

Chapter 9.2¹

Linear Algebra with applications to differential equations

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1. (Re)introduce yourself to your partners. Second to last class of the term. Hard to believe, eh?

2. Consider the nonlinear system:

$$x' = 2x - y - x^2, \tag{1}$$

$$y' = x - 2y + y^2. \tag{2}$$

(a) Find all equilibria for this system. Hint: there are two.

(b) Determine the Jacobian matrix.

(c) Use the Jacobian matrix to classify all equilibria.

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¹Although my presentation is quite different from the textbook's.