} \quad u_{0i}(t) \equiv 0 \quad (i = v + 1, \dots, n).$$

Let us consider (8) when $s = 1$:

$$A(t)\mathcal{U}_1(t) - B(t)\mathcal{U}_1(t)\Lambda_0(t) = B(t)\mathcal{U}'_0(t) + B(t)\mathcal{U}_0(t)\Lambda_1(t);$$

or in the vector form

$$(A(t) - \lambda_i(t)B(t))u_{1i}(t) = B(t)u'_{0i}(t) + B(t)u_{0i}(t)\lambda_{1i}(t) \equiv g_{1i}(t), \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n. \tag{9}$$

The equation (9) can be solved relatively $u_{1i}(t)$ iff, when the vector $g_{1i}(t)$ ($i = 1, 2, \dots, n$) is orthogonal to the vector which is a solution of the conjugated system corresponding to the homogeneous system (9). $A(t)$ and $B(t)$ are symmetric, so the conjugated system coincides with (9). So (9) has a solution iff, when

$$(g_{1i}(t), \mu_i(t)) = 0 \tag{10}$$

for all $t \geq t_0$. For $i = 1, \dots, n$ we have

$$(B(t)u'_{0i}(t), \mu_i(t)) + (B(t)u_{0i}(t)\lambda_{1i}(t), \mu_i(t)) = 0$$

or

$$\lambda_{1i}(t) = -(B(t)u'_{0i}(t), \mu_i(t)), \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n.$$

If $i = v + 1, \dots, n$, then (10) will change to an identity. So we can take $\lambda_{1i}(t) \equiv 0$ ($i = v + 1, \dots, n$). Thus substituting the obtained values of $\lambda_{1i}(t)$ ($i = 1, \dots, n$) to the system (9), we get the vector-column of the first part is orthogonal for all $t \geq t_0$ to a non-trivial solution of the conjugate system. We look for this solution in such a form

$$u_{1i}(t) = \sum_{r=1}^v c_{ri}^{(1)}(t)\mu_r(t), \quad i = 1, \dots, v, \tag{11}$$

where $c_{ri}^{(1)}(t)$ is a function which must be defined for the vector (11) to satisfy the system (9).

Substituting (11) to system (9) and multiplying this result by the vector $\mu_j(t)$ ($j = 1, \dots, v$), we have

$$c_{ji}^{(1)}(t)(\lambda_j(t) - \lambda_i(t)) = (g_{1i}(t), \mu_j(t)), \quad j = 1, \dots, v.$$

When $i = j$ we have the identity $c_{jj}^{(1)}(t) \cdot 0 \equiv 0$. Hence we can take any function $c_{jj}^{(1)}(t)$. We take $c_{jj}^{(1)}(t) \equiv 0$, for $t \geq t_0$. When $i \neq j$

$$c_{ji}^{(1)}(t) = \frac{(g_{1i}(t), \mu_j(t))}{\lambda_j(t) - \lambda_i(t)}.$$

Then

$$u_{1i}(t) = \sum_{r=1}^v \frac{(g_{1i}(t), \mu_r(t))}{\lambda_r(t) - \lambda_i(t)} \mu_r(t).$$

We assume that $u_{1i}(t) \equiv 0$, $i = v + 1, \dots, n$.

Thus we defined the vectors $u_{1i}(t)$ ($i = 1, 2, \dots, n$) (in the matrix $\mathcal{U}_1(t)$) and functions $\lambda_{1i}(t)$ ($i = 1, 2, \dots, n$) (in the matrix $\Lambda_1(t)$). Using the method of mathematical induction, we can find from equations (8) all the following matrices $\mathcal{U}_s(t)$ and $\Lambda_s(t)$ ($s = 2, 3, \dots, m$). So the system (4) has the form

$$B(t)\mathcal{U}_m(t, \varepsilon) \frac{dy}{dt} = B(t)\mathcal{U}_m(t, \varepsilon)(\Lambda_m(t, \varepsilon) + \varepsilon^{m+1}C_m(t, \varepsilon))y. \quad (12)$$

We can find the matrix $C_m(t, \varepsilon)$ from (6)

$$\varepsilon^{m+1}B(t)\mathcal{U}_m(t, \varepsilon)C_m(t, \varepsilon) = A(t)\mathcal{U}_m(t, \varepsilon) - \varepsilon B(t)\mathcal{U}_m'(t, \varepsilon) - B(t)\mathcal{U}_m(t, \varepsilon)\Lambda_m(t, \varepsilon).$$

We assume that

$$(E - B(t)\mathcal{U}_m(t, 1)(B(t)\mathcal{U}_m(t, 1))^-)D_m(t, 1) = 0,$$

is a true equality for $\varepsilon = 1$ and $t_0 \leq t < +\infty$, where $(B(t)\mathcal{U}_m(t, 1))^-$ is a half-inverse matrix for the matrix $B(t)\mathcal{U}_m(t, 1)$,

$$D_m(t, 1) = -B(t) \left(\mathcal{U}_m'(t, 1) + \sum_{r=1}^m \sum_{j=r}^m \mathcal{U}_j(t) \Lambda_{m+r-j}(t) \right).$$

Then

$$C_m(t, 1) = (B(t)\mathcal{U}_m(t, 1))^- D_m(t, 1).$$

So, we have

$$B(t)\mathcal{U}_m(t, 1) \frac{dy}{dt} = B(t)\mathcal{U}_m(t, 1)(\Lambda_m(t, 1) + C_m(t, 1))y.$$

Let the system

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = (\Lambda_m(t, 1) + C_m(t, 1))y, \quad t \geq t_0 \quad (13)$$

be L -diagonalizable. We can understand that every solution of (13) is a solution of (12). With the condition $x = \mathcal{U}_m(t, 1)y$ we can find solutions of the system (3). Looking at the conditions for matrices $A(t), B(t)$, when $t \geq t_0$, we receive solutions of (3) in such a form

$$x_j = \mu_{ij}(t) \exp \int_{t_0}^t \omega_j(t) dt, \quad i, j = 1, 2, \dots, n,$$

where $\mu_{ij}(t)$ are continuous functions on the interval $[t_0, \infty)$.

Theorem 1. *For the system (3) the following is true:*

- 1) matrices $A(t)$ and $B(t)$ on the interval $[t_0, \infty)$ have continuous derivatives;
- 2) $A(t), B(t)$ are symmetric when $t \geq t_0$;
- 3) roots $\lambda_i(t)$ ($i = 1, 2, \dots, \nu$) of the equation

$$\det(A(t) - \lambda B(t)) = 0,$$

when $t \geq t_0$, are simple;

- 4) when $\varepsilon = 1$ and $t_0 \leq t < +\infty$ the equality

$$(E - B(t)\mathcal{U}_m(t, 1)(B(t)\mathcal{U}_m(t, 1))^{-1})D_m(t, 1) = 0,$$

holds, where $\mathcal{U}_m(t, 1), D_m(t, 1)$ are the matrices that we have found.

If the system (13) is a L -diagonal system, then n particular solutions of system (3) have the form

$$x_i = \mu_{ij}(t) \exp \int_{t_0}^t \omega_j(t) dt, \quad i, j = 1, 2, \dots, n,$$

where $\mu_{ij}(t)$ are continuous functions on the interval $[t_0, \infty)$.

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