

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

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cofactor along second column

$$2-\lambda \cdot \det \left(\begin{bmatrix} -\lambda & -2 \\ 1 & 3-\lambda \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

$$(-\lambda)(3-\lambda) + 2$$

$$(2-\lambda)(\lambda^2 - 3\lambda + 2) = -\lambda^3 + 5\lambda^2 + 8\lambda + 4$$

$$\det A = 0$$

$$(2-\lambda)(\lambda-2)(\lambda-1) \quad \Bigg| \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{EVs} \\ \lambda=2 \\ \lambda=1 \end{array}$$

$$\underline{\lambda=2 \text{ case}} \quad M_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[M_2 | 0]_{\text{red}} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \leadsto \begin{array}{l} x + z = 0 \\ y, z, \text{ free} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -t \\ s \\ t \end{bmatrix} = t \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + s \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ 2D eigenspace.

$\lambda = 1$ case

$$[M_1 | 0]^{ref}$$

$$M_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightsquigarrow \begin{array}{l} x + 2z = 0 \\ y - z = 0 \end{array}$$

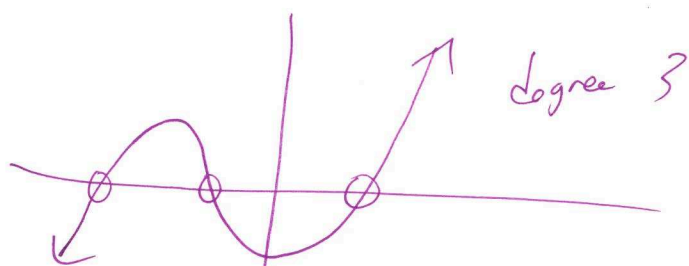
$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2t \\ t \\ t \end{bmatrix} \rightsquigarrow \text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \quad 1D.$$

Eigenvalues for diagonal matrices

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

Fact A is $n \times n$, then $\chi_A(\lambda)$ is a polynomial of degree n .

so $\chi_A(\lambda) = 0$ has at most n solutions



Theorem \rightsquigarrow Constant term of χ_A is $\det(A)$.

cor: A inv $\iff 0$ not an e.v.

Theorem

A matrix has $\leq n$ eigenvalues!

EVs of diagonal matrices

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E.g. /

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -8 \end{bmatrix} \leftarrow \text{Find the EVs.}$$

3, 2, -8 & the E vectors

$$M\hat{i} = 3\hat{i} \quad M\hat{j} = 2\hat{j} \quad M\hat{k} = -8\hat{k}$$

$$\text{Espace } 3 \rightsquigarrow \text{span}\{\hat{i}\}$$

$$\text{Espace } 2 \rightsquigarrow \text{span}\{\hat{j}\}$$

$$\text{espace } -8 \rightsquigarrow \text{span}\{\hat{k}\}.$$

Diag Matrices are nice in a lot of ways.

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det M = xyz$$

$$M^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} x^{-1} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & z^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M^n = \begin{bmatrix} x^n & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y^n & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & z^n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{E.V.s} \quad x, y, z$$

$$\text{E vectors} \quad \hat{i}, \hat{j}, \hat{k}.$$

Geometrically: Scale in \hat{e}_i direction by a_{ii}

Diagonalization

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

Eigenvectors

$$v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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 $\lambda = 2$ $\lambda = 1$

Form a basis!

Consider $\tilde{A} \leftarrow$ same function but in new basis.

Question: What is \tilde{A} ?

Matrix Recon. Theorem

$$\tilde{A} = \left(\tilde{A} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \tilde{A} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \tilde{A} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right)$$

$$= (\tilde{A} \vec{v}_1 \quad \tilde{A} \vec{v}_2 \quad \tilde{A} \vec{v}_3)$$

$$= (2\vec{v}_1 \quad 2\vec{v}_2 \quad \vec{v}_3)$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow \text{diagonal matrix!!}$$

So... if $B = [\vec{v}_1 \quad \vec{v}_2 \quad \vec{v}_3]$

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

is diagonal!!

Cool application

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A^{10} seems really hard...

but...

$$\tilde{A}^{10} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{10} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 2^{10} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2^{10} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{10 \text{ times}} = \begin{bmatrix} 1024 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1024 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{A}^{10} = (B^{-1}AB)^{10} = \underbrace{(B^{-1}AB)(B^{-1}AB) \dots (B^{-1}AB)}_{\substack{\uparrow \uparrow \\ \text{cancel}}}$$

$$= B^{-1}A^{10}B$$

Solving

$$A^{10} = B \tilde{A}^{10} B^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1024 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1024 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1024 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1024 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1.5 & 0 & 1 \\ -0.5 & 0.5 & -0.5 \\ 0.5 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1536 & 0 & 1024 \\ -512 & 512 & -1024 \\ -0.5 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1024 & 0 & 2048 \\ 1024 & 1024 & 1024 \\ 1024 & -1024 & -1024 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -1022 & 0 & -2046 \\ 1023 & 1024 & 1023 \\ 1023 & 0 & 2047 \end{bmatrix}$$

Question:

Is there a basis for A when A is diagonal?

Partial Answer

If there is a basis for \mathbb{R}^n of eigenvectors... yes!

$$\begin{aligned}
 \lambda_1 &\sim v_1 & B &= [v_1 \dots v_n] \\
 \lambda_2 &\sim v_2 & B^{-1}AB &= \tilde{A} = [\tilde{A}v_1 \dots \tilde{A}v_n] \\
 &\vdots & &= [\lambda_1 v_1 \dots \lambda_n v_n] \\
 \lambda_n &\sim v_n & &= \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

Defⁿ A matrix is diagonalizable if $\exists B$ s.t.

$\tilde{A} = B^{-1}AB$ is diagonal. \tilde{A} is called diagonalization of A .

~~Example~~

Example: Suppose A diagonalizable, & all eigenvalues are 1. Then $A = I$

$$\tilde{A} = B^{-1}AB = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \ddots & & \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \\ 0 & \dots & & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I$$

so $B^{-1}AB = I$

so $A = B \tilde{A} B^{-1} = I$

Example:

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

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

$$\leadsto \lambda(A) = (1-\lambda)^2 \quad \text{so } \lambda=1 \text{ only E.V.}$$

Eigenvector:

$$\lambda=1 \quad M = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Null } M \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{red}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \leadsto y=0 \quad x \text{ free}$$

$$\text{Eigenspace} \quad \begin{matrix} x=6 \\ y=0 \end{matrix} = \begin{bmatrix} t \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \text{span}\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

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1D

SO! 1 eigenspace of dim 1

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 8 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \lambda=3 \\ \lambda=-1 \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} V_1 = \text{span}\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \leftarrow 1D \\ V_2 = \text{span}\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \leftarrow 1D \end{matrix} \quad \left. \begin{matrix} \\ + \\ 2 \end{matrix} \right\} \begin{matrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ \text{Basis } \mathbb{R}^2 \\ \Rightarrow \text{diag} \end{matrix}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \lambda=2 \quad \begin{matrix} V_1 = \text{span}\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \leftarrow 2D \\ V_2 = \text{span}\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \leftarrow 1D \end{matrix} \quad \left. \begin{matrix} \\ + 1D \\ 3 \end{matrix} \right\} \begin{matrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ \text{Basis } \mathbb{R}^3 \\ \Rightarrow \text{diag} \end{matrix}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \lambda=1 \quad V_1 = \text{span}\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \quad \left. \begin{matrix} + 1D \\ 1 \neq 2 \end{matrix} \right\} \begin{matrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ not a} \\ \text{basis.} \end{matrix}$$

Theorem

A is diagonalizable exactly when the sum of the dimensions of the eigenspaces is n .

Cor: If A has n distinct e.v.s. It's diag.

$$\begin{matrix} \dim V_1 \geq 1 \\ \dim V_2 \geq 1 \quad \dots \quad \dim V_n \geq 1 \end{matrix} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} \sum \dim V_i \geq n \\ \text{so } \sum \dim V_i = n \end{matrix}$$

Application

Finding a matrix from eigendata.

Know an eigenbasis $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$ $\lambda = 2$

For A $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ $\lambda = 5$

$$\leadsto \tilde{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 5 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -5 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{So } A = B\tilde{A}B^{-1}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 5 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -5 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 5 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -2 \\ -25 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -13 & 6 \\ -45 & 20 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -13 & 6 \\ -45 & 20 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -13 & 6 \\ -45 & 20 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 15 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$