

7.1 EXERCISES

1-5 odd, 13-17 odd, 23

Determine which of the matrices in Exercises 1-6 are symmetric.

time, the eigenvalues in Exercises 17-22 are: (17) -4, 4, 7; (18) -3, -6, 9; (19) -2, 7; (20) -3, 15; (21) 1, 5, 9; (22) 3, 5.

1. $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 5 & -7 \end{bmatrix}$

2. $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ -5 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$

3. $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

4. $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 8 & 3 \\ 8 & 0 & -4 \\ 3 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

5. $\begin{bmatrix} -6 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & -6 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$

6. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

13. $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

14. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -5 \\ -5 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

15. $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 4 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$

16. $\begin{bmatrix} 6 & -2 \\ -2 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$

17. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 1 & 5 & 1 \\ 5 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

18. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -6 & 4 \\ -6 & 2 & -2 \\ 4 & -2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$

19. $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 4 \\ -2 & 6 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

20. $\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 8 & -4 \\ 8 & 5 & -4 \\ -4 & -4 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

21. $\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

22. $\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

23. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 4 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$. Verify that 5 is an eigenvalue of A and \mathbf{v} is an eigenvector. Then orthogonally diagonalize A .

24. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, and $\mathbf{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$. Verify that \mathbf{v}_1 and \mathbf{v}_2 are eigenvectors of A . Then orthogonally diagonalize A .

Determine which of the matrices in Exercises 7-12 are orthogonal. If orthogonal, find the inverse.

$U^{-1} = U^T$

7. $\begin{bmatrix} .6 & .8 \\ .8 & -.6 \end{bmatrix}$

8. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

9. $\begin{bmatrix} -4/5 & 3/5 \\ 3/5 & 4/5 \end{bmatrix}$

10. $\begin{bmatrix} 1/3 & 2/3 & 2/3 \\ 2/3 & 1/3 & -2/3 \\ 2/3 & -2/3 & 1/3 \end{bmatrix}$

11. $\begin{bmatrix} 2/3 & 2/3 & 1/3 \\ 0 & 1/3 & -2/3 \\ 5/3 & -4/3 & -2/3 \end{bmatrix}$

12. $\begin{bmatrix} .5 & .5 & -.5 & -.5 \\ .5 & .5 & .5 & .5 \\ .5 & -.5 & -.5 & .5 \\ .5 & -.5 & .5 & -.5 \end{bmatrix}$

Orthogonally diagonalize the matrices in Exercises 13-22, giving an orthogonal matrix P and a diagonal matrix D . To save you

In Exercises 25 and 26, mark each statement True or False. Justify each answer.

25. a. An $n \times n$ matrix that is orthogonally diagonalizable must be symmetric.
 b. If $A^T = A$ and if vectors \mathbf{u} and \mathbf{v} satisfy $A\mathbf{u} = 3\mathbf{u}$ and $A\mathbf{v} = 4\mathbf{v}$, then $\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v} = 0$.
 c. An $n \times n$ symmetric matrix has n distinct real eigenvalues.
 d. For a nonzero \mathbf{v} in \mathbb{R}^n , the matrix $\mathbf{v}\mathbf{v}^T$ is called a projection matrix.
26. a. There are symmetric matrices that are not orthogonally diagonalizable.
 b. If $B = PDP^T$, where $P^T = P^{-1}$ and D is a diagonal matrix, then B is a symmetric matrix.
 c. An orthogonal matrix is orthogonally diagonalizable.
 d. The dimension of an eigenspace of a symmetric matrix is sometimes less than the multiplicity of the corresponding eigenvalue.
27. Show that if A is an $n \times n$ symmetric matrix, then $(A\mathbf{x}) \cdot \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{x} \cdot (A\mathbf{y})$ for all \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} in \mathbb{R}^n .
28. Suppose A is a symmetric $n \times n$ matrix and B is any $n \times m$ matrix. Show that $B^T A B$, $B^T B$, and $B B^T$ are symmetric matrices.
29. Suppose A is invertible and orthogonally diagonalizable. Explain why A^{-1} is also orthogonally diagonalizable.
30. Suppose A and B are both orthogonally diagonalizable and $AB = BA$. Explain why AB is also orthogonally diagonalizable.
31. Let $A = PDP^{-1}$, where P is orthogonal and D is diagonal, and let λ be an eigenvalue of A of multiplicity k . Then λ appears k times on the diagonal of D . Explain why the dimension of the eigenspace for λ is k .
32. Suppose $A = PRP^{-1}$, where P is orthogonal and R is upper triangular. Show that if A is symmetric, then R is symmetric and hence is actually a diagonal matrix.
33. Construct a spectral decomposition of A from Example 2.
34. Construct a spectral decomposition of A from Example 3.

35. Let \mathbf{u} be a unit vector in \mathbb{R}^n , and let $B = \mathbf{u}\mathbf{u}^T$.
 a. Given any \mathbf{x} in \mathbb{R}^n , compute $B\mathbf{x}$ and show that $B\mathbf{x}$ is the orthogonal projection of \mathbf{x} onto \mathbf{u} , as described in Section 6.2.
 b. Show that B is a symmetric matrix and $B^2 = B$.
 c. Show that \mathbf{u} is an eigenvector of B . What is the corresponding eigenvalue?
36. Let B be an $n \times n$ symmetric matrix such that $B^2 = B$. Any such matrix is called a **projection matrix** (or an **orthogonal projection matrix**). Given any \mathbf{y} in \mathbb{R}^n , let $\hat{\mathbf{y}} = B\mathbf{y}$ and $\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{y} - \hat{\mathbf{y}}$.
 a. Show that \mathbf{z} is orthogonal to $\hat{\mathbf{y}}$.
 b. Let W be the column space of B . Show that \mathbf{y} is the sum of a vector in W and a vector in W^\perp . Why does this prove that $B\mathbf{y}$ is the orthogonal projection of \mathbf{y} onto the column space of B ?

[M] Orthogonally diagonalize the matrices in Exercises 37–40. To practice the methods of this section, do not use an eigenvector routine from your matrix program. Instead, use the program to find the eigenvalues, and, for each eigenvalue λ , find an orthonormal basis for $\text{Nul}(A - \lambda I)$, as in Examples 2 and 3.

$$37. \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 2 & 9 & -6 \\ 2 & 6 & -6 & 9 \\ 9 & -6 & 6 & 2 \\ -6 & 9 & 2 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$38. \begin{bmatrix} .63 & -.18 & -.06 & -.04 \\ -.18 & .84 & -.04 & .12 \\ -.06 & -.04 & .72 & -.12 \\ -.04 & .12 & -.12 & .66 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$39. \begin{bmatrix} .31 & .58 & .08 & .44 \\ .58 & -.56 & .44 & -.58 \\ .08 & .44 & .19 & -.08 \\ .44 & -.58 & -.08 & .31 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$40. \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 2 & 2 & -6 & 9 \\ 2 & 8 & 2 & -6 & 9 \\ 2 & 2 & 8 & -6 & 9 \\ -6 & -6 & -6 & 24 & 9 \\ 9 & 9 & 9 & 9 & -21 \end{bmatrix}$$