

- Office hours: please register
(see announcement OR syllabus)
 - S-grade: policy to be determined
 - 5 April: last day to withdraw
 - policy on final exam: TBD
 - homework → on canvas
 - online help sessions: see announcements/syllabus
(if you cannot make it to my office hours)

Petermihant

Properties • $\det(A) \neq 0 \Leftrightarrow A$ invertible

• $\det(A \cdot B) = \det(A) \cdot \det(B)$

Warning: $\det(A + B) \neq \det(A) + \det(B)$

$\det(k \cdot A) \neq k \cdot \det(A)$

instead: $\det(k \cdot A) = k^n \cdot \det(A)$

where n is the size of A

Problem from last HW

Prove that $\det(PAP^{-1}) = \det(A)$.

wrong solution:

$$\det(PAP^{-1})$$

$\stackrel{\text{!}}{\leftarrow}$

$$\det(PP^{-1}A)$$

$$\stackrel{\text{!}}{\leftarrow} \det(A)$$

wrong because

$$AB \neq BA$$

for matrices. It was used

correct solution

$$\det(PAP^{-1})$$

\parallel using

$$\det(P) \cdot \det(A) \cdot \det(P^{-1})$$

$\parallel ab = ba$ for numbers

$$\det(P) \cdot \det(P^{-1}) \cdot \det(A)$$

\parallel see lecture notes

$$\det(P) \cdot \frac{1}{\det(P)} \cdot \det(A)$$

$$\det(A)$$

See 3.2 # 33, 34, 35, 36

and also

$$\det(P^{-1}) = \frac{1}{\det(P)}$$

You want to understand well these problems.

Start 3.3

Crammer's rule

A method to solve lin. systems using determinants.

Example 1 (see the book)

$$\begin{cases} 3x_1 - 2x_2 = 6 \\ -5x_1 + 4x_2 = 8 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ -5 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$$

sub fist col. b_1 to
 $A_1(b) = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -2 \\ 8 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

sub 2nd col. b_2 to
 $A_2(b) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 6 \\ -5 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\det(A) = 3 \cdot 4 - (-5 \cdot -2) = 12 - 10 = 2$$

$$\det(A_1(b)) = \det \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -2 \\ 8 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = 24 - (-2 \cdot 8) = 24 + 16 = 40$$

$$\det(A_2(b)) = \det \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 6 \\ -5 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = 24 - (-5 \cdot 6) = 24 + 30 = 54$$

$$x_1 = \frac{\det(A_1(b))}{\det(A)} = \frac{40}{2} = 20$$

$$x_2 = \frac{\det(A_2(b))}{\det(A)} = \frac{54}{2} = 27$$

General case of $n \times n$ matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ a_1 & a_2 & \dots & a_n \end{bmatrix}$$

↙ columns

• Crammer's rule only works for invertible matrices.

Want: solve $A \cdot \bar{x} = b$ for A invertible

To find x_i , we do:

① Replace the i -th column by b ,

namely take $A_i(b) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ \bar{a}_1 & \bar{a}_2 & \dots & b & \dots & \bar{a}_n \end{bmatrix}$

↑ instead of
 \bar{a}_i

② find $\det(A_i(b))$

find $\det(A)$

← note: this is not 0
since A is invertible

③
$$x_i = \frac{\det(A_i(b))}{\det(A)}$$

Crammer's rule

Example 2 from the Book

$$\begin{cases} 3s x_1 - 2 x_2 = 9 \\ -6 x_1 + s x_2 = 1 \end{cases}$$

(s is a parameter)

Q. When does this system have a unique solution?
Describe it using

Crammer's rule

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3s & -2 \\ -6 & s \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 1

- solution unique \Downarrow
- no free variables + consistency \Downarrow
- $\det(A) \neq 0$

Step 2

$$\begin{aligned} \det(A) &= 3s^2 - (-6) \cdot (-2) = \\ &= 3s^2 - 12 = \\ &= 3(s^2 - 4) = 3(s-2)(s+2) \end{aligned}$$

$\det(A) \neq 0$ if and only if

$$\begin{cases} s \neq 2 \\ s \neq -2 \end{cases}$$

Thus solution is unique when $s \neq 2$ and $s \neq -2$.

Solutions to the system

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3s & -2 \\ -6 & s \end{bmatrix} \quad b = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_1(b) = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ 1 & s \end{bmatrix} \quad A_2(b) = \begin{bmatrix} 3s & 4 \\ -6 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_1 = \frac{\det(A_1(b))}{\det(A)} = \frac{4s + 2}{3s^2 - 12}$$

$$x_2 = \frac{\det(A_2(b))}{\det(A)} = \frac{3s + 24}{3s^2 - 12}$$

Adjugate matrix square matrix A
is given

Recall that the (i,j)-cofactor

is

$$C_{ij} = (-1)^{i+j} \cdot \det(A_{ij})$$

the $(n-1) \times (n-1)$ matrix
obtained by deleting the
row at (i,j)

Example .

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ then } C_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} \cdot \det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= -(8 - 14) = 6$$

Now we record all these $C_{i,j}$ into
one matrix adj A, adjugate A:

The (i,j) -entry of $\text{adj } A$ is C_{ji}

Example

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

number = $\det(A_{ij})^{(i+j)}$

$\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} C_{11} & C_{21} & C_{31} \\ C_{12} & C_{22} & C_{32} \\ C_{13} & C_{23} & C_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \dots$

(Note that it is C_{12} , not C_{21})

Formula for the inverse of a matrix:

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det(A)} \cdot \text{adj } A$$

in more detail:

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det(A)} \begin{bmatrix} C_{11} & C_{21} & \dots & C_{n1} \\ C_{12} & C_{22} & \dots & C_{n2} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ C_{1n} & C_{2n} & \dots & C_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

every C_{ji} here is a \det of $(n-1) \times (n-1)$ matrix

Interesting consequence (see HW)

If A is a square matrix with integer coefficients, and $\det(A) = 1$, then A^{-1} also has integer coefficients.

Example $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 7 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 4 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.
 Find A^{-1} using the adjugate formula.

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det(A)} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} C_{11} & C_{21}^* \\ C_{12} & C_{22}^* \\ C_{13} & C_{23}^* \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \cdot \det \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 4 & -2 \end{pmatrix} = -2 \quad C_{12} = -\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} = 3$$

$$C_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \cdot \det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 4 & -2 \end{pmatrix} = 14 \quad C_{22} = \det \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} = -7$$

$$C_{13} = \det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} = 5 \quad C_{23} = -\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} = -7$$

$$C_{31} = 4 \quad C_{32} = 1 \quad C_{33} = -3$$

$$\det(A) = \det \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & -2 \end{pmatrix} =$$

$$= 2 \times (-2) + 1 \times (3) + 3 \times (5) =$$

$\xleftarrow{\det \text{ of } 2 \times 2 \text{ matrices}}$

$$= -4 + 3 + 15 = 14$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det(A)} \begin{pmatrix} C_{11} & C_{21} & C_{31} \\ C_{12} & C_{22} & C_{32} \\ C_{13} & C_{23} & C_{33} \end{pmatrix} =$$

$$= \frac{1}{14} \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 19 & 4 \\ 3 & -7 & 1 \\ 5 & -7 & -3 \end{pmatrix} =$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} & 1 & \frac{2}{7} \\ \frac{3}{14} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{14} \\ \frac{5}{14} & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{3}{14} \end{pmatrix} \quad \leftarrow \underline{\text{answer}}$$

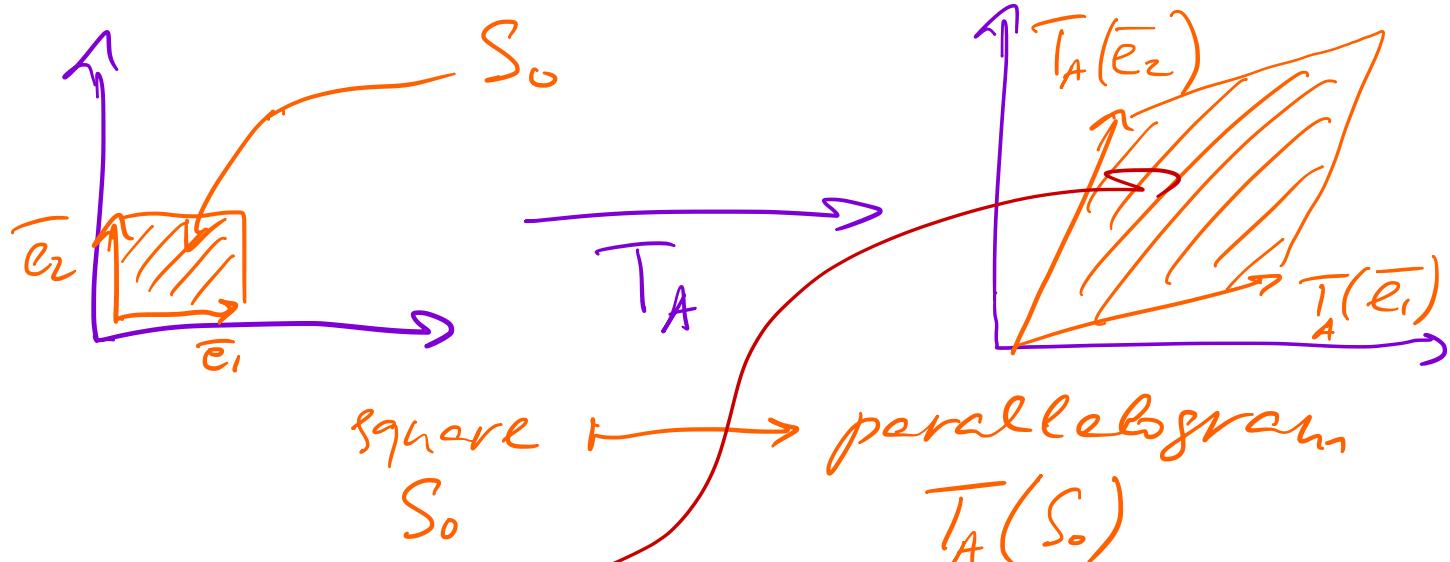
Determinants as scaling factors of areas and volumes

Take A to be 2×2 matrix

Then there is associated linear transformation

$$T_A : \mathbb{R}^2 \xrightarrow{\quad \vec{x} \quad} \mathbb{R}^2 \xrightarrow{\quad A \cdot \vec{x} \quad} \text{Area} \xrightarrow{\quad 1.8 + 1.9 \quad}$$

Effect on standard basis



$$\text{Area of } T(S_0) = |\det A|$$

(Theorem 3, 3.3)

example if $\det(A) = 0$ (A non-invertible)



Explanation of matrix \leftrightarrow lin. transformation

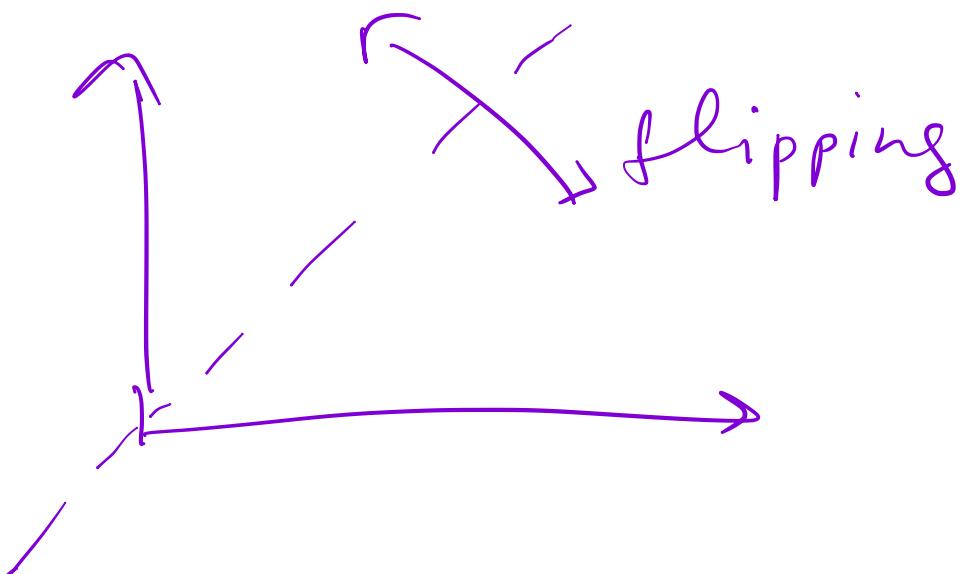
example

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

scaling
1.8, 1.8

$$\mathbb{R}^2 \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} \longmapsto \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ x_1 \end{bmatrix}$$



$\det(A) \leftrightarrow$ area

(still 3.3)

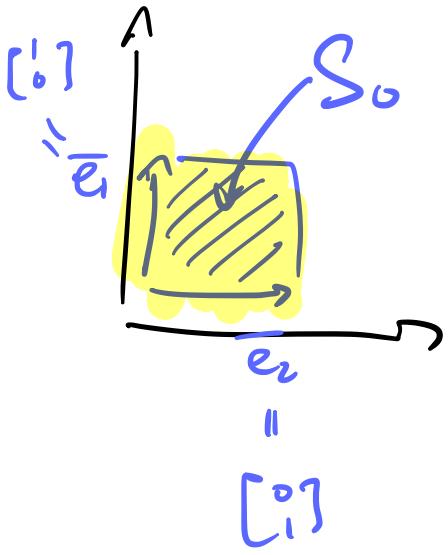
• A is 2×2 , $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$

• There is an associated lin. transformation

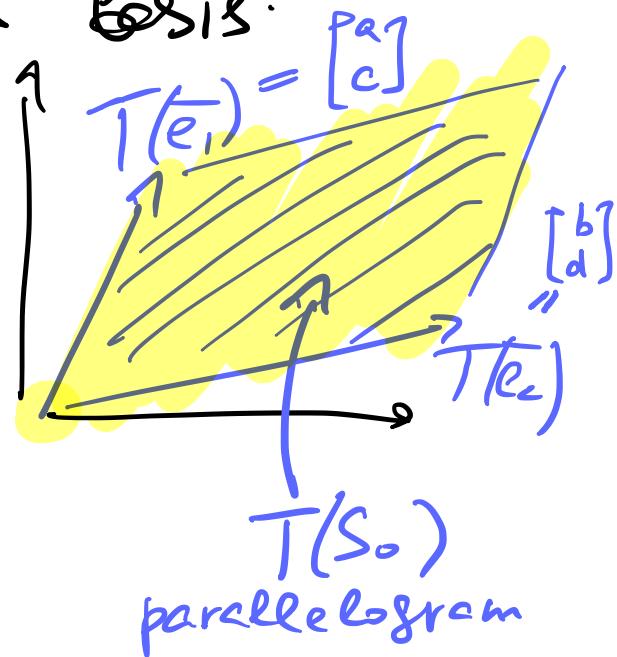
$$\begin{array}{l} (1.8) \quad T_A: \mathbb{R}^2 \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \\ (1.9) \quad \bar{x} \longmapsto A \cdot \bar{x} \end{array}$$

recall: $T_A(\bar{e}_1) = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ c \end{bmatrix}$ (↑)
 $T_A(\bar{e}_2) = \begin{bmatrix} b \\ d \end{bmatrix}$

• Effect on standard basis:



T_A



$T(S_0)$
parallelogram

Area of $T_A(S_0) = |\det A|$

absolute value

(*) $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ c \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b \\ d \end{bmatrix}$

$\det(A) \leftrightarrow \text{volume}$

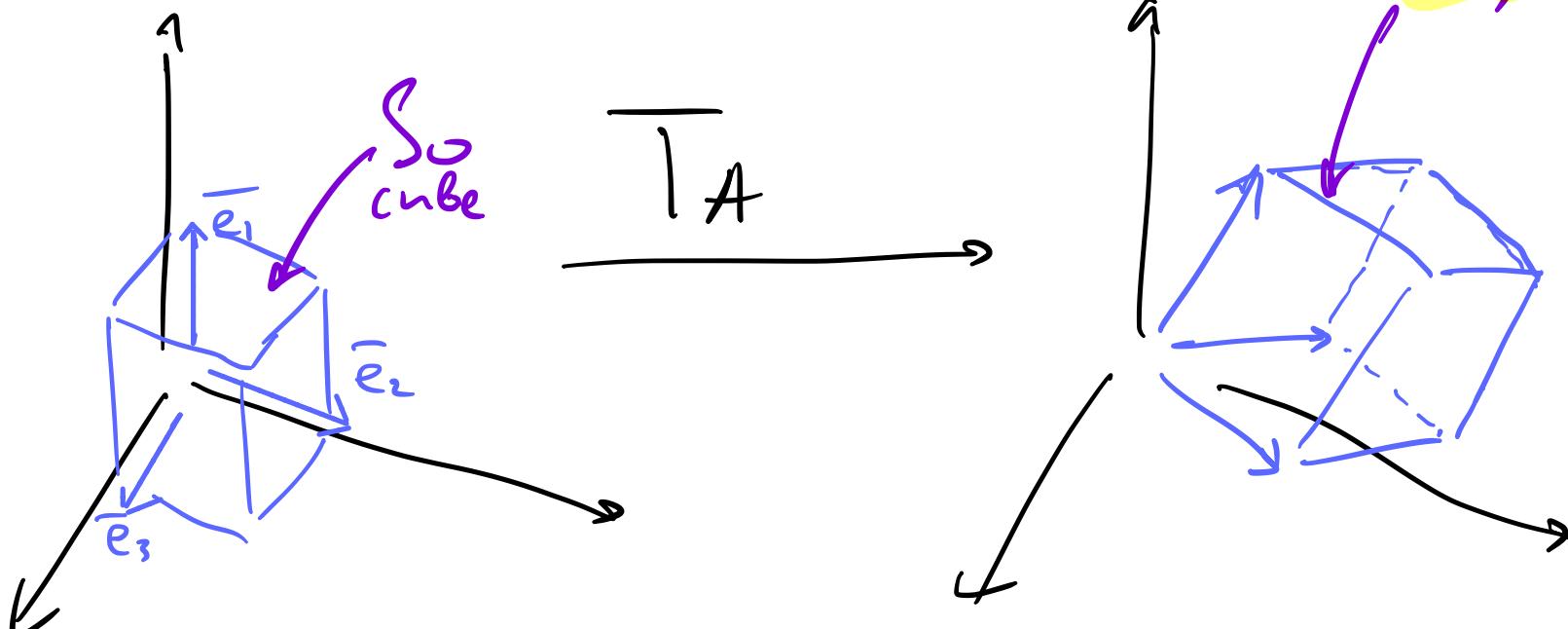
• A is 3×3

• $T_A: \mathbb{R}^3 \xrightarrow{\quad} \mathbb{R}^3$
 $x \mapsto A\bar{x}$

• Effect on standard basis

parallelepiped

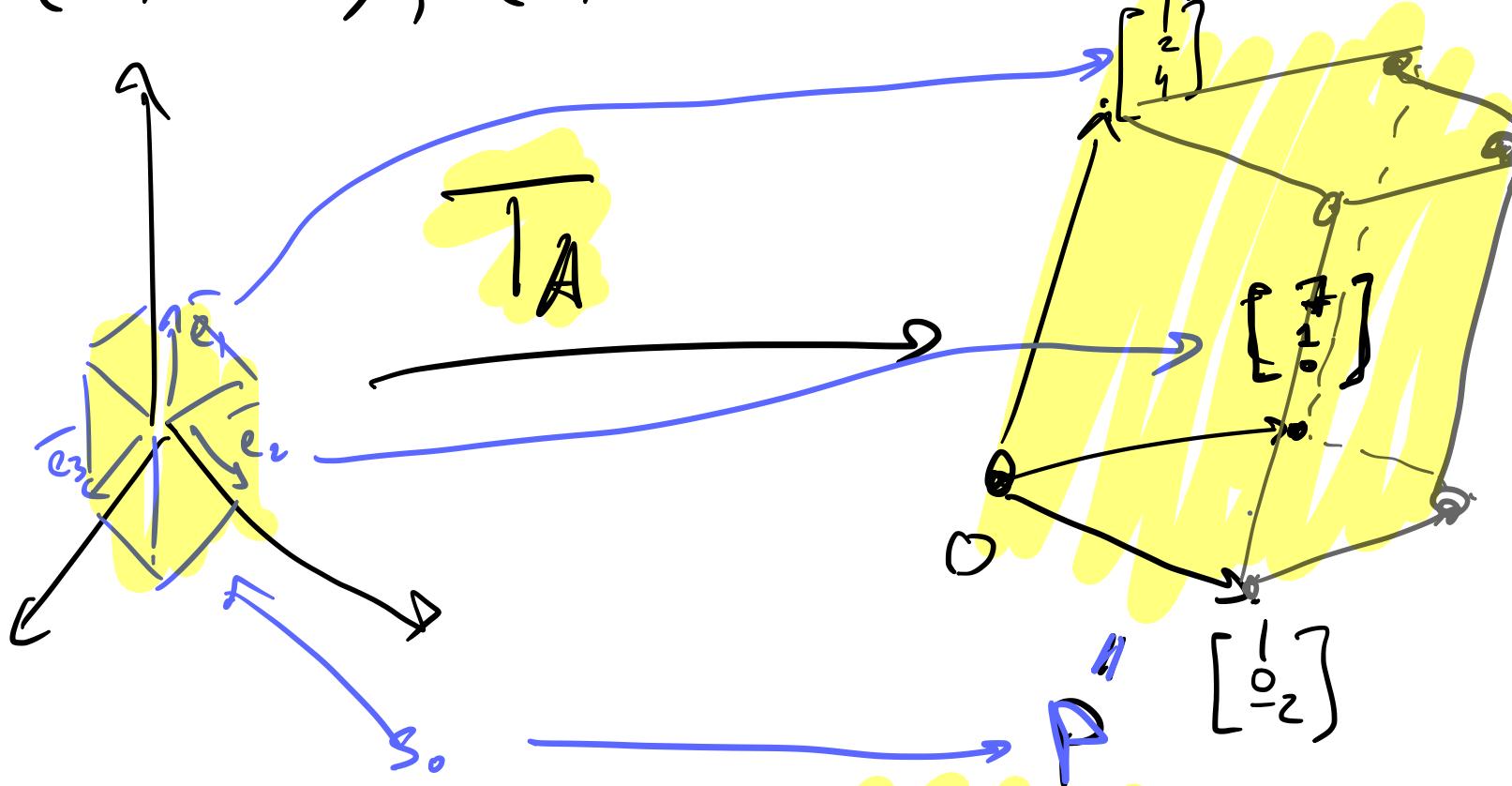
$T_A(S_0)$



Volume of $T(S_0) = |\det A|$

(see the textbook for the proofs)

Problem find the volume of the parallelepiped with one vertex at the origin and adjacent vertices at $(1, 0, -2)$, $(1, 2, 4)$ and $(2, 1, 0)$



$$P = T_A(S_0) \text{ for } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ T(e_1) & T(e_2) & T(e_3) \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\bar{e}_1 \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$ $\bar{e}_2 \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ $\bar{e}_3 \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$

(instead of area)

1x1 case

$$A = [z]$$

$$T: \mathbb{R} \xrightarrow{\bar{e}_1 \xrightarrow{\times z} \mathbb{R}}$$

$$T(\bar{e}_1) = z$$

length = z

$$\det(A)$$

Now

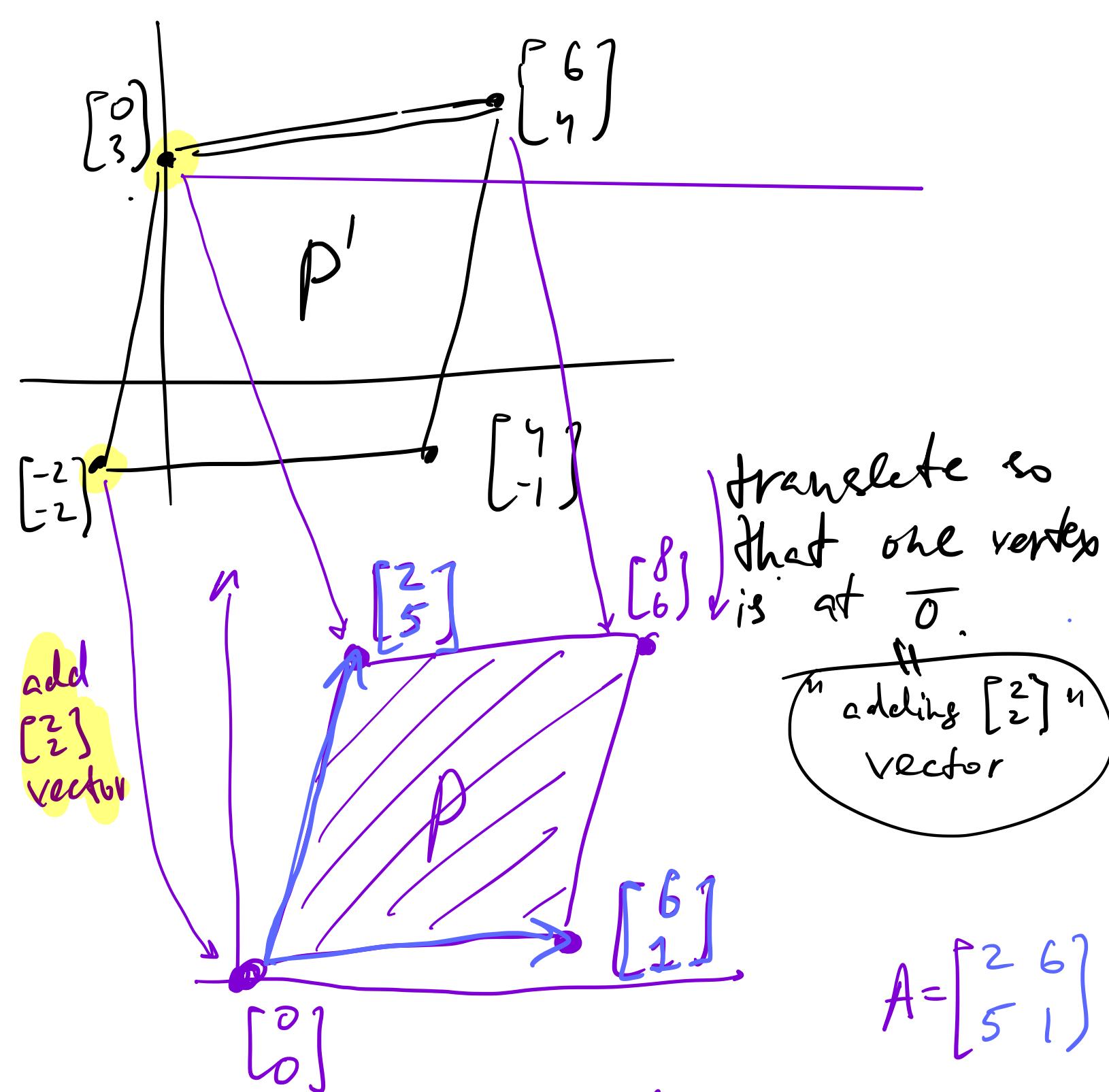
$$\text{Volume}(P) = |\det A| =$$

$$= \left| \det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \right| =$$

$$= \left| +1 \cdot \det \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} - \cancel{0 \cdot \det \begin{pmatrix} \cdot & \cdot \end{pmatrix}} - 2 \cdot \det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right|$$
$$= |-4 - 2 \cdot (1 - 14)| = |-4 + 26| = 22$$

Example 4 (see the book)

Calculate the area of the parallelogram P' determined by the points $(-2, -2), (0, 3), (4, -1), (6, 4)$

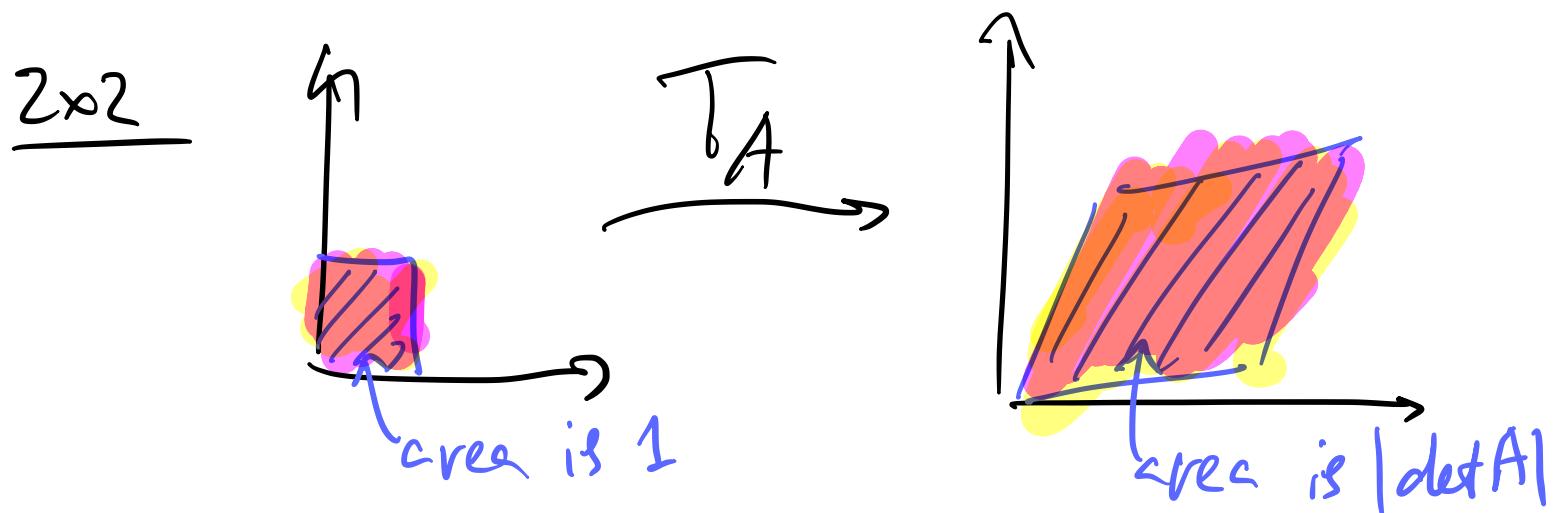


$$\text{Area}(P') = \text{Area}(P) = |\det A| =$$

$$= |\det \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 6 \\ 5 & 1 \end{pmatrix}| = 28$$

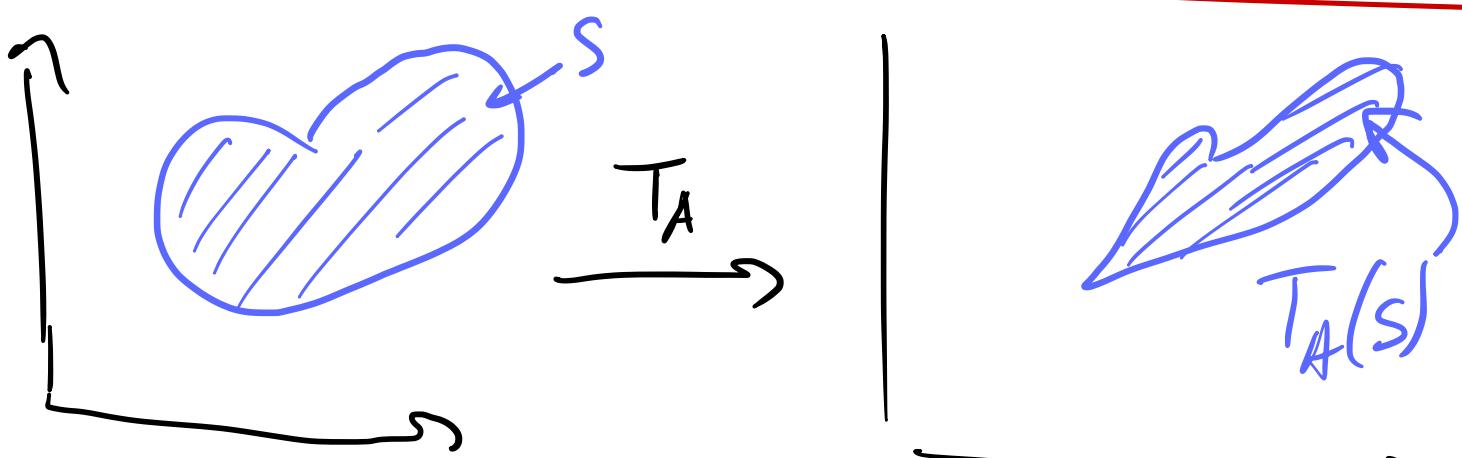
$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 6 \\ 5 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Remark $\det(A)$ is not an area/volume,
but rather a scaling factor



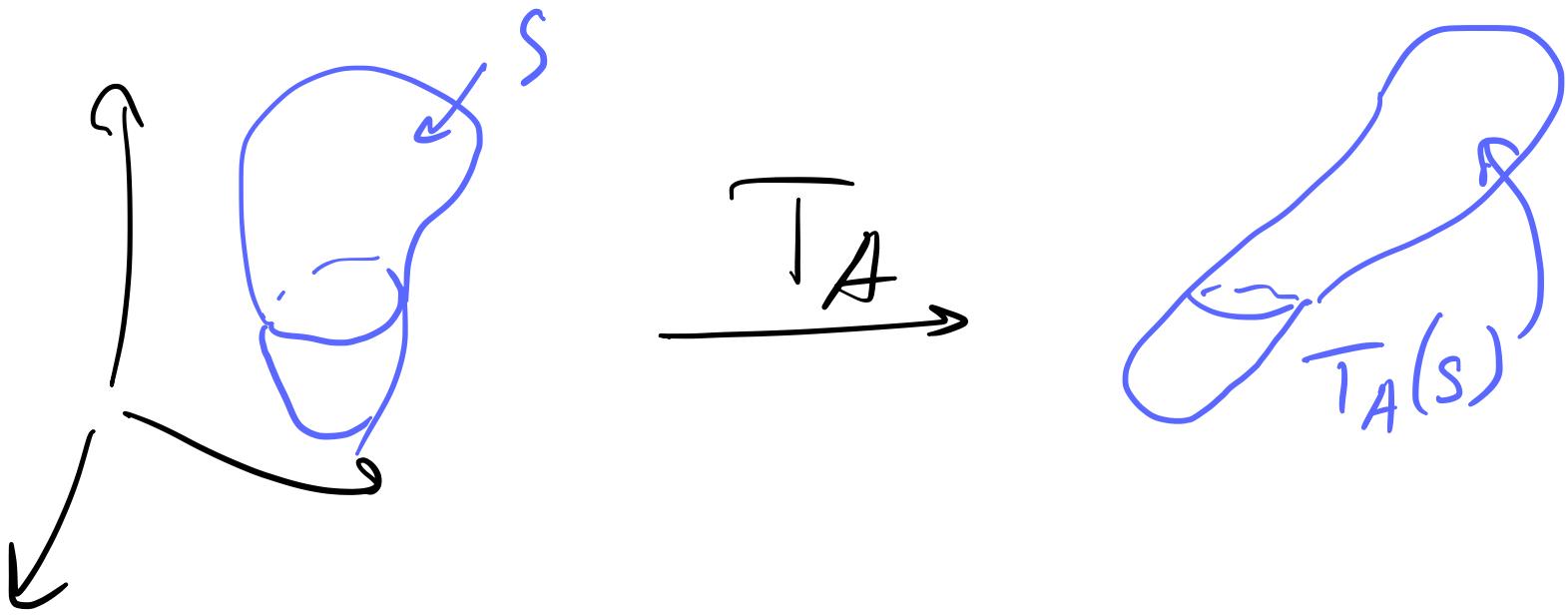
The area here is expanded (scaled) by $|\det A|$.

The same is true for all shapes



$$\text{Area}(T_A(S)) = |\det A| \times \text{Area}(S)$$

The same is true for 3×3



$$\text{Vol}(T_A(S)) = |\det(A)| \times \text{Vol}(S)$$

HW, 3.3 #30

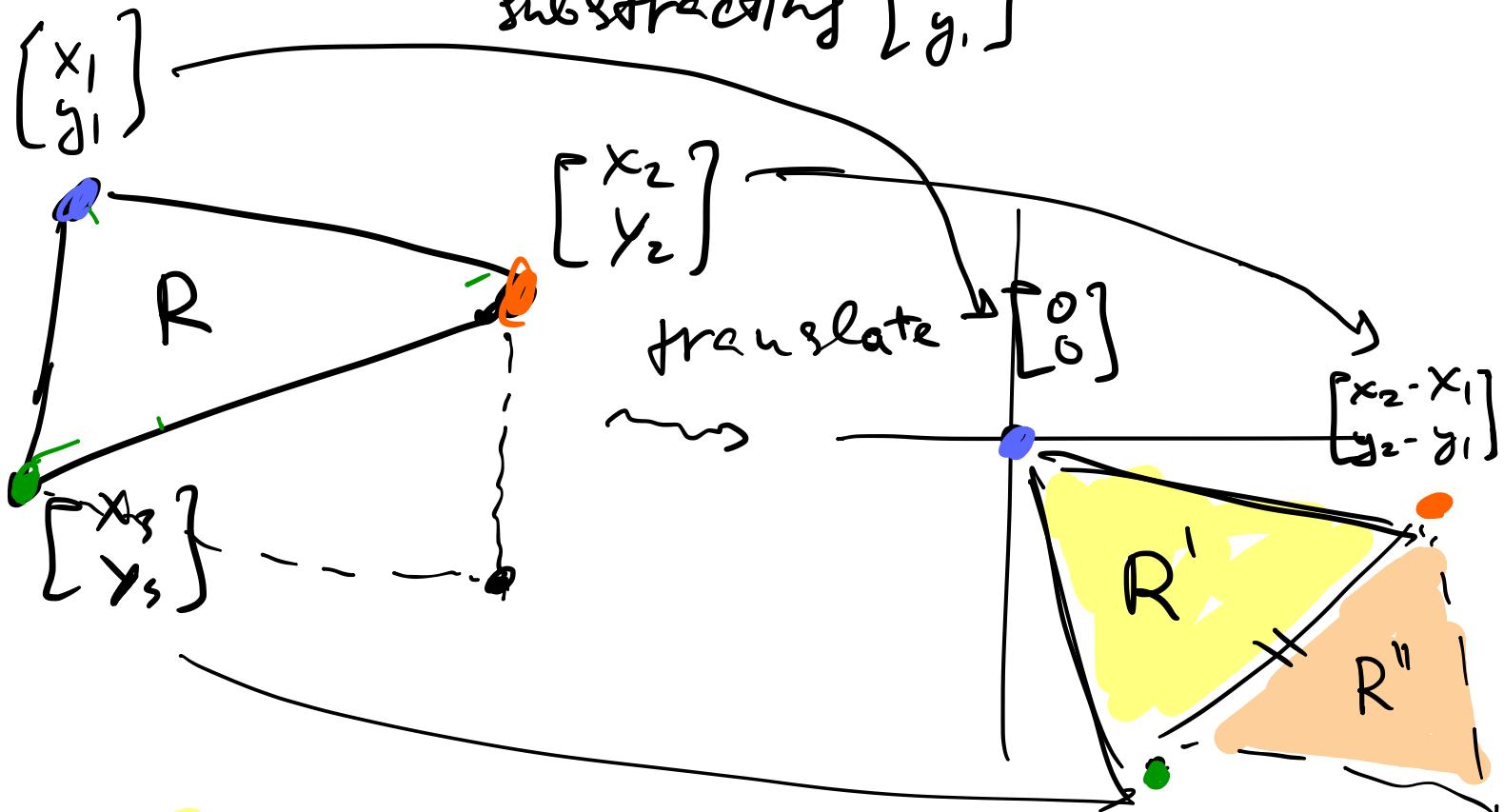
R = triangle with vertices

$(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2), (x_3, y_3)$

Show

$$\text{Area}(R) = \frac{1}{2} \left| \det \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & 1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & 1 \\ x_3 & y_3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right|$$

subtracting $\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix}$



$$\text{Area}(R) = \text{Area}(R') =$$

$$P \quad \begin{bmatrix} x_3 - x_1 \\ y_3 - y_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \text{Area}(P) = \frac{1}{2} \det \begin{vmatrix} x_2 - x_1 & x_3 - x_1 \\ y_2 - y_1 & y_3 - y_1 \end{vmatrix}$$

• we set

$$\hookrightarrow \text{Area}(R) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left| \det \begin{bmatrix} x_2 - x_1 & x_3 - x_1 \\ y_2 - y_1 & y_3 - y_1 \end{bmatrix} \right|$$

||

• we want

$$\hookrightarrow \text{Area}(R) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left| \det \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & 1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & 1 \\ x_3 & y_3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right|$$

• Thus, it remains to show

$$\left| \det \begin{bmatrix} x_2 - x_1 & x_3 - x_1 \\ y_2 - y_1 & y_3 - y_1 \end{bmatrix} \right| = \left| \det \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & 1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & 1 \\ x_3 & y_3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right|$$

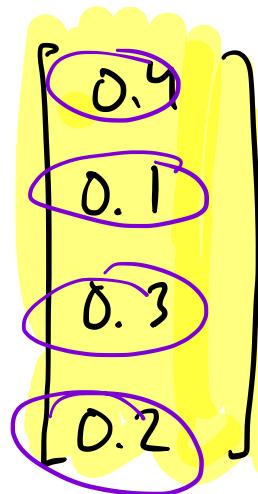
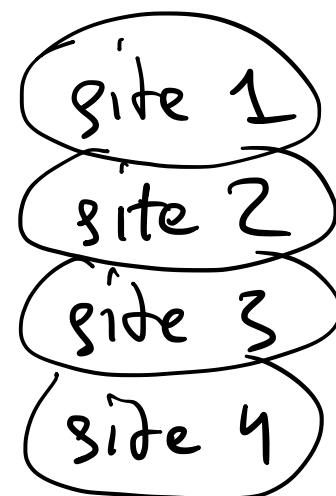
finish at home

4.3 Markov chains

Will be introducing them while going through important example.

Page Rank (Google's first algorithm)

Internet consists
of 4 websites \rightarrow



① We describe the current state of where people are by a state-vector $\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix}$, example here,

where $x_i =$ proportion of the population currently on website $i =$
 $=$ probability that a random person is on website i

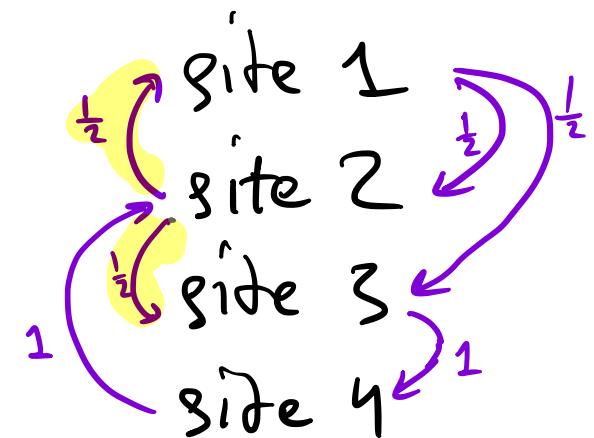
Initial state-vector is the state vector from which the process starts

Important sum of entries of the state vector should be equal to one

$$x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 1$$

- numbers = probability of clicking
- arrows = links

2 Now, mathematical model of people surfing the web is described by



Stochastic matrix P

Its i^{th} column represents probabilities of people on website i clicking the link to other websites

Ex. consider this model. The matrix is then

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} & \text{(from)} \\ & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ \text{(to)} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 & 1 & & \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

remark

sum of numbers in each column is 1

③ Thus we have

- the state, recorded by

a state-vector \bar{x}

- the change in state is

recorded by a stochastic matrix P

key relation

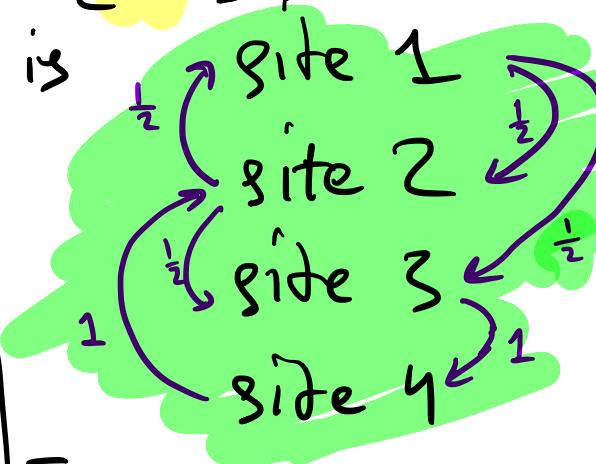
$$\text{state } \bar{x}_n \xrightarrow{\text{after a change}} P \cdot \bar{x}_n = \bar{x}_{n+1}$$

Ex. if initial state is
and website link graph is
then the next state
will be

$$\bar{x}_1 = P \cdot \bar{x}_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1/2 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1/2 & 1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 0.4 \\ 0.1 \\ 0.3 \\ 0.2 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0.05 \\ 0.4 \\ 0.25 \\ 0.3 \end{bmatrix}$$

multiplication of
matrix by a vector



④ Repeating this process, we get

$$\overline{x}_0 \quad \text{initial state}$$

$$\overline{x}_1 = P \cdot \overline{x}_0 \quad \text{after one click}$$

$$\overline{x}_2 = P \cdot \overline{x}_1 \quad \text{after two clicks}$$

⋮

This sequence is called

a Markov chain (probabilistic model !)

Having described the mathematical model for web surfing, we now pose the question:

Q. How to assign "popularity" = ranking metric for websites?

The answer is beautiful:

⑤ Critical property of Markov chain is that almost always the states \bar{X}_n converge to a unique steady-state vector

$$\bar{X}_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 0.4 \\ 0.1 \\ 0.3 \\ 0.2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \bar{X}_1 = P \cdot \bar{X}_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 0.05 \\ 0.4 \\ 0.25 \\ 0.3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \bar{X}_2 = P \cdot \bar{X}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0.2 \\ 0.325 \\ 0.225 \\ 0.25 \end{bmatrix}$$

Markov chain

$$\bar{X}_3 = \dots \quad \bar{X}_n = \dots$$

converge

$$\bar{q} =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} q_1 \\ q_2 \\ q_3 \\ q_4 \end{bmatrix}$$



(\bar{X}_n is very close to \bar{q} for large n)

Because people constantly click on links, we can assume in our model that n is large.

key idea

Therefore, the steady-state vector \bar{q} is a good approximation for how people are distributed between websites at any given moment.

In other words, the is $\bar{q} = \begin{bmatrix} q_1 \\ q_2 \\ q_3 \\ q_4 \end{bmatrix}$,

q_i should be the rank of website i

answer to the question!

⑥ how do we find the steady-state vector \bar{q} ?

It turns out that \bar{q} satisfies

$$P\bar{q} = \bar{q}$$

(that's why steady-state)

Ex. in our problem:

$$P\bar{q} = \bar{q}$$

lets try to solve for \bar{q}

$$P\bar{q} - \bar{q} = 0$$

$$(P - I)\bar{q} = 0$$

the usual linear system of equations!

This is the equation to solve, in order to find \bar{q}

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(P-I) \cdot \bar{q} = 0$$

$$(I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix})$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} -1 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

← augmented matrix

: } row-reduce

$$\left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{2}{3} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -\frac{4}{3} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \text{ rref}$$

free

$$x_i = q_i$$

solution

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 &= \frac{2}{3} x_4 \\ x_2 &= \frac{4}{3} x_4 \\ x_3 &= x_4 \\ x_4 &= x_4 \end{aligned} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{3} \\ \frac{4}{3} \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

So, to obtain the steady-state vector, we remember, that sum of entries should be 1!

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 &= \frac{2}{3} x_4 + \frac{4}{3} x_4 + x_4 + x_4 = \\ &= x_4 \left(\frac{2}{3} + \frac{4}{3} + 1 + 1 \right) = x_4 \cdot 4 = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow x_4 = \frac{1}{4}$, and steady state vector is

$$\bar{q} = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} P_{13} \\ P_{23} \\ P_{33} \\ P_{43} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{6} \\ \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{4} \end{bmatrix}$$

rankings
for our
four
websites!

Theorem • If P is a stochastic matrix describing a particular Markov chain, then, if P is regular, there exists a unique steady state vector \bar{q} . And \bar{q} can be found by solving $(P - I)\bar{q} = 0$ and remembering that sum of entries = 1

regular above means that for some $k \geq 1$ the matrix P^k has only strictly positive entries

HW read 4.3, especially examples! problems I will assign on canvas

Example (Markov chain)

Suppose stochastic matrix of Markov chain

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 & 1 \\ 0.5 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Q1 Is it regular? Yes

Q2 If yes, find the unique steady-state vector.

(Markov chain:

$$\overline{x_0}, \overline{x_1} = P\overline{x_0}, \overline{x_2} = P \cdot \overline{x_1}, \dots$$

sum of entries of all states is 1

Recall: P is called regular if some power P^k containing strictly positive entries.

$$P^1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 & 1 \\ 1/2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ not enough for regularity}$$

$$P^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 & 1 \\ 1/2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 & 1 \\ 1/2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3/4 & 1/2 \\ 1/4 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} \text{entries > 0} \\ \Rightarrow \text{regular!} \end{array}$$

(Example when 0 doesn't go away)

is $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & \frac{2}{3} \end{bmatrix} = P$. Every power

P^k will have a form $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & * \\ 0 & * \end{bmatrix}$

example of a not regular matrix

Now, to find steady-state vector for P , we want to solve

$$P \cdot \bar{q} = \bar{q}$$

$$P \cdot \bar{q} - \bar{q} = \bar{0}$$

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

the equation
to solve
for \bar{q}

$$(P - I) \cdot \bar{q} = \bar{0}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} & 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} & -1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} q_1 \\ q_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

augmented matrix

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} -\frac{1}{2} & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & -2 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\text{swap}} \text{swap}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -2 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

free
 q_2

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \begin{cases} q_1 = 2q_2 \\ q_2 = q_2 \end{cases}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \bar{q} = q_2 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

But the sum of entries = 1, so

$$q_1 + q_2 = 2q_2 + q_2 = 3q_2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow q_2 = \frac{1}{3}$$

\textcircled{3}

$$\bar{q} = q_2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2/3 \\ 1/3 \end{bmatrix}$$

steady-state vector

Recap To calculate steady-state vector:

- ① Solve $(P - I) \cdot \bar{q} = 0$ for \bar{q}
 - ② write in parametric vector form
 - ③ Require sum entries to be 1
-

Read 4.9!

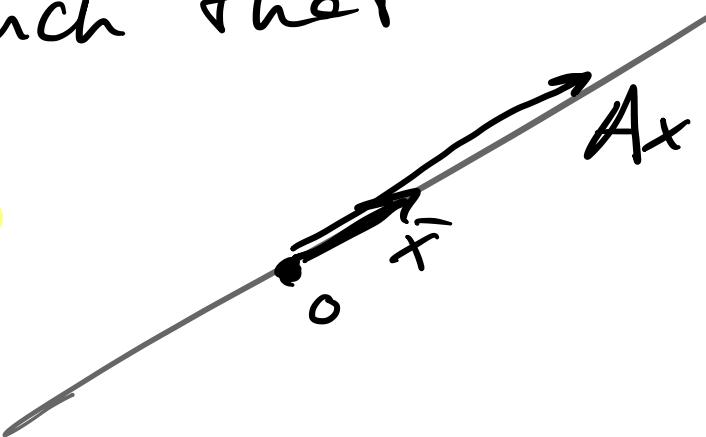
5.1 Eigenvalues & eigenvectors

Given a Square $n \times n$ matrix A ,

an eigenvector is a non-zero

vector \bar{x} in \mathbb{R}^n , such that

$$A\bar{x} = \lambda \cdot \bar{x}$$



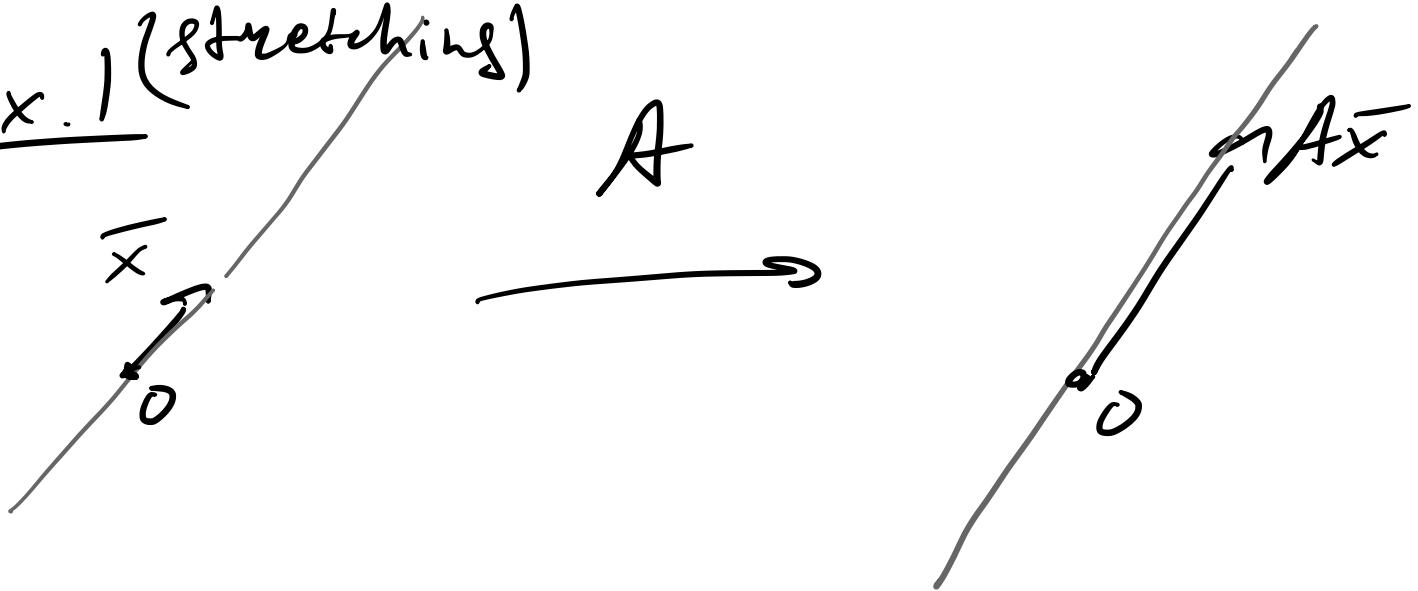
for a scalar λ → a real number

eigenvalue of A , and

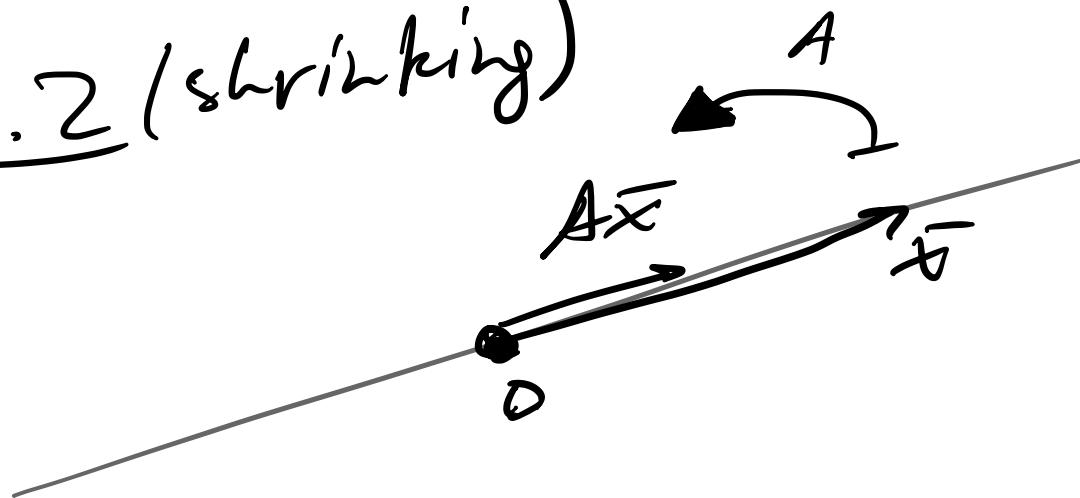
\bar{x} is called an eigenvector
corresponding to the eigenvalue λ

Intuitively, eigenvector is a vector
that is "stretched" or "shrunk" by
linear transformation A .

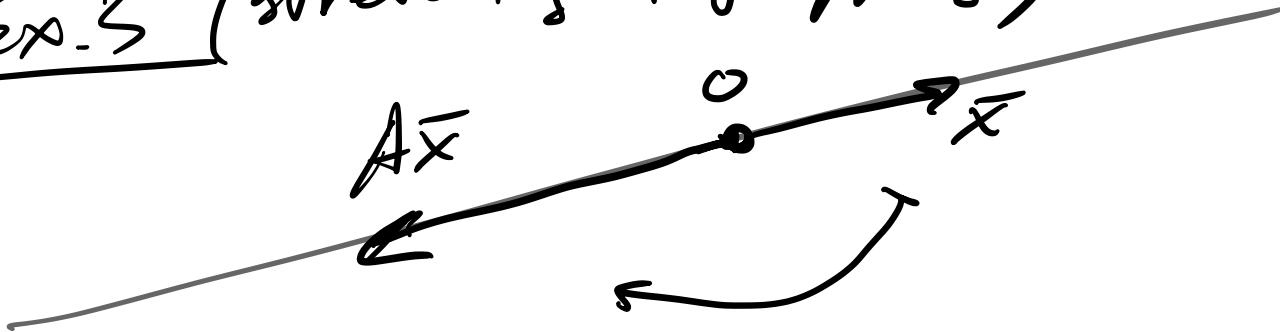
Ex. 1 (stretching)



Ex. 2 (shrinking)



Ex. 3 (stretching + flipping)



Point image of \bar{x} under A ($= A \cdot \bar{x}$)
is a multiple of \bar{x} .
That multiple is λ

Read S.1 in the book, because
it is an important section

Problem

① Given $n \times n$ matrix A
find all the eigenvalues (λ_i)
of A (section 5.2)

② For each of these eigenvalues,
find one (or all) eigenvectors
corresponding to it (section 5.1)

Example 2 (from the book)

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 6 \\ 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \bar{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix}, \bar{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Are \bar{u} & \bar{v} eigenvectors of A ?

$$A\bar{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 6 \\ 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -24 \\ 20 \end{bmatrix}$$

is it a multiple of $\bar{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix}$?

Yes!

$$A\bar{u} = \begin{bmatrix} -24 \\ 20 \end{bmatrix} = -4 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix} = -4 \cdot \bar{u}$$

$$A\bar{u} = -4 \bar{u}$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} \frac{-24}{6} = -4 \\ \frac{20}{-5} = -4 \end{array} \right)$$

$\Rightarrow \bar{u}$ is eigenvector with eigenvalue -4 .

for \bar{v} :

$$A \cdot \bar{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 6 \\ 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -9 \\ 11 \end{bmatrix}$$

Q. Is this a multiple of $\bar{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$?

No! There is no λ such that

$$\begin{bmatrix} -9 \\ 11 \end{bmatrix} = A \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

and so \bar{v} is not an eigenvector for A .

Every eigenvector has eigenvalue λ

Every eigenvalue λ has many eigenvectors
next time: clarify.

Before next time:

repeat subspace
basis

Recall ① given $n \times n$ matrix A ,

to find out if a vector \bar{v} is
an eigenvector, check

$$A \cdot \bar{v} = \lambda \cdot \bar{v}$$

see Ex. 2
in the book

If yes, λ is called eigenvalue.

See prev. lecture for an example.

Now, second type of basic problems:

② to find out if λ
is an eigenvalue of
matrix A , solve $\underline{A \bar{x} = \lambda \cdot \bar{x}}$
for \bar{x}

Example 3 from the book

Show that $\lambda = 7$ is an eigenvalue of matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 6 \\ 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$. Find also the corresponding eigenvectors.

Want: solve $A\bar{x} = \lambda \cdot \bar{x}$ for \bar{x}

\uparrow eigenvector \uparrow eigenvalue $\bar{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned} A - 7I_2 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 6 \\ 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -6 & 6 \\ 5 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

solve using
augmented
matrix

$$\begin{aligned} A\bar{x} - 7\bar{x} &= 0 \\ (A - 7 \cdot I_2) \cdot \bar{x} &= 0 \quad \text{when } \bar{x} \text{ is taken out, this appears} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -6 & 6 \\ 5 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -6 & 6 & | & 0 \\ 5 & -5 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

2 row-reduce

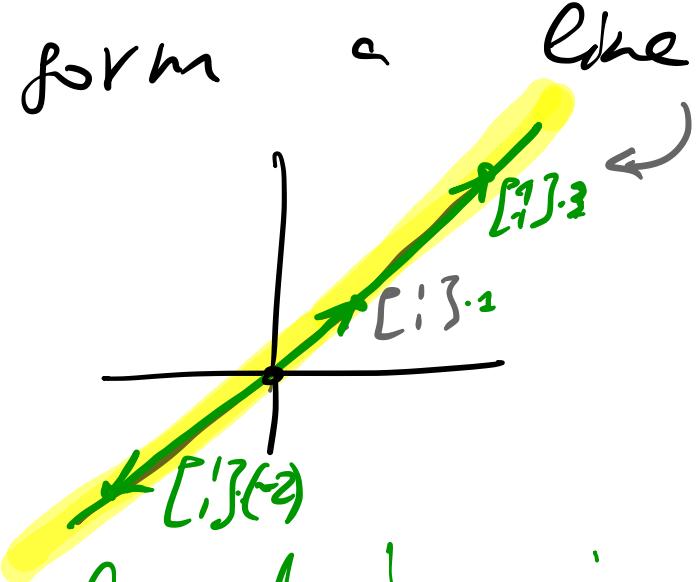
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} (\star)$$

$$\begin{cases} x_1 - x_2 = 0 \\ x_2 \text{ free} \end{cases} \rightarrow \downarrow \text{param. vect. form}$$

$$\bar{x} = x_2 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

So, 7 is an eigenvalue for
 $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 6 \\ 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

and the corresponding eigenvectors
form a line



$$\bar{x} = x_2 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

x_2 is arbitrary

Conclusion in this example we
had a line worth of eigenvectors
corresponding to eigenvalue $\lambda=7$ of $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 6 \\ 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$.

(*) if there we have a contradiction,
then 7 wouldn't be an eigenvalue.

Fact given an eigenvalue λ for
matrix A , we have:
 \uparrow
($n \times n$ matrix)

{ eigenvectors
corresponding to eigenvalue λ of A }

II By definition

{ all solutions to equation
 $A\bar{x} = \lambda\bar{x}$

{
 $\text{Nul}(A - \lambda I)$ } II

see
5.1
this equation is
equivalent to $(A - \lambda I) \cdot \bar{x} = 0$

this set always forms a subspace

Definition given a scalar λ ,
the space of R^n
(number)

the eigenspace corresponding to
 λ is the space of all vectors
 \bar{x} satisfying $A\bar{x} = \lambda\bar{x}$

The λ -eigenspace of A is
equal to null space of $A - \lambda I$

Example of problems

- ① Find a basis of the 1-eigenspace.
- ② Find the dimension of the 1-eigenspace.
(# of "vectors in a basis")

Example 4 from the book

Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 & 6 \\ 2 & 1 & 6 \\ 2 & -1 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$.

An eigenvalue of A is 2.

Find a basis for the corresponding eigenspace.

eigenspace corresp. to 2 =

$$= \text{Nul}(A - 2 \cdot I_3) =$$

$$= \text{Nul}\left(\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 6 \\ 2 & -1 & 6 \\ 2 & -1 & 6 \end{bmatrix}\right)$$

To find basis of Null space
one needs to write solution in
param. vector form:

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & -1 & 6 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 6 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 6 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

} row-reduce

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -\frac{1}{2} & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

free free

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} x_1 - \frac{1}{2}x_2 + 3x_3 = 0 \\ x_2 \text{ free} \\ x_3 \text{ free} \end{array} \right. \rightsquigarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x_1 = \frac{1}{2}x_2 - 3x_3 \\ x_2 = x_2 \text{ free} \\ x_3 = x_3 \text{ free} \end{array} \right.$$

param. vector form: $\bar{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = x_2 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

The vectors above form a
(yellow)
basis of null space

$$\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\} \text{ basis of } \text{Null}(A-2I)$$

remark dimension = 2. eigenspace of A
corresponding to $\lambda=2$

answer

Theorem If $\overline{x_1}, \dots, \overline{x_r}$ are
eigen vectors corresponding to
distinct eigenvalues $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_r$,

then the set $\{\overline{x_1}, \dots, \overline{x_r}\}$ is
linearly independent

Problem (Exercise 29 in 5.1)

Explain why $n \times n$ matrix can have at most n distinct eigenvalues.

↑ HW: think about this,
use the previous theorem.

If we have a matrix A ,
how do we find all of its
eigenvalues? (Before λ was given to us)

Section 5.2

The characteristic equation

" λ is an eigenvalue of A "

By definition

\Leftrightarrow " $A\bar{x} = \lambda\bar{x}$ has a non-zero solution in \bar{x} "

move $\lambda\bar{x}$ to the left

\Leftrightarrow " $A\bar{x} - \lambda\bar{x} = 0$ has a non-zero solution"

factor out vector \bar{x}

\Leftrightarrow " $(A - \lambda \cdot I_n) \cdot \bar{x} = 0$ has a non-zero sol."

\Leftrightarrow " $(A - \lambda I_n)$ is not invertible"

\Leftrightarrow " $\det(A - \lambda I_n) = 0$ "

To find all the eigenvalues of $n \times n$ matrix A ,

Solve for λ the equation

$$\det(A - \lambda \cdot I_n) = 0$$

Example 1 from the book

Find the eigenvalues of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$

Using, we compute:

$$\bullet A - \lambda \cdot I_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & -6 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda \end{bmatrix} =$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2-\lambda & 3 \\ 3 & -6-\lambda \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bullet \det(A - \lambda I_2) = (2-\lambda)(-6-\lambda) - 3 \cdot 3 =$$
$$= (\lambda-2)(6+\lambda) - 9 = \lambda^2 + 4\lambda - 12 - 9 =$$
$$= \lambda^2 + 4\lambda - 21$$

Now, to find eigenvalues, we solve

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

$$\lambda^2 + 4\lambda - 21 = 0$$

$$(\lambda + 7)(\lambda - 3) = 0$$

$$\lambda = 3 \quad \text{or} \quad \lambda = -7$$

two eigenvalues of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$

As the last example shows,
if A is $n \times n$, then

$\det(A - \lambda I)$ is a polynomial
in λ of degree n

This is called the characteristic
polynomial of matrix A .

The equation we are solving to find eigenvalues:

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

characteristic polynomial

is called the characteristic equation of matrix A

To find eigenvalues,

- ① Compute the characteristic polynomial $p(\lambda) = \det(A - \lambda \cdot I_n)$
- ② Solve $p(\lambda) = 0$ for λ .
- (B do step ② or factorize $p(\lambda)$ into products of $(\lambda - ?)$)

Example $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 6 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

① $p(\lambda) = \det(A - \lambda \cdot I_2) = \det\begin{pmatrix} 2-\lambda & 0 \\ 6 & 2-\lambda \end{pmatrix} = (2-\lambda)^2 - 0 = (2-\lambda)^2$

② $(2-\lambda)^2 = 0 \rightsquigarrow \lambda = 2$ (only eigenvalue)
multiplicity of $\lambda=2$.

Each root of characteristic equation $p(\lambda)=0$ has a multiplicity, which is the power of the corresponding linear term.

Thus for $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 6 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ we have one eigenvalue $\lambda=2$ of multiplicity 2

Remark multiplicity 2 can be thought of as there are two eigenvalues, but both equal to 2.

multiplicity \geq dimension of Eigenspace

Example

Suppose 4×4 matrix

has characteristic polynomial

$$P(\lambda) = \lambda^4 - 3\lambda^3 + 2\lambda^2 = \text{Eigenvalues?}$$

Multiplicities?

$$= \lambda^2 (\lambda^2 - 3\lambda + 2) =$$

$$= \lambda^2 (\lambda - ?)(\lambda - ?) =$$

$$= (\lambda - 0)^{\textcircled{2}} (\lambda - 1)^{\textcircled{1}} (\lambda - 2)^{\textcircled{1}}$$

So we get Eigenvalues

<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>
<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>

(see also Ex. 4 from the book)

Example 3 from the Book

Find the characteristic equation

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

Find also eigenvalues & multiplicities.

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

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = (5-\lambda)(3-\lambda)(5-\lambda)(1-\lambda)$$

Eigenvalues	Multiplicities
5	2
3	1
1	1

For any upper triangular matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & * & * & \dots & * \\ 0 & a_{22} & * & & \\ 0 & 0 & a_{33} & * & \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & * \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & a_{nn} & \end{bmatrix}$$

we obtain that $A - \lambda I = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} - \lambda & * & * & \dots & * \\ 0 & a_{22} - \lambda & * & & \\ 0 & 0 & a_{33} - \lambda & * & \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & * \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & a_{nn} - \lambda & \end{bmatrix}$

$$\rho(\lambda) = \det(A - \lambda I) = (a_{11} - \lambda) \cdot (a_{22} - \lambda) \cdots (a_{nn} - \lambda)$$

eigenvalues = } solutions to $\rho(\lambda) = 0$ {

$$\lambda = a_{11}, \lambda = a_{22}, \dots, \lambda = a_{nn}$$

Thus for triangular (both upper)
(and lower) matrices

- ① eigenvalues = diagonal entries
- ② multiplicities = # times those entries appear in the diagonal

We know the basics now:

given $n \times n$ matrix A , we can

1) find its eigenvalues λ_i

(by solving $p(\lambda) = 0$)

$$(\det''(A - \lambda I))$$

2) given an eigenvalue λ_i of A ,

we know how to find a

basis for the corresponding

λ_i -eigenspace (by finding a basis for
 $\text{Null}(A - \lambda_i I)$)

5.2

5.1

5.3 Given two $n \times n$ matrices A, B ,
we say that A is similar to B
if there exists some invertible $n \times n$
matrix P such that

$$P^{-1} A P = B$$

(or, equivalently,
 $A = P B P^{-1}$)

In short

$$P^{-1} \cdot A \cdot P = B$$

invertible

$\Rightarrow A$ similar to B

Remark $P^{-1} \cdot A \cdot P \neq A \cdot P^{-1} \cdot P = A$

because matrices do not commute.

Remark If " A similar to B "

$$\overset{\text{I}}{\Updownarrow} P^{-1} \cdot A \cdot P = B$$

$\overset{\text{II}}{\Updownarrow}$ (By multiplying by P from left and by P^{-1} from the right)

$$A = P \cdot B \cdot P^{-1}$$

$$\overset{\text{III}}{\Updownarrow} P^{-1} = Q$$

$$A = Q^{-1} \cdot B \cdot Q$$

$\overset{\text{IV}}{\Updownarrow}$

B is similar to A

Therefore

" A similar to B "

\Downarrow

" B similar to A "

$$Q = P^{-1}$$

- Theorem If A and B are similar, then they have the same characteristic polynomial.
 - we will use similarity for:
 - (1) diagonalization (5.3)
 - (2) change of basis (5.9)
-

5.3 Diagonalization

D in this section will always be a diagonal matrix $\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & & & & \\ & a_{22} & & & \\ & & \ddots & & \\ & & & a_{nn} & \end{bmatrix}$

Given $n \times n$ matrix A , a diagonalization of A is a factorization of the form:

$$A = P D P^{-1}$$

invertible
matrix diagonal matrix

In other words, diagonalization is the same as writing A as similar to a diagonal matrix.

Warning diagonalization may or may not exist!

Typical problem and application :

① find a diagonalization of A *later*

② Using the diagonalization, find a *now* formula for the powers of A ($A^k = ?$)

We first address ②.

If $D = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & & \\ & a_{22} & \\ & & \ddots \\ & & & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$, then

$D^2 = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}^2 & & \\ & a_{22}^2 & \\ & & \ddots \\ & & & a_{nn}^2 \end{bmatrix}$, $D^3 = \dots$, and in general

$$D^k = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}^k & & \\ & a_{22}^k & \\ & & \ddots \\ & & & a_{nn}^k \end{bmatrix}$$

If $A = PDP^{-1}$ ($\Leftrightarrow A$ is diagonalized),

then $A^k = \underbrace{(PDP^{-1}) \cdot (PDP^{-1}) \cdot \dots \cdot (PDP^{-1})}_{(k \text{ times})} =$

$$= PDP^{-1} \cdot PDP^{-1} \cdot PDP^{-1} \cdot \dots \cdot PDP^{-1} =$$

$$= P \cdot \underbrace{D \cdot D \cdot \dots \cdot D}_{k \text{ times}} \cdot P^{-1} = \boxed{P \cdot D^k P^{-1}}$$

much easier
to compute than A^k

Example 2 from the book

$A = \begin{bmatrix} ? & 2 \\ -4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, and it is diagonalized

for us

$$A = PDP^{-1}, \quad P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

given for us
right now

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find a formula for A^k .

$$A = PDP^{-1} \xrightarrow{\substack{\text{(explained)} \\ \text{before}}} A^k = P \cdot D^k \cdot P^{-1}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 5^k & 0 \\ 0 & 3^k \end{bmatrix} \cdot P^{-1}$$

$$P^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det P} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{-1} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\xrightarrow{\text{adjugate}}$

(another way to do it)

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & -2 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow[\mathbf{T}_P]{\mathbf{I}_2} \xrightarrow{\text{rref}} \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{P^{-1}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 A^k &= P \cdot D^k \cdot P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 5^k & 0 \\ 0 & 3^k \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} 5^k & 3^k \\ -5^k & (-2) \cdot 3^k \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \\
 &= \boxed{\begin{bmatrix} (2 \cdot 5^k - 3^k) & (5^k - 3^k) \\ (-2 \cdot 5^k + 2 \cdot 3^k) & (-5^k + 2 \cdot 3^k) \end{bmatrix}}
 \end{aligned}$$

formula for A^k

$$(A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix})$$

We now start with the problem ① how do we find diagonalization of A ?

Given $n \times n$ matrix A , an eigenvector basis is a collection of n linearly independent eigenvectors $\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_n$.

(Because we have n vectors in \mathbb{R}^n ,
the form a basis of \mathbb{R}^n)

Main Point

Finding a diagonalization is the same thing as finding an eigenvector basis

also understand 5.1 & 5.2 !

go back and recall those things!

5.3 Given $n \times n$ matrix A

- eigenvector basis is a basis $\{\bar{v}_1, \dots, \bar{v}_n\}$ of \mathbb{R}^n such that each \bar{v}_i is an eigenvector, meaning

$$A \cdot \bar{v}_i = \lambda_i \bar{v}_i$$

- diagonalization of A is a factorization

$$A = P D P^{-1}$$

invertible diagonal

key point

finding diagonalization
 $A = P D P^{-1}$

finding an eigenvector basis for A

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & & \\ & \lambda_2 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{v_1} & \cdots & \frac{1}{v_n} \\ | & \cdots & | \\ 1 & \cdots & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

eigenvector basis

$$\{\bar{v}_1, \dots, \bar{v}_n\}$$

$$\underbrace{\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n}_{\text{eigenvalues}}$$

in words: columns of P are the eigenvectors

- entries on the diagonal of D are the eigenvalues

Reason for suppose $A = PDP^{-1}$, where
 $P = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & \\ 0 & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}$, $P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & \\ \frac{1}{\nu_1} & \cdots & \frac{1}{\nu_n} \\ & & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Then $\bar{P}\bar{e}_1 = \bar{\nu}_1$, $\bar{P}\bar{e}_2 = \bar{\nu}_2$, ..., $\bar{P}\bar{e}_n = \bar{\nu}_n$

Therefore

$$A \cdot \bar{\nu}_i = A \cdot P \cdot \bar{e}_i$$

(want $= \lambda_i \cdot \bar{\nu}_i$)

$$= P D P^{-1} \underbrace{P}_{I_n} \bar{e}_i$$

$$= P D \cdot \bar{e}_i$$

$$= P \cdot \overbrace{\lambda_i \cdot \bar{e}_i}^{\parallel}$$

$$= \lambda_i \cdot \cancel{P \cdot e_i}$$

$$= \lambda_i \cdot \bar{\nu}_i$$

Thus

$$A \bar{\nu}_i = \lambda_i \cdot \bar{\nu}_i,$$

and so

$\bar{\nu}_i$ is an eigenvector

Task learn how to find eigenvector basis using 5.1 & 5.2 techniques
And then use that basis to find diagonalization.

Example 3 from the Book

Diagonalize matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 3 \\ -3 & 5 & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Overview of the process

- ① Find eigenvalues (5.2)
- ② Find a basis for each eigenspace (5.1)
- ③ Put bases from ② together to form an eigenvector basis, and use that to find $A = PDP^{-1}$

$$\textcircled{1} \cdot A - \lambda I = \begin{bmatrix} 1-\lambda & 3 & 3 \\ -3 & -5-\lambda & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 1-\lambda \end{bmatrix}$$

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

characteristic
polynomial

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$$(1-\lambda) \cdot \det \begin{pmatrix} -5-\lambda & -3 \\ 3 & 1-\lambda \end{pmatrix}$$

$$-3 \cdot \det \begin{pmatrix} -3 & -3 \\ 3 & 1-\lambda \end{pmatrix}$$

$$+ 3 \cdot \det \begin{pmatrix} -3 & -5-\lambda \\ 3 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$- \lambda^3 - 3\lambda^2 + 4$$

$$p(\lambda) = 0$$

$$-\lambda^3 - 3\lambda^2 + 4 = 0$$

$$-(\lambda^3 + 3\lambda^2 - 4) = 0$$

idea for guessing
roots of
cubic polynomials
when $a\lambda^3$
leading coefficient = 1

take the last term -4 ,
and try its divisors $\lambda = 1, -1, 2, -2$

let's check $\lambda = 1$: $1^3 + 3 \cdot 1^2 - 4 = 0$ ✓

so $\lambda = 1$ is a root

$$(\lambda - 1)(\lambda^2 + 4\lambda + 4) = (\lambda^3 + 3\lambda^2 - 4)$$

↑ guess

$$(\lambda - 1)(\lambda + 2)(\lambda + 2) = \lambda^3 + 3\lambda^2 - 4$$

and so we have

eigenvalues	multiplicities
1	1
-2	2

Step ② (finding bases of eigenspaces)

• for $\lambda = 1$ the eigenspace is

$$\text{Nul}(A - 1 \cdot I) \leftarrow \begin{matrix} \text{Space of} \\ \text{solutions} \end{matrix}$$

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$$(A - 1 \cdot I)x = 0$$

$$\text{Nul} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & 3 \\ -3 & -6 & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 3 & 3 & 0 \\ -3 & -6 & -3 & 0 \\ 3 & 3 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{matrix} \text{Augm.} \\ \text{matrix} \end{matrix}$$

: } row-reduce

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} x_1 - x_3 = 0 \\ x_2 + x_3 = 0 \\ x_3 \text{ free} \end{array} \right. \rightsquigarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x_1 = x_3 \\ x_2 = -x_3 \\ x_3 = x_3 \text{ (free)} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\rightsquigarrow \bar{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = x_3 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

parametric vector form

the vector forms the basis of $\text{Nul}(A - I)$

- for $\lambda = -2$ we have

$$\text{Nul}(A - (-2) \cdot I)$$

$$\text{Nul} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 3 & 3 \\ -3 & -3 & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 3 & 3 & 3 & 0 \\ -3 & -3 & -3 & 0 \\ 3 & 3 & 3 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

: } row-reduce

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 0 \\ x_2 \text{ free} \\ x_3 \text{ free} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x_1 = -x_2 - x_3 \\ x_2 = x_2 \text{ free} \\ x_3 = x_3 \text{ free} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\bar{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

param. vector form

two vectors in
a basis!

Step ③ Put eigenvectors together:

$$\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

rank
here
vectors
are always
lin. indep.

$$\lambda = 1$$

$$\lambda = -2$$

$$\lambda = -2$$

we have 3 vectors in \mathbb{R}^3 , and they
are lin. independent \Rightarrow we
have an eigenvector basis for A
 $(A \cdot \vec{v}_i = \lambda_i \cdot \vec{v}_i)$

Now, to find diagonalization $A = PDP^{-1}$,
we take $P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ \vec{v}_1 & \vec{v}_2 & \vec{v}_3 \end{bmatrix}$, $D = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda_3 \end{bmatrix}$

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

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 3 \\ -3 & -5 & -3 \\ -3 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot P^{-1}$$

Important if here we obtain less than 3
vectors (not enough for a basis in \mathbb{R}^3),

then the answer is

"A is not diagonalizable"

Recall we are studying the problem of diagonalizing matrix A

(appearing according to multiplicities)

overview of the process

- ① Find eigenvalues $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n$ (5.2)
 - ② Find a basis for each eigenspace (5.1)
 - ③ Put bases from (2) together $\{V_1, \dots, V_n\}$ to form an eigenvector basis, \uparrow and use that to find $A = PDP^{-1}$
 - ④ if here there is less than n vectors, then diagonalization does not exist.
- $$P = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | \\ V_1 & \dots & V_n \end{bmatrix}, D = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & & \\ & \ddots & & 0 \\ & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}$$

More on step ③

example $\lambda_1 = 3 \rightarrow \{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2\}$
 $\lambda_2 = 2 \rightarrow \{\vec{v}_3\}$
 $P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \end{bmatrix}$ or $P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \end{bmatrix}$ and $D = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

given $n \times n$ matrix A with eigenvalues $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_p$

Eigen spaces

λ_1 -eigenspace

λ_2 -eigenspace

\vdots
 λ_p -eigenspace

Bases for eigen spaces

$B_1 (= \{\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_k\})$

basis of λ_1 -eigenspace

B_2 (\in set)

B_p (\in set)

We have seen earlier that

the union $B_1 \cup B_2 \cup \dots \cup B_p$
is always linearly independent

Therefore, we have

A is diagonalizable

\Leftrightarrow the set $B_1 \cup B_2 \cup \dots \cup B_p$

has n elements (so that it is basis of \mathbb{R}^n)

Example 4 from the book

Diagonalize if possible

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 3 \\ -4 & -6 & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} ① p(\lambda) &= \det(A - \lambda I) = \\ &= \det \begin{pmatrix} 2-\lambda & 4 & 3 \\ -4 & -6-\lambda & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 1-\lambda \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

= ...

$$= -(\lambda - 1) \cdot (\lambda + 2)^2. \text{ Thus eigenvalues:}$$

$\lambda = 1$ multiplicity 1

$\lambda = -2$ multiplicity 2

② $\lambda = 1$ eigenspace:

$$\text{Nul} [A - 1 \cdot I] = \text{Nul} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 3 \\ -4 & -7 & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

... augmented matrix & parametric vector form

serves a basis

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \text{ for } \beta,$$

$\lambda = -2$ eigenspace

$$\text{Nul} [A - (-2)I] = \text{Nul} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 4 & 3 \\ -4 & -4 & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

... augmented matrix & param. vect. form...
gives a basis $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ for B_2

From we see that here we have multiplicity 2, but only 1 vector in (for $\lambda = -2$) a basis of eigenspace.

③ So, collection $B_1 \cup B_2$

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

has only two vectors, while we need three! (since A is 3×3)

So thus A is not diagonalizable

Given $h \times h$ matrix A with eigenvalues $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_p$, consider

eigenvalues	λ_1	λ_2	\dots	\dots	\dots	λ_p
multiplicities	m_1	m_2	\vdots	\dots	\dots	m_p
dimension of eigenspace	d_1	d_2	\dots	\dots	\dots	d_p

Theorem we always have

These are precisely numbers of vectors in bases of eigenspaces

$$\lambda_1 \leq m_1$$

$$\lambda_2 \leq m_2$$

 \vdots

$$\lambda_p \leq m_p$$

Moreover

$$m_1 + \dots + m_p \leq h$$

Therefore, A is diagonalizable if and only if all these inequalities are equalities.

(simply because A diagonalizable $\Leftrightarrow \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 + \dots + \lambda_p = h$)

In particular

Important!

If A has n distinct eigenvalues, then A is diagonalizable
(Because then $m_1 = m_2 = \dots = m_n = 1$)

Example 5 from the book

Is $A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -8 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$ diagonalizable?

- Upper triangular $\Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 5, \lambda_2 = 0, \lambda_3 = -2$
- 3 distinct eigenvalues \Rightarrow diagonalizable!
(by *)

Remark If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -8 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

we would not be able to use (*),
because $\lambda_1 = \lambda_3 = 5$. So here one would
run the usual algorithm

① :-
② :-
③ :-
④ :-

5.4

Goal: understand that for $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$
 $x \mapsto Ax$

diagonalization $A = P \cdot D \cdot P^{-1}$

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} | & | \\ \bar{v}_1 & \dots & \bar{v}_n \\ | & | \end{bmatrix}, D = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & & 0 \\ & \lambda_2 & & \\ 0 & & \ddots & \\ & & & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Bases for eigenspaces eigenvalues

is equivalent to the fact that

Linear transformation $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$
 $x \mapsto Ax$

? in the basis $B = \{\bar{v}_1, \dots, \bar{v}_n\}$

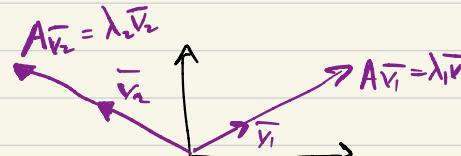
is represented by a
diagonal matrix D

Main idea

$$A\bar{v}_1 = c_1\bar{v}_1 + c_2\bar{v}_2 = \lambda_1\bar{v}_1 \Rightarrow c_1 = \lambda_1, c_2 = 0$$

$$A\bar{v}_2 = c_3\bar{v}_1 + c_4\bar{v}_2 = \lambda_2\bar{v}_2 \Rightarrow c_3 = 0, c_4 = \lambda_2$$

Thus: $(\begin{bmatrix} c_1 & c_2 \\ c_3 & c_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix})!$



In order to understand this better, let's step back, and introduce abstract vector spaces.

— usual vector space for was \mathbb{R}^n

An abstract vector space is a set where:

(a) there is an addition $(\bar{v}_1 + \bar{v}_2)$

(b) there is a "multiplication by a number"
 $(c \cdot \bar{v})$

such that certain axioms are satisfied
(page 192)

Example 1 $\mathbb{R}^1, \mathbb{R}^2, \mathbb{R}^3, \dots$ all of them
are abstract vector spaces.

Example 2 consider the set P_2 of all
polynomials of degree ≤ 2

(for instance $f(x) = x^2 - 3x + 7$)
(is an element of P_2)

It is an abstract vector space since if f and g
are in P_2

a) $f(x) + g(x)$ is still a polynomial of deg 2 or less

b) $17 \cdot f(x)$ is a polynomial of deg 2 or less

example $(1+x^2) + (-3-x) = -2-x+x^2$

$$\overline{V_1} + \overline{V_2} = \overline{W}$$

This vector space P_2 has a basis

$B = \{ \underline{1}, \underline{x}, \underline{x^2} \}$ because every

$$f(x) = \underbrace{a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2}_{f(x)} = a_0 \cdot (1) + a_1 \cdot (x) + a_2 \cdot (x^2)$$

$$(\overline{W} = c_1 \overline{V_1} + c_2 \overline{V_2} + c_3 \overline{V_3})$$

Thus, using basis $\{\underline{1}, \underline{x}, \underline{x^2}\}$ of P_2 , we parameterize P_2 by \mathbb{R}^3

$$P_2 \xleftrightarrow{\text{bijection}} \mathbb{R}^3$$

$$f(x) = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 \longleftrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} a_0 \\ a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

A linear transformation between two abstract vector spaces

$$T: V \longrightarrow W$$

is a map satisfying

- 1) $T(\bar{v}_1 + \bar{v}_2) = T(\bar{v}_1) + T(\bar{v}_2)$ (preserves addition)
- 2) $T(c \cdot \bar{v}) = c \cdot T(\bar{v})$ (preserves scalar multiplication)

Example $T: \mathbb{R}^n \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$

$$\bar{x} \mapsto A \cdot \bar{x}$$

lin. transformations given by matrices

Q. Can $T: V \rightarrow W$ be always represented by a matrix?

"choosing a coordinate system!"

A. Yes! But first we need to choose a basis of V and W .

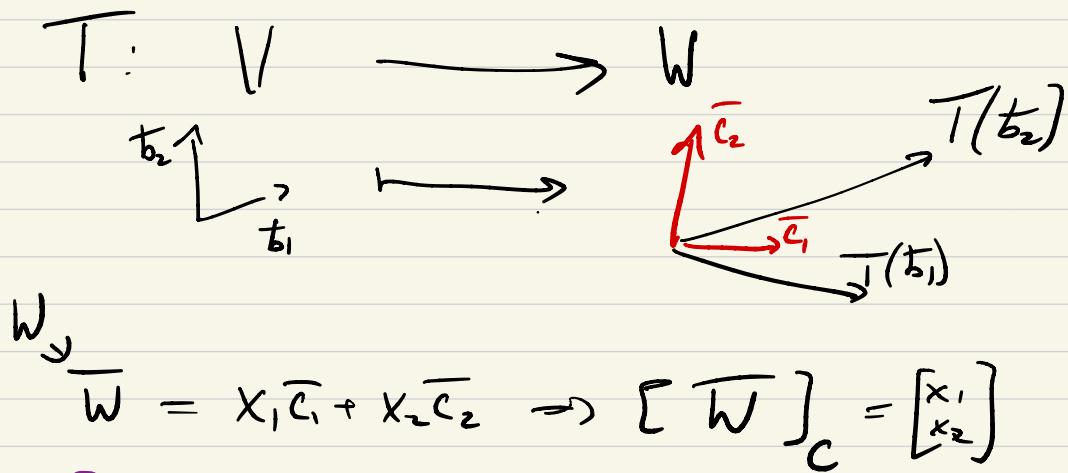
Remark \mathbb{R}^n comes with a distinguished basis $\{\bar{e}_1, \dots, \bar{e}_n\}$, but abstract vector spaces do not come with basis, and this is why we have to pick one

$$T: V \longrightarrow W$$

Let $B = \{b_1, \dots, b_n\}$ be a basis for V

$C = \{\bar{c}_1, \dots, \bar{c}_n\}$ be a basis for W

Then T is determined by $\underbrace{T(b_1)}_{\bar{c}_1} \dots \underbrace{T(b_n)}_{\bar{c}_n}$



① T is determined by $\overline{T(b_1)}, \dots, \overline{T(b_n)}$

② every \overline{w} in W can be uniquely written $\overline{w} = x_1 \bar{c}_1 + \dots + x_n \bar{c}_n$

Using both we obtain

$$[T(b_1)]_c, [T(b_2)]_c, \dots, [T(b_n)]_c$$

and we set a matrix

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | \\ [T(b_1)]_c & [T(b_2)]_c & \cdots & [T(b_n)]_c \\ | & | & | \end{bmatrix}$$

matrix for $T: V \rightarrow W$

relative to bases B for V

C for W

def.

Example differentiation

$$\left(\frac{d}{dx}\right): P_2 \longrightarrow P_1$$

$$7 - x + x^2 \longmapsto -1 + 2x$$

$$a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 \longmapsto a_1 + 2a_2x$$

observe that $\left(\frac{d}{dx}\right)$ is linear! Thus we can have a matrix M which represents differentiation on P_2 , as long as we pick bases

for both

$$\left(\frac{d}{dx}\right) : P_2 \longrightarrow P_1$$

- choose bases: $B = \{1, x, x^2\}$ for P_2
- $C = \{\bar{1}, \bar{x}\}$ for P_1
- now let's compute the matrix

$$T(b_1) = \frac{d}{dx}(1) = 0 = 0 \cdot \bar{1} + 0 \cdot \bar{x}$$

$$T(b_2) = \frac{d}{dx}(x) = 1 = 1 \cdot \bar{1} + 0 \cdot \bar{x}$$

$$T(b_3) = \frac{d}{dx}(x^2) = 2x = 0 \cdot \bar{1} + 2 \cdot \bar{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow M = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | \\ [T(b_1)]_C & [T(b_2)]_C & [T(b_3)]_C \\ | & | & | \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 4.1 \\ \text{Can be} \\ \text{helpful} \end{pmatrix}$$

matrix representing

$$\frac{d}{dx} : P_2 \longrightarrow P_1$$

with respect to bases

$$\{1, x, x^2\}$$

$$\{1, x\}$$

Recall: given

- two abstract vector spaces V^3 and W^2
- linear transformation $T: V \rightarrow W$
- two bases, $B = \{b_1, b_2, b_3\}$ for V and $C = \{\bar{c}_1, \bar{c}_2\}$ for W

(assume for simplicity
 $\dim(V) = 3$
 $\dim(W) = 2$)

remark

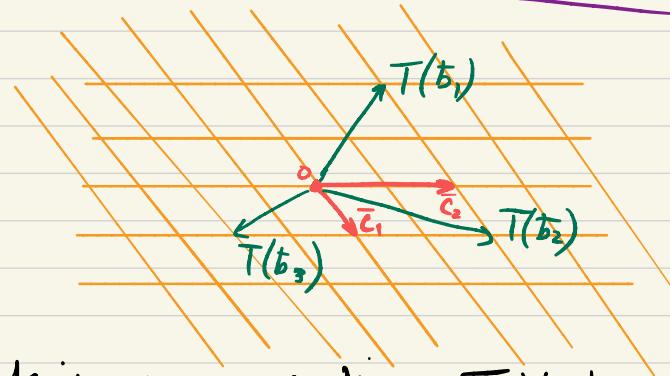
$$T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$$

$$x \mapsto Ax$$

A is matrix for T relative to $B = \{\bar{e}_1, \dots, \bar{e}_n\}$ for both \mathbb{R}^n and \mathbb{R}^m

$$T: V^3 \longrightarrow W^2$$

$$\begin{matrix} & \nearrow b_3 \\ b_1 & \text{---} & b_2 \end{matrix}$$



We can form a matrix representing $T: V \rightarrow W$ relative to bases B and C . Its columns are coordinates of $T(b_i)$ in basis C :

$$M = \boxed{\begin{bmatrix} | & | & | \\ [T(b_1)]_C & [T(b_2)]_C & [T(b_3)]_C \\ | & | & | \end{bmatrix}}$$

In this example we have

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

Example . $T: V^2 \rightarrow W^2$

- bases $\{\vec{d}_1, \vec{d}_2\}$ for V , $\{\vec{b}_1, \vec{b}_2\}$ for W

$$\cdot T(\vec{d}_1) = 2\vec{b}_1 - 3\vec{b}_2, \quad T(\vec{d}_2) = -4\vec{b}_1 + 5\vec{b}_2$$

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} | & | \\ [T(\vec{d}_1)]_B & [T(\vec{d}_2)]_B \\ | & | \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 \\ -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

(relative to bases D and B)

Example . $\{\vec{e}_1, \vec{e}_2, \vec{e}_3\}$ standard basis in \mathbb{R}^3

$$\vec{e}_1 \vec{e}_2 \vec{e}_3 \quad . \quad B = \{\vec{b}_1, \vec{b}_2\} \quad \text{basis for } V$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad . \quad T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow V$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} \mapsto (x_1 + x_2)\vec{b}_1 + (x_2 - x_3)\vec{b}_2$$

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | \\ [T(\vec{e}_1)]_B & [T(\vec{e}_2)]_B & [T(\vec{e}_3)]_B \\ | & | & | \end{bmatrix}$$

(matrix for T
relative to
 \mathcal{E} and B)

$$T(\vec{e}_1) = T \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = (1+0)\vec{b}_1 + (0-0)\vec{b}_2 = \vec{b}_1$$

$$T(\vec{e}_2) = \vec{b}_1 + \vec{b}_2 \quad T(\vec{e}_3) = -\vec{b}_2$$

$$\boxed{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \boxed{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}} \quad \boxed{\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}}}$$

key point if matrix M represents

$T: V \rightarrow W$, then for \bar{v} in V we have:
 basis B basis C

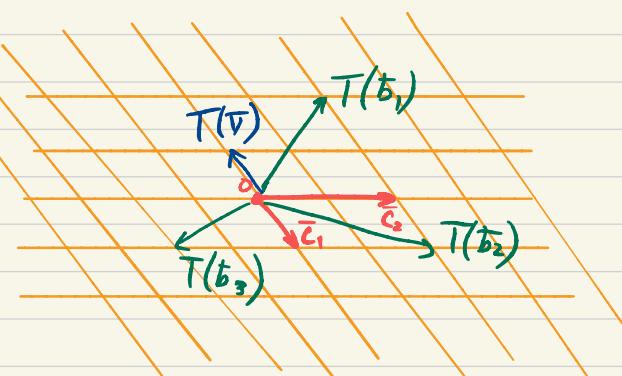
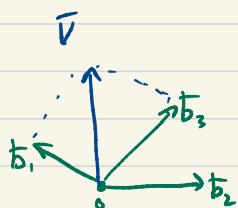
$$M \cdot [\bar{v}]_B = [T(\bar{v})]_C$$

"coordinates change
according to M !"

Example suppose below $\bar{v} = b_3 + b_1$

$$\bar{v} = 1 \cdot b_1 + 0 \cdot b_2 + 1 \cdot b_3$$

$$T: V^3 \rightarrow W^2$$



Then

- $[\bar{v}]_B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (\bar{v} = 1 \cdot b_1 + 0 \cdot b_2 + 1 \cdot b_3)$
- $[T(\bar{v})]_C = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (= T(b_1) + T(b_3), \text{ clear from the picture})$
- we remember $M = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

Formula (*) becomes $[\bar{v}]_B \quad [T(\bar{v})]_C$

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

✓ true

Example Let $\bar{T}: \overset{B}{P_2} \xrightarrow{\text{(differentiation)}} \overset{C}{P_2}$

$$a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 \mapsto a_1 + 2a_2x$$

So find matrix $[\bar{T}]_B$

$$B = \{1, x, x^2\}$$

$$C = B$$

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{T}(b_1) &= \frac{d}{dx}(1) = 0 & \bar{T}(b_2) &= \frac{d}{dx}(x^2) \\ \bar{T}(b_2) &= \frac{d}{dx}(x) = 1 & &= 2x \\ & & &= 0 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot x + 0 \cdot x^2\end{aligned}$$

$$[\bar{T}]_B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ [\bar{T}(b_1)]_B & [\bar{T}(b_2)]_B & [\bar{T}(b_3)]_B \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\boxed{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}}$$

Special case of the story above: When $V = W$!
 $B = C$

$T: V \xrightarrow{B} V = W$, and suppose one choose a basis B for both spaces B . Then we get a matrix M representing T in bases B . It has a special name: " B -matrix for T "

notation: $[T]_B$

Meaning of diagonalization: suppose $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$
 $x \mapsto Ax$

$A = PDP^{-1}$, $P = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{v}_1 & \cdots & \vec{v}_n \end{bmatrix}$, $D = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}$

$\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_n$ eigenvectors
 $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n$ eigenvalues

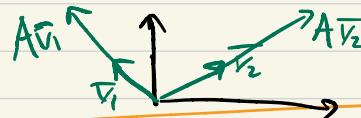
Then the key point is that

T is represented by a diagonal matrix D $\Leftrightarrow [T]_B = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}$
in basis $B = \{\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_n\}$

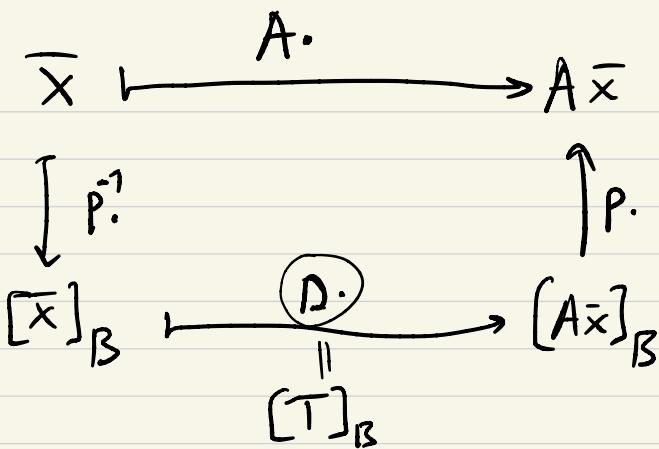
Comment: $[T]_{\mathbb{S}} = A$, where \mathbb{S} = standard basis

Reason: $A(\vec{v}_i) = \lambda_i \cdot \vec{v}_i$

because eigenvectors!



Last two classes were to understand this



Example Suppose

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 T: \mathbb{R}^2 & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{R}^2 \\
 \bar{x} & \xrightarrow{} & A \cdot \bar{x} \\
 \end{array}
 \Leftrightarrow
 \boxed{[T]_e = A}$$

↑
std basis

where $A = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 2 \\ -4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Find a basis B for \mathbb{R}^2 such that
the B -matrix for T is diagonal.

Solution: Basis B will be the eigenvector basis, and so one needs

to ① find eigenvalues

② find eigenvectors $(5, 1)$

① eigenvalues $\rho(\lambda) = \det(A - \lambda I_2) = 0$

$$\lambda = 3, \lambda = 5$$

② eigenvectors $\begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ for $\lambda = 3$, $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ for $\lambda = 5$

Thus if $B = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$, then

the B -matrix for T is equal

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

matrix for T relative

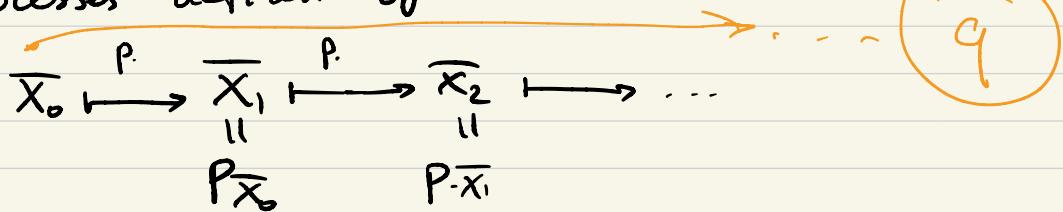
to basis B for \mathbb{R}^2

$$T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$$

5.6 Application of eigenvalues and eigenvectors to discrete dynamical systems

In 4.3 we studied Markov chains,

processes defined by



Recall that P was a stochastic matrix.

with special property that columns sum to 1,

for instance P could be $\begin{bmatrix} 0.6 & 0.9 \\ 0.4 & 0.1 \end{bmatrix}$

Key point was that $\overline{X}_n \rightarrow \overline{q}$ (steady state vector)
as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

Question What if columns of P do not sum to 1?

Enter discrete dynamical systems

EXAMPLE 1 Denote the owl and wood rat populations at time k by $\bar{\mathbf{x}}_k = \begin{bmatrix} O_k \\ R_k \end{bmatrix}$, where k is the time in months, O_k is the number of owls in the region studied, and R_k is the number of rats (measured in thousands). Suppose

$$\begin{cases} O_{k+1} = (.5)O_k + (.4)R_k \\ R_{k+1} = -p \cdot O_k + (1.1)R_k \end{cases} \quad (3)$$

where p is a positive parameter to be specified. The $(.5)O_k$ in the first equation says that with no wood rats for food, only half of the owls will survive each month, while the $(1.1)R_k$ in the second equation says that with no owls as predators, the rat population will grow by 10% per month. If rats are plentiful, the $(.4)R_k$ will tend to make the owl population rise, while the negative term $-p \cdot O_k$ measures the deaths of rats due to predation by owls. (In fact, $1000p$ is the average number of rats eaten by one owl in one month.) Determine the evolution of this system when the predation parameter p is .104.

$$\bar{\mathbf{x}}_{k+1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 & 0.4 \\ -0.104 & 1.1 \end{bmatrix} \bar{\mathbf{x}}_k$$

means understand
what happens
long-term, as
 $k \rightarrow \infty$

Method

- ① Write in matrix form
- ② Diagonalize A (find eigenvalues and eigenvectors)
- ③ The most important information is the largest eigenvalue, and its eigenvector

$$\overline{X}_k = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_k \\ \beta_k \end{bmatrix}, \quad \overline{X}_{k+1} = A \cdot \overline{X}_k, \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 & 0.4 \\ 0.109 & 1.1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(1)

(2) Diagonalize A: (using S.2, S.1, ...)

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

:

$$\lambda = 0.58$$

$$\lambda = 1.02$$

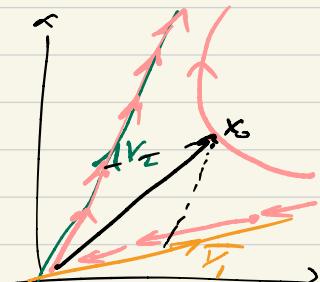
eigenvectors for $\lambda = 0.58$ eigenspace (...)

has a basis $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} = V_1$

for $\lambda = 1.02$ eigenspace (...)

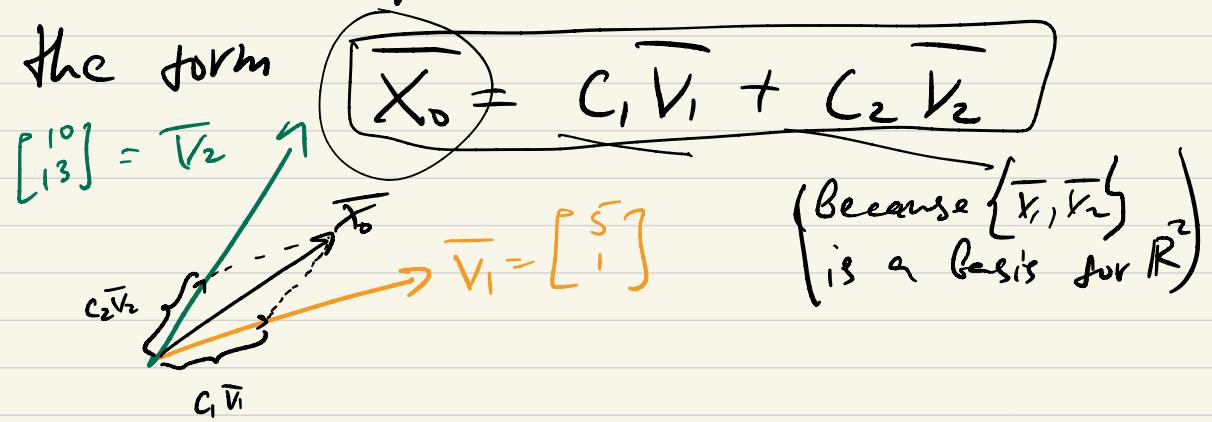
has a basis $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 13 \end{bmatrix} \right\} = V_2$

(3) now, the key point:



given any initial configuration $\bar{x}_0 = \begin{bmatrix} P_0 \\ R_0 \end{bmatrix}$, we can uniquely write \bar{x}_0 in

the form



Using this, we now find

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{x}_n &= A^n \bar{x}_0 = \\ &\text{by def.} \\ &\text{of evolutionary} \\ &\text{system} = A^n (c_1 \bar{v}_1 + c_2 \bar{v}_2) = \\ &= c_1 (0.58)^n \bar{v}_1 + c_2 \cdot (1.02)^n \bar{v}_2 \end{aligned}$$

Main Point

this is because each time A is applied it stretches \bar{v}_2 by 1.02 and shrink \bar{v}_1 by 0.58

and so

$$\bar{X}_0 \xrightarrow{\quad} A\bar{X}_0 \xrightarrow{\quad} A^2\bar{X}_0 \xrightarrow{\quad} \dots$$

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$$C_1\bar{V}_1 + C_2\bar{V}_2 \xrightarrow{A} C_1(0.58)\bar{V}_1 + C_2(1.02)\bar{V}_2 \xrightarrow{\quad} C_1(0.58)^2\bar{V}_1 + C_2(1.02)^2\bar{V}_2 \xrightarrow{\quad} \dots$$

Now,

$$\bar{X}_n = C_1 \cdot (0.58)^n \bar{V}_1 + C_2 (1.02)^n \cdot \bar{V}_2$$

$\rightarrow 0 \text{ when } n \rightarrow \infty$

When n is large, $(0.58)^n \rightarrow 0$

\Rightarrow When n is large

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ R_n \end{bmatrix} = \bar{X}_n \approx C_2 (1.02)^n \bar{V}_2 = C_2 (1.02)^n \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 13 \end{bmatrix}$$

\uparrow
approximately

Answer over the long run, the population
of owl and rats will have

a ratio

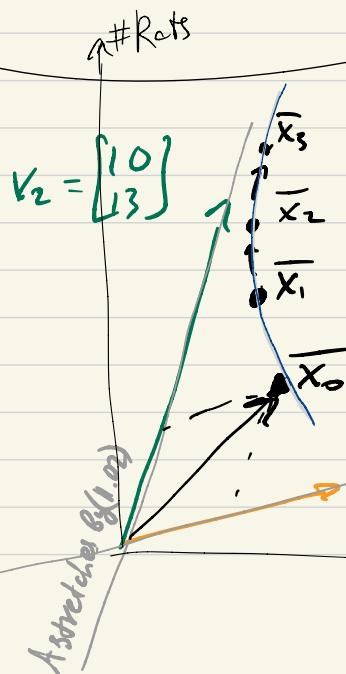
$$O_n : R_n \approx 10 : 13$$

$$\left(= \frac{(1.02)^n}{(1.02)^{13}} \right)$$

Also, Both grow by 2% each month
(due to $(1.02)^n$ exponential multiplier)

$$O_n \approx C_2 \cdot (1.02)^n \cdot 10$$

$$R_n \approx C_2 \cdot (1.02)^n \cdot 13$$



trajectory converges to
 V_2 line

$$V_1 = [5]$$

A shrinks by 0.58

What we want is to study
similar problems in general!

We will have 3 cases:

① $0 < \lambda_1 < 1 < \lambda_2$ (our case here)

② $0 < 1 < \lambda_1 < \lambda_2$

③ $0 < \lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < 1$

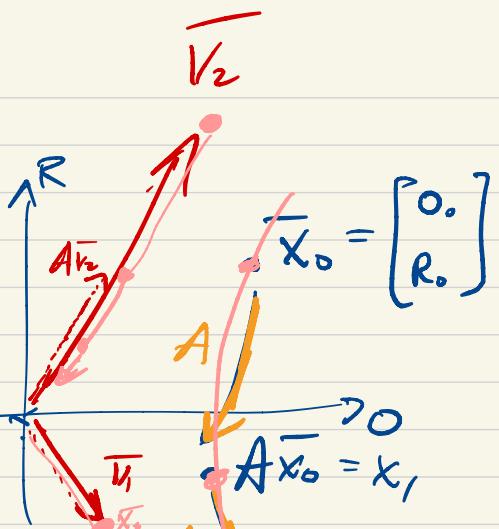
Next time we will study
general pictures for all 3 cases

Read the book (5.6)!

$$\lambda_2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

\bar{v}_1, \bar{v}_2 = eigenvectors

$$A\bar{v}_2 = \lambda_2 \bar{v}_2 = \frac{1}{2} \bar{v}_2$$



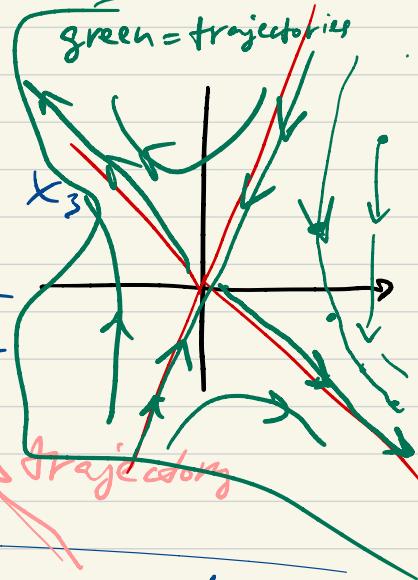
$$2\cdot \bar{v}_1 = A\bar{v}_1$$

$$A \cdot \bar{x}_0 = \bar{x}_1$$

$$A \cdot \bar{x}_1 = A \cdot A \cdot \bar{x}_0 = A^2 \bar{x}_0 = \bar{x}_2$$

$$A \bar{x}_2 = A \cdot A^2 \bar{x}_0 = A^3 \bar{x}_0$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} - & - \\ - & - \end{bmatrix}$$



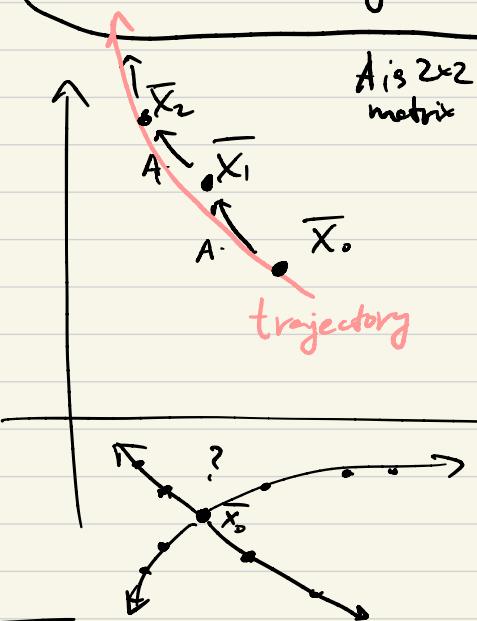
Now, trajectory of discrete dyn. system

$$\text{is } \bar{x}_0 \rightarrow A\bar{x}_0 \rightarrow A^2\bar{x}_0 \rightarrow \dots$$

Q. Given initial \bar{x}_0 , describe the trajectory.

Graphical description of discrete dynamical systems

(5.6)



Big Question given A , describe all trajectories

Let's first understand cases of diagonal matrices

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Assumption: from now on we assume λ_i are positive and $\neq 1$

Three cases for $A = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix}$:

① Attractor: $0 < \lambda_1, \lambda_2 < 1$

② Repeller: $0 < 1 < \lambda_1, \lambda_2$

③ Saddle: $0 < \lambda_1 < 1 < \lambda_2$

(or $0 < \lambda_2 < 1 < \lambda_1$)

We will study these cases separately.

Example 2 from the book (attractor)

Plot several trajectories of the

dynamical system $\bar{X}_{k+1} = A \cdot \bar{X}_k$ when

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0.8 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.64 \end{bmatrix}$$

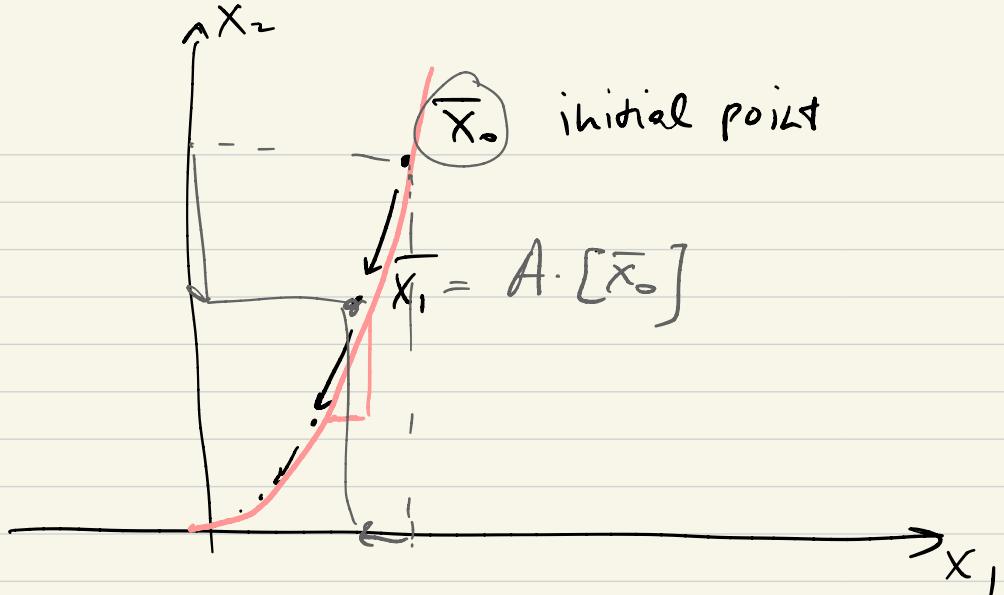
$$\lambda_1 = 0.8 < 1 \quad \lambda_2 = 0.64 < 1 \Rightarrow \text{attractor}$$

$$\bar{X}_{k+1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.8 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.64 \end{bmatrix} \bar{X}_k \quad \text{scales } \bar{e}_1 \text{ by 0.8} \\ \text{and } \bar{e}_2 \text{ by 0.64}$$

If $\bar{X}_0 = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix}$ then

$$\boxed{\bar{X}_k = \begin{bmatrix} (0.8)^k \cdot c_1 \\ (0.64)^k \cdot c_2 \end{bmatrix}}$$

(because $\begin{bmatrix} 0.8 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.64 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.8c_1 \\ 0.64c_2 \end{bmatrix}$)



vertical direction (\bar{e}_2) drops faster (since $0.64 < 0.8$) than the horizontal one (\bar{e}_1) \Rightarrow the trajectory is not a straight line!

The typical shape for all the trajectories of an attractor:

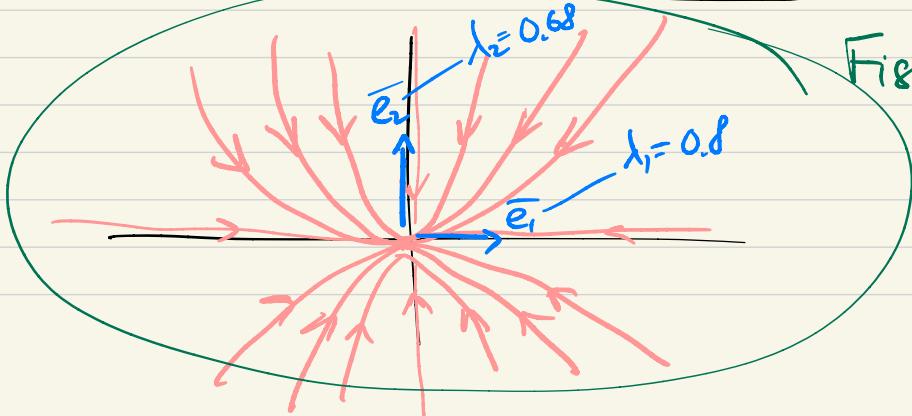
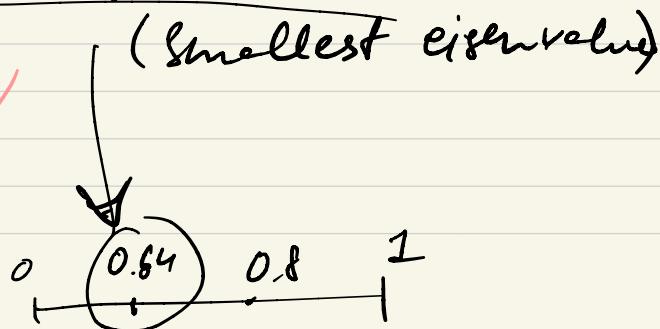
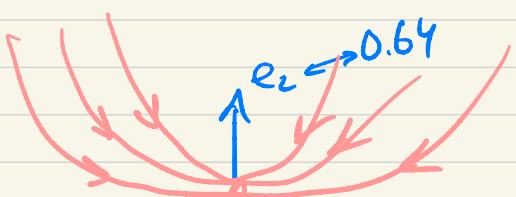


Figure 1
on p. 306

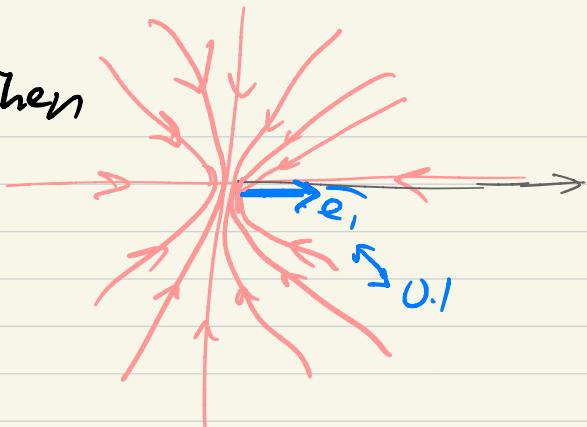
Features:

- ① All the points are "attracted" to the origin
- ② For the second eigenvalue λ_2 , the e_2 -component disappears faster ($0.64 < 0.8$)
=> trajectories are "flat" near the origin

Shortcut for "which way" the trajectories are flat: trajectories are \perp to the eigenvector, whose eigenvalue is further from 1



if $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0.1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.64 \end{bmatrix}$, then



$$\bar{e}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ for } \mathbb{R}^2$$

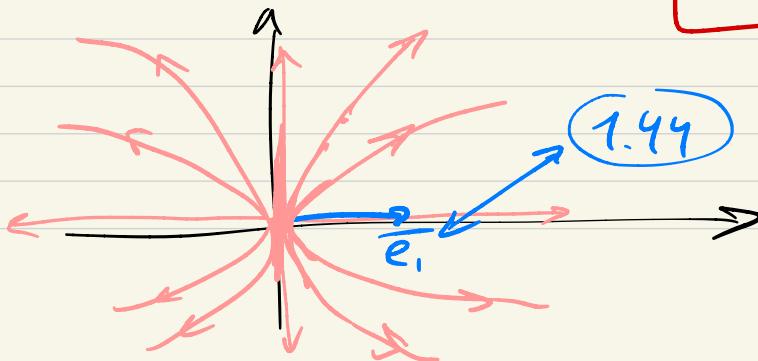
$$\bar{e}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \bar{e}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \bar{e}_n = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ for } \mathbb{R}^n$$

Example 3 in the book (repeller)

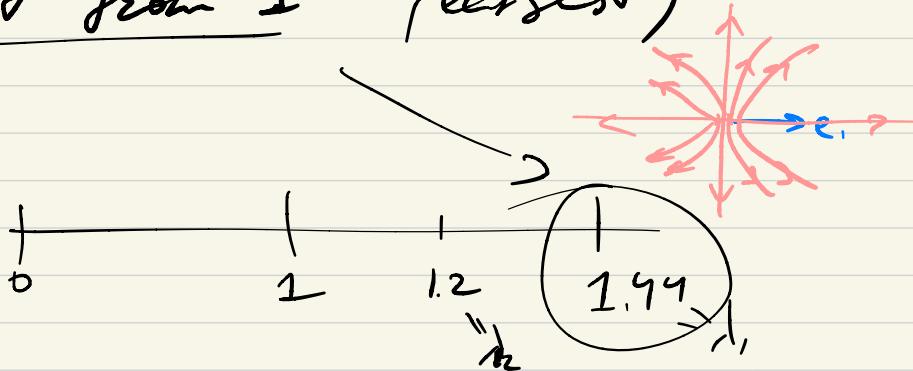
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1.44 & 0 \\ 0 & 1.2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ scales } \bar{e}_1 \text{ by } 1.44$$

$$\bar{e}_2 \text{ by } 1.2$$

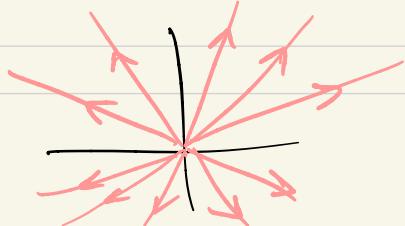
$$x_0 = c_1 \cdot \bar{e}_1 + c_2 \cdot \bar{e}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \overline{x_k} = \begin{bmatrix} (1.44)^k c_1 \\ (1.2)^k c_2 \end{bmatrix}$$



- ① points are "repelled" from $T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1.94 \end{bmatrix}$
- ② again trajectories are "flat", because \bar{e}_1 scales faster than \bar{e}_2 . ($1.94 > 1.2$)
- Shortcut for "which way" flat near 0
- trajectories are \perp to the eigenvector corresponding to the eigenvalue furthest from 1 (largest)



Remark trajectories are all straight lines only if $\lambda_1 = \lambda_2$



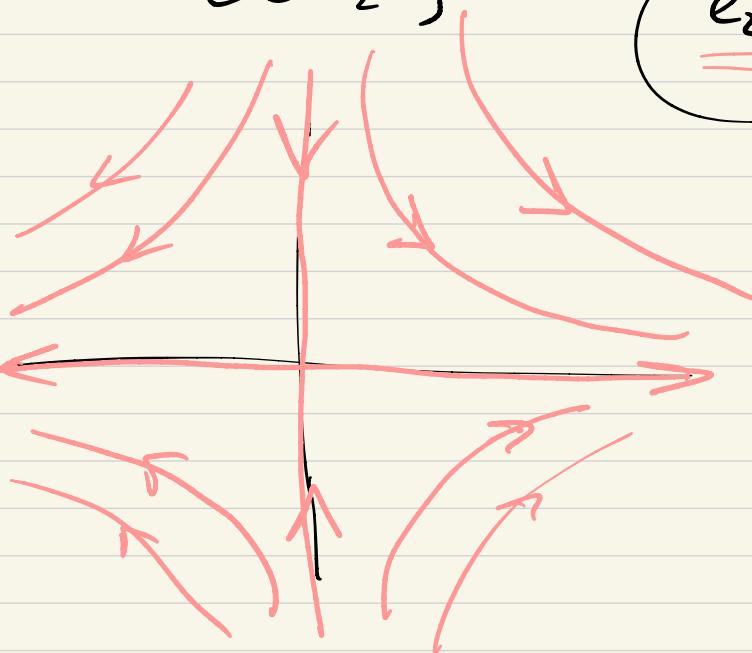
Example 4 (Saddle)

repells along
the first coordinate

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

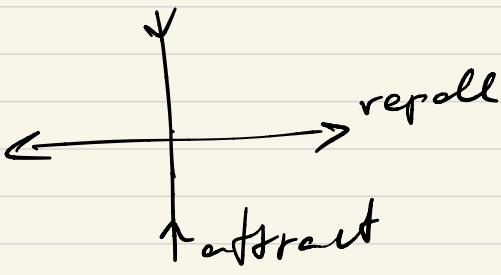
scales \hat{e}_1 by 2

$$\hat{e}_2 \text{ by } \frac{1}{2}$$

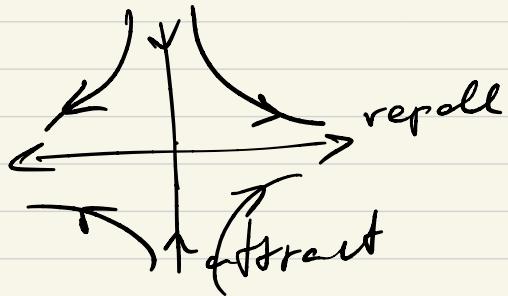


↑
attracts
along second
coordinate

step 1



step 2



Q. What if A is not diagonal?

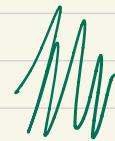
A. All the same, except the role of \vec{e}_1 and \vec{e}_2 are played by eigenvectors \vec{v}_1 and \vec{v}_2

Example 5 in the book

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1.25 & -0.75 \\ -0.75 & 1.25 \end{bmatrix} \quad (\text{should be diagonalizable!})$$

① eigenvalues: $p(\lambda) = \det(A - \lambda I) = 0$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda &= 2 \\ \lambda &= \frac{1}{2}\end{aligned}$$



② eigenvectors: (...) you find

$$\lambda = 2$$



$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \vec{v}_2$$



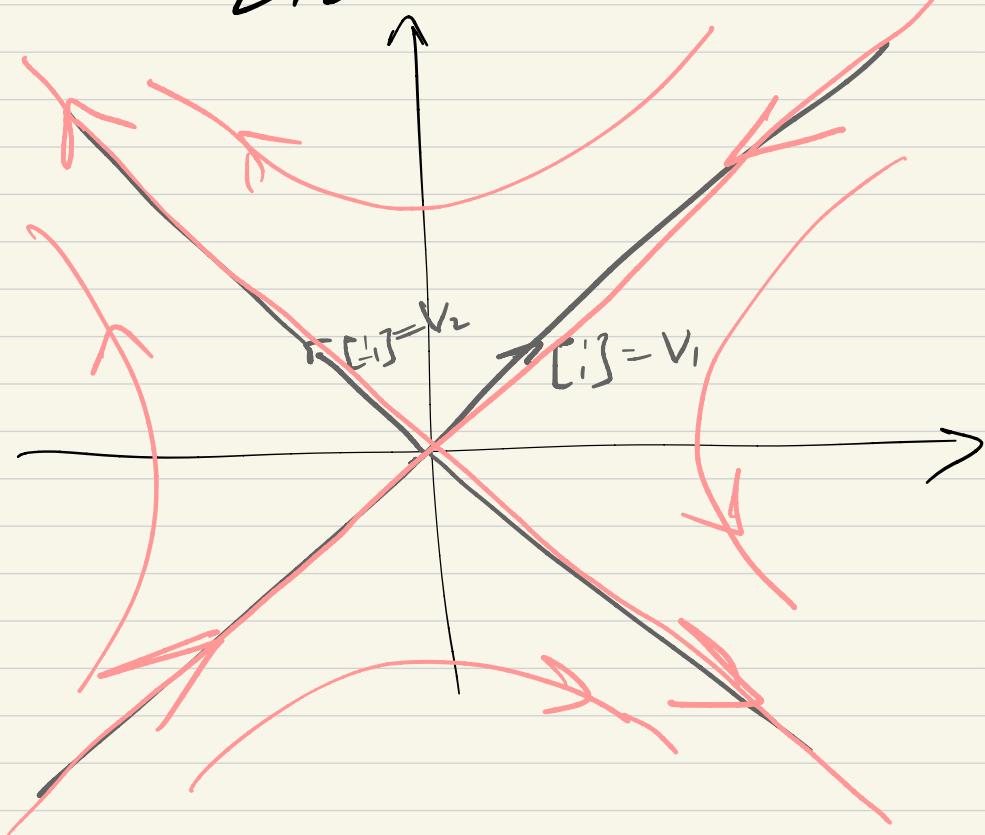
$$\lambda = \frac{1}{2}$$



$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \vec{v}_1$$

③ along $[-i]$ it repels since $\lambda=2$

along $[i]$ it attracts since $\lambda=\frac{1}{2}$



read 5.6 (excluding case of complex)

$$[T]_B = \begin{bmatrix} [T(b_1)]_B & [T(b_2)]_B \\ | & | \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underline{T(b_1)} = A \cdot b_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 4 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

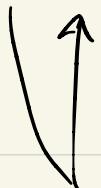
$[T(b_1)]_B = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix}$ such that

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = c_1 \cdot b_1 + c_2 \cdot b_2 \quad \text{solve for } c_1 \text{ and } c_2$$

The same for $[T(b_2)]_B$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ repeller} \quad 1 < \lambda_1, \lambda_2$$

$$A' = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_1 - 1} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{\lambda_2}{\lambda_2 - 1} \end{bmatrix} \text{ attractor} \quad \lambda_1, \lambda_2 < 1$$

 trajectories coincide!
directions differ!
