

1. Confirm, complete, or correct the following definitions of the italicized term. Copy the given definition in your answer sheet. To confirm clearly write "confirmed", to correct clearly cross out the incorrect part, and to complete clearly circle what you add.

- (a) (3 points) A matrix A with real entries is *orthogonal* if $A^T A = I_n$, with I_n the $(n \times n)$ identity matrix.

A must be $n \times n$

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

- (b) (3 points) A linear transformation $T: V \rightarrow V$ is *diagonalizable* if $[T]_{\mathcal{B}}$ is diagonal, where \mathcal{B} is a basis for V .

True.

2. State whether each statement is true or false and provide a short justification for your claim (a short proof if you think the statement is true or a counter example if you think it is false).

(a) (3 points) Suppose $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ is the matrix of a transformation $V \xrightarrow{T} V$ with respect to some basis $\mathcal{B} = (\vec{b}_1, \vec{b}_2, \vec{b}_3)$. Then \vec{b}_1 is the only eigenvector in the basis \mathcal{B} .

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} [T(\vec{b}_1)]_{\mathcal{B}} & [T(\vec{b}_2)]_{\mathcal{B}} & [T(\vec{b}_3)]_{\mathcal{B}} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} [\lambda_1 \vec{b}_1]_{\mathcal{B}} & [\lambda_2 \vec{b}_2]_{\mathcal{B}} & [\lambda_3 \vec{b}_3]_{\mathcal{B}} \end{bmatrix} \leftarrow \text{if } b_i \text{'s were all eigenvectors} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & \lambda_2 & \lambda_3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ Only 1st col is in this form} \\ &\quad \text{True. } \vec{b}_1 \text{ is the only eigen vector} \\ &\quad \text{in } \mathcal{B} \end{aligned}$$

- (b) (3 points) If $\langle \vec{x}, \vec{y} \rangle = \langle \vec{x}, \vec{z} \rangle$ for vectors $\vec{x}, \vec{y}, \vec{z}$ in an inner product space, then $\vec{y} - \vec{z}$ is orthogonal to \vec{x} .

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \vec{x}, \vec{y} \rangle - \langle \vec{x}, \vec{z} \rangle &= 0 \\ \overline{\langle \vec{y}, \vec{x} \rangle} - \overline{\langle \vec{z}, \vec{x} \rangle} &= 0 \quad \therefore \vec{x} \perp \vec{y} - \vec{z} \quad \text{True} \\ \langle \vec{y}, \vec{x} \rangle - \langle \vec{z}, \vec{x} \rangle &= 0 \\ \overline{\langle \vec{y} - \vec{z}, \vec{x} \rangle} &= 0 \\ \langle \vec{x}, \vec{y} - \vec{z} \rangle &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

- (c) (3 points) If A is a (3×4) matrix with real entries, then the matrix $A^T A$ is similar to a diagonal matrix with three or less non-zero entries.

$$A^T A \text{ is symmetric } 4 \times 4 \quad 4 \times 3 \cdot 3 \times 4 = 4 \times 4 \quad A^T A \text{ is } 4 \times 4$$

By real spectral thm, $A^T A$ is diagonalizable

$$\therefore A^T A = C D C^{-1} \Rightarrow A^T A \text{ is similar to a diagonal matrix}$$

But there are 4 diagonal entries so you can't guarantee

$$3 \text{ or less non-zero entries. } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & \\ & 1 & & \\ & & 1 & \\ & & & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

False

- (d) (3 points) The matrices $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ are orthonormal in the inner product $\langle A, B \rangle = \text{trace}(A^T B)$ on the vector space $M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R})$ of (2×2) -matrices with real entries.

$$\text{Let } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \langle A, A \rangle = \text{tr}(A^T A) \quad \text{False}$$

$$= \text{tr} \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

$$= 2 \neq 1 \quad \therefore A \text{ is not unit vector and}$$

(A, B) cannot be orthonormal

- (e) (3 points) Every unitarily diagonalizable $(n \times n)$ -matrix with complex entries is Hermitian.

False.

$$A^* A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A A^* = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{let } A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

A is normal \Rightarrow unitarily diagonalizable

but A is not Hermitian

$$A \neq A^*$$

3. In each part, give an **explicit** example of the mathematical object described or explain why such an object does not exist. Include the description in your answer.

- (a) (2 points) A linear map $T: \mathbb{C}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^2$ which is an isometry (with respect to the dot product) and a basis \mathcal{B} for \mathbb{C}^2 such that $[T]_{\mathcal{B}}$ is not a unitary matrix.

Let $[T]_{\mathcal{E}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ← This is unitary as shown from 2
 Let $\mathcal{B} = \left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right)$ \mathcal{B} must be orthonormal

- (b) (2 points) A possible Jordan canonical form for a matrix with distinct eigenvalues μ and γ with algebraic multiplicities 2 and 3, geometric multiplicities 2 and 1 respectively.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mu & & & & \\ & \mu & & & \\ & & \gamma & 1 & \\ & & & \gamma & 1 \\ & & & & \gamma \end{bmatrix}$$

- (c) (2 points) A linear map $T: \mathbb{C}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^3$ for which $\ker(T) = \text{im}(T)$.

Not possible as $\dim(\text{dom}(T)) = 3$

By rank-nullity $\dim(\text{dom}(T)) = \dim(\ker(T)) + \dim(\text{im}(T))$
 $\Rightarrow \dim(\ker(T)) \neq \dim(\text{im}(T))$
 as 3 is odd

- (d) (2 points) An orthogonal matrix with at least one real eigenvalue.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \det(A - \lambda I) = (1 - \lambda)^2$$

$$\lambda = 1$$

$$A^T A = A A^T = I_n$$

Trivial for $A = I_n$

4. Let $\mathcal{P}_5(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space of polynomials with real coefficients in a variable x of degree ≤ 5 .

(a) (2 points) What is the dimension of $\mathcal{P}_5(\mathbb{R})$?

$$\mathcal{P}_5(\mathbb{R}) = \text{sp} \{1, x, x^2, \dots, x^5\} \leftarrow \text{clearly l.i. } \therefore \text{basis length } 6$$

$$\Rightarrow \dim(\mathcal{P}_5(\mathbb{R})) = 6$$

(b) (4 points) Let $\mathcal{B} = \{x^5, x^4, x^3, x^2, x, 1\}$ be the standard basis of $\mathcal{P}_5(\mathbb{R})$. For the linear map

$$T: \mathcal{P}_5(\mathbb{R}) \longrightarrow \mathcal{P}_5(\mathbb{R})$$

$$p(x) \longmapsto \frac{dp(x)}{dx} + p(x)$$

give the matrix $[T]_{\mathcal{B}}$.

$$[T]_{\mathcal{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} [T(x^5)]_{\mathcal{B}} & [T(x^4)]_{\mathcal{B}} & [T(x^3)]_{\mathcal{B}} & [T(x^2)]_{\mathcal{B}} & [T(x)]_{\mathcal{B}} & [T(1)]_{\mathcal{B}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 3 & 2 & 1 & 1 \\ & 5 & 4 & 3 & 2 & 1 \\ & & 4 & 3 & 2 & 1 \\ & & & 3 & 2 & 1 \\ & & & & 2 & 1 \\ & & & & & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T(x^5) = 5x^4 + x^5$$

$$T(x^4) = 4x^3 + x^4$$

$$T(x^3) = 3x^2 + x^3$$

$$T(1) = 0 + 1$$

(c) (4 points) Find all the eigenvalues of T and their geometric multiplicities.

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = (1-\lambda)(1-\lambda)(1-\lambda)(1-\lambda)(1-\lambda)(1-\lambda) \\ = (1-\lambda)^6 \rightarrow \text{alg multi } 6$$

$$\lambda = 1$$

$$\text{Nul}(A - I) = \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 5 & 4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 5 & 4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{array}{l} v_6 = t \in \mathbb{R} \\ v_1, \dots, v_5 = 0 \end{array}$$

$$\text{Nul}(A - I) = \text{sp} \left(\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right) \rightarrow \text{geo multi } 1 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ s \end{pmatrix} = s \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

(d) (5 points) Prove that T is not diagonalizable.

We know for eigenvalue $\lambda = 1$: $\text{alg-m} = 6$
 $\text{geo-m} = 1$

And if $\text{alg} \neq \text{geo}$ for any eigenvalue we know the transformation is not diagonalizable ~~to~~

5. Suppose that A is an $(n \times n)$ -matrix with real entries.

(a) (6 points) Prove that $\ker(A^T A) = \ker(A)$.

$$\text{let } v \in \ker(A^T A)$$

$$A^T A v = 0$$

$$v^T A^T A v = 0$$

$$(A v)^T A v = 0$$

$$\langle A v, A v \rangle = 0$$

$$A v = 0 \quad \text{by positive-definite property}$$

$$\Rightarrow v \in \ker(A)$$

$$\Rightarrow \ker(A^T A) = \ker(A)$$

$$\text{let } v \in \ker(A)$$

$$A v = 0$$

$$A^T A v = A^T 0$$

$$= 0$$

$$\Rightarrow v \in \ker(A^T A)$$

(b) (5 points) Recall that the *rank* of a matrix is the dimension of its image. Prove that $\text{rank}(A^T A) = \text{rank}(A)$.

$$\text{Using result from a) if } \ker(A^T A) = \ker(A) \Rightarrow \text{Nul}(A^T A) = \text{Nul}(A)$$

A and
 $A^T A$ are
 $n \times n$

$$\begin{cases} n = \text{Nul}(A) + \text{rank}(A) \\ n = \text{Nul}(A^T A) + \text{rank}(A^T A) \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Nul}(A) + \text{rank}(A) = \text{Nul}(A^T A) + \text{rank}(A^T A) \quad \text{by part a)}$$

$$\text{rank}(A) = \text{rank}(A^T A)$$

QED

6. Let A be a symmetric $(n \times n)$ -matrix with real entries. We say A is *strictly positive* if $\vec{v}^T A \vec{v} > 0$ for all non-zero $\vec{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n$.

(a) (7 points) Prove A is strictly positive if and only if all eigenvalues of A are positive.

Supp A is strictly positive

Let v be an eigenvector of A w. value λ

$$v^T A v > 0$$

$$v^T \lambda v > 0$$

$$\lambda v^T v > 0$$

$$\lambda \|v\|^2 > 0 \quad \|v\|^2 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda > 0$$

Supp all λ are positive

Let $v \in \mathbb{R}^n$ be non-zero $A = CDC^{-1}$, C is orthogonal and D entries are positive, by spectral thm

$$v^T A v = v^T CDC^{-1}v$$

$$= (C^T v)^T D (C^T v) = [(C^T v)_i]^2 \lambda_i > 0 \quad \text{as } \lambda_i \text{ are positive}$$

(b) (8 points) Prove that A is strictly positive if and only if there exists an invertible $(n \times n)$ -matrix P such that $A = P^T P$ (Hint: use the spectral theorem).

Supp A is strictly positive

C is ortho

$A = CDC^{-1}$ by spectral thm, D has positive entries by a)

$$v^T A v = v^T CDC^{-1}v$$

$$= v^T C \sqrt{D} \sqrt{D} C^T v$$

\sqrt{D} exists as it has positive entries

$$= v^T (\sqrt{D} C^T)^T (\sqrt{D} C^T) v \Rightarrow \text{by choosing values of } v \text{ this can show } A = (\sqrt{D} C^T)^T (\sqrt{D} C^T) \text{ let } P = \sqrt{D} C^T$$

$$= P^T P$$

Supp $\exists P$ st $A = P^T P$

Let $v \in \mathbb{R}^n$ $v \neq \vec{0}$

$$v^T A v = v^T P^T P v$$

$$= (Pv)^T Pv$$

$$= \langle Pv, Pv \rangle > 0 \quad \text{by inner product properties}$$

C^T is invertible as the col are li
 $\sqrt{D} C^T$ the col are still li just scaled
 $\Rightarrow P$ is invertible

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