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THE EIGENVECTORS CORRESPONDING TO λ ARE THE NONZERO VECTORS IN THE SOLUTION SPACE OF $AX = \lambda X$ OR $(A - \lambda I)X = 0$. WE CALL THIS SOLUTION SPACE THE EIGENSPACE OF A CORRESPONDING TO λ .

QUESTION: FIND THE BASES FOR THE EIGENSPACES OF

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

SOLUTION:

EIGENVALUES OF A ARE $1, 2, 3$ (OBTAINED LAST TIME), THEREFORE THERE ARE THREE EIGENSPACES OF A CORRESPONDING TO $\lambda = 1, 2$ AND 3 . SO WE PROCEED AS FOLLOWS

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(1) EIGENSPACE CORRESPONDING TO $\lambda=1$ IS GIVEN BY

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = t \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ (DERIVED LAST TIME)}$$

$$\therefore \text{ITS BASIS} = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

(2) EIGENSPACE CORRESPONDING TO $\lambda=2$ IS GIVEN BY

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ (DERIVED LAST TIME)}$$

(3) AND FINALLY EIGENSPACE CORRESPONDING TO $\lambda=3$ IS GIVEN BY

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ THEREFORE}$$

$\lambda=3$

BASES FOR THE EIGENSPACES CORRESPONDING TO $\lambda=2$ AND $\lambda=3$ ARE GIVEN BY

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$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \text{ AND } \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

RESPECTIVELY.

NOTE:

DIMENSION OF EACH EIGENSPACE OF A DESCRIBED ABOVE = 1 \therefore EACH HAS ONLY ONE BASIS VECTOR.

ASSIGNMENT NO. 6(a)

(ROTATION MATRIX) \rightarrow SPECIAL CASE OF ORTHOGONAL MATRIX

RECALL THAT $\begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{bmatrix}$

IS THE ROTATION MATRIX,

(1) PROVE THAT THE TERMINAL POINT OF e_1 IN \mathbb{R}^2 REACHES $(\cos\theta, \sin\theta)$ AFTER A ROTATION THROU-

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AN ANGLE θ (COUNTERCLOCKWISE)

(2) FROM (1) IF IT REACHES

$(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})$ THEN THROUGH

WHICH ANGLE ROTATION HAS TAKEN PLACE. ALSO WRITE DOWN THE ROTATION MATRIX IN THIS CASE.

(3) WRITE DOWN THE ROTATION MATRIX WHEN ROTATION IS ABOUT Z-AXIS IN THREE DIMENSIONS.

(4) CAN WE SAY THAT THE ROTATION MATRIX IS A TRANSITION MATRIX FROM ONE ORTHONORMAL BASIS TO ANOTHER.

(5) IF MATRIX R_1 GIVES ROTATION THROUGH θ (COUNTERCLOCKWISE), R_2 GIVES ROTATION

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THROUGH ϕ THEN WHAT IS THE GEOMETRICAL SIGNIFICANCE OF $R_1 R_2$?

(6) IF A, B ARE ORTHOGONAL MATRICES OF SAME ORDER THEN

(i) AB IS ORTHOGONAL

(ii) A^T IS ORTHOGONAL AND

(iii) A^{-1} IS ORTHOGONAL

(7) IF $\langle Au, Av \rangle = Au \cdot Av$

WHERE A IS AN $n \times n$ MATRIX, THEN FOR WHICH MATRIX IT IS TRUE THAT

$$\langle Au, Av \rangle = \langle u, v \rangle$$

FOR EUCLIDEAN INNER PRODUCT

EIGENVALUES/EIGENVECTORS

(8) FIND THE BASES FOR THE EIGENSPACES OF

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

[6]

(9) IF $[k]$ IS A POSITIVE INTERER, $[\lambda]$ IS AN EIGENVALUE OF MATRIX $[A]$, AND \underline{x} IS A CORRESPONDING EIGENVECTOR, THEN PROVE THAT $[\lambda^k]$ IS AN EIGENVALUE OF $[A^k]$ AND $[x]$ IS A CORRESPONDING EIGENVECTOR.

HINT: PROVE BY MATHEMATICAL INDUCTION.

(10) PROVE THAT EIGENVECTORS OF $[A]$ CORRESPONDING TO DISTINCT EIGENVALUES ARE DISTINCT.

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(11) HOW CAN YOU FIND THE EIGENVALUES OF DIAGONAL, UPPER TRIANGULAR AND LOWER TRIANGULAR MATRICES?

(12) IF $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

FIND THE EIGENVALUES OF A^{100} .

(13) IF X IS AN EIGENVECTOR OF A CORRESPONDING TO λ THEN PROVE THAT λ^3 IS THE EIGENVALUE OF A^3 CORRESPONDING TO EIGENVECTOR X.