

H5: Eigenvalues/Eigenvectors

♣ Show your procedures to work out the following problems.

1. Let $A \in R^{n \times n}$ have eigenvalues $2, 4, \dots, 2n$. Show that $\text{tr}(A) = n(n+1)$ and $\det(A) = 2^n \cdot n!$.

2. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$, $B = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$,

- (a) Show that the characteristic polynomial of A is $\lambda^3 - 2\lambda^2 + \lambda$.
- (b) Find the eigenvalues and corresponding eigenvectors of matrix A .
- (c) Find the eigenspace of each eigenvalue of A .
3. For the matrix B given in problem 2,
- (a) Find the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of B .
- (b) Calculate $\|B\|_1$, $\|B\|_\infty$, $\|B\|_2$.
- (c) Give a spectrum decomposition of matrix B .
- (d*) Give a singular value decomposition (SVD) for matrix B .
- (e*) Compute e^B .
4. Verify your solutions for problems 2.(a,b) and 3.(a,b) by using Matlab (Show your Matlab codes).

Solutions for H5: Eigenvalues/Eigenvectors

1. $tr(A) = trace(A) = \sum_{k=1}^n (2k) = n(n+1)$, $det(A) = \prod_{k=1}^n (2k) = 2^n \cdot n!$

2(a) $det(\lambda I - A) = \lambda^3 - 2\lambda^2 + \lambda$, $\lambda = 0$ or 1 ($poly(A)=[1,-2,1,0]$).

2(b) $[U, D]=eig(A)$. For $\lambda = 0$, $\mathbf{u}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}[1, 1, 1]^t$; for $\lambda = 1$, $\mathbf{u} = \frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{2}}[1, 0, -1]^t + \frac{\beta}{\sqrt{10}}[0, 1, 3]^t$, where $\alpha^2 + \beta^2 \neq 0$; we can choose $\mathbf{u}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}[1, 0, -1]^t$ and $\mathbf{u}_3 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}[0, 1, 3]^t$, respectively, corresponding to the eigenvalue 1.

2(c) Eigenspace(0) = $span([1, 1, 1]^t)$; Eigenspace(1) = $span(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}[1, 0, -1]^t, \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}[0, 1, 3]^t)$.

3(a) $\lambda_1 = -1$, $\mathbf{u}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}[1, 1, 0]^t$, $\lambda_2 = -3$, $\mathbf{u}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}[1, -1, 0]^t$, $\lambda_3 = 2$, $\mathbf{u}_3 = [0, 0, 1]^t$,

3(b) $\|B\|_1 = 3$, $\|B\|_2 = 3$, $\|B\|_\infty = 3$

3(c) $B = UDU^t$, where $U = [\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3]$, $D = diag[-1, -3, 2]$

3(d) $\sigma_1 = 3$, $\sigma_2 = 2$, $\sigma_3 = 1$, $B = USV^t$, where $S = diag[3, 2, 1]$, and $U = [\mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3, \mathbf{u}_1]$,
 $V = [-\mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3, -\mathbf{u}_1]$,

3(e) $e^B = Udiag(e^{-1}, e^{-3}, e^2)U^t$

2(a~b) By Matlab,

$$\begin{aligned} & poly(A), [U, D]=eig(A); \\ & norm(A,1), norm(A,2), norm(A, inf) \end{aligned}$$

3(a~b) By Matlab,

$$\begin{aligned} & poly(B), [U, D]=eig(B); \\ & norm(B,1), norm(B,2), norm(B, inf) \end{aligned}$$

4(c~d) check if $norm(B-U*D*U', 2) = 0?$;
 $[U \ S \ V]=svd(B)$