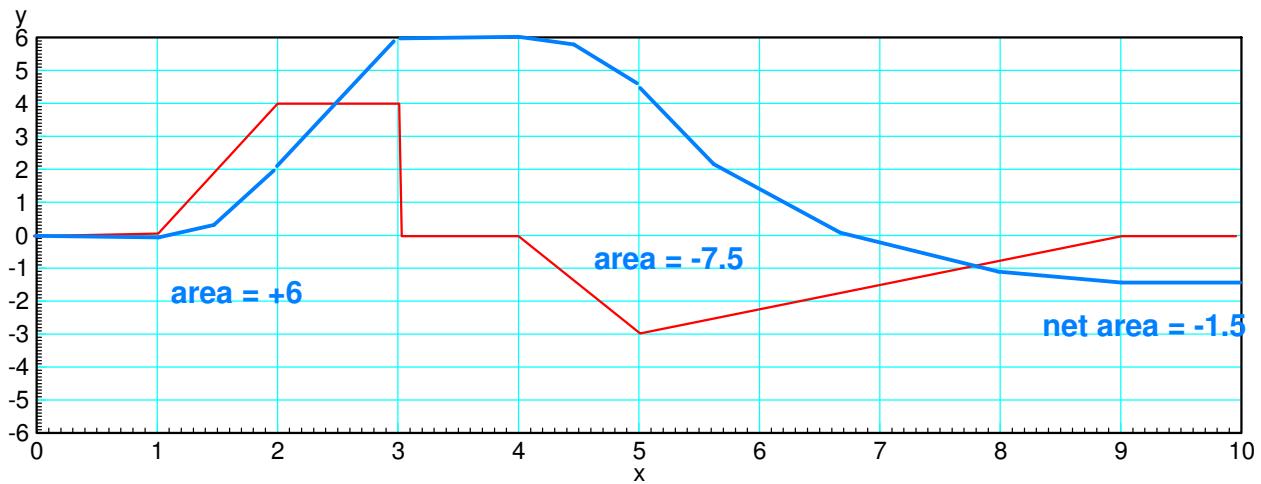


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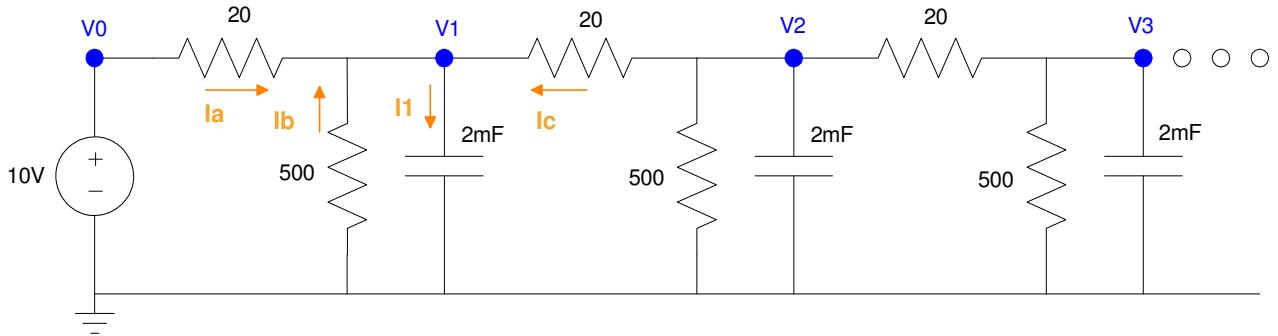
Week #7: ECE 311 Circuits II -- Due 11am Tuesday, October 4th

- 1) Assume the current flowing through a one Farad capacitor is shown below. Sketch the voltage. Assume $V(0) = 0$. The voltage is the integral of the current (capacitors are integrators)

$$V = \frac{1}{C} \int I \cdot dt$$



Problem 2-5: Assume a 10-stage RC filter ($V_0 \dots V_{10}$)



Problem 2) Write the dynamics for this system as a set of ten coupled differential equations:

Start with node V_1 :

$$I_1 = C \frac{dV_1}{dt} = \sum(\text{current to node } V_1)$$

$$I_1 = C \frac{dV_1}{dt} = I_a + I_b + I_c$$

$$0.002 \frac{dV_1}{dt} = \left(\frac{V_0 - V_1}{20} \right) + \left(\frac{0 - V_1}{500} \right) + \left(\frac{V_2 - V_1}{20} \right)$$

$$\frac{dV_1}{dt} = 25V_0 - 51V_1 + 25V_2$$

Node $V_2..V_9$ are the same (just shift the indices).

$$\frac{dV_2}{dt} = 25V_1 - 51V_2 + 25V_3$$

\vdots

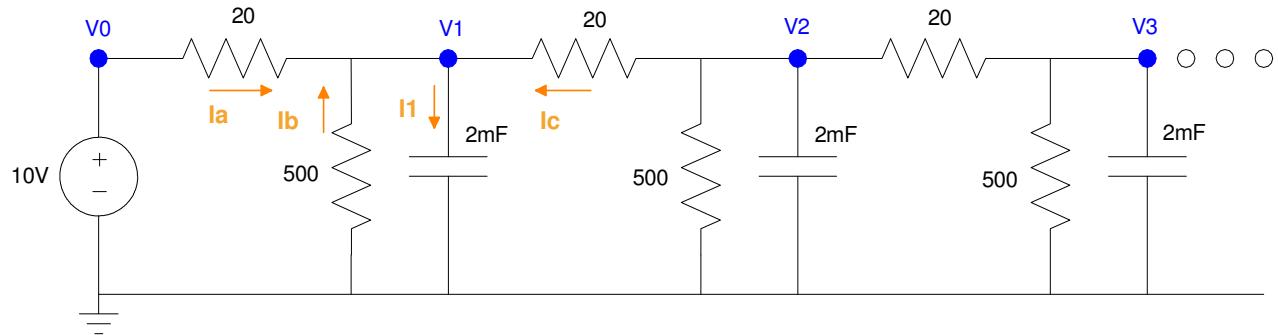
$$\frac{dV_9}{dt} = 25V_8 - 51V_9 + 25V_{10}$$

V_{10} is slightly different due to having only one neighbor

$$0.002 \frac{dV_{10}}{dt} = \left(\frac{V_9 - V_{10}}{20} \right) + \left(\frac{0 - V_{10}}{500} \right)$$

$$\frac{dV_{10}}{dt} = 25V_9 - 26V_{10}$$

Forced Response for a 10-Node RC Filter (heat.m):



Problem 3) Using Matlab, solve these ten differential equations for $0 < t < 5$ s assuming

- The initial voltages are zero, and
- $V_0 = 10\text{V}$.

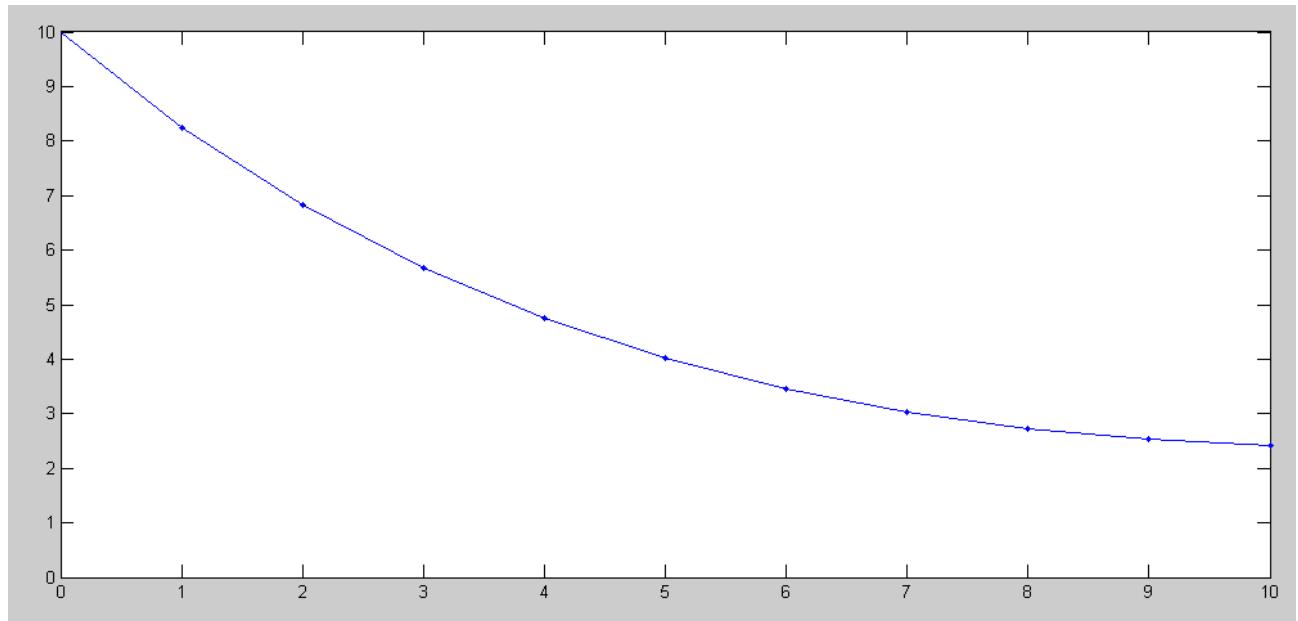
Code:

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% ECE 111 Homework #7
% 10-stage RC filter

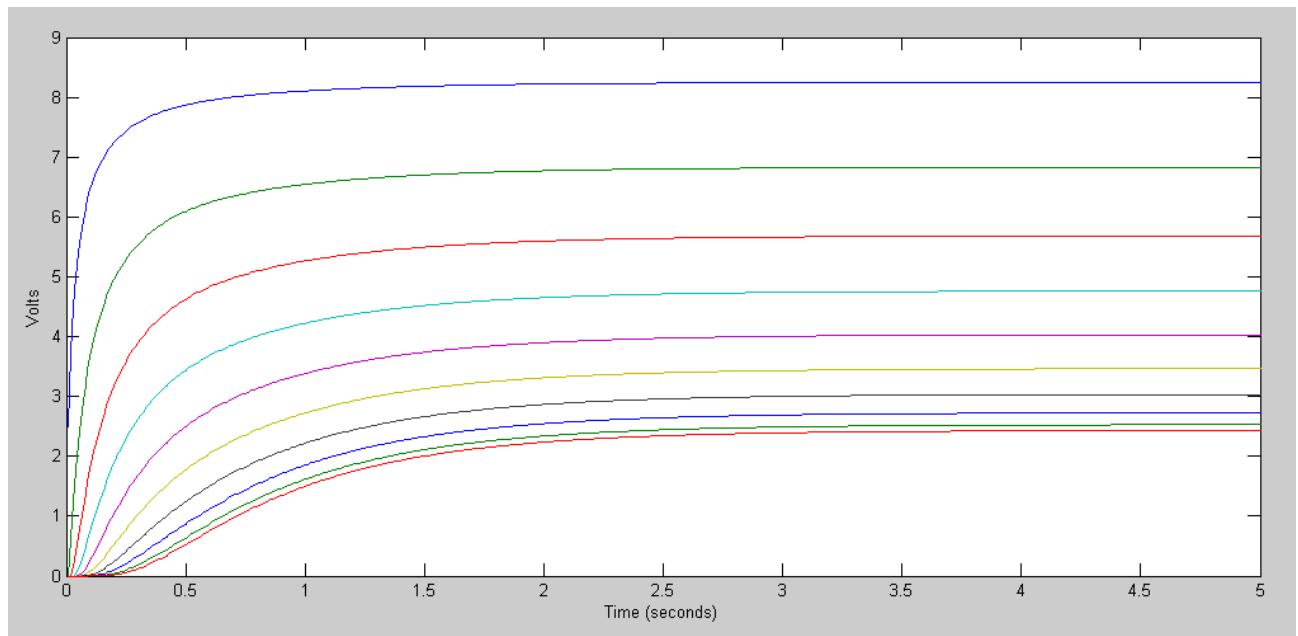
V = zeros(10,1);
dV = zeros(10,1);
V0 = 10;
dt = 0.01;
t = 0;
y = [];
while(t < 5)
    dV(1) = 25*V0 - 51*V(1) + 25*V(2);
    dV(2) = 25*V(1) - 51*V(2) + 25*V(3);
    dV(3) = 25*V(2) - 51*V(3) + 25*V(4);
    dV(4) = 25*V(3) - 51*V(4) + 25*V(5);
    dV(5) = 25*V(4) - 51*V(5) + 25*V(6);
    dV(6) = 25*V(5) - 51*V(6) + 25*V(7);
    dV(7) = 25*V(6) - 51*V(7) + 25*V(8);
    dV(8) = 25*V(7) - 51*V(8) + 25*V(9);
    dV(9) = 25*V(8) - 51*V(9) + 25*V(10);
    dV(10) = 25*V(9) - 26*V(10);
    V = V + dV*dt;
    t = t + dt;
    plot([0:10], [V0;V], '.-');
    ylim([0,10]);
    pause(0.01);

    y = [y ; V'];
end
pause(3)

t = [1:length(y)]' * dt;
plot(t,y);
xlim([0,5]);
xlabel('Time (seconds)');
ylabel('Volts');
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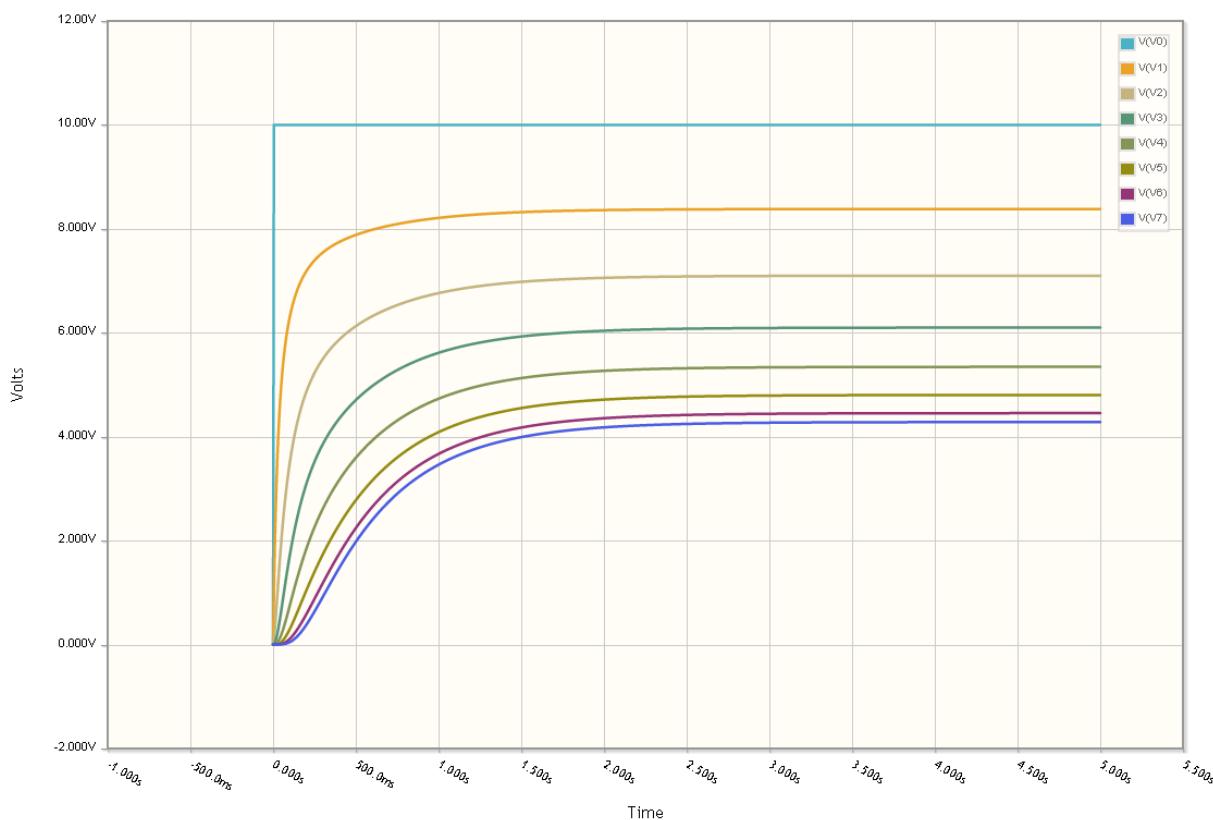
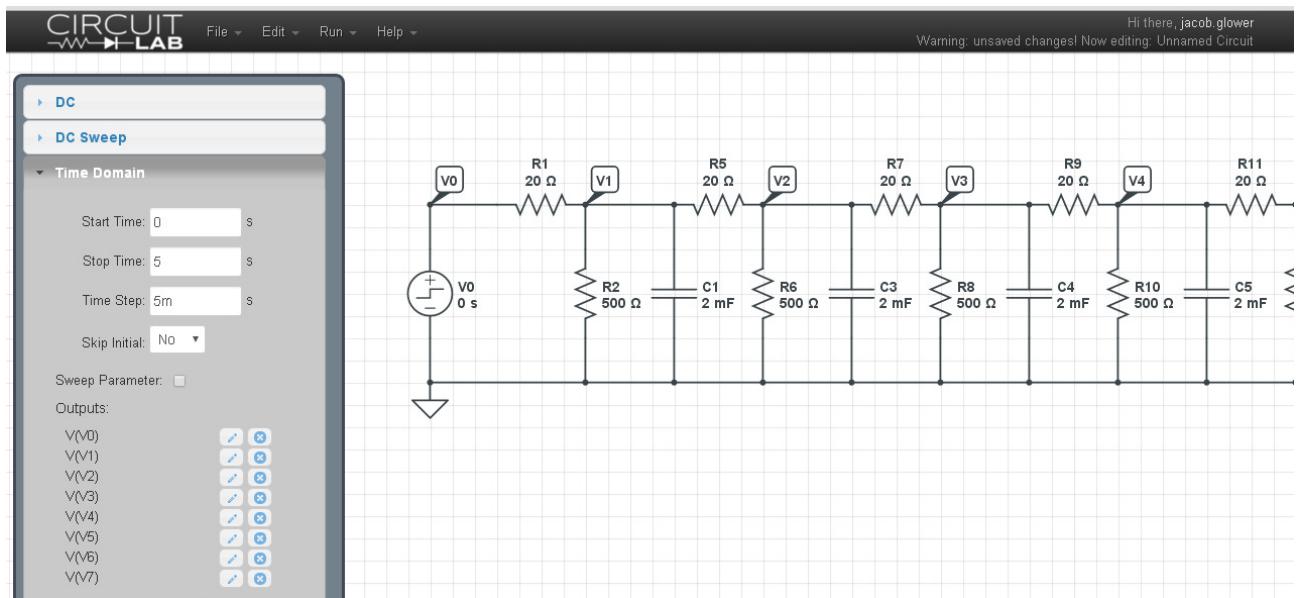
Node vs. Voltage at 5.00 seconds



Voltages of each node vs. time

Problem 4) Using CircuitLab, find the response of this circuit to a 10V step input. *note: It's OK if you only build this circuit to 3 nodes...*

Being someone who doesn't follow directions well, I went to seven nodes. The response matches Matlab



Natural Response

Problem 5) Assume $V_0 = 0V$. Determine the initial conditions of $V_1..V_{10}$ so that

- The maximum voltage is 10V and
- 5a) The voltages go to zero as slow as possible
- 5b) The voltages go to zero as fast as possible.

Simulate the response for these initial conditions in Matlab.

This is an eigenvector problem.

```
>> A = zeros(10,10);
>> for i=1:9
A(i,i) = -51;
A(i+1,i) = 25;
A(i,i+1) = 25;
end
>> A(10,10) = -26;
>> A

A =

-51    25     0     0     0     0     0     0     0     0
 25   -51    25     0     0     0     0     0     0     0
  0    25   -51    25     0     0     0     0     0     0
  0     0    25   -51    25     0     0     0     0     0
  0     0     0    25   -51    25     0     0     0     0
  0     0     0     0    25   -51    25     0     0     0
  0     0     0     0     0    25   -51    25     0     0
  0     0     0     0     0     0    25   -51    25     0
  0     0     0     0     0     0     0    25   -51    25
  0     0     0     0     0     0     0     0    25   -26

>> [M,V] = eig(A)

Eigenvectors:

-0.1286   -0.2459    0.3412    0.4063    0.4352    0.4255    0.3780    0.2969   -0.1894    0.0650
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 0.0650   -0.1286   -0.1894    0.2459   -0.2969    0.3412   -0.3780    0.4063    0.4255    0.4352
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>> eig(A)'

Eigenvalues:

```
-98.7786   -92.3119   -82.1745   -69.2671   -54.7365   -39.8740   -26.0000   -14.3474   -5.9516   -1.5585
```

The eigenvalues tell you *how* the system behaves

The eigenvector tells you *what* behaves that way.

- The fast mode (blue) decays as $\exp(-98.77t)$
- The slow mode (red) decays as $\exp(-1.55t)$

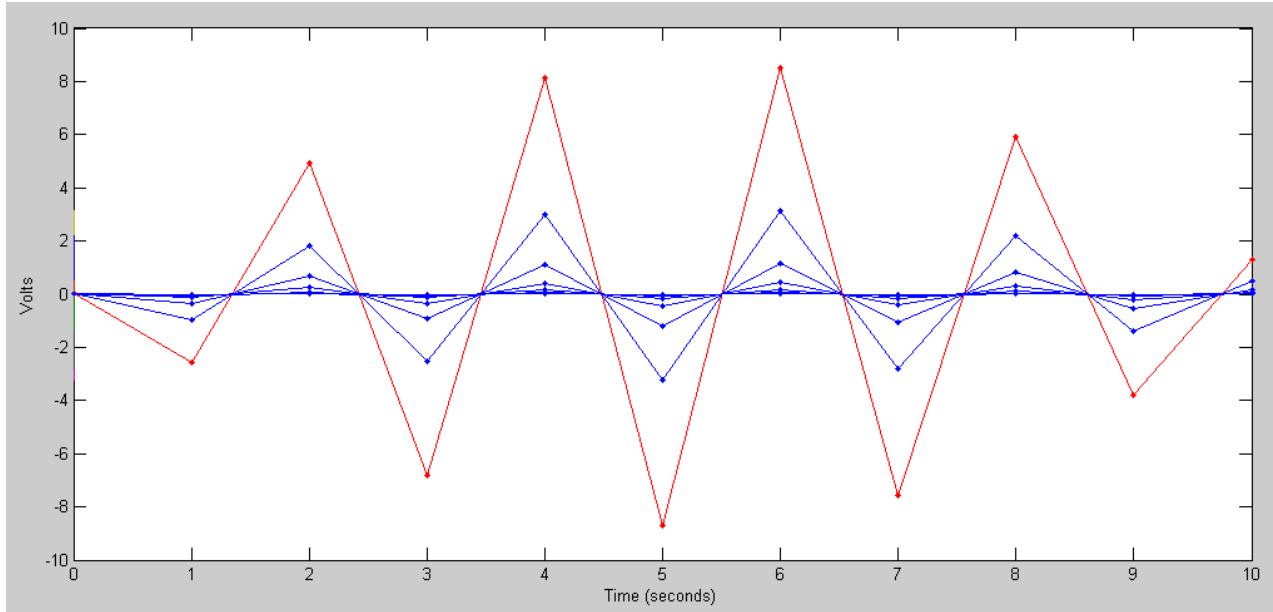
Fast Mode: Simulating in Matlab, make the initial condition the fast mode:

```
>> X0 = M(:,1)*20
```

```
-2.5728  
4.9171  
-6.8244  
8.1253  
-8.7043  
8.5099  
-7.5593  
5.9370  
-3.7872  
1.3009
```

Modfyng the code:

```
% ECE 111 Homework #7  
V = M(:,1) * 20;  
dV = zeros(10,1);  
V0 = 0;  
dt = 0.001;  
t = 0;  
Y = [];  
while(t < 0.1)  
dV(1) = 25*V0 - 51*V(1) + 25*V(2);  
dV(2) = 25*V(1) - 51*V(2) + 25*V(3);  
dV(3) = 25*V(2) - 51*V(3) + 25*V(4);
```

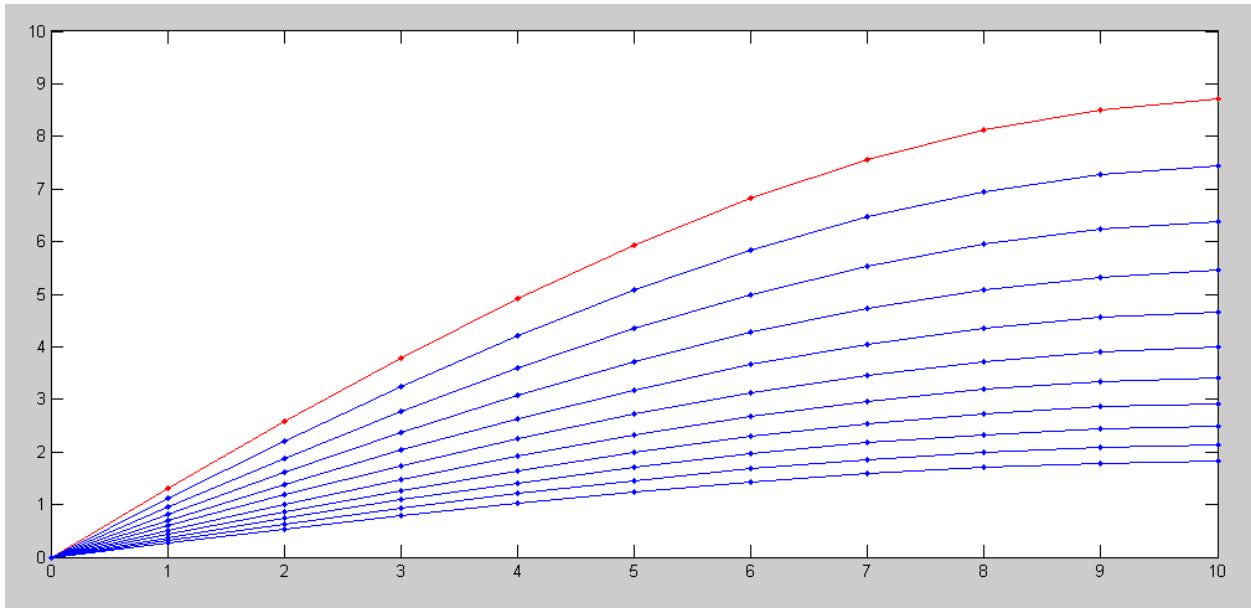


Fast Mode decays as $\exp(-98.77t)$
The shape (eigenvector) stays the same
The amplitude drops as per the eigenvalue

Slow Mode: Decays as $\exp(-1.55t)$

>> X0 = M(:,10) * 20

```
1.3009
2.5728
3.7872
4.9171
5.9370
6.8244
7.5593
8.1253
8.5099
8.7043
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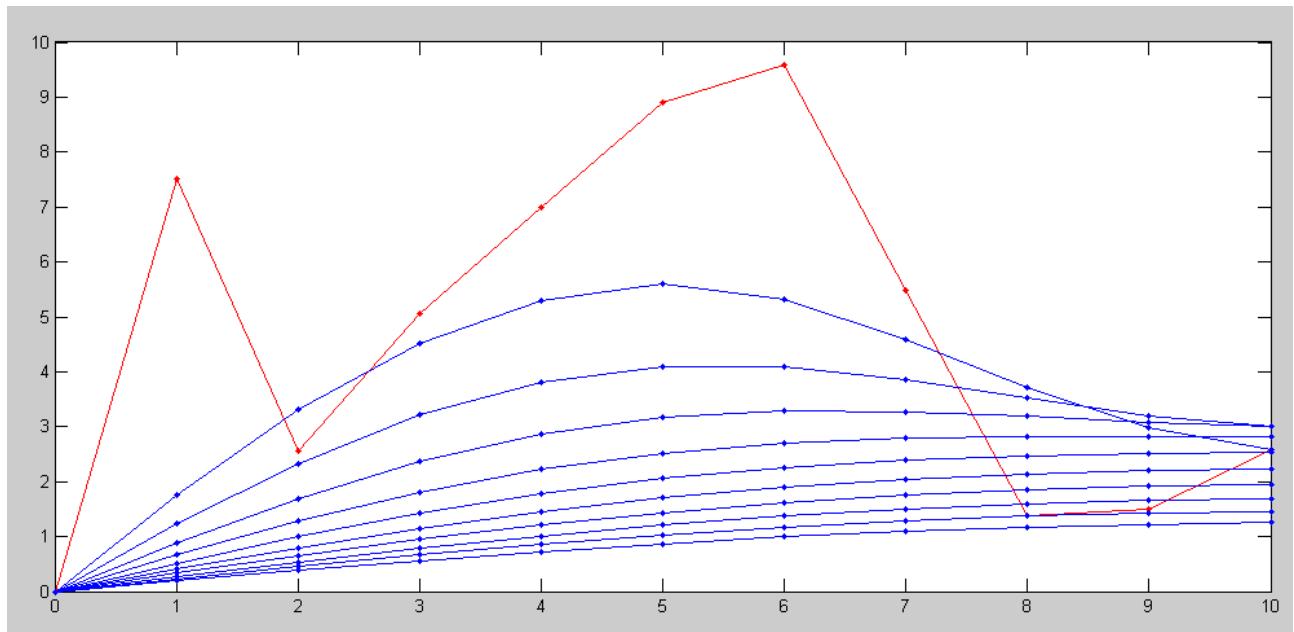
Slow mode: decays as $\exp(-1.55t)$
The shape (eigenvector) stays the same
The amplitude drops as per the eigenvalue

Problem 6) Assume $V_{in} = 0V$. Pick random voltages for $V_1 \dots V_{10}$ in the range of (0V, 10V):

```
V = 10 * rand(10,1)
```

Plot the voltages at $t = 1$. Which eigenvector does it look like?

The fast modes die out quickly, leaving the slow mode:



Random initial condition
The fast modes decay quickly, leaving the slow mode