

MA1506
Mathematics II

Section 6.6

Linear transformations usually changes direction of vectors

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

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

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

parallel

Eigenvector

$$T\vec{u} = \lambda\vec{u}$$

eigenvalue eigenvector

T does not change the direction!

6.7 Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors

$$T\vec{u} = \lambda\vec{u}$$

eigenvalue

eigenvector

$$T\vec{0} = \lambda\vec{0}$$

trivial case,
not interesting

$$T\vec{u} = \lambda\vec{u} = \lambda I\vec{u} \Rightarrow (T - \lambda I)\vec{u} = \vec{0}$$

mapped to **0**

$$\det(T - \lambda I) = 0$$

Example

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

Find eigenvalues of $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\lambda = 2, -3$$

$$\det \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} - \lambda \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) = 0$$

⇒ $\det \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 - \lambda & 2 \\ 2 & -2 - \lambda \end{bmatrix} \right) = 0$

⇒ $-(1 - \lambda)(2 + \lambda) - 4 = 0$

Remark: Eigenvectors are never unique!

$$T\vec{u} = \lambda\vec{u}$$

$$\Rightarrow T(2\vec{u}) = 2T\vec{u} = 2\lambda\vec{u} = \lambda(2\vec{u}).$$

Any multiple of an eigenvector is also an eigenvector

Finding Eigenvectors

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \lambda = 2, -3$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{Eigenvector associated to 2}$$

$$(T - 2I) \begin{bmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1-2 & 2 \\ 2 & -2-2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{bmatrix} = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left. \begin{array}{l} -\alpha + 2\beta = 0 \\ 2\alpha - 4\beta = 0 \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{Multiples of} \\ \text{same equation} \end{array}$$

Finding Eigenvectors

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \lambda = 2, -3$$

$$-\alpha + 2\beta = 0$$

1 equation 2 unknowns

Choose $\alpha = 1 \rightarrow \beta = \frac{1}{2}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{Eigenvector associated to eigenvalue 2}$$

Finding Eigenvectors

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \lambda = 2, -3$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{Eigenvector associated to } -3$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{bmatrix} = \vec{0} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} 4\alpha + 2\beta = 0 \\ 2\alpha + \beta = 0 \end{array} \right\} \text{Multiples}$$

$$\text{Choose } \alpha = 1 \Rightarrow \beta = -2$$

$$\text{So } \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Example: Find eigenvalues and corr eigenvectors

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

$$\begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & -1 \\ 1 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0 \\ \Rightarrow \lambda^2 + 1 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow \lambda = \pm i$$

$$\lambda = i$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -i & -1 \\ 1 & -i \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \beta \end{bmatrix} = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow -i - \beta = 0 \text{ and } 1 - i\beta = 0$$

$$\beta = -i \quad \text{eigenvector} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{bmatrix}$$

Example: Find eigenvalues and corr eigenvectors

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$$\begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & -1 \\ 1 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$
$$\Rightarrow \lambda^2 + 1 = 0$$
$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \pm i$$

$$\lambda = -i$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} i & -1 \\ 1 & i \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \beta \end{bmatrix} = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow i - \beta = 0 \text{ and } 1 + i\beta = 0$$

$$\beta = i \quad \text{eigenvector} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{bmatrix}$$

Remark

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \lambda = i \quad \lambda = -i$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{bmatrix}$$

Rotation through 90 degrees,

Every real vector should change direction

6.8 Diagonal Form of A Linear Transformation

T with respect to \hat{i}, \hat{j}

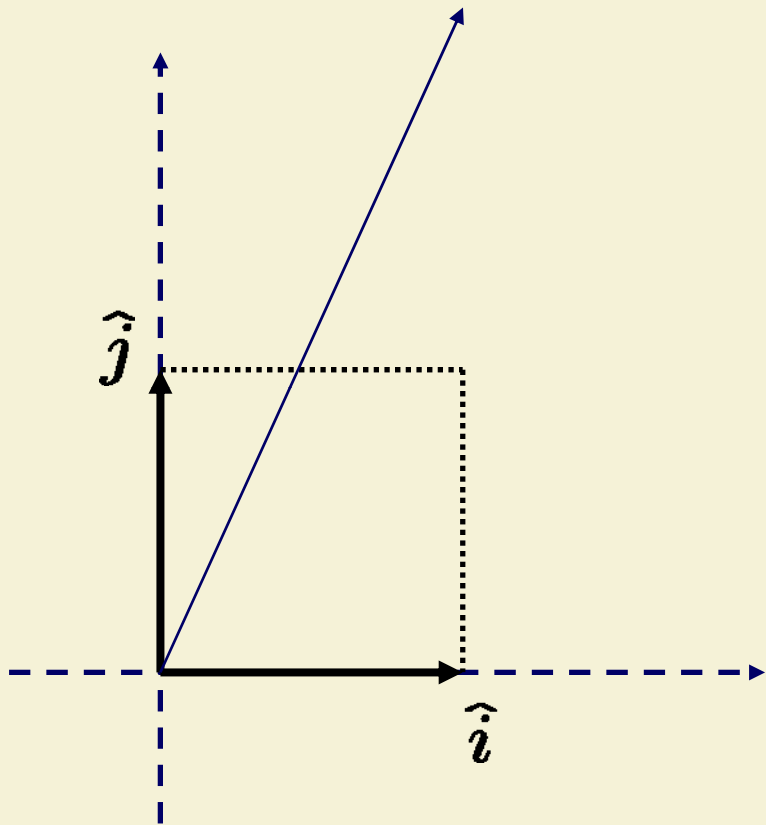
$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \quad T\hat{i} = a\hat{i} + c\hat{j} = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ c \end{bmatrix}$$
$$T\hat{j} = b\hat{i} + d\hat{j} = \begin{bmatrix} b \\ d \end{bmatrix}$$

In 2D, we can replace \hat{i}, \hat{j}

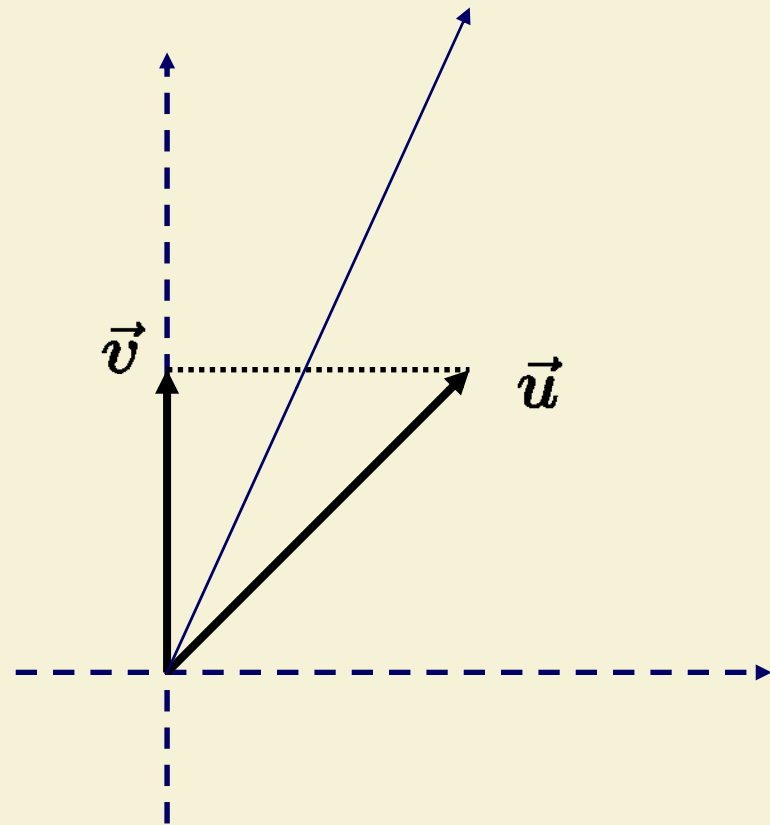
with any pair of non parallel \vec{u}, \vec{v}

$$\vec{w} = \alpha\vec{u} + \beta\vec{v}$$

$$\vec{w} = 1\hat{i} + 2\hat{j}$$



$$\vec{w} = 1\vec{u} + 1\vec{v}$$



6.8 Diagonal Form of A Linear Transformation

(\vec{u}, \vec{v}) called a basis

$$\vec{u} = P_{11}\hat{i} + P_{21}\hat{j} = \begin{bmatrix} P_{11} \\ P_{21} \end{bmatrix},$$

$$\vec{v} = P_{12}\hat{i} + P_{22}\hat{j} = \begin{bmatrix} P_{12} \\ P_{22} \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} P_{11} & P_{12} \\ P_{21} & P_{22} \end{bmatrix} \text{ maps } (\hat{i}, \hat{j}) \text{ to } (\vec{u}, \vec{v})$$

\vec{u}, \vec{v} not parallel $\Rightarrow \det P \neq 0$

Example (\vec{u}, \vec{v}) forms a basis

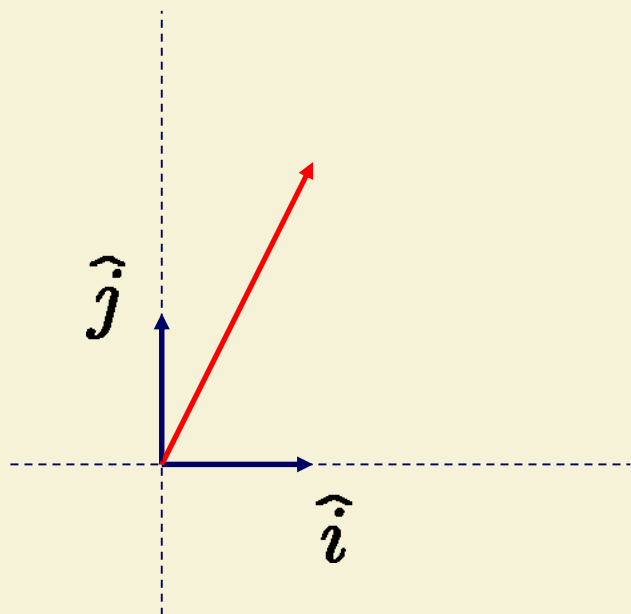
$$\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \det \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) = 1$$

Components of a vector changes wrt new basis

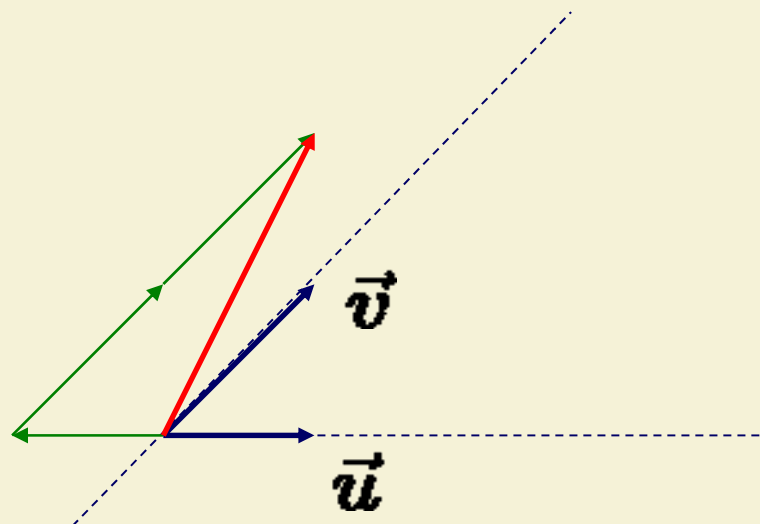
$$\begin{aligned} 1\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= -\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 2\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = -\vec{u} + 2\vec{v} \end{aligned}$$

New component: $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}_{(\vec{u}, \vec{v})}$

$$1\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$



$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}_{(\vec{u}, \vec{v})}$$



Computing Components Systematically

$$\vec{u} = P\hat{i} \quad \vec{v} = P\hat{j} \quad \det P \neq 0$$

$$\hat{i} = P^{-1}\vec{u} \quad \hat{j} = P^{-1}\vec{v}$$

To compute new components

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} &= \alpha\vec{u} + \beta\vec{v} \\ P^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} &= \alpha P^{-1}\vec{u} + \beta P^{-1}\vec{v} \\ &= \alpha\hat{i} + \beta\hat{j} \end{aligned}$$

Computing Components

$$P^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \alpha \hat{i} + \beta \hat{j}$$

$$P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow P^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}_{(\vec{u}, \vec{v})} = P^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})}.$$

Computing Components

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})} \quad \text{different matrix relative to } (\vec{u}, \vec{v})$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}_{(\vec{u}, \vec{v})} \text{ map } P^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ to } P^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}_{(\vec{u}, \vec{v})} P^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})} = P^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})}$$

Computing Components

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}_{(\vec{u}, \vec{v})} P^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})} = P^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})}$$

➡
$$P \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}_{(\vec{u}, \vec{v})} P^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})}$$

but
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})}$$

➡
$$P \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}_{(\vec{u}, \vec{v})} P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})}$$

Change of Basis

$$P \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}_{(\vec{u}, \vec{v})} P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}_{(\vec{u}, \vec{v})} = P^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}_{(\hat{i}, \hat{j})} P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrix of T relative to (\vec{u}, \vec{v})

Multiply P^{-1} to left and P to right

Diagonalization

T has eigenvectors \vec{e}_1, \vec{e}_2

if (\vec{e}_1, \vec{e}_2) form a basis

$$T\vec{e}_1 = \lambda_1\vec{e}_1 + 0\vec{e}_2,$$

$$T\vec{e}_2 = 0\vec{e}_1 + \lambda_2\vec{e}_2,$$

Matrix of T relative to (\vec{e}_1, \vec{e}_2)

$$\begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix}_{(\vec{e}_1, \vec{e}_2)} \quad \text{diagonal}$$

Example

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ has eigenvectors } \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\longrightarrow P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrix of T relative to (\vec{e}_1, \vec{e}_2)

$$\begin{aligned} P^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} P &= -\frac{2}{5} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -1 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} & -2 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= -\frac{2}{5} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -1 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= -\frac{2}{5} \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{15}{2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Summary

We say a matrix A is diagonalizable if

$$A = PDP^{-1}$$

Matrix of eigenvectors



Diagonal matrix of
eigenvalues

Fact: If A is 2×2 , just need to find two non parallel eigenvectors

Summary

Remark: Diagonalizable has nothing to do with invertible.

But if a matrix A is diagonalizable

$$A = PDP^{-1}$$

$$\det A = \det P \times \det D \times \det P^{-1}$$

= product of eigenvalues

Example

$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \tan \theta \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ has eigenvalues

$$\det \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 - \lambda & \tan \theta \\ 0 & 1 - \lambda \end{bmatrix} \right) = (1 - \lambda)^2 = 0$$

only one eigenvector $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

Not possible to diagonalize

6.9 Application: Markov Chains

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} R \rightarrow R & S \rightarrow R \\ R \rightarrow S & S \rightarrow S \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.6 & 0.3 \\ 0.4 & 0.7 \end{bmatrix}.$$

How to compute M^k for large k ?

6.19 Application: Markov Chains

$$P^{-1}MP = D = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M = PDP^{-1}$$

$$M^2 = PDP^{-1}PDP^{-1} = PD^2P^{-1}$$

$$M^3 = MM^2 = PDP^{-1}PD^2P^{-1} = PD^3P^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow M^{30} = PD^{30}P^{-1}$$

$$\lambda_1 = 0.3 \quad \lambda_2 = 1$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{4}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1^{30} & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2^{30} \end{bmatrix}$$

6.9 Markov Chains

$$M^{30} = PD^{30}P^{-1}$$

$$\lambda_1 = 0.3 \quad \lambda_2 = 1$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{4}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & \frac{4}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{4}{7} & -\frac{3}{7} \\ \frac{3}{7} & \frac{3}{7} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$D^{30} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.3^{30} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \approx \begin{bmatrix} 2 \times 10^{-16} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M^{30} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & \frac{4}{3} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \times 10^{-16} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{4}{7} & -\frac{3}{7} \\ \frac{3}{7} & \frac{3}{7} \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\approx \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{7} & \frac{3}{7} \\ \frac{4}{7} & \frac{4}{7} \end{bmatrix}.$$

6.10 Application: Trace of a Matrix

Let \mathbf{M} be a square matrix.

The trace of \mathbf{M} , denoted $\text{Tr}(\mathbf{M})$ is the sum of the diagonal entries

$$\text{Tr} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = 2, \quad \text{Tr} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix} = 15, \quad \text{Tr} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 16 \\ 7 & 2 & 15 \\ 11 & 9 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = 11$$

6.10 Trace of a Matrix

$$\text{Tr}MN = \sum_i \sum_j M_{ij}N_{ji} = \sum_j \sum_i N_{ji}M_{ij} = \text{Tr}NM$$

$$\text{Tr}(P^{-1}AP) = \text{Tr}(APP^{-1}) = \text{Tr}A$$

Trace is independent of basis

For a diagonalizable matrix **A**,

Tr(A) = sum of its eigenvalues.

Use this to check your calculations