

202C - HW1

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Problem 1

1

K_0 is irreducible with paths connecting each two nodes, and it is aperiodic with period $d=1$.

K_1 is not irreducible since node 5 and 1 are not connected, and aperiodic because every state is aperiodic.

K_2 is irreducible, and not aperiodic with period $d=2$.

2

```
K0 = matrix(c(.2, .8, .0, .0, .0,
              .3, .0, .4, .0, .3,
              .1, .4, .0, .5, .0,
              .0, .0, .4, .2, .4,
              .0, .0, .3, .6, .1),byrow = T, nrow = 5)
K1 = matrix(c(.3, .1, .3, .0, .3,
              .2, .4, .4, .0, .0,
              .0, .6, .3, .1, .0,
              .0, .0, .0, .5, .5,
              .0, .0, .0, .4, .6),byrow = T, nrow = 5)
K2 = matrix(c(.0, .0, .0, .3, .7,
              .0, .0, .0, .5, .5,
              .0, .0, .0, .8, .2,
              .0, .4, .6, .0, .0,
              .5, .0, .5, .0, .0),byrow = T, nrow = 5)
save(K0, file = "kernels.RData")
vals0 = eigen(K0)$values
vals1 = eigen(K1)$values
vals2 = eigen(K2)$values
vecs0 = eigen(t(K0))$vectors
vecs1 = eigen(t(K1))$vectors
vecs2 = eigen(t(K2))$vectors
d = cbind(cbind(rbind(vals0, vecs0), rbind(vals1, vecs1)), rbind(vals2, vecs2))
colnames(d) = c('K0_1','K0_2','K0_3','K0_4','K0_5','K1_1','K1_2','K1_3','K1_4','K1_5','K2_1','K2_2','K2_3','K2_4',
               'K2_5')
rownames(d) = c('values','vectors','','','','')
knitr::kable(d, digits = 3, main="Eigen values and vectors")
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	K0_1	K0_2	K0_3	K0_4	K0_5	K1_1	K1_2	K1_3	K1_4	K1_5	K2_1	K2_2	K2_3	K2_4	K2_5
values	1.000	-0.615	0.529	-0.322	-0.092	1.000	0.916	0.133	0.100	-0.049	1.000	-1.000	-0.361	0.361	0.000
vectors	-0.204	0.092	0.457	0.165	0.333	0.000	0.161	0.185	0.000	0.411	0.189	0.189	0.606	-0.606	0.487
	-0.371	-0.388	0.559	-0.242	-0.110	0.000	0.497	-0.155	0.000	-0.718	0.259	0.259	-0.485	0.485	-0.811
	-0.519	0.413	-0.175	-0.135	-0.641	0.000	0.401	0.038	0.000	0.469	0.578	0.578	-0.121	0.121	0.324
	-0.625	-0.634	-0.638	0.767	-0.226	-0.625	-0.469	-0.719	-0.707	0.121	0.649	-0.649	0.437	0.437	0.000
	-0.401	0.518	-0.204	-0.555	0.644	-0.781	-0.589	0.651	0.707	-0.283	0.377	-0.377	-0.437	-0.437	0.000

3.

For K_0 , there is one: (0.096, 0.175, 0.245, 0.295, 0.189)

For K_1 , there is one: (0, 0, 0, 0.444, 0.556)

For K_2 , there are two: (0.092, 0.126, 0.282, 0.316, 0.184)

4.

```
load("kernels.RData")
power = diag(rep(1,5))
for (i in 1:200) {
  power = power %*% K0
}
power
```

```
##           [,1]      [,2]      [,3]      [,4]      [,5]
## [1,] 0.09613984 0.1747997 0.2447196 0.2949745 0.1893664
## [2,] 0.09613984 0.1747997 0.2447196 0.2949745 0.1893664
## [3,] 0.09613984 0.1747997 0.2447196 0.2949745 0.1893664
## [4,] 0.09613984 0.1747997 0.2447196 0.2949745 0.1893664
## [5,] 0.09613984 0.1747997 0.2447196 0.2949745 0.1893664
```

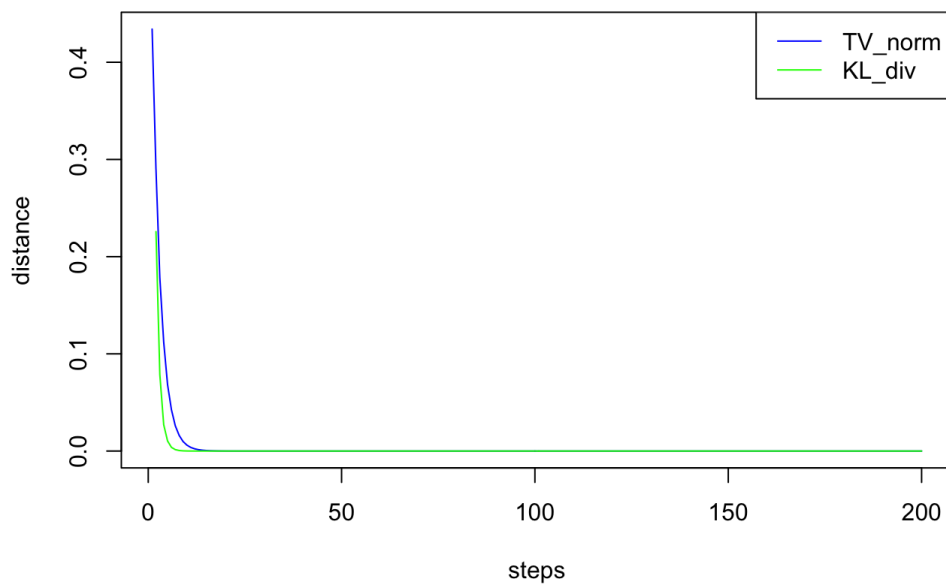
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pi = power[1,]
save(K0, pi, file = "kernels.RData")
```

Yes, it does.

Problem 2

1.

```
load("kernels.RData")
v = c(0, 0, 1, 0, 0)
tv = c()
kl = c()
for (i in 1:200){
  v = v %*% K0
  tv[i] = 0.5*sum(abs(pi-v))
  kl[i] = sum(pi*log(pi/v))
}
plot(1:200, tv, type = "l", col="blue", xlab = "steps", ylab = "distance")
lines(1:200, kl, col = "green")
legend("topright", legend=c("TV_norm", "KL_div"), col = c("blue", "green"), lty = 1)
```



```
save(K0, pi, tv, file = "kernels.RData")
```

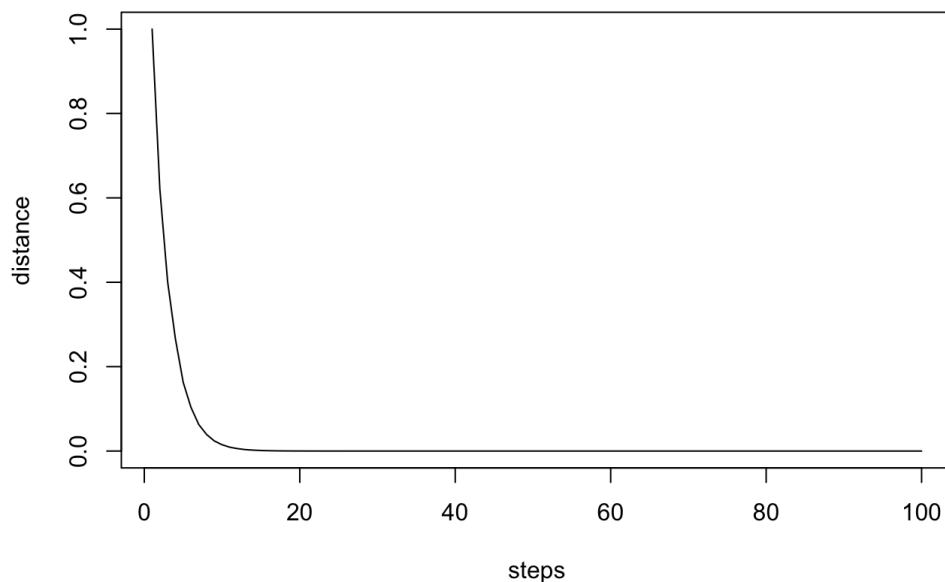
2.

```
load("kernels.RData")
tvs = matrix(rep(0,25), nrow = 5)
for (i in 1:5) {
  for (j in i:5) {
    tvs[i,j] = 0.5*sum(abs(K0[i,]-K0[j,]))
  }
}
max(tvs)
```

```
## [1] 1
```

```
# bound
boundsa = c()
power = diag(rep(1,5))
for (k in 1:100) {
  power = power %**% K0
  tvs = matrix(rep(0,25), nrow = 5)
  for (i in 1:5) {
    for (j in i:5) {
      tvs[i,j] = 0.5*sum(abs(power[i,]-power[j,]))
    }
  }
  boundsa[k] = max(tvs)
}
plot(1:100, boundsa, type = "l", xlab = "steps", ylab = "distance",
     main = "Contraction coefficient bound C(K0)=1")
```

Contraction coefficient bound $C(K_0)=1$

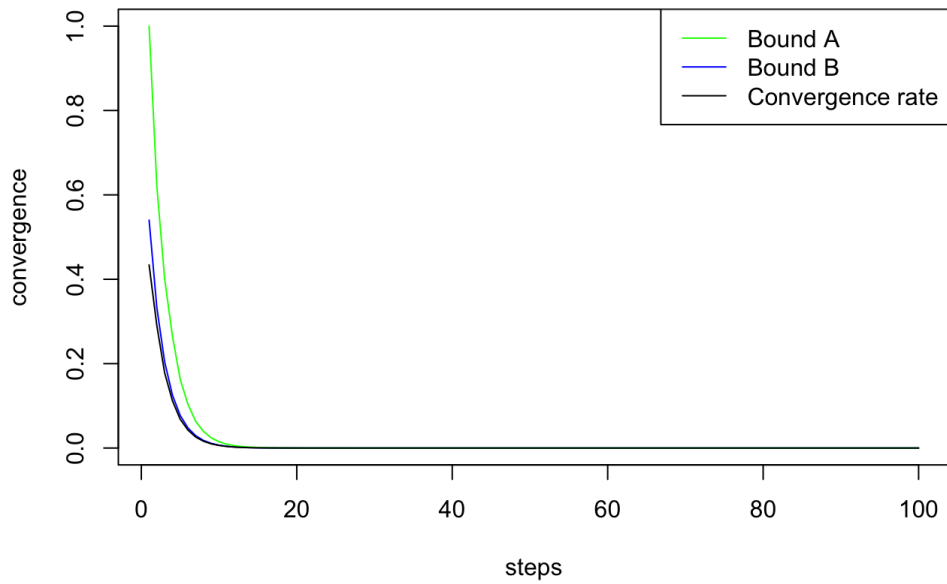


```
save(K0, pi, tv, boundsa, file = "kernels.RData")
```

3.

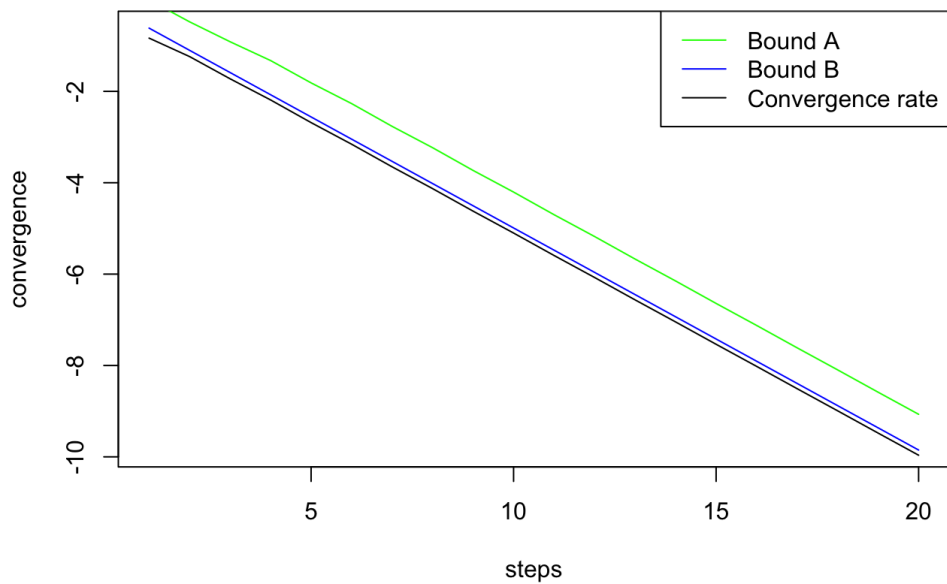
```
load("kernels.RData")
sq = sqrt((1-pi[3])/pi[3]/4)
boundsb = apply(t(1:100), 2, function(x){sq*(0.61504869^x)})
plot(1:100, boundsb, type = "l", col = "blue", xlab = "steps",
     ylab = "convergence", ylim=c(0,1), main = "Convergence rate plot")
lines(1:100, boundsa, col="green")
lines(1:100, tv[1:100], col="black")
legend("topright", legend=c("Bound A", "Bound B", "Convergence rate"), col = c("green", "blue", "black"), lty = 1
)
```

Convergence rate plot



```
# log-plot
plot(1:20, log(boundsb[1:20]), type = "l", col = "blue", xlab = "steps",
     ylab = "convergence", main = "Convergence rate zoom-in log-plot")
lines(1:20, log(boundsa[1:20]), col="green")
lines(1:20, log(tv[1:20]), col="black")
legend("topright", legend=c("Bound A", "Bound B", "Convergence rate"), col = c("green", "blue", "black"), lty = 1
)
```

Convergence rate zoom-in log-plot



Problem 3

$$\begin{aligned}
KL(\pi||\nu) - KL(\pi||\mu) &= KL(\pi(x)\mu(y)||\pi(y)\mu(x)) = \sum_x \sum_y P(y,x) \log \frac{\pi(x)\mu(y)}{\pi(y)\nu(x)} \\
&= \sum_x \sum_y P(y,x) \log \frac{\mu(y)P(y,x)}{\nu(x)P(x,y)} \\
&= \sum_x \sum_y P(y,x) \log \frac{P(y,x)}{Q(y,x)} \\
&= E[KL(P(y,x)||Q(y,x))]
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\because P(y,x) &= \frac{\pi(x)P(x,y)}{\pi(y)} = \frac{\mu(y)\pi(x)}{\nu(x)\pi(y)} \\
KL(P(y,x)||P(y,x)) &= \sum_x \sum_y \frac{\pi(x)P(x,y)}{\pi(y)} \log \frac{\pi(x)P(x,y)\nu(x)\pi(y)}{\pi(y)\mu(y)\pi(x)} \\
&= \sum_x \sum_y P(y,x) \log \frac{P(x,y)\nu(x)}{\mu(y)} \\
&= \sum_x \sum_y P(y,x) \log Q(y,x) = 0 \\
E[KL(P(y,x)||Q(y,x))] &= \sum_x \sum_y P(y,x) \log \frac{P(y,x)}{Q(y,x)} \\
&= \sum_x \sum_y P(y,x) \log P(y,x) - \sum_x \sum_y P(y,x) \log Q(y,x) \\
&= E_{P(y,x)}[\log P(y,x)] \geq 0
\end{aligned}$$

Problem 4

$$P(\tau(0) < \infty) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{\tau(0)=1}^n P(\tau(0)) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{\tau(0)=1}^n \alpha^{\tau(0)-1} (1 - \alpha) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (1 - \alpha) \frac{1 - \alpha^{n+1}}{1 - \alpha} = 1$$

$$E[\tau_{ret}(0)] = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{\tau(0)=1}^n \tau(0) P(\tau(0)) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{\tau(0)=1}^n \tau(0) \alpha^{\tau(0)-1} (1 - \alpha) = (1 - \alpha) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1 - \alpha^{n+1}}{(1 - \alpha)^2} + \frac{n\alpha^n}{1 - \alpha} \right) = (1 - \alpha) \frac{1}{(1 - \alpha)^2} = \frac{1}{1 - \alpha}$$