

# MA 351, HW 7

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## 1 Section 4.2.1

### 1.1 Exercises

**Question 4.31.** Use volume to explain why it is expected that the determinant of a  $3 \times 3$  matrix with linearly dependent columns has determinant zero.

*Answer:* If columns are linearly independent, the vectors that  $3 \times 3$  matrix describes will be in the same plane, which makes volume equal to zero.

**Question 4.33.** Use volume to explain why it is expected that for  $3 \times 3$  matrices  $B$  and  $C$   $|\det(BC)| = |\det B| |\det C|$ . [Hint: Use Theorem 4.13.]

*Answer:* Lets take an object with the volume of 1. By applying  $B$  on that object, we will get that the volume of that object has changed to  $\det(B)$ . Similarly, with  $C$ . Applying both of those, the resulting volume will be  $\det(B) * \det(C)$ .

## 2 Section 4.3

### 2.1 Exercises

**Question 4.35.** Use Cramer's rule to express the value of  $y$  in system (a) and the value of  $z$  in system (b) as a ratio of two determinants. Do not evaluate the determinants.

(a)

$$\begin{aligned}2x + y + 3z + w &= 4 \\x + 4y + 2z - 3w &= -1 \\-x + y + z + w &= 0 \\4x - y + z + 2w &= 0\end{aligned}$$

*Answer:*

$$y = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 & -3 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 & -3 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 4 & -1 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix}}$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned}x + 3y + z &= 1 \\3x + 4y + 5z &= 7 \\2x + 5y + 7z &= 2\end{aligned}$$

*Answer:*

$$z = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 & 7 \\ 2 & 5 & 2 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 2 & 5 & 7 \end{vmatrix}}$$

**Question 4.36.** Use Cramer's rule to solve the following system for  $z$  in terms of  $p_1, p_2$ , and  $p_3$ . (Note that we have not asked for  $x$  or  $y$ .)

$$\begin{aligned} x + 2y - 3z &= p_1 \\ 3x + y - z &= p_2 \\ 2x + 3y + 5z &= p_3 \end{aligned}$$

*Answer:*

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & p_1 \\ 3 & 1 & p_2 \\ 2 & 3 & p_3 \end{vmatrix} = + (1)((1)(p_3) - (p_2)(3)) - (2)((3)(p_3) - (p_2)(2)) + (p_1)((3)(3) - (1)(2)) = 7 * p_1 + p_2 - 5 * p_3$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 3 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = + (1)((1)(5) - (-1)(3)) - (2)((3)(5) - (-1)(2)) + (-3)((3)(3) - (1)(2)) = -47$$

$$\frac{\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & p_1 \\ 3 & 1 & p_2 \\ 2 & 3 & p_3 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 3 & 5 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{7 * p_1 + p_2 - 5 * p_3}{-47}$$

**Question 4.38.** Use Theorem 4.15 to find the  $(1, 2)$  entry for the inverse of each invertible matrix in Exercise 4.12 on page 258

*Answer:*

(a)

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0, \quad \text{Matrix is not invertible}$$

(b)

$$\begin{bmatrix} -3 & 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 & 1 \\ 7 & 6 & -2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad (A^{-1})_{12} = \frac{- \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 6 & -2 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} -3 & 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 & 1 \\ 7 & 6 & -2 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{16}{16}$$

(c)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}, \quad (A^{-1})_{12} = \frac{- \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 5 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{0}{34}$$

(d)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 6 & 3 & 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}, \quad (A^{-1})_{12} = \frac{- \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 & 5 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 6 & 3 & 4 & 5 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{-15}{-6}$$

(e)

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 \\ 9 & 10 & 11 & 12 \\ 13 & 14 & 15 & 16 \end{vmatrix} = 0, \quad \text{Matrix is not invertible}$$

(f)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 2 & 0 \\ 9 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 13 & 10 & 0 & 9 \end{bmatrix}, \quad (A^{-1})_{12} = \frac{-\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 10 & 0 & 9 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & 2 & 0 \\ 9 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 13 & 10 & 0 & 9 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{-107}{-973}$$

**Question 4.43.** Let  $A$  be an  $n \times n$  matrix that has only integers as entries. State a necessary and sufficient condition on the determinant of such a matrix that guarantees that the inverse has only integers as entries. Prove your condition. [Hint: Consider the property  $AA^{-1} = I$ .]

*Answer:*

$$\begin{aligned} \det(AA^{-1}) &= \det(I) = 1 \\ \det(AA^{-1}) &= \det(A) \det(A^{-1}) \\ \det(A) \det(A^{-1}) &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the inverse has only integers as entries if and only if  $\det(A) = \pm 1$

### 3 Section 5.1

#### 3.1 True/False

**Question 5.1.** If  $A$  is an  $n \times n$  matrix that has zero for an eigenvalue, then  $A$  cannot be invertible.

*Answer:* True,

$$\begin{aligned} (A - 0I)X &= 0 \\ AX &= 0 \\ A^{-1}AX &= A^{-1}0 \\ X &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

**Question 5.4.** The sum of two eigenvectors is an eigenvector.

*Answer:* False, for example,  $\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ . Eigenvectors for that matrix are  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Their sum is  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  is not an eigenvector.

**Question 5.5.** If  $X$  is an eigenvector for  $A$  with eigenvalue 3, then  $2X$  is an eigenvector for  $A$  with eigenvalue 6.

*Answer:* False,  $2X$  will still have the eigenvalue of 3.

**Question 5.6.** If  $X$  is an eigenvector for an  $n \times n$  matrix  $A$ , then  $X$  is also an eigenvector for  $2A$ .

*Answer:* True,

$$\begin{aligned} AX &= \lambda X \\ 2AX &= 2\lambda X \\ (2A)X &= (2\lambda)X \end{aligned}$$

**Question 5.11.** There is a  $3 \times 3$  matrix with eigenvalues 1, 2, 3, and 4

*Answer:* False, since the cubic polynomial cannot have 4 roots.

### 3.2 Exercises

**Question 5.5.** For the following matrices, find all eigenvalues and a basis for each eigenspace. State whether or not the given matrix is diagonalizable over  $\mathbb{R}$ .

(a)

$$\begin{bmatrix} -18 & 30 \\ -10 & 17 \end{bmatrix}$$

*Answer:*

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda - 18 & 30 \\ -10 & -\lambda + 17 \end{vmatrix} = (\lambda - 2)(\lambda + 3) = 0$$

$$\lambda = -3, 2$$

1.  $\lambda = -3$

$$\begin{aligned} A - (-3)I &= \begin{bmatrix} -15 & 30 \\ -10 & 20 \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} -15 & 30 & 0 \\ -10 & 20 & 0 \end{bmatrix} &\xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Eigenvectors:  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

2.  $\lambda = 2$

$$\begin{aligned} A - (2)I &= \begin{bmatrix} -20 & 30 \\ -10 & 15 \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} -20 & 30 & 0 \\ -10 & 15 & 0 \end{bmatrix} &\xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{3}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Eigenvectors:  $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{2} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Matrix is diagonalizable

(b)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 10 & -17 \\ 6 & -10 \end{bmatrix}$$

*Answer:*

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda + 10 & -17 \\ 6 & -\lambda - 10 \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 + 2 = 0$$

$$\lambda = -\sqrt{2}i, \sqrt{2}i$$

Matrix is not diagonalizable over real numbers

(c)

$$\begin{bmatrix} -12 & 21 \\ -6 & 11 \end{bmatrix}$$

*Answer:*

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda - 12 & 21 \\ -6 & -\lambda + 11 \end{vmatrix} = (\lambda - 2)(\lambda + 3) = 0$$

$$\lambda = -3, 2$$

1.  $\lambda = -3$ 

$$A - (-3)I = \begin{bmatrix} -9 & 21 \\ -6 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -9 & 21 & 0 \\ -6 & 14 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{7}{3} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvectors:  $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{7}{3} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 2.  $\lambda = 2$ 

$$A - (2)I = \begin{bmatrix} -14 & 21 \\ -6 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -14 & 21 & 0 \\ -6 & 9 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{3}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvectors:  $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{2} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

Matrix is diagonalizable

(d)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 12 & -8 \\ 0 & -8 & 6 \\ 0 & -9 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

*Answer:*

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda + 2 & 12 & -8 \\ 0 & -\lambda - 8 & 6 \\ 0 & -9 & -\lambda + 7 \end{vmatrix} = -(\lambda - 2)(\lambda - 1)(\lambda + 2) = 0$$

 $\lambda = -2, 1, 2$ 1.  $\lambda = -2$ 

$$A - (-2)I = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 12 & -8 \\ 0 & -6 & 6 \\ 0 & -9 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 12 & -8 & 0 \\ 0 & -6 & 6 & 0 \\ 0 & -9 & 9 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvectors:  $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 2.  $\lambda = 1$ 

$$A - (1)I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 12 & -8 \\ 0 & -9 & 6 \\ 0 & -9 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 12 & -8 & 0 \\ 0 & -9 & 6 & 0 \\ 0 & -9 & 6 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{2}{3} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvectors:  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{2}{3} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

3.  $\lambda = 2$ 

$$A - (2)I = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 12 & -8 \\ 0 & -10 & 6 \\ 0 & -9 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 12 & -8 & 0 \\ 0 & -10 & 6 & 0 \\ 0 & -9 & 5 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvectors:  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ 

Matrix is diagonalizable

(e)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & -2 & 2 \\ -5 & -10 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

Answer:

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda + 2 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & -\lambda - 2 & 2 \\ -5 & -10 & -\lambda + 7 \end{vmatrix} = -(\lambda - 3)(\lambda - 2)^2 = 0$$

 $\lambda = 2, 3$ 1.  $\lambda = 2$ 

$$A - (2)I = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & -4 & 2 \\ -5 & -10 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & -4 & 2 & 0 \\ -5 & -10 & 5 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvectors:  $\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 2.  $\lambda = 3$ 

$$A - (3)I = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & -5 & 2 \\ -5 & -10 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & -5 & 2 & 0 \\ -5 & -10 & 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{2}{5} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvectors:  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{2}{5} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

Matrix is diagonalizable

(f)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -5 & 2 \\ -2 & -2 & 2 \\ -7 & -15 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

Answer:

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & -5 & 2 \\ -2 & -\lambda - 2 & 2 \\ -7 & -15 & -\lambda + 9 \end{vmatrix} = -(\lambda - 3)(\lambda - 2)^2 = 0$$

 $\lambda = 2, 3$

1.  $\lambda = 2$ 

$$A - (2)I = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -5 & 2 \\ -2 & -4 & 2 \\ -7 & -15 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -2 & -5 & 2 & 0 \\ -2 & -4 & 2 & 0 \\ -7 & -15 & 7 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvectors:  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 2.  $\lambda = 3$ 

$$A - (3)I = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & -5 & 2 \\ -2 & -5 & 2 \\ -7 & -15 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -3 & -5 & 2 & 0 \\ -2 & -5 & 2 & 0 \\ -7 & -15 & 6 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{2}{5} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvectors:  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{2}{5} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

Matrix is not diagonalizable

(g)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 10 & -24 & 7 \\ 6 & -14 & 4 \\ 6 & -15 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

Answer:

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda + 10 & -24 & 7 \\ 6 & -\lambda - 14 & 4 \\ 6 & -15 & -\lambda + 5 \end{vmatrix} = -(\lambda - 1)(\lambda^2 + 2) = 0$$

$$\lambda = 1, -\sqrt{2}i, \sqrt{2}i$$

1.  $\lambda = 1$ 

$$A - (1)I = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & -24 & 7 \\ 6 & -15 & 4 \\ 6 & -15 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 9 & -24 & 7 & 0 \\ 6 & -15 & 4 & 0 \\ 6 & -15 & 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{2}{3} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvectors:  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{2}{3} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

Matrix is not diagonalizable over real numbers

(h)

$$\begin{bmatrix} -2 & -1 & 1 \\ -6 & -2 & 0 \\ 13 & 7 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Answer:

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda - 2 & -1 & 1 \\ -6 & -\lambda - 2 & 0 \\ 13 & 7 & -\lambda - 4 \end{vmatrix} = -(\lambda + 8)(\lambda^2 + 1) = 0$$

$$\lambda = -8, -i, i$$

1.  $\lambda = -8$ 

$$A - (-8)I = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -1 & 1 \\ -6 & 6 & 0 \\ 13 & 7 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 6 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ -6 & 6 & 0 & 0 \\ 13 & 7 & 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{1}{5} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{5} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvectors:  $\begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{5} \\ -\frac{1}{5} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Matrix is not diagonalizable over real numbers

(i)

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

*Answer:*

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda + 1 & 2 & 0 \\ -3 & -\lambda + 2 & 3 \\ -1 & 2 & -\lambda + 2 \end{vmatrix} = -(\lambda - 2)^2(\lambda - 1) = 0$$

 $\lambda = 1, 2$ 1.  $\lambda = 1$ 

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

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ -3 & 1 & 3 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvectors:  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

2.  $\lambda = 2$ 

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

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ -3 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvectors:  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Matrix is not diagonalizable

(j)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

*Answer:*



$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda + 1 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & -\lambda + 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\lambda - 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -\lambda - 4 \end{vmatrix} = (\lambda - 4)(\lambda + 2)^2(\lambda + 3) = 0$$

$$\lambda = -3, -2, 4$$

$$1. \lambda = -3$$

$$A - (-3)I = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Eigenvectors: } \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$2. \lambda = -2$$

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

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Eigenvectors: } \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$3. \lambda = 4$$

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

$$\begin{bmatrix} -3 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & -3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -5 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -8 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Eigenvectors: } \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrix is diagonalizable

**Question 5.11.** Suppose that  $A$  is an  $n \times n$  matrix such that  $A^2 = I$  and that  $\lambda$  is an eigenvalue for  $A$ . Prove that  $\lambda = \pm 1$

*Answer:*

$$AX = \lambda X$$

$$AAX = A\lambda X$$

$$IX = \lambda AX$$

$$X = \lambda \lambda X$$

$$X = \lambda^2 X$$

Since  $X$  is a nonzero matrix,  $\lambda = \pm 1$

**Question 5.12.** Let  $A$  be an  $n \times n$  matrix and let  $\lambda$  be an eigenvalue for  $A$ . Prove that  $\lambda^2$  is an eigenvalue for  $A^2$ .

*Answer:*

$$AX = \lambda X$$

$$AAX = A\lambda X$$

$$A^2X = \lambda AX$$

$$A^2X = \lambda \lambda X$$

$$A^2X = \lambda^2 X$$

**Question 5.13.** Suppose that  $A$  in Exercise 5.12 is invertible. Prove that  $\lambda^{-1}$  is an eigenvalue for  $A^{-1}$

*Answer:*

$$AX = \lambda X$$

$$A^{-1}AX = A^{-1}\lambda X$$

$$IX = \lambda A^{-1}X$$

$$\lambda^{-1}X = A^{-1}X$$