

# hw3

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1.1 a)

We have that matrix would be

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0.2 & 0.7 & 0.1 \\ 0.2 & 0.5 & 0.3 \\ 0.2 & 0.4 & 0.4 \end{bmatrix}$$

1.2 b)

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[73]: import numpy as np
transition_matrix = np.array([[0.2, 0.7, 0.1],
                              [0.2, 0.5, 0.3],
                              [0.2, 0.4, 0.4]])

initial = 0

state_sequence = [initial]

def get_next_state(current):
    next_state = np.random.choice(range(3), p= transition_matrix[current])
    return next_state

state_sequence.append(get_next_state(state_sequence[-1]))
print(state_sequence)
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[0, 1]

We see that in single realization, our next state is 2. (0,1,2 represents state 1,2,3)

## 2 2

### 2.1 a)

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[74]: eigval, eigvec = np.linalg.eig(transition_matrix.T)
stationary_state = eigvec[:, 0]/np.sum(eigvec[:,0])

print(stationary_state)
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[0.2      0.51111111 0.28888889]
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[75]: stationary_state @ transition_matrix
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[75]: array([0.2      , 0.51111111, 0.28888889])
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we have that our stationary state is [0.2, 0.5111, 0.2889]

### 2.2 b)

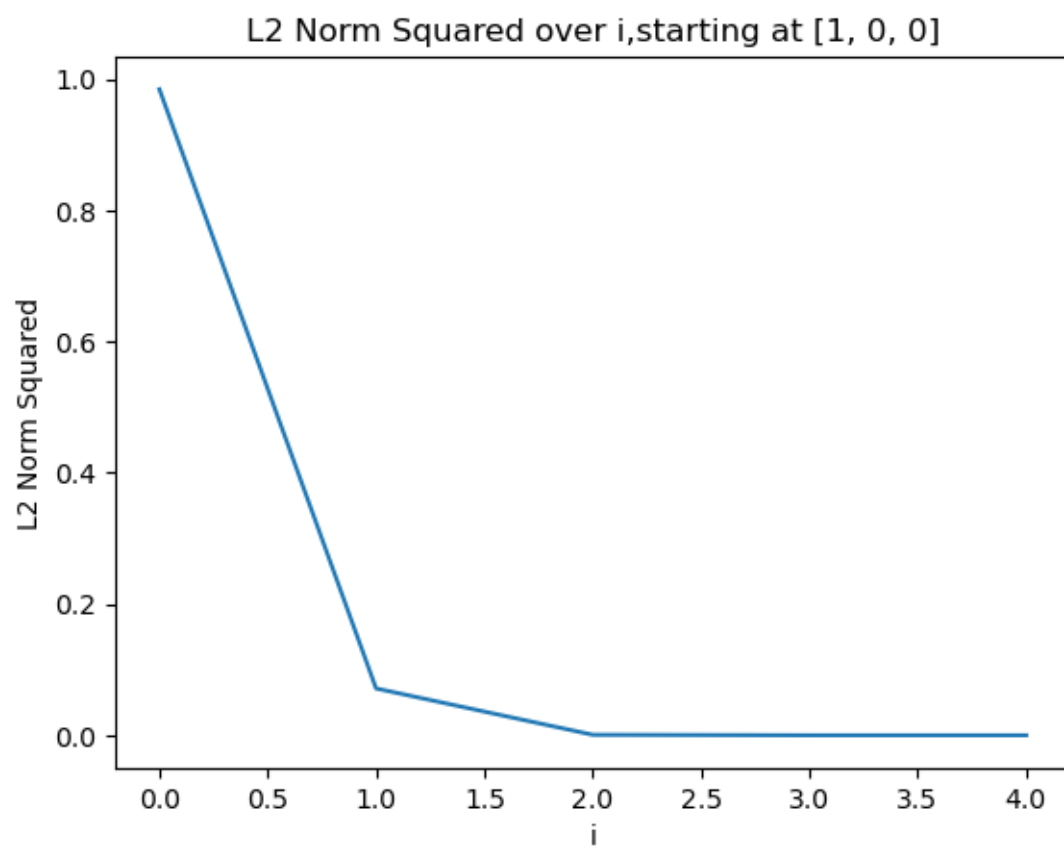
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[76]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

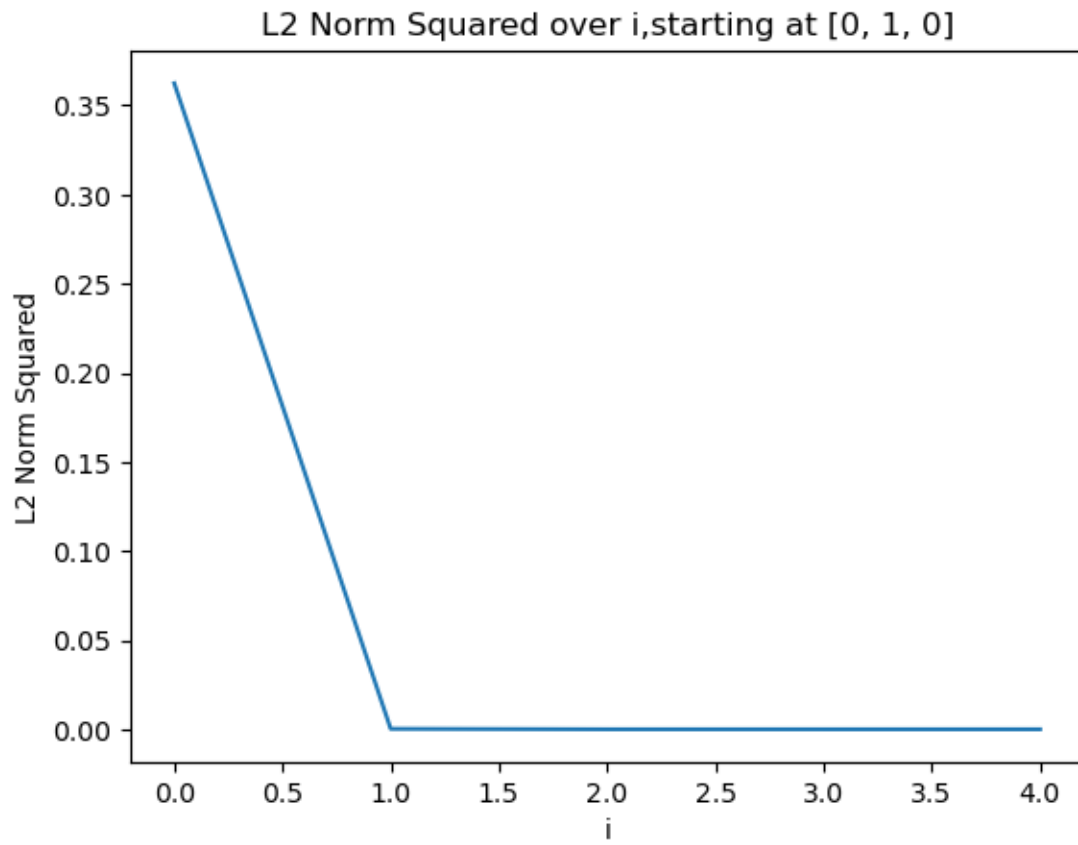
def plot_diff(initial_state,i):
    eucli2 = []
    iter = []
    current = initial_state
    for j in range(i):
        next = current @ transition_matrix
        eucli2.append(np.sum((current-stationary_state)**2))
        iter.append(j)
        current = next

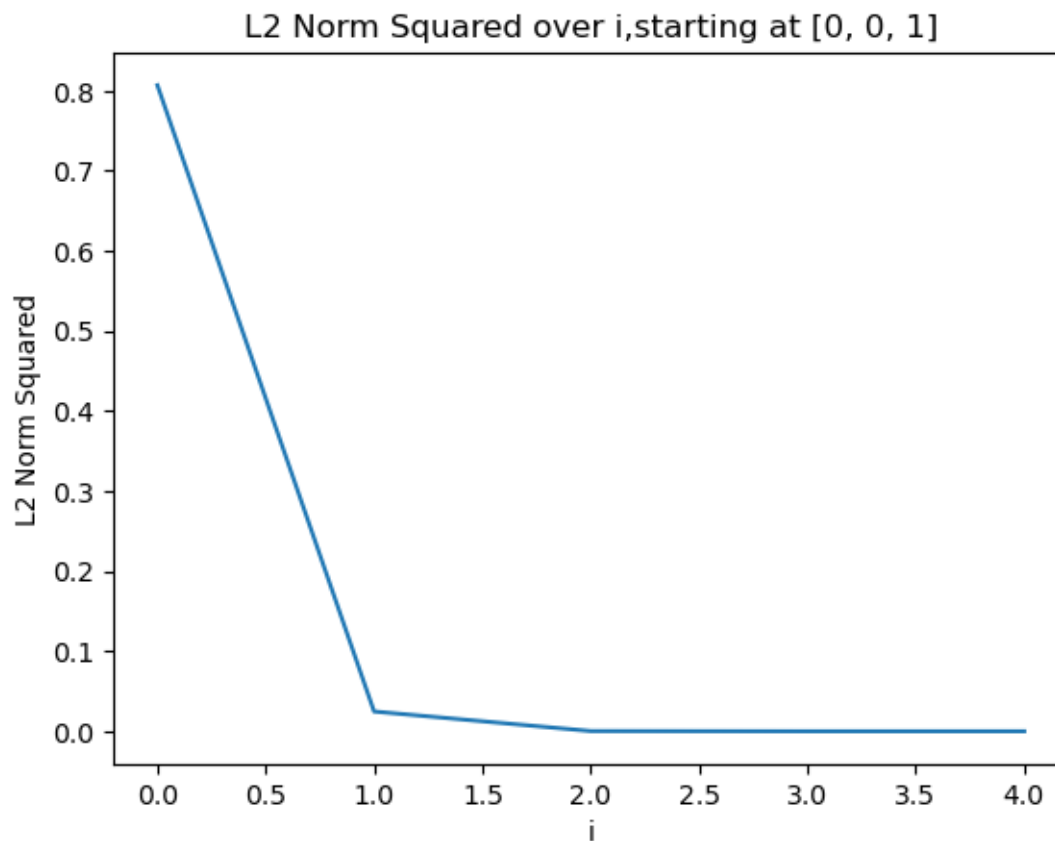
    plt.plot(iter, eucli2)
    plt.title(f"L2 Norm Squared over i,starting at {initial_state}")
    plt.xlabel('i')
    plt.ylabel('L2 Norm Squared')

    plt.show()

plot_diff([1,0,0],5)
plot_diff([0,1,0],5)
plot_diff([0,0,1],5)
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We could see that for any initial condition, the  $\pi_i$  quickly converges to our stationary state  $\pi_\infty$

### 3 3

#### 3.1 a)

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[77]: def get_arrival_time(initial):
    if initial == 2:
        print("already in absorbing state")

    step = 0
    current = initial

    while current != 2:
        current = get_next_state(current)
        step += 1

    return step
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[78]: arr_from1 = []
      arr_from2 = []

      for i in range(10000):
          arr_from1.append(get_arrival_time(0))
          arr_from2.append(get_arrival_time(1))

      fig, axes = plt.subplots(1, 2)

      # Plot the first histogram and calculate the mean
      axes[0].hist(arr_from1, bins=20, color='blue', alpha=0.5, density = True)
      mean1 = np.mean(arr_from1)
      axes[0].axvline(mean1, color='red', linestyle='dashed', linewidth=2,
          ↪label=f'Mean = {mean1:.2f}')
      axes[0].set_title('Arrival time for X0 = 1')
      axes[0].legend()

      # Plot the second histogram and calculate the mean
      axes[1].hist(arr_from2, bins=20, color='green', alpha=0.5, density = True)
      mean2 = np.mean(arr_from2)
      axes[1].axvline(mean2, color='red', linestyle='dashed', linewidth=2,
          ↪label=f'Mean = {mean2:.2f}')
      axes[1].set_title('Arrival time for X0 = 2')
      axes[1].legend()

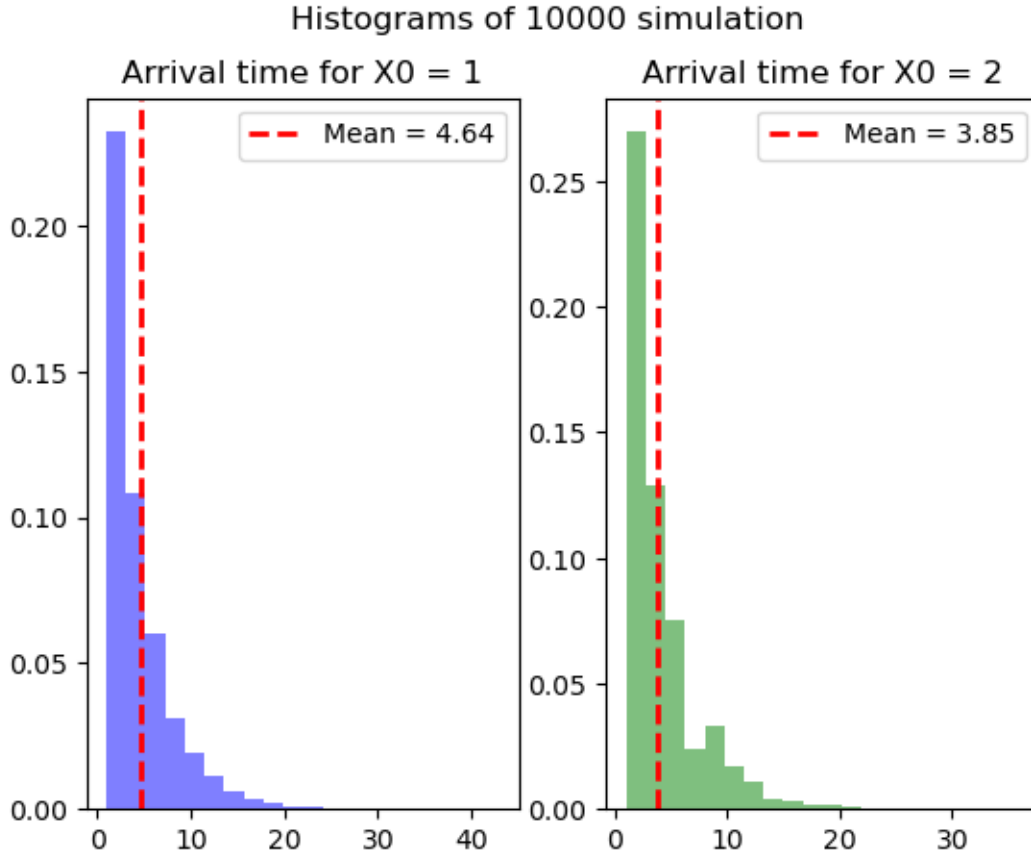
      # Add a common title for the whole figure
      plt.suptitle('Histograms of 10000 simulation')

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[78]: Text(0.5, 0.98, 'Histograms of 10000 simulation')

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We could see that starting from node 2 goes to absorbing state faster.

### 3.2 b)

We could calculate the  $E[T_i]$  by solving the following linear system:

$$\begin{aligned} E[T_1] &= 1 + 0.2E[T_1] + 0.7E[T_2] + 0.1E[T_3] \\ E[T_2] &= 1 + 0.2E[T_1] + 0.5E[T_2] + 0.3E[T_3] \\ E[T_3] &= 0 \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

Solving it by hand, we have

$$\begin{aligned} E[T_1] &= 4.615 \\ E[T_2] &= 3.846 \\ E[T_3] &= 0 \end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

Pretty close to what we have in a)