

## Applied Matrix Theory - Math 551

### Homework assignment 12

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**Due date:** Thursday, April 25th at 5:00pm. Use the drop box adjacent to CW120. No late homework will be accepted.

**Instructions:** Unless indicated otherwise, you are strongly encouraged to use your calculator or Matlab to complete this assignment. Write legibly, use extra sheets of paper if needed, and **staple your work**. Also, try to do a two-sided printing of this assignment.

**Honor pledge:** “On my honor, as a student, I have neither given nor received unauthorized aid on this academic work.”

**Exercises. All answers must be justified by using matrix theory**

1. Find the singular value decomposition of the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 & -1 & 3 \\ 4 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 5 \\ 9 & -2 & 7 & 8 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

2. Find the eigenvalues of the matrix  $B^T B$  and the singular values of  $B$ , where

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Compute the square roots of the eigenvalues of  $B^T B$  and compare them to the singular values of  $B$ .

3. Find an orthonormal basis of  $\mathbf{R}^3$  consisting of eigenvectors of the matrix

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 9 & 1 \\ 9 & -3 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Why does such orthonormal basis exist?

4. Suppose that a square matrix  $A$  has the polynomial

$$p(\lambda) = (2 + \lambda)(4 - \lambda)(1 + \lambda)$$

as its characteristic polynomial. Answer the following questions:

- (i) What is the size of  $A$ ?
- (ii) What are the eigenvalues of  $A$ ?
- (iii) Is  $A$  invertible?
- (iv) Is  $A$  diagonalizable?
- (v) What is the value of  $\det(A)$ ?
- (vi) What is the value of  $\det(A - 4I)$ ? Here  $I$  is the identity matrix.
- (vii) What are the eigenvalues of  $A^3$ ?
- (viii) What are the eigenvalues of  $A^{-1}$ ?
- (ix) Can  $A$  be an orthogonal matrix?
- (x) Can  $A$  be a lower-triangular matrix?

5. Write a Matlab function that takes an  $n \times n$  matrix  $A$  and returns a 1 if  $A$  is diagonalizable and a 0 otherwise. If the input matrix is not square, the function should display a message indicating so.

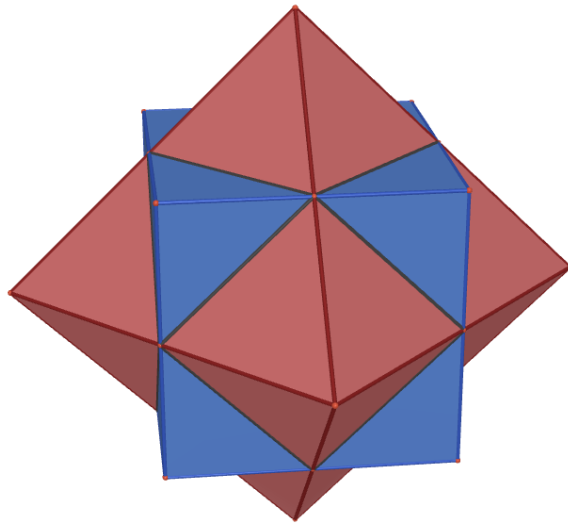
6. Find the singular values of the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 7 & 3 & 5 & -9 & 5 & -3 & 2 \\ -6 & -1 & 0 & -2 & 3 & 2 & 2 & -6 \\ 4 & 0 & 1 & 9 & -5 & 8 & -8 & -4 \\ 4 & 3 & -2 & 0 & 0 & 4 & 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

7. Find the eigenvalues and the singular values of the matrix

$$N = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

8. Use the cross product to find the volume of the solid shown in the picture. Assume that the cube has side length equal to 1 (unit of length).





9. True or False - **Circle the right one** (1 point each)

**T** or **F**. If  $A$  is symmetric, then  $A$  is invertible.

**T** or **F**. If  $A$  is symmetric, then  $A$  is diagonalizable.

**T** or **F**. The singular values of  $A$  are always non-negative real numbers.

**T** or **F**. The singular value decomposition can be implemented only for square matrices.

**T** or **F**. The singular values of  $A$  are the eigenvalues of  $A$ .

Points obtained in this assignment (out of 16): \_\_\_\_\_