

Lecture 35

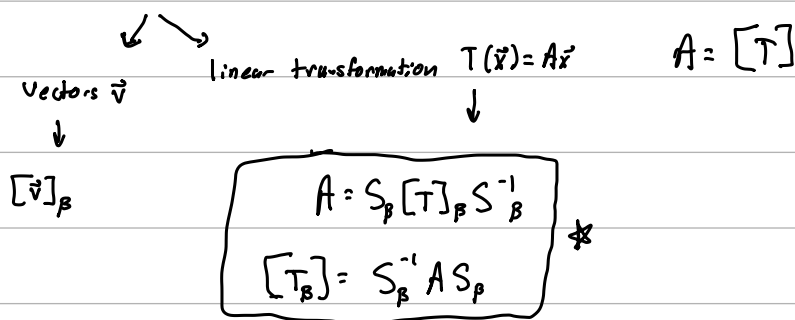
Exam Stuff

- Orthogonal, symmetric matrices } know how to recognize those
- Coordinates

• If you add 2 symmetric matrices you get symmetric matrix
↳ does not work for multiplication.

• The opposite is true for orthogonal matrices.

• Coordinates



$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ e-vecs: } \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

c-vals: 1, 2

$$\beta = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \quad [\vec{v}]_\beta = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{so } \vec{v} = 7 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + 12 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A\vec{v} = 1 \cdot 7 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + 2 \cdot 12 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[A\vec{v}]_\beta = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 24 \end{bmatrix}$$

• Whats lost by considering $[\vec{v}]_\beta$ instead of \vec{v} ? $[\vec{v}]_\beta = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ so $\vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$[\vec{w}]_\beta = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{so } \vec{w} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Notes for today

E.g. Suppose all ND students return to campus happy at the end of August.

Suppose further that there's 25% chance every day that a student who goes to bed happy wakes up sad, but also a 50% chance that a sad student wakes up happy.

What fraction of ND students go home sad for Christmas?

Soln: Let $\vec{v}(n) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1(n) \\ x_2(n) \end{bmatrix}$ be the vector whose coordinates represent the fractions of students $x_1(n)$, $x_2(n)$ who are happy or sad.

$$\text{Then } x_1(n) + x_2(n) = 1 \quad \forall n.$$

$$\text{Also } \vec{v}(n+1) = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} .75 & .50 \\ .25 & .50 \end{bmatrix}}_A \vec{v}(n)$$

- We must compute $\vec{v}(100)$ from $\vec{v}(0)$

$$\text{So } \vec{v}(100) = A^{100} \vec{v}(0) = A^{100} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Def: A vector \vec{v} (or matrix A) is called non-negative if all its entries are ≥ 0 .

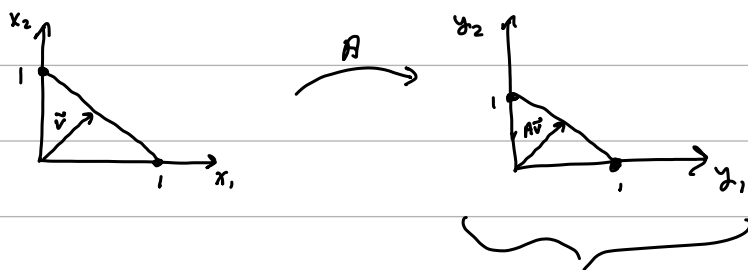
\vec{v}/A is positive if all of its entries are positive.

Def: A distribution vector $\vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is a non-negative vector such that $x_1 + \dots + x_n = 1$

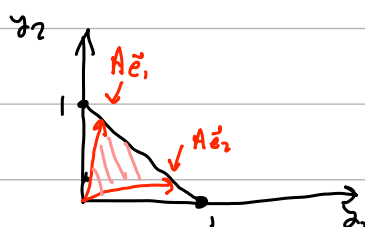
A transition matrix $A \in M_{n \times n}$ is a matrix whose columns are distribution vectors.

FACTS - If $A \in M_{n \times n}$ is a transition matrix and $\vec{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is a distribution vector, then

- All powers A^k are transition matrices
- $A\vec{v}$ is a distribution vector.



but here the standard basis vecs don't map to standard basis vecs. It looks more like this:



- After 100 days we get $[0.67, 0.33]$, so 67% people are happy and 33% people are sad.

• He pointed out after some x days, the distribution vector does not change.

↳ Even if you change the initial distribution vector, the distribution vector after x days is the EXACT SAME.

E-vals	1	$1/4$
E-vecs	$\begin{pmatrix} 2/3 \\ 1/3 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

• Take our initial vector $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 2/3 \\ 1/3 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

- Need $c_1 > 0$

$$A^{100} \vec{v} = c_1 A^{100} \begin{pmatrix} 2/3 \\ 1/3 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 A^{100} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\approx c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 2/3 \\ 1/3 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}^{100} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \approx c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 2/3 \\ 1/3 \end{pmatrix} \text{ for } n \text{ that is large}$$

Perron - Frobenius Thm : Given non-negative $\vec{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ and $A \in M_{n \times n}$, Suppose some power of A^k of A is positive. Then \exists positive eigenvector \vec{v} for A with e-val $\lambda > 0$ and \forall non-negative vector \vec{w} we have $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{A^n \vec{w}}{\|A^n \vec{w}\|} = \vec{v}$

Rmk: If A is a transition matrix then $\lambda = 1$ and can take \vec{v} to be distribution vector.

Morally Speaking

λ is the unique largest eigenvalue of A .