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MEEN 602 HW4.

1. a)

$$\begin{aligned} f(x,y) &= 8x^2 + 8xy + 2y^2 \\ \frac{f(x,y)}{8} &= x^2 + xy + \frac{y^2}{4} \\ &= x^2 + 2x\left(\frac{y}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{y}{2}\right)^2 \\ &= \left(x + \frac{y}{2}\right)^2 \\ \therefore f(x,y) &= 8\left(x + \frac{y}{2}\right)^2 \end{aligned}$$

b) We know that,  
 $f(x,y) = ax^2 + 2bxy + cy^2$  for  $ac=b^2$   
&  $a > 0$ , then  $f$  is positive semi-definite.

$$\begin{aligned} f &= 8x^2 + 8xy + 2y^2 \\ c &= 2, a = 8, b = 4 \\ \text{as } a > 0, ac &= b^2 \Rightarrow 2 \times 8 = 4^2 = 16 \\ \text{LHS} &= \text{RHS} \therefore f \text{ is positive semi-definite.} \end{aligned}$$

c)  $f = \vec{x}^T A \vec{x}$

$$ax^2 + 2bxy + cy^2 = \begin{bmatrix} x & y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ b & c \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 4 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - \frac{R_1}{2}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = LU$$

After LU decomposition,

$$L = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1/2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad U = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Rank}(A) = \text{Rank}(U) = 1$$

2)  $a + c > 2b$

To find  $ac < b^2$

$$\text{Let } a = 2, c = -1, b = -2$$

$$a + c = 1, \quad 2b = -4$$

$$a + c > 2b$$

$$ac = -2 < b^2 = 4$$

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

This makes the matrix not positive definite.

3. a)  $F = -1 + 4(e^x - x) - 5x \sin y + by^2$   
at  $x = y = 0$

$$\left. \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} \right|_{x=0, y=0} = \left\{ 4(e^x - 1) - 5 \sin y \right\} \Big|_{x=0, y=0} \\ = \{ 4(1 - 1) - 5 \sin 0 \} = 0$$

$$\left. \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} \right|_{x=0, y=0} = \left\{ -5x \cos y + 2by \right\} \Big|_{x=0, y=0} = 0$$

$$\left. \frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial x^2} \right|_{x=0} = 4e^x \Big|_{x=0} = 4$$

$$\left. \frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial y^2} \right|_{y=0} = -5 \cos y \Big|_{y=0} = -5$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial x^2} > 0$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial x^2} \times \frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial y^2} > \left( \frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial x \partial y} \right)^2$$

$$12 \times 4 > 25$$

$\therefore f(x, y)$  has a minimum at  $(x, y) \neq (0, 0)$

b)  $f(x, y) = (x^2 - 2x) \cos y$ ,  $(x, y) = (1, \pi)$

$$\left. \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} \right|_{x,y} = (2x - 2) \cos y \Big|_{x,y} = 0$$

$$\left. \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} \right|_{x,y} = -\sin y (x^2 - 2x) \Big|_{x,y} = 0$$

$$\left. \frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial x^2} \right|_{x,y} = 2 \cos y \Big|_{x,y} = -2$$

$$\left. \frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial x \partial y} \right|_{x,y} = (2x - 2)(-\sin y) \Big|_{x,y} = 0$$

Second order derivatives are less than 0.

$\therefore (x, y)$  is a maxima.

4.  $f = ax^2 + 2bxy + cy^2$

a)  $A_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$

$$f(x, y) = \vec{x}^T A_1 \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x & y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= x^2 + 4xy + 9y^2$$

b)  $A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$

$$f(x, y) = \vec{x}^T A_2 \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x & y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= x^2 + 6xy + 9y^2$$



5.  $A$  is positive definite.

Let  $A$  have  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2$  as its eigenvalues, then for  $A$  to be positive definite,  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 > 0$  (positive)

$A^3$  will have  $\lambda_1^3$  &  $\lambda_2^3$  as its eigenvalues. But as  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 > 0$ ,  $\lambda_1^3, \lambda_2^3 > 0$ .

$\therefore A^3$  will also be positive definite





6.  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & a & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 2 & 6 & 8 \\ 4 & 8 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$

Both A & B are symmetric matrix,  
for them to be positive semi definite,

$|A - \lambda I|$ , Solving for the eigenvalues,  
we get,

$$\lambda_1 = a - 2 > 0$$

$$\lambda_2 = \frac{a}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{a^2 + 32}}{2} + 2 > 0$$

$$\lambda_3 = \frac{a}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{a^2 + 32}}{2} + 2 > 0$$

From  $\lambda_2, \lambda_3$  we know that  $a > 0$ ,  
& for  $\text{tr}(A) > 0$ ,  $2a + 2 > 0$

$$\therefore \frac{a}{2} + 2 > \frac{\sqrt{a^2 + 32}}{2}$$

$$\frac{a^2}{4} + 2a + 4 > \frac{a^2}{4} + 8$$

$$2a > 4$$

$$a > 2$$

As there is no sign change, inequality conditions hold true.

These are the 3 conditions of eigen values.

~~As A is~~ But we have ~~are~~ from the eigenvalue conditions.

that ~~a~~  $a > 0$ .

As  $A$  is symmetric with positive & real eigenvalues,  
 $A$  is positive & definite.

$$b) \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 2 & b & 8 \\ 4 & 8 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|B - \lambda I| = -\lambda^3 + b\lambda^2 + 8\lambda^2 - 8b\lambda + 77\lambda - 96 + 36 = 0.$$

As  $B$  is symmetric, we can test for subsymmetric matrices.

$$\det |1| = 1$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & b \end{vmatrix} = b - 4 \geq 0$$

$$|B| = 36 - 9b \geq 0$$

Put  $b = 4$ , we get

$$\lambda_1 = -3$$

$$\lambda_2 = 0$$

$$\lambda_3 = 15$$

we have one eigenvalue which is negative but real.

$\therefore B$  is NOT positive definite.



7.  $x^2 + xy + y^2 = 1$

Here,  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0.5 \\ 0.5 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$|A - \lambda I| = (\lambda - 1)^2 - 0.25$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \{0.5, 1.5\}$$

Major component half length  $= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\lambda_2}} = \sqrt{2} = 1.41$

Minor component half length  $= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\lambda_1}} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$   
 $= 0.81$

\* Eigenvector of  $\lambda_1$

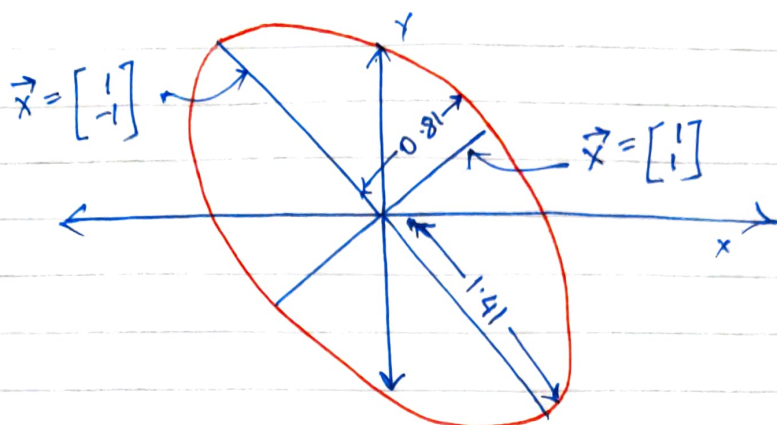
$$\begin{bmatrix} -1/2 & 1/2 \\ 1/2 & -1/2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow x_1 = 1, x_2 = 1$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

\* Eigenvector of  $\lambda_2$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1/2 & 1/2 \\ 1/2 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \begin{matrix} x_1 = 1 \\ x_2 = -1 \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$



8)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/9 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $A_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

a) For  $A_1$ :

$$a > 0, ac > b^2$$

$\therefore$  Positive definite

For  $A_2$ :

$$a > 0, ac < b^2$$

$\therefore$  Indefinite

For  $A_3$ :

$$a > 0, ac = b^2$$

$\therefore$  Positive semi-definite.

b) (B) & (c) graphs are plotted in MATLAB. code & graphs attached below.

c) The graph in  $f(x, y) = 1$  is a slice of the plots seen in (b) part at  $+1$  intercept.