

Day 7 - AM

Thm: (for 2×2)

Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$. If $\det A = ad - bc \neq 0$, then A is invertible and

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad - bc} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$$

if $ad - bc = 0$, then A is not invertible.

A square matrix A is said to be diagonalizable if $A = PDP^{-1}$ for some invertible matrix P and some diagonal matrix D .

Ex: Diagonalize the following matrix, if possible

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 3 \\ -3 & -5 & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(find invertible P and diagonal D such that $A = PDP^{-1}$)

Step 1: Find eigenvalues of A .

Thm: λ is an eigenvalue of $n \times n$ matrix A iff

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = 0.$$

$$0 = \det(A - \lambda I) = -\lambda^3 - 3\lambda^2 + 4 \\ = -(\lambda - 1)(\lambda + 2)^2$$

Eigenvalues are $\lambda = 1$ and $\lambda = -2$.

Step 2: Find linearly independent eigenvectors of A

(we need 3 since A is 3×3)

$$\text{if } \lambda = 1 \quad A - \lambda I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 3 \\ -3 & -5 & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & 3 \\ -3 & -6 & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

now reduce the augmented matrix \rightsquigarrow

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & 3 & | & 0 \\ -3 & -6 & -3 & | & 0 \\ 3 & 3 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} a-c=0 \\ b+c=0 \end{array}$$

$$c = a = -b$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c \\ -c \\ c \end{bmatrix} = c \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{basis for } \lambda=1: \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

do the same for $\lambda = -2$, get basis: $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

✓: these 3 are linearly independent

Step 3: Construct P from basis vectors (order not important)

$$P = [v_1 \ v_2 \ v_3] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 4: Construct D from corresponding eigenvalues
(order must match the columns)

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Lastly, check your work: $A = PDP^{-1} \Rightarrow AP = PD$

$$\text{you check: } AP = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ -1 & -2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$PD = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ -1 & -2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

Ex: Diagonalize the following matrix, if possible

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 3 \\ -4 & -6 & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$0 = \det(A - \lambda I) = -\lambda^3 - 3\lambda^2 + 4 = -(\lambda-1)(\lambda+2)^2 \quad \text{so } \lambda = 1, -2$$

$$\text{basis for } \lambda=1: \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{basis for } \lambda=-2: \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



We cannot construct a basis of \mathbb{R}^3 with only 2 vectors, thus A is not diagonalizable.

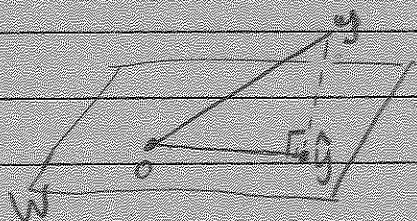
dot product or inner product of u and v

$$u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ \vdots \\ u_n \end{bmatrix} \quad v = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ \vdots \\ v_n \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{then}$$

$$u \cdot v = [u_1 \ u_2 \ \dots \ u_n] \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ \vdots \\ v_n \end{bmatrix} = u_1 v_1 + u_2 v_2 + \dots + u_n v_n$$

two vectors u and v in \mathbb{R}^n are orthogonal (to each other) if $u \cdot v = 0$.

(Geometrically, orthogonal vectors are perpendicular vectors)



$\hat{y} = \text{Proj}_W y$ is the orthogonal projection of y onto W (a subspace of \mathbb{R}^n)

if $\{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_p\}$ is an orthogonal basis of W then $\hat{y} = \text{Proj}_W y = \frac{y \cdot u_1}{u_1 \cdot u_1} u_1 + \dots + \frac{y \cdot u_p}{u_p \cdot u_p} u_p$
dot products

Ex: $y = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix}$ $u_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ $u_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$

let W a subspace of \mathbb{R}^n , $W = \text{span}\{u_1, u_2\}$

$u_1 \cdot u_2 = 5(1) + -2(2) + 1(-1) = 0$ thus $\{u_1, u_2\}$ is an orthogonal basis for W then

$$\hat{y} = \frac{y \cdot u_1}{u_1 \cdot u_1} u_1 + \frac{y \cdot u_2}{u_2 \cdot u_2} u_2 = \frac{15}{30} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{-21}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{reduce and simplify} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -8 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Symmetric Matrices

$$A^T = A$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 5 & 8 \\ 0 & 8 & -7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ b & d & e \\ c & e & f \end{bmatrix}$$

The Spectral Theorem for Symmetric Matrices

An $n \times n$ symmetric matrix A has the following properties:

- A has n real eigenvalues, counting multiplicities.
- The dimension of the eigenspace for each eigenvalue λ equals the multiplicity of λ as a root of the characteristic equation.
- The eigenspaces are mutually orthogonal, in the sense that eigenvectors corresponding to different eigenvalues are orthogonal.
- A is orthogonally diagonalizable.