Submission for Computer Vision Exercise 1

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1 Pen and Paper task

1.1 Eigendecomposition of 2×2 matrix

First, let's find the eigenvalues of A.

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

$$0 = \det \begin{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 1 \\ 8 & 7 \end{bmatrix} - \lambda I \end{pmatrix}$$

$$0 = \det \begin{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 9 - \lambda & 1 \\ 8 & 7 - \lambda \end{bmatrix} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$0 = (9 - \lambda) \cdot (7 - \lambda) - 8 \cdot 1$$

$$0 = \lambda^2 - 16\lambda + 55$$

$$0 = (\lambda - 11) \cdot (\lambda - 5)$$

Hence, the eigenvalues are [11 5], now we find the corresponding eigenvectors:

$$0 = (A - \lambda_1 I) \cdot \mathbf{v_1}$$
$$0 = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 8 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \mathbf{v_1}$$

We solve for $\mathbf{v_1}$ and get $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \end{bmatrix}$. Similarly for $\mathbf{v_2}$ by substituting $\lambda = 5$, we get $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{-1}{\sqrt{5}} \end{bmatrix}$.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 1 \\ 8 & 7 \end{bmatrix} = Q\Lambda Q^{-1}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{-1}{\sqrt{5}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 11 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{5}}{4} & \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2} \\ \frac{\sqrt{5}}{4} & -\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

1.2 Computing A^{10} using eigendecomposition

$$\begin{split} A^{10} &= \left(Q\Lambda Q^{-1}\right)^{10} \\ &= \left(Q\Lambda Q^{-1}\right) \left(Q\Lambda Q^{-1}\right) \dots \\ &= Q\Lambda^{10}Q^{-1} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 11^{10} & 0 \\ 0 & 5^{10} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{5}}{4} & \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2} \\ \frac{\sqrt{5}}{4} & -\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2} \end{bmatrix} \end{split}$$