

4. Consider the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 8 & 4 \\ -2 & 11 & 4 \\ 2 & -8 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Knowing that eigenvalues of  $A$  are  $\lambda_1 = 3$  and  $\lambda_2 = 5$  diagonalize this matrix; that is, find a diagonal matrix  $D$  and an invertible matrix  $P$  such that

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

Note: you do not need to compute  $P^{-1}$ .

$$A - \lambda_1 I = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 8 & 4 \\ -2 & 8 & 4 \\ 2 & -8 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \text{R}_1 \leftrightarrow \text{R}_2 \\ \text{R}_3 \cdot (-1) \end{matrix}$$

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

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 2 & -8 & -4 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \text{R}_3 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \end{matrix}$$

$$A - \lambda_2 I = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 8 & 4 \\ -2 & 6 & 4 \\ 2 & -8 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \text{R}_1 \cdot (-1/4) \\ \text{R}_2 \cdot (-1/2) \\ \text{R}_3 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -8 & -8 & | & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & -2 & | & 0 \\ 2 & -8 & -6 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \text{R}_1 \cdot (-1/8) \\ \text{R}_2 \cdot (-1/2) \\ \text{R}_3 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad x_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 1 & -4 & -3 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \text{R}_1 \leftrightarrow \text{R}_3 \\ \text{R}_2 \cdot 1 \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} x_1 + x_3 = 0 \\ x_2 + x_3 = 0 \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} x_1 = -x_3 \\ x_2 = -x_3 \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = x_1$$

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 4 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad D = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

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