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## MA 226 Section B – Exam 2a

| Question Number | Possible Points | Student Score |
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| 1               | 15              |               |
| 2a              | 5               |               |
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| Total Points    | 100             |               |

You must show your work to receive full credit

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## 1. Short Answer (15 pts)

- a) Characterize the behavior of the harmonic oscillator with mass  $m = 1$ , spring constant  $k = 9$  and damping coefficient  $b = 6$ , as underdamped, overdamped or critically damped. Show the work that justifies your answer.

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} + 6 \frac{dy}{dt} + 9y = 0$$

$$s^2 + 6s + 9 = 0$$

$$s = -3 \quad \text{repeated root}$$

critically damped

$$b^2 - 4k = 36 - 4 \cdot 9 = 0$$

- b) Find all the equilibrium solutions of the system of differential equations

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 3 \left( 1 - \frac{x}{3} \right) x - xy$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = -16y + 4xy$$

Ask

$$(3-x)x - xy = 0$$

$$-16y + 4xy = 0$$

$$x(3-x-y) = 0$$

$$y(-16+4x) = 0$$

$$3-x-y = 0 \Rightarrow 3-4-y = 0 \Rightarrow -1 = y$$

$$-16 + 4x = 0 \Rightarrow x = 4$$

Equilibrium points

$$x=0, y=0 \quad 1 \text{ pt}$$

$$x=3, y=0 \quad 2 \text{ pts}$$

$$x=4, y=-1 \quad 2 \text{ pts}$$

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c) Consider the two systems of differential equations

(i)

(ii)

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 0.4x - 4xy$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = -3y + 0.1xy$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 0.4x - 0.2xy$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = -0.2y + 3xy$$

One of these systems refers to a predator-prey system with very lethargic predators- those who seldom catch prey but who can live for a long time on a single prey (for example, boa constrictors). The other system refers to a very active predator that requires many prey to stay healthy (such as a small cat). The prey in each case is the same. Identify which system is which and justify your answer.

lethargic predators have minimal impact on prey population

$\Rightarrow$  (ii) has lethargic predators.

$$|-0.2xy| < |-4xy|$$

$\Rightarrow$  (i) has active predators

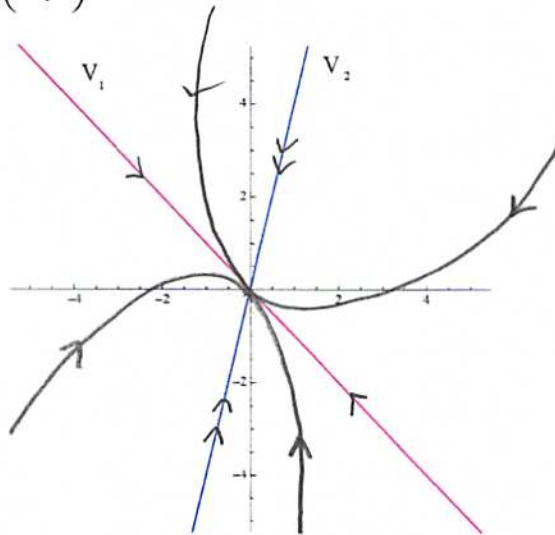
reason is 3 points

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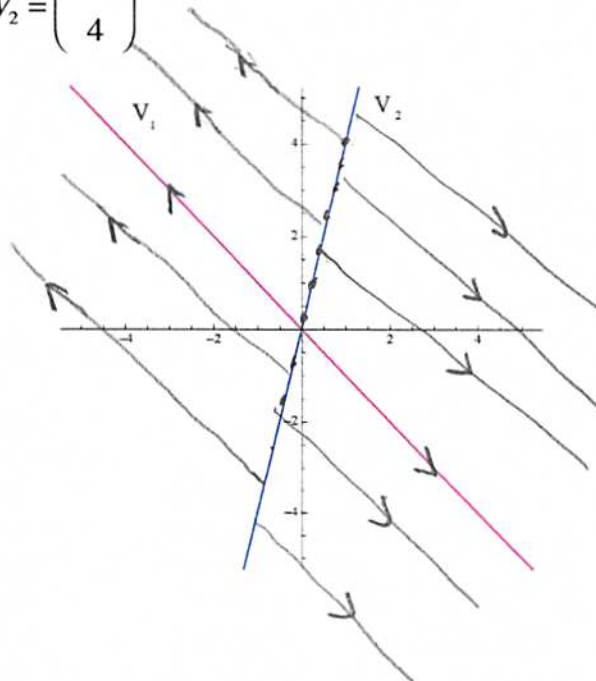
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2. (5 pts each) Draw the phase portrait of a linear system given the following information:

a.) Given eigenvalues  $\lambda_1 = -2$  and  $\lambda_2 = -5$  with corresponding eigenvectors  $\vec{V}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $\vec{V}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$



b.) Given eigenvalues  $\lambda_1 = 2$  and  $\lambda_2 = 0$  with corresponding eigenvectors  $\vec{V}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $\vec{V}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$

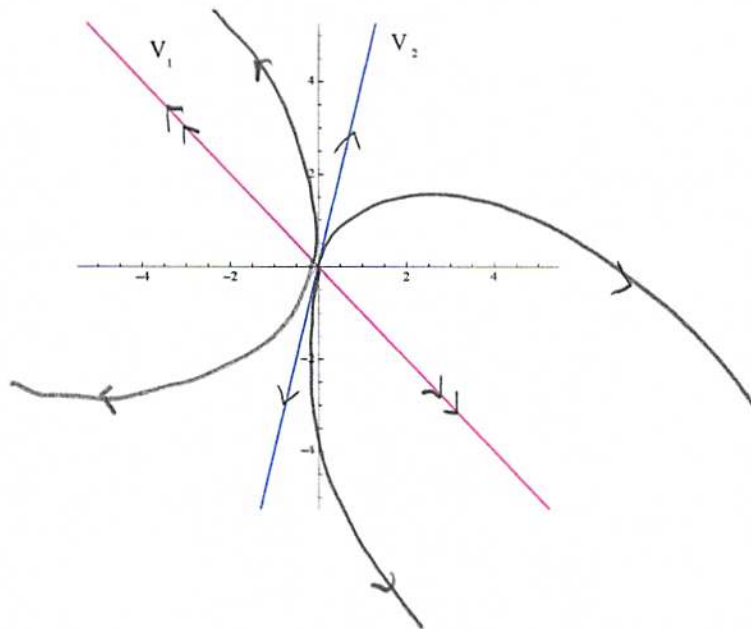


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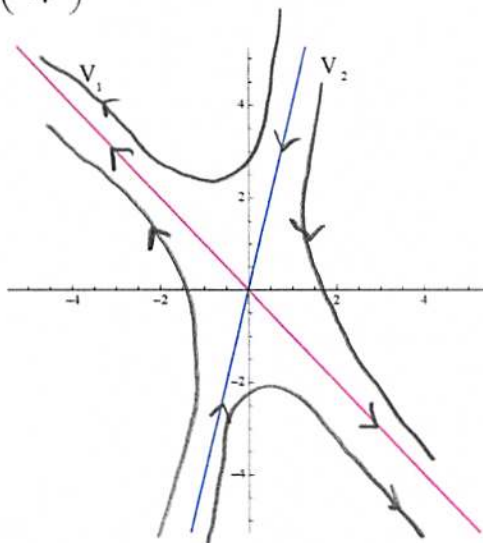
c.) Given eigenvalues  $\lambda_1 = 3$  and  $\lambda_2 = 1$  with corresponding eigenvectors

$$\vec{V}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } \vec{V}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$$



d.) Given eigenvalues  $\lambda_1 = 3$  and  $\lambda_2 = -1$  with corresponding eigenvectors

$$\vec{V}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } \vec{V}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$$



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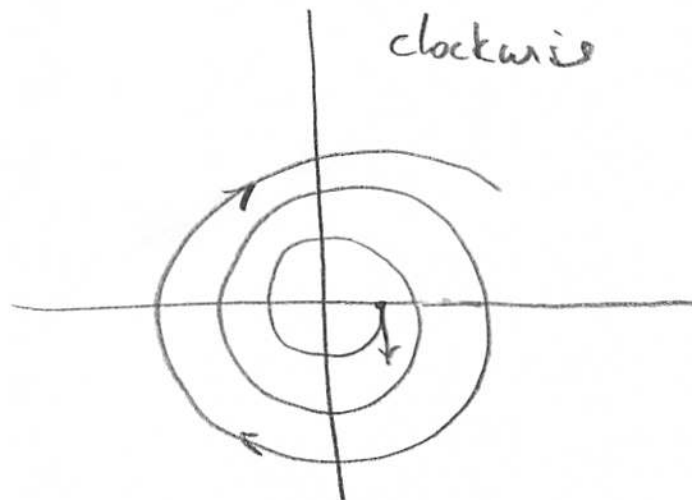
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e.) Draw the phase portrait for the linear system  $\frac{d\vec{Y}}{dt} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ -4 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \vec{Y}$  with complex eigenvalue  $\lambda = 4 + 2i$ . Please show how you determined the correct orientation.

-2pts spiral source  
real( $\lambda$ ) > 0

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ -4 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$y$  is negative  
3 points



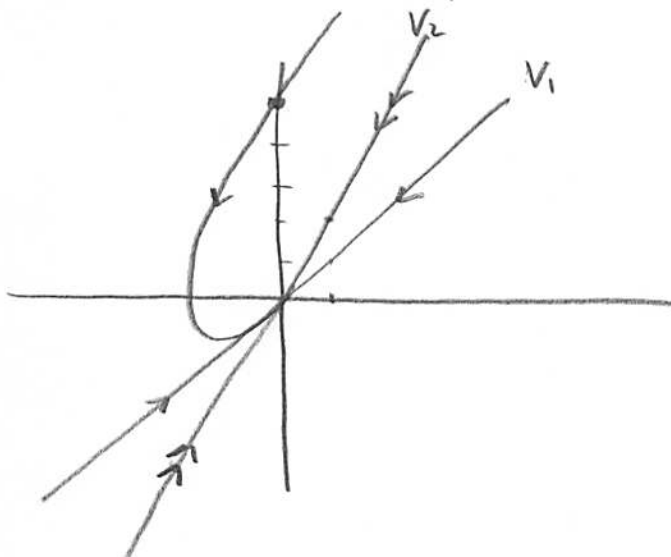
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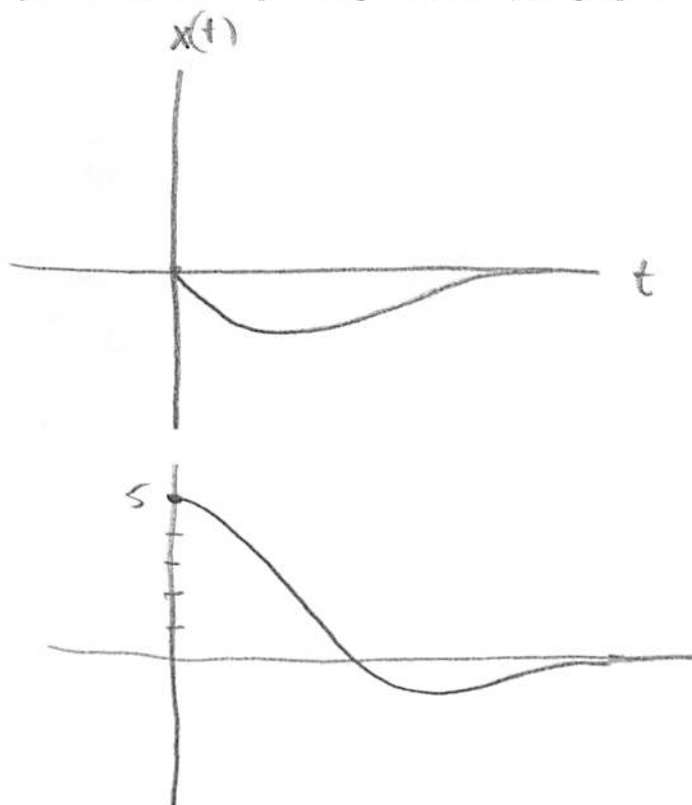
3. (a) (5 pts) Given the linear system  $\frac{d\bar{Y}}{dt} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -1 \\ 2 & -5 \end{pmatrix} \bar{Y}$  with straight line solutions

$\bar{Y}_1(t) = \begin{pmatrix} e^{-3t} \\ e^{-3t} \end{pmatrix}$  and  $\bar{Y}_2(t) = \begin{pmatrix} e^{-4t} \\ 2e^{-4t} \end{pmatrix}$ . Make a rough sketch of the solution of the initial value problem passing through the point (0,5).

$$\bar{Y}_1(t) = e^{-3t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \bar{Y}_2(t) = e^{-4t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$



(b) (5 pts) Draw the corresponding  $x(t)$  and  $y(t)$  graphs



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4. (8 pts) Use Euler's Method with a step size of .25 to approximate the solution of the initial value problem at time  $t = .75$ . Use 6 decimal places of accuracy.

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = y = f(x, y) \quad \text{where at } t=0, \text{ we have } (x_0, y_0) = (1, 2)$$
$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 2x - y = g(x, y)$$

| $k$ | $t_k$ | $x_k$  | $y_k$  | $f(x_k, y_k)$ | $g(x_k, y_k)$ | $x_{k+1}$ | $y_{k+1}$ |
|-----|-------|--------|--------|---------------|---------------|-----------|-----------|
| 0   | 0     | 1      | 2      | 2             | 0             | 1.5       | 2         |
| 1   | .25   | 1.5    | 2      | 2             | 1             | 2         | 2.25      |
| 2   | .5    | 2      | 2.25   | 2.25          | 1.75          | 2.5625    | 2.6875    |
| 3   | .75   | 2.5625 | 2.6875 |               |               |           |           |

1 point each

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5. Solve the initial value problem:  $\frac{d\vec{Y}}{dt} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \vec{Y}$  with initial condition

$$\vec{Y}(0) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

a. (7 pts) Write the general solution.

b. (2 pts) Write the solution of the initial value problem.

c. (3 pts) Make a rough sketch of the solution in the phase plane.

Eigenvalues

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 2-\lambda & 1 \\ -1 & 4-\lambda \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$$(2-\lambda)(4-\lambda) + 1 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 6\lambda + 9 = 0$$

$$(\lambda - 3)(\lambda - 3) = 0$$

$$\lambda = 3 \text{ repeated}$$

2 pts

Eigenvector

$$\begin{cases} 2x + y = 3x \\ -x + 4y = 3y \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} -x + y = 0 \\ -x + y = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow y = x$$

$$\vec{V} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

General Solution

2 pts

$$\vec{Y}(t) = e^{3t} \vec{V}_0 + t e^{3t} \vec{V}_1$$

$$\vec{V}_1 = (A - 3I) \vec{V}_0$$

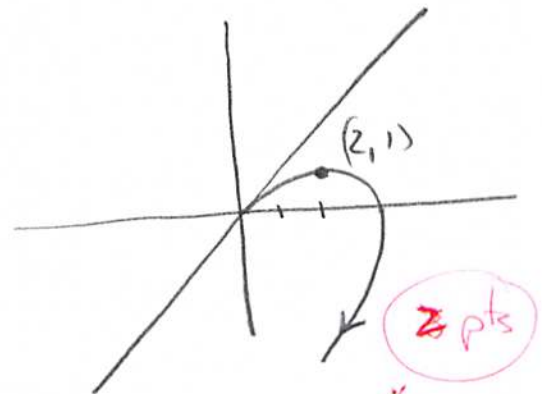
3 pts

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ y_0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} y_0 - x_0 \\ y_0 - x_0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Solution of Initial Value Problem

$$b.) \vec{Y}(t) = e^{3t} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + t e^{3t} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

c.)



$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ is negative}$$

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6. (8 pts) The linear system  $\frac{d\vec{Y}}{dt} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -5 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \vec{Y}$  has complex eigenvalues.

a.) Compute the eigenvalues

(4pts)  $\det \begin{pmatrix} -\lambda & 1 \\ -5 & -4-\lambda \end{pmatrix} = -\lambda(-4-\lambda) + 5 = 0$   
 $\lambda^2 + 4\lambda + 5 = 0$   
 $\lambda = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 4 \cdot 5}}{2} = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{-4}}{2}$   
 $\lambda = -2 \pm i$

b.) Compute one eigenvector  $A\vec{v} = \lambda\vec{v}$

$0x + y = (-2+i)x \Rightarrow y = (-2+i)x$  ①  
 $-5x - 4y = (-2+i)y \Rightarrow -5x = (2+i)y \Rightarrow 5x = (-2-i)y$  ②  
 mult. ② by  $(-2+i)$  ②  $\Rightarrow 5(-2+i)x = 5y$

(4pts)

$$\vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2+i \end{pmatrix}$$

also  $(-2-i)\vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} -2-i \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$

is also an eigenvector

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7. Find the solution of the damped harmonic oscillator  $\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + 4\frac{dy}{dt} + 20y = 0$  with initial  $y(0) = 4$  and  $v(0) = 0$ .

a.) (5 pts) Find the general solution  $y(t)$  for the equation.

b.) (2 pts) Write the corresponding equation for the velocity  $v(t)$ .

c.) (3 pts) Write the solution of the initial value problem.

a.)  $y(t) = e^{st}$   $s^2 + 4s + 20 = 0$

$$s = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 80}}{2} = \frac{-4 \pm 8i}{2} = -2 \pm 4i$$

2pts

$$y(t) = e^{-2t} e^{(4t)i} = e^{-2t} (\cos(4t) + i \sin(4t))$$

$$= \underbrace{e^{-2t} \cos(4t)}_{y_1(t)} + i \underbrace{e^{-2t} \sin(4t)}_{y_2(t)}$$

$$y(t) = k_1 e^{-2t} \cos(4t) + k_2 e^{-2t} \sin(4t)$$

3pts

b.)  $v(t) = k_1 e^{-2t} (-2\cos(4t) - 4\sin(4t)) + k_2 e^{-2t} (-2\sin(4t) + 4\cos(4t))$

2pts

c.)  $y(0) = 4 = k_1$

$$v(0) = 0 = -2k_1 + 4k_2$$

$$k_1 = 4$$

$$k_2 = \frac{1}{2} k_1 = 2$$

$$y(t) = 4e^{-2t} \cos(4t) + 2e^{-2t} \sin(4t)$$

1pt

2pts

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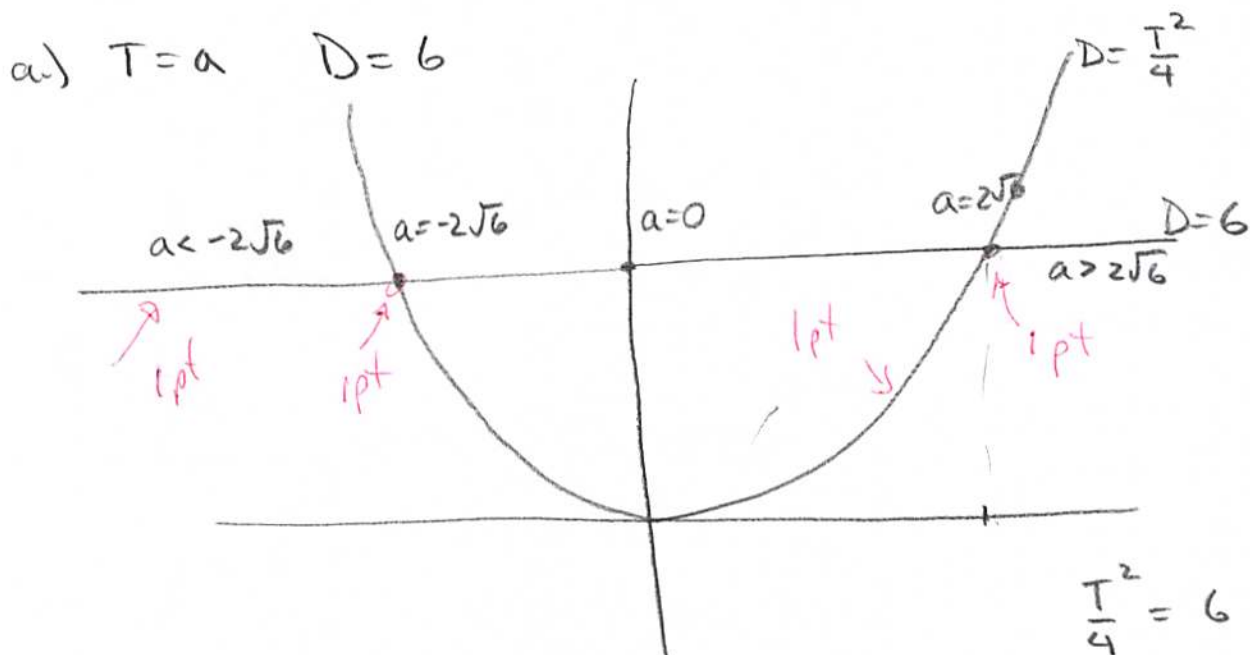
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8. (12 pts) Consider the one parameter family  $\frac{d\bar{Y}}{dt} = \begin{pmatrix} a & 3 \\ -2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \bar{Y}$ .

(a) (4 pts) Compute the trace and determinant for the coefficient matrix and draw the corresponding curve in the trace determinant plane.

(b) (6 pts) List the different types of behaviors exhibited by the system as the parameter,  $a$ , is varied from  $-\infty$  to  $+\infty$ .

(c) (2 pts) Identify the values of the parameter,  $a$ , that are bifurcation values.



- b)
- $a < -2\sqrt{6}$  sink
  - $a = -2\sqrt{6}$  repeated root sink
  - $-2\sqrt{6} < a < 0$  spiral sink
  - $a = 0$  center
  - $0 < a < 2\sqrt{6}$  spiral source
  - $a = 2\sqrt{6}$  repeated root source
  - $a > 2\sqrt{6}$  source
- 1 pt each

c)  $a = -2\sqrt{6}, 0, 2\sqrt{6}$  are bifurcation values  
one point each