

1. (a) suppose A^+ is not unique. There exists A_1^+, A_2^+ such that:

$$A = AA_1^+A = AA_2^+A$$

$$AA_1^+ = AA_2^+AA_1^+$$

$$= (A_2^+A)^T (A_1^+A)^T$$

$$= (A_2^+)^T A^T (A_1^+)^T A^T$$

$$= (A_2^+)^T A^T = (A_2^+A)^T$$

$$= AA_2^+$$

$$A_1^+A = A_1^+AA_2^+A$$

$$= A^T (A_1^+)^T A^T (A_2^+)^T$$

$$= (AA_1^+A)^T$$

$$= A^T (A_2^+)^T = (AA_2^+)^T$$

$$= A_2^+A$$

$$\therefore A_1^+ = A_1^+AA_1^+ = A_1^+AA_2^+ = A_2^+AA_2^+ = A_2^+$$

$\therefore A^+$ is unique

(2) Suppose $(A^TA)^{-1}A^T = A^+$

$$A = AA^+A = A(A^TA)^{-1}A^TA = AI = A$$

$$A^+ = A^+AA^+$$

$$= (A^TA)^{-1}A^TA (A^TA)^{-1}A^T$$

$$= I (A^TA)^{-1}A^T = (A^TA)^{-1}A^T$$

$$A^+A = (A^TA)^{-1}A^TA = I$$

$\therefore (A^TA)^{-1}A^T$ is the pseudoinverse and a left inverse of A .

(c) suppose $A^T(AA^T)^{-1} = A^+$.

$$AA^+ = AA^T(AA^T)^{-1} = I$$

$$AA^+A = IA = A$$

$$A^+AA^+ = A^+I = A^+$$

$\therefore A^T(AA^T)^{-1}$ is the pseudoinverse and a right inverse of A .

(d) suppose $A^{-1} = A^+$.

$$AA^+A = AA^{-1}A = A$$

$$A^+AA^+ = A^{-1}AA^{-1} = A^{-1} = A^+$$

$\therefore A^{-1}$ is the pseudoinverse of a full rank square matrix A .

(e) since A is a projection matrix,

$$A^2 = A, \quad A^T = A$$

suppose $A = A^+$,

$$AA^+A = AAA = A^2A = AA = A^2 = A$$

$$A^+AA^+ = AAA = A = A^+$$

$\therefore A$ is the pseudoinverse of a projection matrix A .

$$(f) \quad A^T = [AA^+A]^T = A^T(A^+)^T A^T$$

$$(A^+)^T = [A^+AA^+]^T = (A^+)^T A^T (A^+)^T$$

$$[A^T(A^+)^T]^T = [A^T(A^+)^T A^T (A^+)^T]^T = A^+AA^+A = A^+A$$

$$[(A^+)^T A^T]^T = [(A^+)^T A^T (A^+)^T A^T]^T = AA^+AA^+ = AA^+$$

$$\therefore (A^T)^+ = (A^+)^T$$

$$(g) AA^T = AA^T AA^T = AA^T AA^T AA^T = A(A^T A)^T A^T AA^T \\ = AA^T (A^T)^T A^T AA^T$$

$$(A^T)^T (A^T) = (A^T)^T A^T AA^T AA^T = (A^T)^T A^T A (A^T A)^T A^T \\ = (A^T)^T A^T (AA^T) (A^T)^T A^T$$

$$AA^T (A^T)^T A^T = A(A^T A)^T A^T = A(A^T A) A^T = AA^T$$

$$[(A^T)^T A^T] AA^T = (A^T)^T (A^T A)^T A^T = (A^T AA^T)^T A^T = AA^T$$

$$\therefore (AA^T)^T = (A^T)^T A^T$$

$$A^T A = A^T AA^T AA^T A = A^T AA^T (AA^T)^T A = A^T AA^T (A^T)^T A^T A$$

$$A^T (A^T)^T = A^T AA^T AA^T (A^T)^T = A^T (A^T)^T A^T A A^T (A^T)^T$$

$$A^T (A^T)^T A^T A = A^T AA^T A = A^T A$$

$$(A^T A A^T (A^T)^T)^T = (A^T A A^T A)^T = (A^T A)^T = AA^T$$

$$\therefore (A^T A)^T = A^T (A^T)^T$$

$$(f) \text{ Let } x \in R(A^T)$$

$$A^T y = x$$

$$A^T A A^T y = x$$

$$A^T (A^T)^T A^T y = x$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in R(A^T)$$

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$$A^T A A^T y = x$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in R(A^T)$$

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

(i) \therefore both AA^T and $A^T A$ are symmetric.

$$P^2 = AA^T AA^T = AA^T$$

$$Q^2 = A^T A A^T A = A^T A$$

$\therefore P$ and Q are projection matrix.

(j) Let $w \in R(A)$, $w = Ab$.

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle x - Px, w \rangle \\ &= w^T x - w^T P x \\ &= w^T x - w^T A A^T x \\ &= b^T A^T x - b^T A^T A A^T x \\ &= b^T A^T x - b^T A^T (A^T)^T A^T x \\ &= b^T A^T x - b^T A^T (A^T)^T A^T x \\ &= b^T A^T x - b^T A^T x = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore y = Px$ is the projection of x onto $R(A)$.

Let $w \in R(A^T)$, $w = A^T b$.

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle x - Qx, w \rangle \\ &= w^T x - w^T Q x \\ &= b^T A x - b^T A A^T A x \\ &= b^T A x - b^T A x = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore y = Qx$ is the projection of x onto $R(A^T)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (k) \quad \|Ax - b\|^2 &= \|Ax - Ax^* + Ax^* - b\|^2 \\
 &= \|Ax - Ax^*\|^2 + \|Ax^* - b\|^2 \\
 &\quad + \langle A(x - x^*), Ax^* - b \rangle + \langle Ax^* - b, A(x - x^*) \rangle
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \langle A(x - x^*), Ax^* - b \rangle + \langle Ax^* - b, A(x - x^*) \rangle \\
 &= 2(x - x^*)^T A^T (Ax^* - b) \\
 &= 2(x - x^*)^T (Ax^* - b) \\
 &= 2(x - x^*)^T (A^T (A^+)^T A^T b - A^T b) \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \|Ax - b\|^2 = \|Ax - Ax^*\|^2 + \|Ax^* - b\|^2 \geq \|Ax^* - b\|^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (l) \quad \|x\| &= \|x - x^* + x^*\| = \langle x - x^*, x^* \rangle + \langle x^*, x - x^* \rangle \\
 &\quad + \|x - x^*\| + \|x^*\|
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle x - x^*, x^* \rangle + \langle x^*, x - x^* \rangle &= 2(x^*)^T (x - x^*) \\
 &= 2b^T (A^+)^T (x - A^+ b) \\
 &= 2b^T (A^+)^T (x - A^+ b) \\
 &= 2b^T (A^+)^T A^T (A^+)^T (x - A^+ b) \\
 &= 2b^T (A^+)^T [A^T (A^+)^T x - A^T (A^+)^T A^+ b] \\
 &= 2b^T (A^+)^T (A^+ A x - A^+ A A^+ b) \\
 &= 2b^T (A^+)^T (A^+ b - A^+ b) \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \|x\| = \|x - x^*\| + \|x^*\| \geq \|x^*\|$$

Problem 2.

(a) the characteristic polynomial of A :

$$p(\lambda) = \det(\lambda I - A) = (\lambda - \lambda_1)(\lambda - \lambda_2) \cdots (\lambda - \lambda_n)$$

$$\therefore p(\lambda=0) = \det(-A) = (-\lambda_1)(-\lambda_2) \cdots (-\lambda_n)$$

$$= (-1)^n \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \cdots \lambda_n$$

$$= (-1)^n \det(A)$$

$$\Rightarrow \det(A) = \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \cdots \lambda_n$$

(b) $\because \lambda I - A^T = (\lambda I - A)^T$

$$\det((\lambda I - A)^T) = \det(\lambda I - A) = \det(A^T - \lambda I)$$

so A^T and A have the same set of λ .

(c) $AV = \lambda_i V, \quad i=1, 2, \dots, n$

$$AAV = A\lambda_i V = \lambda_i AV = \lambda_i^2 V$$

$$A^2 AV = A^2 \lambda_i V = \lambda_i AA V = \lambda_i A \lambda_i V = \lambda_i^2 AV = \lambda_i^3 V$$

$$\vdots$$
$$A^k V = \lambda_i^k V$$

$\therefore \lambda_i^k, i=1, 2, \dots, n$ are eigenvalues of matrix A^k

(d) suppose A has a zero eigenvalue λ

$$\therefore AV = \lambda V = 0, \quad V \neq 0$$

$\therefore V \in N(A)$, A is invertible

$$\therefore \dim(N(A)) = 0 \Rightarrow N(A) = \{0\} \Rightarrow V = 0$$

\therefore if A is invertible, it does not have a zero eigenvalue

(d) If A does not have a zero eigenvalue,
there is no $v \neq 0$, s.t.

$$Av = \lambda v = 0$$

$\therefore v = 0$ is the only solution

$$\Rightarrow \dim(N(A)) = 0$$

$\therefore A$ is invertible iff A does not have a
zero eigenvalue

$$(e) \quad Av = \lambda_i v \Rightarrow A^{-1}Av = \lambda_i A^{-1}v$$

$$\Rightarrow v = \lambda_i A^{-1}v$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_i^{-1} v = A^{-1}v$$

$\therefore \lambda_i^{-1}$, $i=1, 2, \dots, n$ are the eigenvalues of A^{-1} .

Problem 3

a) Let λ be an eigenvalue of A , and v is the
eigen vector, $v \neq 0$.

$$Av = \lambda v$$

$$A^2 v = \lambda(Av) = \lambda^2 v$$

$\therefore A$ is nilpotent matrix

$\therefore A^k = 0$ for some k .

$$\Rightarrow A^k v = \lambda^k v = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 0 \quad \text{for all } \lambda$$

(a) \therefore all eigenvalues of a nilpotent matrix must be zero

(b) suppose $A^k = 0, k > n$.

$$\therefore A^{n+1} = A^{n+2} = \dots = 0$$

the characteristic polynomial of A

$$P(x) = x^n + a_{n-1}x^{n-1} + \dots + a_1x + a_0$$

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$$A^n + a_{n-1}A^{n-1} + \dots + a_1A + a_0 = 0$$

$$A(A^n + a_{n-1}A^{n-1} + \dots + a_1A + a_0) = 0$$

$$a_{n-1}A^n + \dots + a_1A^2 + a_0A = 0$$

$$A(a_{n-1}A^n + \dots + a_1A^2 + a_0A) = 0$$

$$a_{n-2}A^n + \dots + a_1A^3 + a_0A^2 = 0$$

\vdots

$$\therefore a_0A^n = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow A^n = 0$$

$$\therefore A^k = 0, k \leq n$$

Problem 4.

a) $\|A^H A\| = \|A^H\| \cdot \|A\| = \|A\| \cdot \|A\| = \|A\|^2$

b) Since U and V are unitary matrices,
 $\|UA\| = \|A\| = \|AV\|$

Let $B = AV$.

$$\begin{aligned}\|UAV\| &= \|UB\| \\ &= \|B\| \\ &= \|AV\| \\ &= \|A\|\end{aligned}$$

P5. (a) $A \geq 0, B \geq 0$

$$\text{Let } B = \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i V_i V_i^T$$

$$\therefore \text{Trace}(AB) = \text{Trace}\left(A \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i V_i V_i^T\right)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i \text{Trace}(A V_i V_i^T)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i V_i^T A V_i \geq 0$$

(b)