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Problem 1 (20+20+20+20 Marks)

For each of the following autonomous systems of linear constant-coefficient homogeneous differential equations,

(a) $x' = -x$
 $y' = x - 2y$
 $x(0) = 1, y(0) = -1$

(b) $x' = x$
 $y' = x + 2y$
 $x(0) = 1, y(0) = -1$

(c) $x' = x + 2y$
 $y' = 3x + 2y$
 $x(0) = 0, y(0) = -4$

(d) $x' = x - 2y$
 $y' = 5x - y$
 $x(0) = 2, y(0) = -5$

- (i) Find its general solution.
 - (ii) Sketch its general phase-portrait of the system, and show at least 8 trajectories in the phase-plane for $t \in (-\infty, \infty)$ starting from different initial conditions of your choice all over the plane (this is how we made those exotic sketches in class).
 - (iii) Classify its equilibrium point as node, saddle, ellipse or spiral, and also comment on its stability.
 - (iv) Now for $t \in (0, \infty)$, sketch the trajectory of its solution in the phase-plane that starts from the given initial condition at $t = 0$.
 - (v) Now use the given initial conditions to find its solution (i.e. evaluate c_1 and c_2).
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