

A Rigorous Proofless Approach to Linear Algebra

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1 Introduction

Only the first 18 pages have been revised. Think of the last 10 pages as a roadmap.

What follows is an attempt to present linear algebra as a system of algorithms in a manner devoid of argumentation. The correctness of these algorithms hopefully is made apparent by stating expected variable values at certain points of execution. Mathematical argumentation is circumvented by letting algorithms *show* what a proposition in an argument might have *said*.

The subset of linear algebra I intend to tackle consists of the Smith normal form, determinants, compound matrices, general solutions to linear systems, characteristic matrices, the rational canonical form, block matrix multiplication, minimum polynomials, orthogonalization, and the spectral theorem for symmetric matrices. To get the above done, I also have to extract the algorithms from Sturm's theorem, Cauchy's bound, the Cauchy-Schwarz inequality, the Euclidean division algorithm, and the factor theorem.

Here, I would like to note that this project is largely based on the textbook Linear Algebra by Harold Edwards. In summary, I have taken the text; removed all the exercises and exposition; removed all the proofs inessential to proving the spectral theorem; extracted and purified the algorithms used in each proof; and conjured up my own algorithms in the cases where I could not extract an algorithm.

The following are some things to take into consideration whilst reading the **body** of this project:

1. Where a proof expresses generality using universal quantification, the algorithms below show generality by allowing one to choose inputs. See **algorithm 24**.
2. Where a proof expresses that a proposition implies contradiction, the algorithms below merely

show how certain control flows lead to absurdity. See algorithms **11**, **28**, **34**, and **51**.

3. Where a proof uses the principle of mathematical induction, the algorithms below merely use iteration/recursion and loop invariants. See algorithms **46**, **46 auxilliary**, and **51**.

Anyway, to see most easily what I am trying to do, see algorithms **33**, **39**, **48**, and **50**.

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2 Body

2.1 Algorithm 1

Choose a 1×2 matrix, A , whose entries are polynomials and do the following:

1. Let A be our working matrix.
2. If the $A_{1,1} = 0$, then add $A_{1,2}$ to it.
3. Then while $A_{1,2} \neq 0$, do the following:
 - (a) If $\deg(A_{1,1}) = \deg(A_{1,2})$ and $A_{1,1}$ is monic, then:
 - i. Subtract a times $A_{1,1}$ from $A_{1,2}$ where a is the leading coefficient of $A_{1,2}$.
 - (b) Otherwise, if $\deg(A_{1,1}) = \deg(A_{1,2})$ but $A_{1,1}$ is not monic, then:
 - i. Add $1 - b/a$ times $A_{1,2}$ to $A_{1,1}$ where b and a are the leading coefficients of $A_{1,1}$ and $A_{1,2}$ respectively.
 - ii. Go to (3a) again.
 - (c) Otherwise, if $\deg(A_{1,1}) \neq \deg(A_{1,2})$, then:
 - i. Let p and q be locations of the polynomials with the lower and higher degree respectively.
 - ii. Add $-b/ax^{\deg(p)-\deg(q)}$ times p to q where b and a are the leading coefficients of q and p respectively.
 - iii. If q becomes zero, then:
 - A. Undo operation (3cii) and do the same thing again, only this time using the fraction $1 - b/ax^{\deg(p)-\deg(q)}$.
 - (d) **Verify that the degree of only one entry changed.**
 - (e) **Verify that the changed entry's degree decreased.**
4. **Verify that $A_{1,2} = 0$.**
5. If the original A was not zero, then do the following:
 - (a) Verify that the body of loop (3) executed at least once.

- (b) Verify that the last instructions executed were an instance of (3ai), (3d), then (3e).
 - (c) **Therefore verify that $A_{1,1}$ is a monic polynomial.**
6. Otherwise, do the following:
- (a) Verify that both entries were originally zero.
 - (b) **Therefore, now verify that $A_{1,1} = 0$.**
7. **Yield the tuple $\langle A \rangle$.**

2.2 Algorithm 2

Choose an $m \times n$ matrix, A , whose entries are polynomials and do the following:

1. Let A be our working matrix.
2. If the top-left entry of the matrix is zero, then do the following:
 - (a) While there are non-zero entries in the top row less its first entry, do the following:
 - i. In the first row, select the 1×2 matrix whose right entry coincides with the last non-zero entry of the first row
 - ii. Apply **algorithm 1** on this submatrix but this time adding and subtracting the entire columns instead of merely just the entries in the submatrix.
 - iii. Verify that the left and right entries of the submatrix are now non-zero and zero respectively.
 - iv. If the left entry of the submatrix coincides with the top-left entry of the matrix,
 - A. Verify that the top-left entry is now non-zero.
 - B. Go to operation (2).
 - (b) Now do the same operations as in (a), but this time with the operations themselves reflected across the matrix's diagonal. I.e. making 2×1 submatrices starting from the bottom-most non-zero row of the first column and working your way upwards.

- (c) Verify that, except for the top-left entry, the first row and the first column are zero. Now skip to operation (3).
3. While the top-left entry is non-zero, do the following:
- (a) Call operation (1a) except that at (1aivA), we instead expect that the top-left entry has a lower degree than before.
 - (b) Call operation (1b) except that at (1bivA), we instead expect that the top-left entry has a lower degree than before.
 - (c) Call operation (1c).
4. Apply **algorithm 2** to the $(m-1) \times (n-1)$ submatrix formed by removing the first row and first column from the matrix under consideration.
5. Verify that (3)'s execution leaves the first row and column unchanged.
6. **Verify that A is now a diagonal matrix.**
7. **Yield the tuple $\langle A \rangle$.**

2.3 Algorithm 3 (Smith normal form construction)

Choose an $m \times n$ matrix, A , whose entries are polynomials and do the following:

1. Apply **algorithm 2** on A .
2. If $m > 0$ and $n > 0$, then do the following:
 - (a) For j going from 2 to $\min(m, n)$, do the following:
 - i. Add row j to row 1 and let A' , a copy of A , be our working matrix.
 - ii. Apply **algorithm 1** on the submatrix of A' formed by selecting row 1 and columns 1 and j as if there were nothing in between.
 - iii. Verify that the execution of **algorithm 1** in (ii) manifested itself in a sequence of column operations to make $A'_{1,j}$ zero.
 - iv. Temporarily stepwise undo these column operations and do the following:

- A. Verify that $A_{1,1} = p * A'_{1,1}$, where p is some implicitly constructed polynomial.
 - B. Verify that $A_{1,1}$ is a factor of all $A_{2,2}, \dots, A_{j-1,j-1}$.
 - C. Therefore verify that $A'_{1,1}$ is also a factor of all $A_{2,2}, \dots, A_{j-1,j-1}$.
 - D. Verify that $A_{j,j} = A_{1,j} = q * A'_{1,1}$, where q is some implicitly constructed polynomial.
 - E. Verify that $A'_{j,1} = r * A_{j,j} = r * A_{1,j} = rq * A'_{1,1}$, where r is some implicitly constructed polynomial.
 - F. Verify that $A'_{j,j} = t * A_{j,j} = t * A_{1,j} = tq * A'_{1,1}$, where t is some implicitly constructed polynomial.
- v. Subtract rq times row 1 from row j .
 - vi. Now verify that $A'_{j,1} = 0$.
 - vii. Now let A be equal to our working matrix.
- (b) Call (2) in-place on the submatrix formed by removing the first row and column.
 - (c) Verify that each entry on the diagonal after $A_{1,1}$ is a linear combination of multiples of $A_{1,1}$.
 - (d) Therefore verify that each entry on the diagonal is still be a multiple of $A_{1,1}$.
 - (e) **Let** $A_{0,0} = 1$.
 - (f) **Verify that for all** $1 \leq i \leq \min(m, n)$, $A_{i,i} = u_i A_{i-1,i-1}$, **where** u_i **is a polynomial implicitly constructed above.**

3. Yield the tuple $\langle A \rangle$.

2.4 Algorithm 4 (Associativity verification)

Choose an $m \times n$ **matrix, A, an** $n \times p$ **matrix, B, and a** $p \times q$ **matrix C, all of whose entries are polynomials.** Now do the following:

1. Verify that $(AB)_{i,l} = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (A_{i,k} * B_{k,l})$.

2. Verify that $((AB)C)_{i,r} = \sum_{l=0}^{p-1} ((AB)_{i,l} * C_{l,r}) = \sum_{l=0}^{p-1} \left(\sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (A_{i,k} * B_{k,l}) * C_{l,r} \right)$.
3. Verify that $(BC)_{k,r} = \sum_{l=0}^{p-1} (B_{k,l} * C_{l,r})$.
4. Verify that $(A(BC))_{i,r} = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (A_{i,k} * (BC)_{k,r}) = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left(A_{i,k} * \sum_{l=0}^{p-1} (B_{k,l} * C_{l,r}) \right)$.
5. Verify that $(2) = \sum_{l=0}^{p-1} \left(\sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (A_{i,k} * B_{k,l} * C_{l,r}) \right) = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left(\sum_{l=0}^{p-1} (A_{i,k} * B_{k,l} * C_{l,r}) \right) = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left(A_{i,k} * \sum_{l=0}^{p-1} (B_{k,l} * C_{l,r}) \right) = (4)$.
6. **Therefore verify that** $(AB)C = A(BC)$.

2.5 Algorithm 5 (Extended Smith normal form construction)

Choose an $m \times n$ **matrix, A, whose entries are polynomials** and do the following:

1. Make a singleton list containing one item, the chosen matrix A .
2. Augment [algorithm 3](#) so that each time a polynomial x times a column i is added onto column j , an $n \times n$ matrix that only has 1s on its diagonal, and such that the only non-zero entry off its diagonal is x at position (i, j) , is appended onto the list.
3. Also augment [algorithm 3](#) so that each time a polynomial x times a row i is added onto row j , an $n \times n$ matrix that only has 1s on its diagonal, and such that the only non-zero entry off its diagonal is x at position (j, i) , is prepended onto the list.
4. Now run [algorithm 3](#) on the matrix A .
5. Let D be the diagonal matrix produced by [algorithm 3](#).
6. **Verify that** D **equals the product, in-order, of the matrices in the list.**
7. Let M be the product of the sublist whose entries are all those that precede A .
8. Let N be the product of the sublist whose entries are all those that follow the original A .

9. **Verify that $D = MAN$.**
10. **Yield the tuple $\langle D, M, N \rangle$.**

2.6 Algorithm 6 (Inverse extended Smith normal form construction)

Choose an $m \times n$ matrix, A , whose entries are polynomials and do the following:

1. Run **algorithm 3** on matrix A to get the matrix D .
2. Now, starting work with the matrix D , iterate through the row and column operations of **algorithm 3** starting from the last and ending with the first:
 - (a) If the current operation adds polynomial x times column i to column j , then add $-x$ times column i from column j from our working matrix.
 - (b) If the current operation adds polynomial x times row i to row j , then add $-x$ times row i from row j from our working matrix.
3. Our working matrix should now be equal to A .
4. Make a singleton list containing one item, the original matrix D .
5. Augment (2) in a way analogous to how **algorithm 5** augmented **algorithm 3**, but this time with the list provided in (4).
6. Now run augmented (2).
7. **Verify that A equals the product, in-order, of the matrices in the list.**
8. Let M^{-1} be the product of the sublist whose entries are all those that precede D .
9. Let N^{-1} be the product of the sublist whose entries are all those that follow D .
10. **Verify that $A = M^{-1}DN^{-1}$.**
11. **Yield the tuple $\langle M^{-1}, D, N^{-1} \rangle$.**

2.7 Algorithm 7

Choose an $m \times n$ matrix, A , whose entries are polynomials and do the following:

1. Run **algorithm 6** with A as the choice matrix.

2. Now, starting work with the matrix I_n , the $n \times n$ matrix with only 1s on the diagonal, do the following operations:

- (a) Apply in-order the column operations that were applied on A
- (b) Then apply in-order the column operations that were applied on D
3. Verify that the application of operation (2) leaves I_n unchanged.
4. Verify that $(I_n N)N^{-1}$ evaluates to the same matrix produced by (2).
5. **Therefore verify that $(I_n N)N^{-1} = I_n$.**
6. **Therefore, using **algorithm 4**, verify that $I_n = (I_n N)N^{-1} = I_n(NN^{-1}) = NN^{-1}$.**

Using similar computations, verify that $N^{-1}N = I_n$, and that $MM^{-1} = M^{-1}M = I_m$.

2.8 Algorithm 8 (Determinant calculation)

Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are polynomials and do the following:

1. If m equals 0, then do the following:
 - (a) **Yield the tuple $\langle 1 \rangle$.**
2. Otherwise, do the following:
 - (a) Let a be the sum of m terms where, counting from $i = 0$, the i^{th} term is $((-1)^i A_{i,1})$ times the result of applying **algorithm 8** on the submatrix formed by removing the first column and i^{th} row from A .
 - (b) **Yield the tuple $\langle a \rangle$.**

We will use the notation $\det_{I,J}(A)$ to refer to the invocation of **algorithm 8 on the square submatrix created by selecting the sequence of rows I and the sequence of columns J from A . If neither I nor J are specified, then the invocation shall happen directly on A .**

2.9 Algorithm 9 (Multilinearity verification)

Choose a polynomial p . Choose two $m \times 1$ matrices, B and C , whose entries are polynomials

als. Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are polynomials and that is such that its i^{th} column is $B + pC$. The value $\det(A)$ can be evaluated as follows:

1. Considering every element of A to be a unit, verify that fully expanding out $\det(A)$ yields an alternating sum of $m!$ terms, where each term is the product of m entries of A , where each entry has a distinct row and distinct column.
2. Distribute out the entries of the i^{th} column occurring in this alternating sum.
3. Verify that the outcome of (2) is $m! * 2$ terms.
4. Reorder the terms so that the currently odd ones come first and the currently even ones come last.
5. Verify that $\det(A) = \det(A') + \det(A'')$ where A' is A with the i^{th} column replaced by B and A'' is A with the i^{th} column replaced by pC .
6. Reorder the factors of each term in $\det(A'')$ to bring p to the front.
7. Now verify that the $\det(A'') = p \det(A''')$, where A''' is A with the i^{th} column replaced by C .
8. Therefore verify that $\det(A) = \det(A') + p \det(A''')$.

Make an analogous algorithm for cases when a given row is the sum of two $1 \times m$ matrices.

2.10 Algorithm 10 (Alternation verification)

Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are polynomials. Choose a row $1 < i \leq m$. To evaluate $\det(A')$ where A' is A with rows $i - 1$ and i swapped, do the following:

1. Fully expand out $\det A$ into $m!$ terms and then do the same for $\det A'$.
2. For each of the $m!$ ways to select m rows from A , let $r = (r_1, r_2, \dots, r_m)$ be the rows selected corresponding to the columns $1, 2, \dots, m$ respectively, and do the following:
 - (a) Verify that the values selected by r in A are the same as the values selected by r' in A' , where r' is obtained by swapping the values $i - 1$ and i in the sequence r .

- (b) Execute [algorithm 8](#) on A , and consider the execution path that produces the term corresponding to the row selections r . Ditto for A' and r' .
- (c) Let k be the lesser of the indices of the values $i - 1$ and i in the sequence r .
- (d) Verify that the signs attached to $A_{r_1,1}, \dots, A_{r_{k-1},k-1}$ are the same as the signs attached to $A'_{r'_1,1}, \dots, A'_{r'_{k-1},k-1}$.
- (e) Verify that indices r_k and r'_k identify adjacent rows in the remaining respective submatrices of A and A' .
- (f) Therefore verify that the signs then attached to A_{r_k} and $A'_{r'_k}$ are opposite.
- (g) Verify that after the removal of r_k and r'_k from their respective submatrices, the submatrices left are identical.
- (h) Therefore verify that the signs attached to $A_{r_{k+1},k+1}, \dots, A_{r_{m-1},m-1}$ are the same as the signs attached to $A'_{r'_{k+1},k+1}, \dots, A'_{r'_{m-1},m-1}$.
- (i) Therefore verify that the term corresponding to the row selections r' in the full expansion of $\det(A')$ has the opposite sign to the term corresponding to the row selections r in the full expansion of $\det(A)$.

3. Therefore verify that every term in the full expansion of $\det(A)$ corresponds to a unique negated version of itself in the full expansion of $\det(A')$.

4. Therefore verify that $\det(A') = -\det(A)$.

Make a simpler algorithm to verify that column swaps cause sign alternations.

2.11 Algorithm 11

Choose integers $1 < i \leq m$. Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are polynomials, and such that columns $i - 1$ and i are the same. To evaluate $\det(A)$, do the following:

1. If $\det(A) \neq 0$, then do the following:
 - (a) Let A' be A with columns i and $i - 1$ swapped.

- (b) Verify that A' equals A .
 - (c) Therefore verify that $\det(A') = \det(A)$.
 - (d) Using **algorithm 10**, also verify that $\det(A') = -\det(A)$.
 - (e) **Abort algorithm.**
2. Otherwise, do the following:
- (a) **Verify that $\det(A) = 0$.**

Make an analogous algorithm to verify that matrix choices with repeated rows yield determinants equal to zero.

2.12 Algorithm 12

Choose a column index $1 \leq i \leq m$. Choose a positive integer j . Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are polynomials. To evaluate $\det(A')$ where A' is A but with column i moved j places, do the following:

1. Let $A_i = A$.
2. For $k = i + 1$ to $k = i + j$, do the following:
 - (a) Let A_k be obtained by swapping columns $k - 1$ and k of A_{k-1} .
 - (b) Using **algorithm 10**, verify that $\det(A_k) = -\det(A_{k-1})$.
3. Verify that $A' = A_{i+j}$.
4. **Therefore verify that $\det(A') = \det(A_{i+j}) = (-1)^1 \det(A_{i+j-1}) = \dots = (-1)^j \det(A_i) = (-1)^j \det(A)$.**

Make an analogous algorithm that verifies that $\det(A') = (-1)^j \det(A)$ when a non-positive integer, j , is chosen.

Also make an analogous algorithm that does the verification for moved rows.

2.13 Algorithm 13 (Compound matrix calculation)

Choose an $m \times n$ matrix, A , of polynomials and choose an integer $1 \leq k \leq \min(m, n)$. Yield a tuple comprising the $\binom{m}{k} \times \binom{n}{k}$ matrix constructed as follows:

1. The rows are labeled by the colexicographically sorted list of increasing length- k sequences whose elements are picked from the first m positive integers.
2. The columns are labeled by the colexicographically sorted list of increasing length- k sequences whose elements are picked from the first n positive integers.
3. For each row label I : For each column label J : Let the entry at position (I, J) be $\det_{I,J}(A)$.

We will use the notation $C_k(A)$ to refer to an invocation of **algorithm 13 on the matrix A .**

2.14 Algorithm 14 (Compound matrix of identity calculation)

Choose two integers $0 \leq k \leq m$. To evaluate $C_k(I_m)$, iterate through all its entries and do the following:

1. **Algorithm 13** requires us to form a submatrix B of A using the rows listed in the row label, and the columns listed in the column label.
2. If the entry is diagonal, then do the following:
 - (a) Verify that the k column indices we just selected from I_m are the same as the k rows indices we just selected from I_m .
 - (b) Therefore verify that the diagonal positions of B correspond to a diagonal entry of I_m .
 - (c) Therefore verify that the diagonal positions of B are 1.
 - (d) Also verify that the non-diagonal positions of B correspond to a non-diagonal entry of I_m .
 - (e) Therefore verify that the non-diagonal positions of B are 0.
 - (f) Therefore the submatrix B should equal I_k .
 - (g) **Therefore using **algorithm 8**, verify that $|B| = 1$.**
3. Otherwise, do the following:
 - (a) Verify that the k column indices we just selected from I_m are different from the k row indices that we just selected from I_m .

- (b) Let i be a selected row index that is not also a column index.
 - (c) Iterate through the columns of the row in the submatrix B that corresponds to row i of I_m and do the following:
 - i. Let j be the column index of I_m to which this column corresponds.
 - ii. Using (3b), verify that $i \neq j$.
 - iii. Verify that $(I_m)_{i,j} = 0$.
 - iv. Therefore verify that this entry is 0.
 - (d) Verify that the row in the submatrix B that corresponds to row i of I_m is entirely zero.
 - (e) **Therefore using algorithm 8, verify that $|B| = 0$.**
4. **Therefore verify that $C_k(I_m) = I_{\binom{m}{k}}$.**

2.15 Algorithm 15

Choose an integer $1 \leq k \leq \min(m, n)$. Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose diagonal entries are 1s, and such that the only entry off the diagonal is the polynomial p at (i, j) . Also choose an $m \times n$ matrix, B , whose entries are polynomials. To evaluate $C_k(AB)$, do the following:

1. Verify that AB equals B , but with its row i having p times B 's row j added to it.
2. Go through the row labels, I , of $C_k(AB)$ and do the following:
 - (a) If $i \notin I$, then do the following:
 - i. For $l \in I$: For $j = 1$ to $j = n$: Verify that $(AB)_{l,j} = B_{l,j}$.
 - ii. Therefore for each column label J , verify that $C_k(AB)_{I,J} = \det_{I,J}(AB) = \det_{I,J}(B) = C_k(B)_{I,J}$.
 - iii. **Therefore verify that row I of $C_k(AB)$ equals row I of $C_k(B)$.**
 - (b) Otherwise, if $i \in I$, then:
 - i. Let I' be I but with an in-place replacement of i by j .
 - ii. For each column label J : Using **algorithm 9**, verify that

$$C_k(AB)_{I,J} = \det_{I,J}(AB) = \det_{I,J}(B) + p * \det_{I',J}(B).$$

- iii. Let l be the signed number of places that the j introduced above needs to be moved in order to make I' a non-increasing sequence.
 - iv. Let I'' be obtained from I' by moving the integer j in I' by l places.
 - v. For each column label J : Using **algorithm 12**, verify that $\det_{I',J}(B) = (-1)^l \det_{I'',J}(B)$.
 - vi. Therefore for each column label J : Verify that $C_k(AB)_{I,J} = \det_{I,J}(B) + p * \det_{I',J}(B) = \det_{I,J}(B) + (-1)^l p * \det_{I'',J}(B)$.
 - vii. If $j \notin I$, then do the following:
 - A. Verify that I'' is a decreasing sequence.
 - B. Verify that I'' is a row label of $C_k(B)$.
 - C. Therefore for each column label J : Verify that $C_k(AB)_{I,J} = \det_{I,J}(B) + (-1)^l p * \det_{I'',J}(B) = C_k(B)_{I,J} + (-1)^l p * C_k(B)_{I'',J}$.
 - D. **Therefore verify that row I of $C_k(AB)$ is row I of $C_k(B)$ plus $(-1)^l p$ times row I'' added to it.**
 - viii. Otherwise if $j \in I$, do the following:
 - A. Verify that the sequence I'' contains two consecutive js .
 - B. Using **algorithm 11**, verify that $\det_{I'',J}(B) = 0$.
 - C. Therefore verify that $C_k(AB)_{I,J} = \det_{I,J}(B) = C_k(B)_{I,J}$.
 - D. **Therefore verify that row I of $C_k(AB)$ is row I of $C_k(B)$.**
3. Let D be the matrix of row operations implicitly applied in (2).
 4. **Verify that $C_k(AB) = DC_k(B)$.**

2.16 Algorithm 16

Choose an $m \times n$ matrix, A , whose only entries are polynomials on the diagonal positions. Also choose an $n \times n$ matrix, B , whose entries are polynomials. Also choose an integer $0 \leq k \leq \min(m, n)$. To evaluate $C_k(AB)$, do the following:

1. Verify that AB equals the top $m \times n$ submatrix of B with each row i multiplied by $A_{i,i}$.
2. Go through the row labels, I , of $C_k(AB)$ and do the following:
 - (a) Let $(r_1, r_2, \dots, r_k) = I$.
 - (b) If $r_k \leq n$, then do the following:
 - i. Using [algorithm 13](#), verify that every element of I is less than or equal to n .
 - ii. Let $A_0 = A$.
 - iii. For $i = 1$ to $i = k$: Let A_i equal A_{i-1} but with position (r_i, r_i) set to 1.
 - iv. For each column label J : Repeatedly using [algorithm 9](#), verify that $C_k(AB)_{I,J} = \det_{I,J}(AB) = \det_{I,J}(A_0B) = A_{r_1,r_1} \det_{I,J}(A_1B) = A_{r_1,r_1} A_{r_2,r_2} \det_{I,J}(A_2B) = \dots = A_{r_1,r_1} A_{r_2,r_2} \dots A_{r_k,r_k} \det_{I,J}(A_kB) = A_{r_1,r_1} A_{r_2,r_2} \dots A_{r_k,r_k} \det_{I,J}(B) = A_{r_1,r_1} A_{r_2,r_2} \dots A_{r_k,r_k} C_k(B)_{I,J}$.
 - v. Therefore verify that row I of $C_k(AB)$ is $A_{r_1,r_1} A_{r_1,r_1} \dots A_{r_k,r_k}$ times row I of $C_k(B)$.
 - (c) Otherwise if $r_k > n$, then do the following:
 - i. Verify that row r_k of A is zero.
 - ii. Therefore verify that row r_k of AB is zero.
 - iii. Therefore verify that the last row of the submatrix obtained by selecting rows I from AB is zero.
 - iv. Therefore using [algorithm 8](#), for each column label J : verify that $C_k(AB)_{I,J} = 0$.
 - v. Therefore verify that row I of $C_k(AB)$ is zero.

3. Let D be the matrix of row operations implicitly applied in (2).
4. Verify that D is diagonal.
5. Verify that $C_k(AB) = DC_k(B)$.

2.17 Algorithm 17

Choose an integer $1 \leq k \leq \min(m, n)$. Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose diagonal entries are 1s, and such that the only entry off the diagonal is the polynomial p at (i, j) . Also choose an $m \times n$ matrix, B , whose entries are polynomials. To evaluate $C_k(AB)$, do the following:

1. Execute [algorithm 15](#) on matrices A and I_m . Let D be the matrix constructed.
2. Verify that $C_k(AI_m) = DC_k(I_m)$.
3. Using [algorithm 14](#), verify that $C_k(A) = C_k(AI_m) = DC_k(I_m) = DI_{\binom{m}{k}} = D$.
4. Execute [algorithm 15](#) on matrices A and B . Let D' be the matrix constructed.
5. Verify that $C_k(AB) = D'C_k(B)$.
6. Verify that $D' = D = C_k(A)$.
7. Therefore verify that $C_k(AB) = C_k(A)C_k(B)$.

Make an analogous algorithm to verify that $C_k(BA) = C_k(B)C_k(A)$.

Using [algorithm 16](#), make an algorithm similar to above but that works when a diagonal matrix of polynomials, A , is instead chosen.

2.18 Algorithm 18 (Compound matrix of matrix product calculation)

Choose an integer $0 \leq k \leq \min(m, n, p)$. Choose an $m \times n$ matrix, A , whose only entries are polynomials. Also choose an $n \times p$ matrix, B , whose entries are polynomials. To evaluate $C_k(AB)$, do the following:

1. Execute [algorithm 6](#) on A . Let M^{-1}_i be the i^{th} element of the sublist corresponding to M and N^{-1}_i be the i^{th} element of the sublist corresponding to N .

2. Verify that $A = M^{-1}_1 \cdots M^{-1}_m D N^{-1}_1 \cdots N^{-1}_n$.
3. Using repeated applications of **algorithm 17**, verify that $C_k(AB) = C_k(M^{-1}_1 \cdots M^{-1}_m D N^{-1}_1 \cdots N^{-1}_n B) = C_k(M^{-1}_1) \cdots C_k(M^{-1}_m) * C_k(D) * C_k(N^{-1}_1) \cdots C_k(N^{-1}_n) C_k(B) = C_k(M^{-1}_1 \cdots M^{-1}_m D N^{-1}_1 \cdots N^{-1}_n) C_k(B) = C_k(A) C_k(B)$.

2.19 Algorithm 19 (Determinant equals product of diagonal entries verification)

Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are polynomials. To evaluate $\det(A)$, do the following:

1. Execute **algorithm 6** on A . Let M^{-1}_i be the i^{th} element of the sublist corresponding to M and N^{-1}_i be the i^{th} element of the sublist corresponding to N .
2. Verify that $A = M^{-1}_1 \cdots M^{-1}_m D N^{-1}_1 \cdots N^{-1}_n$.
3. Using **algorithm 8** and **algorithm 18**, verify that $\det(A) = C_m(A) = C_m(M^{-1}_1 \cdots M^{-1}_m D N^{-1}_1 \cdots N^{-1}_n) = C_m(M^{-1}_1) \cdots C_m(M^{-1}_m) C_m(D) C_m(N^{-1}_1) \cdots C_m(N^{-1}_n) = 1 \cdots 1 C_m(D) 1 \cdots 1 = C_m(D) = \det(D)$.
4. Using **algorithm 8**, verify that $\det(D)$ is the product of the diagonal entries of D .

2.20 Algorithm 20 (Transpose calculation)

Choose an $m \times n$ matrix, A , whose entries are polynomials and do the following:

1. Make an $n \times m$ matrix, A^T .
2. For $i = 1$ to $i = n$:
 - (a) For $j = 1$ to $j = m$:
 - i. Let $A^T_{i,j} = A_{j,i}$.
3. Yield the tuple $\langle A^T \rangle$.

The notation A^T shall be used to refer to the result of invoking **algorithm 20** on a matrix A .

2.21 Algorithm 21 (Transpose of product verification)

Choose an $m \times n$ matrix, A , and an $n \times k$ matrix, B , both of whose entries are polynomials. Now do the following:

1. Verify that $B^T A^T$ and $(AB)^T$ have dimensions $k \times m$.
2. For $i = 1$ to $i = k$:
 - (a) For $j = 1$ to $j = m$:
 - i. Using **algorithm 20**, verify that $(B^T A^T)_{i,j} = \sum_{l=0}^n B_{l,i} A_{j,l} = \sum_{l=0}^n A_{j,l} B_{l,i} = (AB)_{j,i} = ((AB)^T)_{i,j}$.
3. Therefore verify that $B^T A^T = (AB)^T$.

2.22 Algorithm 22 (Determinant of transpose verification)

Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are polynomials. To evaluate $\det(A^T)$, do the following:

1. Execute **algorithm 6** on A . Let M^{-1}_i be the i^{th} element of the sublist corresponding to M and N^{-1}_i be the i^{th} element of the sublist corresponding to N .
2. Verify that $A = M^{-1}_1 \cdots M^{-1}_m D N^{-1}_1 \cdots N^{-1}_n$.
3. Therefore using **algorithms 19** and **20**, verify that $\det(A^T) = \det((M^{-1}_1 \cdots M^{-1}_m D N^{-1}_1 \cdots N^{-1}_n)^T) = \det((N^{-1}_n)^T \cdots (N^{-1}_1)^T D^T (M^{-1}_m)^T \cdots (M^{-1}_1)^T) = \det(D^T) = \det(D) = \det(M^{-1}_1 \cdots M^{-1}_m D N^{-1}_1 \cdots N^{-1}_n) = \det(A)$.

2.23 Algorithm 23 (Compound matrix of transpose verification)

Choose an $m \times n$ matrix, A , whose entries are polynomials and an integer $0 \leq k \leq \min(m, n)$. Now do the following:

1. Compute the value $C_k(A^T)$.
2. For each row label I of $C_k(A^T)$, do the following:

- (a) For each column label J of $C_k(A^T)$, do the following:
 - i. Let B be a submatrix of A^T formed by selecting the rows I and the columns J .
 - ii. Using **algorithm 22**, verify that $(C_k(A^T))_{I,J} = \det_{I,J}(A^T) = \det(B) = \det(B^T) = \det_{J,I}(A) = (C_k(A))_{J,I}$.
3. Therefore verify that $(C_k(A))^T = (C_k(A^T))$.

2.24 Algorithm 24 (Linear system solution construction)

Choose an $m \times n$ matrix, A , and an $m \times p$ matrix, B , both of whose entries are only rationals and do the following:

1. Execute **algorithm 6** on A and let $\langle M^{-1}, D, N^{-1} \rangle$ receive the result.
2. Verify that $A = M^{-1}DN^{-1}$.
3. Verify that M^{-1} , D , and N^{-1} contain only rational entries.
4. If the indices of the rows of D that are entirely zero are also the indices of the rows of MB that are entirely zero, then:
 - (a) Let C be an $n \times p$ matrix with its i^{th} row given as follows:
 - i. If $D_{i,i} \neq 0$, then do the following:
 - A. Let row i be row i of MB divided by $D_{i,i}$.
 - ii. Otherwise, do the following:
 - A. Choose p rational numbers to fill up the row.
 - (b) Verify that $DC = MB$.
 - (c) Let E be NC .
 - (d) Therefore using **algorithm 7**, verify that $AE = M^{-1}DN^{-1}E = M^{-1}DN^{-1}NC = M^{-1}DI_nC = M^{-1}DC = M^{-1}MB = I_mB = B$.
 - (e) Yield the tuple $\langle E \rangle$.

The notation $A \setminus B$ shall be used to refer to the result, E , of invoking **algorithm 24** on matrices A and B .

Make an analogous algorithm that yields an F such that $FA = B$. The notation B/A shall be used to refer to the F yielded by invoking this algorithm.

2.25 Algorithm 25

Choose two $m \times m$ matrices, A and B , both of whose entries are only rationals, such that $AB = I_m$ and do the following:

1. Execute **algorithm 6** on B and let $\langle M^{-1}, D, N^{-1} \rangle$ receive the result.
2. Verify that $B = M^{-1}DN^{-1}$.
3. If D has a zero on its diagonal, then do the following:
 - (a) Using **algorithm 19**, verify that $\det(I_m) = \det(AB) = \det(A)\det(B) = \det(A)\det(D) = \det(A) * 0 = 0$.
 - (b) Using **algorithm 8**, verify that $\det(I_m) = 1^m = 1$.
 - (c) Verify that $0 = 1$.
 - (d) **Abort algorithm.**
4. Otherwise do the following:
 - (a) Verify that D does not have a zero on its diagonal.
 - (b) Verify that $B \setminus I_m = I_m(B \setminus I_m) = AB(B \setminus I_m) = A(B(B \setminus I_m)) = AI_m = A$.
 - (c) **Therefore verify that $BA = B(B \setminus I_m) = I_m$.**

2.26 Algorithm 26

Choose $m \times m$ polynomial matrices $\langle B, M, M^{-1}, A, N^{-1}, N \rangle$ such that:

1. B and A are rational matrices.
2. $MM^{-1} = I_m$.
3. $N^{-1}N = I_m$.
4. $xI_m - B = M(xI_m - A)N$.

and do the following:

1. Post-multiply both sides of (3) by N^{-1} .

2. Verify that $(xI_m - B)N^{-1} = M(xI_m - A)NN^{-1} = M(xI_m - A)I_m = M(xI_m - A)$.
3. Let $M_0x^b + M_1x^{b-1} + \dots + M_bx^0 = M$, where the M_i are rational matrices.
4. Now let $R_1 = B^bM_0 + B^{b-1}M_1 + \dots + B^0M_b$.
5. Verify that $M - R_1 = (xI_m - B)\sum_{k=1}^b(x^{k-1}I_mB^0 + x^{k-2}I_mB^1 + \dots + x^0I_mB^{k-1})M_k$.
6. Let $Q_1 = \sum_{k=1}^b(x^{k-1}I_mB^0 + x^{k-2}I_mB^1 + \dots + x^0I_mB^{k-1})M_k$.
7. Verify that $M = (xI_m - B)Q_1 + R_1$.
8. Let $N^{-1}_0x^a + N^{-1}_1x^{a-1} + \dots + N^{-1}_ax^0 = N^{-1}$ where the N^{-1}_j are rational matrices.
9. Let $R_2 = N^{-1}_0A^a + N^{-1}_1A^{a-1} + \dots + N^{-1}_aA^0$.
10. Verify that $N^{-1} - R_2 = \sum_{k=1}^a N^{-1}_k(x^{k-1}I_mA^0 + x^{k-2}I_mA^1 + \dots + x^0I_mA^{k-1})(xI_m - A)$.
11. Let $Q_2 = \sum_{k=1}^a N^{-1}_k(x^{k-1}I_mA^0 + x^{k-2}I_mA^1 + \dots + x^0I_mA^{k-1})$.
12. Verify that $N^{-1} = Q_2(xI_m - A) + R_2$.
13. By substituting M and N^{-1} into (2), verify that $(xI_m - B)(Q_2(xI_m - A) + R_2) = ((xI_m - B)Q_1 + R_1)(xI_m - A)$.
14. By rearranging both sides, verify that $(xI_m - B)(Q_2 - Q_1)(xI_m - A) = R_1(xI_m - A) - (xI_m - B)R_2$.
15. By equating the coefficients of different powers of x both sides, verify that $Q_2 - Q_1 = 0_{m \times m}$.
16. Verify that $R_1(xI_m - A) - (xI_m - B)R_2 = (xI_m - B)(Q_2 - Q_1)(xI_m - A) = (xI_m - B)0_{m \times m}(xI_m - A) = 0_{m \times m}$.
17. Therefore by adding $(xI_m - B)R_2$ to both sides, verify that $xR_1 - R_1A = R_1(xI_m - A) = (xI_m - B)R_2 = xR_2 - BR_2$.
18. By equating the coefficients of x on both sides, verify that $R_1 = R_2$.
19. Therefore verify that $xR_1 - R_1A = R_1(xI_m - A) = (xI_m - B)R_2 = (xI_m - B)R_1 = xR_1 - BR_1$.
20. Therefore by adding $-xR_1$ to both sides, verify that $-R_1A = -BR_1$.
21. Therefore by negating both sides, verify that $R_1A = BR_1$.
22. In a similar way to (8), construct a polynomial matrix Q_3 , and a rational matrix R_3 such that $M^{-1} = (xI - A)Q_3 + R_3$.
23. Verify that $I_m = MM^{-1} = ((xI_m - B)Q_1 + R_1)M^{-1} = (xI_m - B)Q_1M^{-1} + R_1M^{-1} = (xI_m - B)Q_1M^{-1} + R_1(xI - A)Q_3 + R_1R_3 = (xI_m - B)Q_1M^{-1} + (xI - B)R_1Q_3 + R_1R_3 = (xI_m - B)(Q_1M^{-1} + R_1Q_3) + R_1R_3$.
24. By equating the powers of x on both sides, verify that $Q_1M^{-1} + R_1Q_3 = 0$.
25. By substituting zero for $Q_1M^{-1} + R_1Q_3$, verify that $I_m = (xI_m - B)0_{m \times m} + R_1R_3 = R_1R_3$.
26. Therefore, verify that $B = BI_m = BR_1R_3 = R_1AR_3$.
27. Yield the pair (R_1, R_3) .

2.27 Algorithm 27

Choose an $m \times n$ matrix, A , whose entries are polynomials. Choose two integers $1 \leq i, j \leq m$ such that $i \neq j$ and do the following:

1. Subtract row j from row i .
2. Add row i to row j .
3. Subtract row j from row i .
4. Verify that the matrix obtained is the same as the original A with its i^{th} row negated and swapped with the j^{th} row.

2.28 Algorithm 28

Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are only rationals and do the following:

1. Using [algorithm 8](#), verify that $\det(xI - A)$ is a monic polynomial of degree m .
2. Execute [algorithm 3](#) on the polynomial matrix $xI - A$ and let $\langle B \rangle$ be the result.
3. If any of the diagonal entries of B equal zero, then do the following:
 - (a) Using [algorithm 8](#), verify that $\det(B) = 0$.
 - (b) Therefore using [algorithm 19](#), verify that $\det(xI - A) = 0$.
 - (c) **Abort algorithm.**

4. Otherwise do the following:
 - (a) Verify that none of the diagonal entries of B equal zero.
 - (b) If the last diagonal entry of B is not monic, then do the following:
 - i. Cognizant of the execution of **algorithm 3**, verify that the first $m - 1$ diagonal entries of B are monic.
 - ii. Using **algorithm 8**, verify that $\det(B)$ equals the product of the diagonal entries of B .
 - iii. Therefore verify that $\det(B)$ is not monic
 - iv. Therefore by **algorithm 19**, verify that $\det(xI - A)$ is not monic
 - v. **Abort algorithm.**
 - (c) Otherwise do the following:
 - i. Verify that the last diagonal entry of B is monic.
 - ii. **Verify that none of the diagonal entries of B equal zero.**
 - iii. **Verify that all the diagonal entries of B are monic.**

2.29 Algorithm 29 (Rational canonical form construction)

Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are only rationals and do the following:

1. Execute **algorithm 5** on the polynomial matrix $xI_m - A$ and let $\langle B, \cdot \rangle$ be the result.
2. Execute **algorithm 28** on A .
3. Let E and F be a 0×0 matrices.
4. **Now iterate through the diagonal entries $p = x^k + p_1x^{k-1} + p_2x^{k-2} + \dots + p_kx^0$ of B and:**
 - (a) **If $k > 0$:**
 - i. Make a $k \times k$ matrix C .
 - ii. Let C 's first $k-1$ columns be filled with the last $k-1$ columns of I_k .
 - iii. Let C 's last column from top to bottom be $-p_k, -p_{k-1}, \dots, -p_1$.

- iv. Add k columns filled with zeros to the right end of E .
- v. Add k rows filled with zeros to the bottom end of E .
- vi. Set the bottom-right corner of E equal to C .
- vii. Let the matrix $D = xI_k - C$ be our working matrix.
- viii. For $i = k$ going down to $i = 2$, add x times row i to row $i - 1$.
- ix. Verify that D 's first $k - 1$ columns are now the last $k - 1$ columns of $-I_k$.
- x. Verify that D 's last column is p followed by some other polynomials.
- xi. For $i = 2$ going up to $i = k$, subtract $D_{i,k}$ times column $i - 1$ from column k .
- xii. Verify that D 's last column is now p followed by zeros.
- xiii. For $i = 2$ going up to $i = k$, negate row $i - 1$ and exchange it with row i using **algorithm 27**.
- xiv. Verify that D is now a diagonal matrix whose first $k - 1$ diagonal entries are 1 and whose last diagonal entry is p .
- xv. Add k columns filled with zeros to the right end of F .
- xvi. Add k rows filled with zeros to the bottom end of F .
- xvii. Set the bottom-right corner of F equal to D .

- (b) Otherwise if $k = 0$, then do the following:

- i. Verify that p is monic.
- ii. Verify that $p = 1$.

- (c) Otherwise do the following:

- i. **Abort algorithm.**

5. Let n be the sum of the positive degrees of the polynomials on the diagonal of B .
6. Verify that E and F are $n \times n$ matrices.
7. Using **algorithm 8**, verify that $n = \sum_{i=1}^m \deg(B_{i,i}) = \deg(\det(B)) = \deg(\det(xI - A)) = m$.

8. Therefore verify that E and F are $m \times m$ matrices.
9. **Based on operations (4aviii) to (4axiii), use row and column operations to transform $xI_m - E$ into F .**
10. **Yield the tuple $\langle E, F \rangle$.**
17. Verify that F is the same as B up to rearrangement of the diagonal entries.
18. Rearrange a copy of F to be B by using diagonal entry swaps. In general, swap the i^{th} and j^{th} diagonal entries as follows:
 - (a) Use **algorithm 27** to negate row i and swap it with row j .
 - (b) Use an algorithm analogous to **algorithm 27** to negate column i and swap it with column j .

2.30 Algorithm 30

Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are only rationals and do the following:

1. Execute **algorithm 5** on the polynomial matrix $xI_m - A$ and let $\langle B, M_3^{-1}, N_3^{-1} \rangle$ be the result.
2. Verify that $M_3^{-1}(xI_m - A)N_3^{-1} = B$.
3. Execute **algorithm 6** on the polynomial matrix $xI_m - A$ and let $\langle M_3, B, N_3 \rangle$ be the result.
4. Verify that $xI_m - A = M_3BN_3$.
5. Using **algorithm 7**, verify that $M_3M_3^{-1} = I_m$.
6. Using **algorithm 7**, verify that $N_3^{-1}N_3 = I_m$.
7. Augment (9) in an analogous way to how **algorithm 5** augments **algorithm 3**. Let $\langle F, M_1, N_1 \rangle$ receive the result once (9) has executed.
8. Augment (9) in an analogous way to how **algorithm 6** augments **algorithm 3**. Let $\langle M_1^{-1}, F, N_1^{-1} \rangle$ receive the result once (9) has executed.
9. Execute **algorithm 29** on the matrix A and let $\langle E, F \rangle$ receive the result.
10. Verify that $M_1(xI_m - E)N_1 = F$.
11. Using **algorithm 7**, verify that $M_1M_1^{-1} = I_m$.
12. Using **algorithm 7**, verify that $N_1^{-1}N_1 = I_m$.
13. Augment (18) in an analogous way to how **algorithm 5** augments **algorithm 3**. Let $\langle B, M_2, N_2 \rangle$ receive the result once (18) has executed.
14. Augment (18) in an analogous way to how **algorithm 6** augments **algorithm 3**. Let $\langle M_2^{-1}, B, N_2^{-1} \rangle$ receive the result once (18) has executed.
15. Verify that F and B have the same positive degree polynomials on their diagonals.
16. Verify that the rest of the diagonals of F and B are 1s.
19. Verify that $M_2FN_2 = B$.
20. Using **algorithm 7**, verify that $M_2M_2^{-1} = I_m$.
21. Using **algorithm 7**, verify that $N_2^{-1}N_2 = I_m$.
22. Let $M = M_3M_2M_1$.
23. Let $N = N_1N_2N_3$.
24. Verify that $xI_m - A = M_3BN_3 = M_3M_2FN_2N_3 = M_3M_2M_1(xI_m - E)N_1N_2N_3 = M(xI_m - E)N$.
25. Let $M^{-1} = M_1^{-1}M_2^{-1}M_3^{-1}$.
26. Let $N^{-1} = N_3^{-1}N_2^{-1}N_1^{-1}$.
27. Verify that $MM^{-1} = M_3M_2M_1M_1^{-1}M_2^{-1}M_3^{-1} = I_m$.
28. Verify that $N^{-1}N = N_3^{-1}N_2^{-1}N_1^{-1}N_1N_2N_3 = I_m$.
29. **Execute **algorithm 26** on the matrices $\langle A, M, M^{-1}, E, N^{-1}, N \rangle$. Let the tuple $\langle R_1, R_3 \rangle$ be the result.**
30. Verify that $A = R_1ER_3$.
31. Verify that $R_1R_3 = I_m$.
32. **Yield the tuple $\langle R_1, E, R_3 \rangle$.**

2.31 Algorithm 31 (Block matrix multiplication)

Choose an $m \times n$ matrix, A , and an $n \times k$ matrix, B , whose entries are polynomials. Choose integers $1 \leq a \leq m$, $1 \leq b \leq n$, and $1 \leq c \leq k$. Now do the following:

1. Let C be the submatrix of A that spans rows 1 to $a - 1$ and columns 1 to $b - 1$.

2. Let D be the submatrix of A that spans rows 1 to $a - 1$ and columns b to n .
3. Let E be the submatrix of B that spans rows 1 to $b - 1$ and columns 1 to $c - 1$.
4. Let F be the submatrix of B that spans rows b to n and columns 1 to $c - 1$.
5. Multiply matrix A by matrix B .
6. For each $1 \leq i \leq a - 1$, do the following:
 - (a) For each $1 \leq j \leq c - 1$, do the following:
 - i. Verify that $(AB)_{i,j} = \sum_{p=1}^n A_{i,p}B_{p,j} = \sum_{p=1}^{b-1} A_{i,p}B_{p,j} + \sum_{p=b}^n A_{i,p}B_{p,j} = \sum_{p=1}^{b-1} C_{i,p}E_{p,j} + \sum_{p=1}^{1+n-b} D_{i,p}F_{p,j} = (CE)_{i,j} + (DF)_{i,j}$.
7. Therefore verify that the top left $(a - 1) \times (c - 1)$ block of AB equals $CE + DF$.
8. Do similar computations to verify that the other three blocks of AB are computed in an analogous way to multiplying two 2×2 matrices.
9. Therefore verify that $r(E)$ evaluates to $m \times m$ matrix whose diagonal blocks are the application of r on the corresponding diagonal blocks of E .
10. For $j = 1$ to $j = m$:
 - (a) If $\deg(B_{j,j}) > 0$, then do the following:
 - (b) Let $p = x^k + p_1x^{k-1} + p_2x^{k-2} + \dots + p_kx^0 = B_{j,j}$.
 - (c) Let G be the corresponding $k \times k$ block on the diagonal of E .
 - (d) Let e_i denote a $k \times 1$ matrix that is 0, except for its i^{th} entry which is 1.
 - (e) Then by G 's construction, for $i = 1$ up to $i = k$, verify that $G^{i-1}e_1 = G^{i-2}e_2 = \dots = G^0e_i = e_i$.
 - (f) Let $0_{m \times n}$ denote an $m \times n$ matrix of zeros.
 - (g) Therefore, for $i = 1$ up to $i = k$: Cognizant of the construction of G 's last column, verify that $p(G)e_i = (G^k + p_1G^{k-1} + p_2G^{k-2} + \dots + p_kG^0)e_i = (G^k + p_1G^{k-1} + p_2G^{k-2} + \dots + p_kG^0)G^{i-1}e_1 = G^{i-1}(GG^{k-1} + p_1G^{k-1} + p_2G^{k-2} + \dots + p_kG^0)e_1 = G^{i-1}(Ge_k + p_1e_k + p_2e_{k-1} + \dots + p_ke_1) = G^{i-1}0_{k \times 1} = 0_{k \times 1}$.
 - (h) Therefore verify that $p(G) = 0_{k \times k}$.
 - (i) Cognizant of the execution of [algorithm 3](#) in (1), verify that $r = B_{m,m} = B_{j,j}u_{j+1}u_{j+2} \dots u_m = B_{j,j}q = pq$, where $q = u_{j+1}u_{j+2} \dots u_m$.
 - (j) Therefore verify that $r(G) = p(G)q(G) = 0_{k \times k}q(G) = 0_{k \times k}$.

2.32 Algorithm 32

Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are only rationals and do the following:

1. Execute [algorithm 3](#) on the polynomial matrix $xI - A$ and let the tuple $\langle B \rangle$ receive the result.
2. Execute [algorithm 28](#) on A .
3. Let $r = x^t + r_1x^{t-1} + r_2x^{t-2} + \dots + r_tx^0 = B_{m,m}$.
4. Execute [algorithm 30](#) on the matrix A and let the tuple $\langle R_1, E, R_3 \rangle$ receive the result.
5. Verify that $R_1R_3 = I_m$.
6. Therefore using [algorithm 25](#), verify that $R_3R_1 = I_m$.
7. Using [algorithm 30](#), verify that $r(A) = A^t + r_1A^{t-1} + r_2A^{t-2} + \dots + r_tA^0 = (R_1ER_3)^t + r_1(R_1ER_3)^{t-1} + r_2(R_1ER_3)^{t-2} + \dots + r_t(R_1ER_3)^0 = R_1(E^t + r_1E^{t-1} + r_2E^{t-2} + \dots + r_tE^0)R_3 = R_1r(E)R_3$.
8. For $i = 0$ up to $i = t$, by repeated applications of [algorithm 31](#), verify that E^i evaluates to E with all its diagonal blocks exponentiated to i .
9. Therefore verify that $r(E)$ evaluates to $m \times m$ matrix whose diagonal blocks are the application of r on the corresponding diagonal blocks of E .
10. For $j = 1$ to $j = m$:
 - (a) If $\deg(B_{j,j}) > 0$, then do the following:
 - (b) Let $p = x^k + p_1x^{k-1} + p_2x^{k-2} + \dots + p_kx^0 = B_{j,j}$.
 - (c) Let G be the corresponding $k \times k$ block on the diagonal of E .
 - (d) Let e_i denote a $k \times 1$ matrix that is 0, except for its i^{th} entry which is 1.
 - (e) Then by G 's construction, for $i = 1$ up to $i = k$, verify that $G^{i-1}e_1 = G^{i-2}e_2 = \dots = G^0e_i = e_i$.
 - (f) Let $0_{m \times n}$ denote an $m \times n$ matrix of zeros.
 - (g) Therefore, for $i = 1$ up to $i = k$: Cognizant of the construction of G 's last column, verify that $p(G)e_i = (G^k + p_1G^{k-1} + p_2G^{k-2} + \dots + p_kG^0)e_i = (G^k + p_1G^{k-1} + p_2G^{k-2} + \dots + p_kG^0)G^{i-1}e_1 = G^{i-1}(GG^{k-1} + p_1G^{k-1} + p_2G^{k-2} + \dots + p_kG^0)e_1 = G^{i-1}(Ge_k + p_1e_k + p_2e_{k-1} + \dots + p_ke_1) = G^{i-1}0_{k \times 1} = 0_{k \times 1}$.
 - (h) Therefore verify that $p(G) = 0_{k \times k}$.
 - (i) Cognizant of the execution of [algorithm 3](#) in (1), verify that $r = B_{m,m} = B_{j,j}u_{j+1}u_{j+2} \dots u_m = B_{j,j}q = pq$, where $q = u_{j+1}u_{j+2} \dots u_m$.
 - (j) Therefore verify that $r(G) = p(G)q(G) = 0_{k \times k}q(G) = 0_{k \times k}$.
11. Therefore verify that the diagonal blocks of $r(E)$ each equal $0_{i \times i}$, where i is the size of each diagonal block.
12. Therefore verify that $r(E) = 0_{m \times m}$.
13. Therefore verify that $r(A) = R_1r(E)R_3 = R_10_{m \times m}R_3 = 0_{m \times m}$.

2.33 Algorithm 33

Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are only rationals. Choose a non-zero polynomial $p = x^t + p_1x^{t-1} + p_2x^{t-2} + \dots + p_tx^0$ such that $p(A) = 0$.

1. Execute **algorithm 3** on the polynomial matrix $xI - A$ and let the tuple $\langle B \rangle$ receive the result.
2. Execute **algorithm 28** on A .
3. Let $r = x^u + r_1x^{u-1} + r_2x^{u-2} + \dots + r_u x^0 = B_{m,m}$.
4. Execute **algorithm 30** on the matrix A and let the tuple $\langle R_1, E, R_3 \rangle$ receive the result.
5. Let F be a 1×2 matrix consisting in-order of p and r .
6. Execute **algorithm 5** on F and let $\langle D, M, N \rangle$ receive the result.
7. Execute **algorithm 6** on F and let $\langle M^{-1}, D, N^{-1} \rangle$ receive the result.
8. Let $g = x^w + g_1x^{w-1} + g_2x^{w-2} + \dots + g_w x^0 = D_{1,1}$.
9. If $\deg(p) \neq \deg(r)$, do the following:
 - (a) Verify that the execution of the inner **algorithm 1** begun with repeated executions of (2c) to bring the degree of the higher degree polynomial down to that of the lower.
 - (b) Verify that afterwards, each iteration of (2) lowered the degree of either entry.
10. Therefore verify that $\deg(g) \leq \min(\deg(p), \deg(r))$.
11. Therefore verify that $w \leq u$.
12. Verify that $D = MFN$.
13. Therefore verify that $g = D_{1,1} = N_{1,1}p + N_{2,1}r$.
14. Therefore using **algorithm 32**, verify that $g(A) = N_{1,1}(A)p(A) + N_{2,1}(A)r(A) = N_{1,1}(A)0_{m \times m} + N_{2,1}(A)0_{m \times m} = 0_{m \times m}$.
15. Using steps of **algorithm 32**, **algorithm 25**, and **algorithm 30**, verify that $g(E) = I_m g(E) I_m = R_3 R_1 g(E) R_3 R_1 = R_3 g(A) R_1 = R_3 0_{m \times m} R_1 = 0_{m \times m}$.
16. Let G be the $u \times u$ block in E corresponding to the polynomial r in B .
17. Using steps of **algorithm 32**, verify that $g(G) = 0_{u \times u}$.
18. Therefore verify, using steps of **algorithm 32**, that $g(G)e_1 = (G^w + g_1G^{w-1} + g_2G^{w-2} + \dots + g_w G^0)e_1 = Ge_w + g_1e_w + g_2e_{w-1} + \dots + g_we_1$.
19. If $w < u$, then:
 - (a) Verify that $Ge_w + g_1e_w + g_2e_{w-1} + \dots + g_we_1 = e_{w+1} + g_1e_w + g_2e_{w-1} + \dots + g_we_1 = 0_{u \times 1}$.
 - (b) Therefore verify that $1 = 0$.
 - (c) **Abort algorithm.**
20. Otherwise, do the following:
 - (a) Verify that $w = u$.
 - (b) Verify that $Ge_w + g_1e_w + g_2e_{w-1} + \dots + g_we_1 = Ge_u + g_1e_u + g_2e_{u-1} + \dots + g_ue_1 = 0_{u \times 1}$.
 - (c) Therefore for $i = 1$ to $i = u$, do the following:
 - i. Verify that $-r_i + g_i = 0$.
 - ii. Therefore verify that $g_i = r_i$.
 - (d) **Therefore verify that $g = r$.**
 - (e) Verify that $F = M^{-1}DN^{-1}$.
 - (f) **Therefore verify that $p = F_{1,1} = D_{1,1}N^{-1}_{1,1} + D_{1,2}N^{-1}_{2,1} = N^{-1}_{1,1}g + N^{-1}_{2,1} * 0 = N^{-1}_{1,1}g = N^{-1}_{1,1}r$.**

2.34 Algorithm 34 (Difference of powers)

Choose an integer $n \geq 0$ and a formal polynomial $p = p_0x^n + p_1x^{n-1} + \dots + p_n$.

1. Let the formal polynomial $G(y, z) = \sum_{r=1}^n p_{n-r}(z^{r-1} + z^{r-2}y + \dots + zy^{r-2} + y^{r-1})$.
2. **Verify that the formal polynomial $p(z) - p(y) = (p_0z^n + p_1z^{n-1} + \dots + p_n) - (p_0y^n + p_1y^{n-1} + \dots + p_n) = (\sum_{r=0}^n p_{n-r}z^r) - (\sum_{r=0}^n p_{n-r}y^r) = \sum_{r=1}^n p_{n-r}(z^r - y^r) = \sum_{r=1}^n p_{n-r}(z - y)(z^{r-1} + z^{r-2}y + \dots + zy^{r-2} + y^{r-1}) = (z - y) \sum_{r=1}^n p_{n-r}(z^{r-1} + z^{r-2}y + \dots + zy^{r-2} + y^{r-1}) = (z - y)G(y, z)$.**
3. **Yield the tuple $\langle G(y, z) \rangle$.**

2.35 Algorithm 35

Choose a formal polynomial $p = x^n + p_1x^{n-1} + \dots + p_n$ and rationals $a_1 < a_2 < \dots < a_n < a_{n+1}$ in such a way that for $i = 1$ to $i = n + 1$, $p(a_i) = 0$. Now do the following:

1. Write p as $1 * p$, so that it has two factors.
2. For $i = 1$ up to $i = n$, do the following:
 - (a) Let g be the rightmost factor of p .
 - (b) If $g(a_i) \neq 0$, do the following:
 - i. For $k = 1$ to $k = i - 1$, verify that $(a_i - a_k) \neq 0$.
 - ii. Verify that $p(a_i) \neq 0$.
 - iii. **Abort algorithm.**
 - (c) Otherwise $g(a_i) = 0$. Now do the following:
 - i. Execute **algorithm 34** on g and let the tuple $\langle G(x, y) \rangle$ receive the result.
 - ii. Let the formal polynomial $q = q(x) = G(a_i, x)$.
 - iii. Verify that the formal polynomial $g = g(x) = g(x) - g(a_i) = (x - a_i)G(a_i, x) = (x - a_i)q(x) = (x - a_i)q$.
 - iv. Verify that $p = (x - a_1)(x - a_2) \cdots (x - a_i)q$.
3. Now verify that $p = (x - a_1)(x - a_2) \cdots (x - a_n)1$.
4. Using (3), verify that $p(a_{n+1}) \neq 0$.
5. **Abort algorithm.**

2.36 Algorithm 36 (Bisection)

Choose a formal polynomial f . Choose rational numbers $a < b$ such that $\text{sgn}(f(a)) = -\text{sgn}(f(b))$. Choose a rational number target $B > 0$. Now do the following:

1. Execute **algorithm 34** on f and let the tuple $\langle G(x, y) \rangle$ receive the result.
2. Verify that the formal polynomial $f(y) - f(x) = (y - x)G(x, y)$.
3. Let G' be G but with all negative signs replaced with positive signs.
4. Let $U = G'(|a|, |b|)$.
5. Until $|b - a|U < B$
 - (a) Let $c = \frac{a+b}{2}$.
 - (b) If $\text{sgn}(f(a)) = -\text{sgn}(f(c))$, then:
 - i. Let $b = c$.

- (c) Otherwise if $\text{sgn}(f(c)) = -\text{sgn}(f(b))$, then:
 - i. Let $a = c$.
- (d) Otherwise if $f(c) = 0$, then do the following:
 - i. Record the rational number c .
 - ii. If less than or equal to i rational numbers have been recorded, then:
 - A. Let $a = c$.
 - B. Go to (1bi).
 - iii. Otherwise, do the following:
 - A. Let $c_1 < c_2 < \cdots < c_i < c_{i+1}$ be the $i + 1$ numbers that were recorded.
 - B. Execute **algorithm 35** on the formal polynomial f_i and the rationals $c_1 < c_2 < \cdots < c_i < c_{i+1}$.
 - C. **Abort algorithm.**
- (e) Otherwise, do the following:
 - i. Verify that $f(a) \neq 0$.
 - ii. Verify that $f(a) \neq 0$.
 - iii. Verify that $f(a) \neq 0$.
 - iv. **Abort algorithm.**

6. **Verify that** $|f(a)|, |f(b)| < |f(b) - f(a)| = |(b - a)G(a, b)| < |(b - a)G'(|a|, |b|)| = |b - a|U < B$.
7. **Yield the tuple** $\langle a, b \rangle$.

2.37 Algorithm 37

Choose a polynomial $f_n = x^n + p_1x^{n-1} + \cdots + p_n$ and pairs of rationals $(a_n, b_n), (a_{n-1}, b_{n-1}), \cdots, (a_0, b_0)$ in such a way that:

1. $a_n < b_n \leq a_{n-1} < b_{n-1} \leq \cdots \leq a_1 < b_1 \leq a_0 < b_0$.
2. **For** $i = 0$ **to** $i = n$, $\text{sgn}(f_n(a_i)) = -\text{sgn}(f_n(b_i))$.

Now do the following:

1. **For** $i = n$ **to** $i = 1$:
 - (a) Let $B = \min_{k=0}^{i-1} \min(|f_i(a_k)|, |f_i(b_k)|)$.

- (b) For $k = 0$ to $k = i-1$, verify that $|f_i(a_k)| \geq B$.
- (c) Execute **algorithm 36** on the formal polynomial f_i , interval (a_i, b_i) , and target of B . Let the tuple $\langle a_i, b_i \rangle$ receive the result.
- (d) Verify that $|f_i(b_i)| < B$.
- (e) Execute **algorithm 34** on the formal polynomial f_i and let the tuple $\langle G_{i-1}(x, y) \rangle$ receive the result.
- (f) Let the formal polynomial $f_{i-1} = f_{i-1}(x) = G_{i-1}(b_i, x)$.
- (g) Verify that f_{i-1} is a monic $(i-1)^{th}$ degree formal polynomial.
- (h) Verify that the formal polynomial $f_i = f_i(x) = f_i(x) - f_i(b_i) + f_i(b_i) = (x - b_i)G_{i-1}(b_i, x) + f_i(b_i) = (x - b_i)f_{i-1}(x) + f_i(b_i) = (x - b_i)f_{i-1} + f_i(b_i)$.
- (i) For $k = 0$ to $k = i-1$, do the following:
 - i. If $f_i(a_k) \geq B$, in-order verify that:
 - A. $f_i(a_k) \geq B > |f_i(b_i)| \geq f_i(b_i)$.
 - B. $f_i(a_k) - f_i(b_i) > 0$.
 - C. $(a_k - b_i)f_{i-1}(a_k) > 0$.
 - D. $f_{i-1}(a_k) > 0$.
 - E. $f_i(b_k) \leq -B < -|f_i(b_i)| \leq f_i(b_i)$.
 - F. $f_i(b_k) - f_i(b_i) < 0$.
 - G. $(b_k - b_i)f_{i-1}(b_k) < 0$.
 - H. $f_{i-1}(b_k) < 0$.
 - ii. Otherwise, if $f_i(a_k) \leq -B$, do the following:
 - A. Using steps similar to (1ii), verify that $f_{i-1}(a_k) < 0$.
 - B. Using steps similar to (1ii), verify that $f_{i-1}(b_k) > 0$.
- 2. Using (1g), verify that $f_0 = 1$.
- 3. Using (1iiD) and (1iiH) or (1iiiA) and (1iiiB), verify that $\text{sgn}(f_0(a_0)) = -\text{sgn}(f_0(b_0))$.
- 4. Therefore verify that $\text{sgn}(1) = -\text{sgn}(1)$.
- 5. Therefore verify that $1 = -1$.
- 6. **Abort algorithm.**

2.38 Algorithm 38 (Sturm's algorithm initialization)

Choose a sequence of polynomials $s_0 = s_{00}, s_1 = s_{10}x^1 + s_{11}, \dots, s_m = s_{m0}x^m + s_{m1}x^{m-1} + \dots + s_{mm}$ **and another sequence of polynomials** q_1, q_2, \dots, q_{m-1} **in such a way that**

1. **For** $i = 0$ **to** $i = m$, $s_{i0} > 0$
2. **For** $i = 1$ **to** $i = m-1$, $s_{i-1} + s_{i+1} = q_i s_i$.

Now do the following:

1. Let $J_i(x)$ be a shorthand for the number of sign changes in the sequence $s_0(x), s_1(x), \dots, s_i(x)$.
2. **For** $i = 0$ **to** $i = m$, do the following:
 - (a) Execute **algorithm 34** on s_i and let $\langle G_i(x, y) \rangle$ receive the result.
 - (b) **Verify that the formal polynomial** $s_i(y) - s_i(x) = (y - x)G_i(x, y)$.
3. **For** $i = 1$ **to** $i = m-1$, do the following:
 - (a) Verify that $q_i s_i - s_{i+1} = s_{i-1}$.
 - (b) Let H_i be the equation $q_i s_i - s_{i+1} = s_{i-1}$.
 - (c) If $i > 1$, do the following:
 - i. Let Q_i be the result of:
 - A. Substituting the equation H_i into the equation H_{i-1} through s_{i-1} .
 - B. Distributing out the cofactor of H_i over H_i within Q_i .
 - C. Factoring the term s_i out of the two terms now containing it within Q_i .
 - ii. Let H_i be Q_i .
 - (d) Verify that H_i is of the form $ps_i + qs_{i+1} = s_0$ where p and q are some polynomials.
 - (e) Let $g_i = \frac{p}{s_0}$.
 - (f) Let $h_i = \frac{q}{s_0}$.
 - (g) **Verify that** $g_i s_{i+1} + h_i s_i = 1$.

2.39 Algorithm 39 (Change in number of sign changes verification)

1. Execute **algorithm 38**.

2. Choose rational numbers c and d in such a way that:

(a) $J_m(c)$ and $J_m(d)$ are well defined.

(b) Letting $B = \max_{i=1}^m |G_i(c, d)|$.

(c) Letting $C = \max_{i=1}^{m-1} \max(|g_i(c)|, |h_i(c)|, |g_i(d)|, |h_i(d)|)$.

(d) Letting $D = \max_{i=1}^{m-1} \max(|q_i(c)|, |q_i(d)|)$.

(e) $|d - c| < \frac{1}{BCD}$.

3. Let $i = 0$.

4. Do the following:

(a) $\text{sgn}(s_i(c))$ should equal $\text{sgn}(s_i(d))$.

(b) $J_i(c)$ should equal $J_i(d)$.

(c) If $\text{sgn}(s_{i+1}(c)) = \text{sgn}(s_{i+1}(d))$, verify the following:

i. $J_{i+1}(c) = J_{i+1}(d)$.

ii. Set i to $i + 1$ and go to (4) if the new $i < m$.

(d) Otherwise, if $\text{sgn}(s_{i+1}(c)) \neq \text{sgn}(s_{i+1}(d))$ and $i + 2 \leq m$, verify the following:

i. $|s_{i+1}(c)| < |s_{i+1}(c) - s_{i+1}(d)| = |c - d| |G_{i+1}(c, d)| < |c - d| B < lB = \frac{1}{CD}$

ii. $|s_{i+1}(d)| < \frac{1}{CD}$

iii. $1 = g_{i+1}(c)s_{i+2}(c) + h_{i+1}(c)s_{i+1}(c) = |g_{i+1}(c)s_{i+2}(c) + h_{i+1}(c)s_{i+1}(c)| \leq |g_{i+1}(c)||s_{i+2}(c)| + |h_{i+1}(c)||s_{i+1}(c)| < C(|s_{i+2}(c)| + \frac{1}{CD})$

iv. $\frac{1}{C}(1 - \frac{1}{D}) < |s_{i+2}(c)|$

v. $\frac{1}{C}(1 - \frac{1}{D}) < |s_{i+2}(d)|$

vi. If $\text{sgn}(s_{i+2}(c)) \neq \text{sgn}(s_{i+2}(d))$, verify the following:

A. $|s_{i+2}(c)| < \frac{1}{CD} = \frac{1}{C} \cdot \frac{1}{D} < \frac{1}{C}(1 - \frac{1}{D})$

B. Verify that $0=1$.

vii. Otherwise if $\text{sgn}(s_i(c)) = \text{sgn}(s_{i+2}(c))$, verify the following:

A. $2\frac{1}{C}(1 - \frac{1}{D}) \leq |s_i(c)| + |s_{i+2}(c)| = |s_i(c) + s_{i+2}(c)| = |q_{i+1}(c)s_{i+1}(c)| < D\frac{1}{CD}$.

B. $2(1 - \frac{1}{D}) < 1$.

C. $D < 2$.

D. Verify that $0=1$.

viii. Otherwise $\text{sgn}(s_{i+2}(c)) = \text{sgn}(s_{i+2}(d))$ and $\text{sgn}(s_i(c)) \neq \text{sgn}(s_{i+2}(c))$. Now verify the following:

A. $J_{i+2}(c) = J_{i+2}(d)$.

B. Set i to $i + 2$ and go to (4).

(e) Otherwise $\text{sgn}(s_{i+1}(c)) \neq \text{sgn}(s_{i+1}(d))$ and $i + 1 = m$. Now verify the following:

i. $|s_{i+1}(c)| < \frac{1}{CD}$.

ii. $|s_{i+1}(d)| < \frac{1}{CD}$.

iii. $|J_{i+1}(c) - J_{i+1}(d)| = 1$.

5. If $\text{sgn}(s_m(c)) = \text{sgn}(s_m(d))$, then $J_m(c)$ should equal $J_m(d)$. Otherwise $|J_m(d) - J_m(c)|$ should equal 1.

2.40 Algorithm 40 (Cauchy's positive verification)

Choose a non-zero polynomial $p = p_0x^t + p_1x^{t-1} + p_2x^{t-2} + \dots + p_tx^0$, where $p_0 > 0$. Choose a rational $k > 1 + \max_{i=1}^t |\frac{p_i}{p_0}|$. In reverse order verify the following:

1. $p(k) > 0$

2. $p_0k^n + p_1k^{n-1} + \dots + p_nk^0 > 0$

3. $k^n + \frac{p_1}{p_0}k^{n-1} + \dots + \frac{p_n}{p_0}k^0 > 0$

4. $k^n > -(\frac{p_1}{p_0}k^{n-1} + \dots + \frac{p_n}{p_0}k^0)$

5. $k^n > |\frac{p_1}{p_0}k^{n-1} + \dots + \frac{p_n}{p_0}k^0|$

6. $k^n > |\max_{i=1}^t |\frac{p_i}{p_0}| (k^{n-1} + \dots + k^0)|$

7. $k^n > \max_{i=1}^t |\frac{p_i}{p_0}| \frac{k^n - 1}{k - 1}$

8. $k^{n+1} - k^n > \max_{i=1}^t |\frac{p_i}{p_0}| (k^n - 1)$

9. $k^{n+1} - (1 + \max_{i=1}^t |\frac{p_i}{p_0}|)k^n + \max_{i=1}^t |\frac{p_i}{p_0}| > 0$

10. $k > 1 + \max_{i=1}^t |\frac{p_i}{p_0}|$

2.41 Algorithm 41 (Cauchy's alternation verification)

Choose a non-zero polynomial $p = p_0x^t + p_1x^{t-1} + p_2x^{t-2} + \dots + p_tx^0$, where $p_0 > 0$. Choose

a rational $k < -(1 + \max_{i=1}^t |\frac{p_i}{p_0}|)$. Now do the following:

1. Let $q = q_0x^t + q_1x^{t-1} + q_2x^{t-2} + \dots + q_tx^0$, where $q_i = (-1)^i p_i$.
2. It should be that $k < -(1 + \max_{i=1}^t |\frac{q_i}{q_0}|)$.
3. Therefore it should be that $-k > 1 + \max_{i=1}^t |\frac{q_i}{q_0}|$.
4. Now execute **algorithm 38** on q and $-k$.
5. It should be that $q(-k) > 0$, that is, $\sum_{i=0}^t q_i(-k)^{t-i} > 0$.
6. Therefore, it should be that $\sum_{i=0}^t (-1)^i (-1)^{t-i} p_i k^{t-i} > 0$.
7. Therefore, it should be that $(-1)^t \sum_{i=0}^t p_i k^{t-i} > 0$.
8. Therefore it should be that $(-1)^t p(k) > 0$.

2.42 Algorithm 42 (Sturm's sign change)

1. Execute **algorithm 38**.
2. Let $U = 1 + \max_{i=0}^m \left(1 + \max_{j=1}^i |\frac{s_{i,j}}{s_{i,0}}|\right)$
3. By **algorithm 40**, $J(U)$ should evaluate to 0.
4. By **algorithm 41**, $J(-U)$ should evaluate to m .
5. For $i = 1$ to $i = m$: Let $G'_i(x, y)$ be $G_i(x, y)$ with all negative signs replaced with positive signs.
6. Let the rational $B = \max_{i=1}^m G'_i(U, U)$.
7. For $i = 1$ to $i = m - 1$: Let the polynomial g'_i be g_i with all negative signs replaced with positive signs. Let the polynomial h'_i be h_i with all negative signs replaced with positive signs.
8. Let $C = C = \max_{i=1}^m \max(g'_i(U), h'_i(U))$.
9. For $i = 1$ to $i = m - 1$: Let the polynomial q'_i be q_i with all negative signs replaced with positive signs.
10. Let $D = \max(3, \max_{i=1}^m q'_i(U))$
11. Let $l = \frac{1}{BCD}$ and $c = -U$.
12. Do the following:
 - (a) If $c + l \leq U$, then:
 - i. Choose a number d in a way such that $c < d < c + l$ and $J(d)$ is well-defined.

(b) Otherwise let $d = U$.

(c) Execute **algorithm 39**.

(d) If $J_m(c) \neq J_m(d)$, then record the pair of rational numbers (c, d) .

(e) Now let $c = d$ and go to (12) if the new $c \neq U$.

13. If less than m pairs of rational numbers were recorded, then verify the following:

(a) Each change of $J_m(x)$ over the course of (12) was by 1.

(b) $J_m(x)$ changed less than m times over the course of (12).

(c) Therefore it should be that $|J_m(U) - J_m(-U)| < m$.

(d) Verify that $0=1$.

14. If more than m pairs of rational numbers were recorded, then verify the following:

(a) Execute **algorithm 37** on the formal polynomial $s_m(x)$ along with the first $m + 1$ recorded pairs.

15. Otherwise verify that:

(a) Exactly m pairs of rational numbers $(c_1, d_1), (c_2, d_2), \dots, (c_m, d_m)$ were recorded.

(b) $c_1 < d_1 \leq c_2 < d_2 \leq \dots \leq c_m < d_m$.

(c) For $i = 1$ to $i = m$, $\text{sgn}(s_m(c_i)) = -\text{sgn}(s_m(d_i))$.

2.43 Algorithm 43

Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are only rationals. Execute **algorithm 3** on the polynomial matrix $xI - A$ and let B be the result. Choose a polynomial p such that $\deg(p) < \deg(B_{m,m})$. Now do the following:

1. Execute **algorithm 33** on matrix A and polynomial p .

2. Since the inner execution of **algorithm 1** at **algorithm 33's** (5) was decreasing the degree of an entry on every iteration, verify for **algorithm 33's** g that $\deg(g) \leq \deg(B_{m,m}) - 1$.

3. Since $B_{m,m} = g$, verify that $\deg(B_{m,m}) \leq \deg(B_{m,m}) - 1$.

4. **Abort algorithm.**

2.44 Algorithm 44

Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are only rationals and do the following:

1. Execute **algorithm 3** on the polynomial matrix $xI - A$ and let B be the result.
2. Execute **algorithm 28** on A .
3. Let $r = x^t + r_1x^{t-1} + r_2x^{t-2} + \dots + r_tx^0$ be the last diagonal entry of B .
4. Make an $m^2 * t$ matrix, F , whose i^{th} column is the sequential concatenation of the columns of A^{t-i} .
5. Execute **algorithm 5** on F to obtain matrices M , N , and D such that $MFN = D$.
6. Execute **algorithm 6** on F to obtain matrices M , N , and D such that $F = M^{-1}DN^{-1}$.
7. Using **algorithm 7**, it should be that $M^{-1}MFN = I_{m^2}FN = FN = M^{-1}D$.
8. If any column i of N , Ne_i , is equal to zero, then:

(a) Column i of $N^{-1}N$ should equal zero.

(b) **Verify that 0=1.**

9. Otherwise if the first entry of $C_t(D)$ is zero, then:

(a) Some diagonal entry, $D_{i,i}$, of D should be zero.

(b) Column i of D should be zero.

(c) Column i of $M^{-1}D$ should be zero.

(d) Column i of FN should be zero.

(e) $F(Ne_i)$ should equal zero.

(f) Therefore $N_{1,i}A^{t-1} + N_{2,i}A^{t-2} + \dots + N_{t,i}A^0$ should equal zero.

(g) Execute **algorithm 43** on matrix A and polynomial $p = N_{1,i}x^{t-1} + N_{2,i}x^{t-2} + \dots + N_{t,i}x^0$.

(h) **Verify that 0=1.**

10. Otherwise, if any column i of $C_t(M^{-1})$ is equal to zero, then:

(a) Column i of $C_t(M)C_t(M^{-1})$ should equal zero.

(b) $C_t(M)C_t(M^{-1})$ should, by **algorithm 18**, equal $C_t(MM^{-1})$ which should, by **algorithm 7**, equal $C_t(I_{m^2})$ which, by **algorithm 14**, should equal $I_{\binom{m^2}{t}}$.

(c) Therefore column i of $I_{\binom{m^2}{t}}$ should equal zero.

(d) **Verify that 0=1.**

11. Otherwise, if column i of $C_t(N^{-1})$ is equal to zero, then:

(a) **Verify that 0=1.**

12. Otherwise all columns of $C_t(M^{-1})$ are non-zero, the first entry of $C_t(D)$ is non-zero, and $C_t(N^{-1})$ is non-zero. Now verify the following in order:

(a) $C_t(F) = C_t(M^{-1}DN^{-1})$

(b) $C_t(F) = C_t(M^{-1})C_t(D)C_t(N^{-1})$

(c) $C_t(F) = C_t(M^{-1})ke_1C_t(N^{-1})$, where k is a non-zero rational number

(d) $C_t(F) = kC_t(N^{-1})C_t(M^{-1})e_1$

(e) $C_t(F) \neq 0_{\binom{m^2}{t} \times 1}$

2.45 Algorithm 45

Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are only rationals and is such that $A^T = A$. Now do the following:

1. Execute **algorithm 44** on the matrix A .

2. $C_t(F^T F)$ should evaluate to $C_t(F^T)C_t(F)$ which should evaluate to the sum of squares of the entries of $C_t(F)$ which should be more than zero.

3. Using **algorithm 6**, it should be possible to evaluate $F^T F$ as $M^{-1}DN^{-1}$.

4. If D has a zero on its diagonal, then:

(a) $C_t(F^T F)$ should evaluate to $C_t(M^{-1}DN^{-1})$ which should evaluate to $C_t(D)$ which should evaluate to 0.

(b) **Verify that 0=1.**

5. Otherwise D should not have a zero on its diagonal. So do the following:

- (a) Let $\text{tr}(X)$ be a shorthand for the sum of the diagonal entries of the square matrix X .
- (b) Let $\text{mat}(p_1x^{t-1} + p_1x^{t-2} + \dots + p_t)$ be a shorthand for $p_1e_1 + p_2e_2 + \dots + p_te_t$.
- (c) Let $\text{pol}(p_1e_1 + p_2e_2 + \dots + p_te_t)$ be a shorthand for $p_1x^{t-1} + p_1x^{t-2} + \dots + p_t$.
- (d) Let $H = (F^T F) \setminus e_1$.
- (e) Separately apply **algorithm 5** and **algorithm 6** on a 1×2 matrix comprising r followed by $\text{pol}(H)$.
- (f) If d is a monic polynomial of degree is more than 0, then do the following:
 - i. From the matrices constructed by **algorithm 6**, let $d = D_{1,1}$, $b = N^{-1}_{1,1}$ and $c = N^{-1}_{1,2}$.
 - ii. It should be that $r = bd$, where b is a monic polynomial with degree $z < t$.
 - iii. It should be that $\text{pol}(H) = cd$, where c is some polynomial.
 - iv. Let $u = x^{t-z-1}b$.
 - v. $\text{tr}(u(A)h(A))$ should evaluate to $\text{mat}(u)^T F^T F H$ which should evaluate to $\text{mat}(u)^T F^T F ((F^T F) \setminus e_1)$ which should evaluate to $\text{mat}(u)^T e_1$ which should evaluate to $\text{mat}(u)_{1,1}$ which should evaluate to 1.
 - vi. $\text{tr}(u(A)h(A))$ should also evaluate to $\text{tr}(A^{z-1}b(A)c(A)d(A))$ which should evaluate to $\text{tr}(A^{z-1}c(A)b(A)d(A))$ which should evaluate to $\text{tr}(A^{z-1}c(A)f(A))$ which should evaluate to $\text{tr}(A^{z-1}c(A)0_{m \times m})$ which should evaluate to $\text{tr}(0_{m \times m})$ which should evaluate to 0.
 - vii. **Verify that 0=1.**
- (g) Otherwise if $d = 1$, then do the following:
 - i. From the matrices constructed by **algorithm 6**, let $d = D_{1,1}$, $u = N_{1,1}$ and $s_{t+1} = N_{2,1}$.
 - ii. **It should be that $uf + s_{t+1}h = 1$.**
- (h) Otherwise:
 - i. **Verify that 0=1.**

2.46 Algorithm 46 (Euclidean division)

Choose two polynomials in x , a and b and do the following:

1. If the degree of a is more than or equal to the degree of b :
 - (a) Let y be $\frac{a's \text{ leading coefficient}}{b's \text{ leading coefficient}} x^{a's \text{ degree} - b's \text{ degree}}$
 - (b) Let e be $a - yb$. The degree of e should be less than that of the degree of a .
 - (c) Apply **algorithm 46** on the ordered pair of polynomials e and b . Let c and d be the ordered pair of polynomials yielded by this application.
 - (d) It should be that $cb + d = e$ and that d has degree less than b .
 - (e) Therefore it should be that $cb + d = a - yb$
 - (f) **Therefore it should be that $(y + c)b + d = a$ and that d has degree less than b .**
 - (g) **Now yield the ordered pair of polynomials consisting of $y + c$ and d .**
2. Otherwise:
 - (a) **It should be that $0b + a = a$ and that a has degree less than b .**
 - (b) **Yield the ordered pair consisting of 0 then a .**

2.47 Algorithm 47 (Edwards' Sturm chain construction)

Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are only rationals and is such that $A^T = A$. Now do the following:

1. **Execute algorithm 45 on the matrix A .**
2. If polynomials u and s_{t+1} such that $us_t + s_{t+1}h = 1$ were successfully created, then:
3. Execute **algorithm 46** on the ordered pair s_{t+1} and s_t . Let q_t and s_{t-1} be the polynomials yielded by this execution.
4. Verify that $s_{t+1} = q_t s_t + s_{t-1}$, where $\deg(s_{t-1}) < t$.

5. Therefore verify that $us_t + (q_t s_t + s_{t-1})h = 1$.
6. Therefore verify that $u(A)s_t(A) + (q_t(A)s_t(A) + s_{t-1}(A))h(A) = I_{m,m}$.
7. Therefore verify that $s_{t-1}(A)h(A) = I_{m,m}$.
8. Therefore verify that $s_{t-10} = \text{tr}(s_{t-1}(A)h(A)) = \text{tr}(I_{m,m}) = m > 0$.
9. For $i = t - 1$ down to $i = 1$, do the following:
 - (a) If $i < t - 1$, then do the following:
 - i. Verify that $s_i = p_1 s_{t-1} + j_1 s_t$ where $\deg(s_i) = i$, $s_{i0} > 0$, $\deg(p_1) = t - 1 - i$, and $\deg(j_1) = t - 2 - i$.
 - ii. Verify that $s_{i+1} = p_2 s_{t-1} + j_2 s_t$ where $\deg(s_{i+1}) = i$, $\deg(p_2) = t - 2 - i$, and $\deg(j_2) = t - 3 - i$.
 - (b) Execute **algorithm 46** on the ordered pair $-s_{i+1}$ and $-s_i$. Let q_i and s_{i-1} be the polynomials yielded by this execution.
 - (c) Verify that $\deg(q_i) = 1$ and that $q_{i0} = \frac{s_{i+10}}{s_{i0}}$.
 - (d) Also verify that $-s_{i+1} = -q_i s_i + s_{i-1}$.
 - (e) Therefore verify that $q_i s_i = s_{i+1} + s_{i-1}$.
 - (f) Therefore verify that $q_i s_i - s_{i+1} = s_{i-1}$.
 - (g) If $i < t - 1$, then do the following:
 - i. **It should be that** $s_{i-1} = q_i(p_1 s_{t-1} + j_1 s_t) - (p_2 s_{t-1} + j_2 s_t) = p_3 s_{t-1} + j_3 s_t$, **where** $p_3 = q_i p_1 - p_2$ **is of degree** $t - i$ **and** $j_3 = q_i j_1 - j_2$ **is of degree** $t - 1 - i$.
 - (h) Otherwise:
 - i. **Verify that** $s_{i-1} = s_{t-2} = q_{t-1} s_{t-1} - s_t = p_3 s_{t-1} + j_3 s_t$, **where** $p_3 = q_{t-1}$ **of degree** $1 = t - 1$ **and** $j_3 = -1$ **is of degree** $0 = t - 1 - i$.
 - (i) Therefore verify that

$$\begin{aligned} s_{i-1}(A) &= p_3(A)s_{t-1}(A) + j_3(A)s_t(A) \\ &= p_3(A)s_{t-1}(A) + j_3(A)0_{m \times m} \\ &= p_3(A)s_{t-1}(A). \end{aligned}$$
 - (j) If $p_3(A) = 0$, then do the following:
 - i. Execute **algorithm 43** on the matrix A and polynomial p_3 .
 - ii. **Abort algorithm.**
 - (k) Otherwise, if $s_{i-1}(A) = 0_{m \times m}$, then do the following:
 - i. Verify that $p_3(A)s_{t-1}(A)h(A) = s_{i-1}(A)h(A) = 0_{m \times m}h(A) = 0_{m \times m}$.
 - ii. Verify that $p_3(A)s_{t-1}(A)h(A) = p_3(A)I_{m,m} = p_3(A) \neq 0_{m \times m}$.
 - iii. **Abort algorithm.**
 - (l) Otherwise if $s_{i-1}(A)h(A) = 0_{m \times m}$, then do the following:
 - i. Verify that $s_{i-1}(A)h(A)s_{t-1}(A) = 0_{m \times m}s_{t-1}(A) = 0_{m \times m}$.
 - ii. Verify that $s_{i-1}(A)h(A)s_{t-1}(A) = s_{i-1}(A)I_{m,m} = s_{i-1}(A) \neq 0$.
 - iii. **Abort algorithm.**
 - (m) Otherwise, do the following:
 - i. Verify that $\deg(s_{i-1}) < i$.
 - ii. Execute the **auxilliary algorithm** on the pair (s_{i-1}, s_{i-1}) .
 - iii. Now verify that $\text{tr}(s_{i-1}(A)^2 h(A)^2) = \frac{s_{i-10}}{s_{i0}}$.
 - iv. Verify that $s_{i-1}(A)h(A) \neq 0_{m \times m}$.
 - v. Therefore verify that

$$\begin{aligned} \text{tr}(s_{i-1}(A)^2 h(A)^2) &= \text{tr}((s_{i-1}(A)h(A))^2) \\ \|s_{i-1}(A)h(A)\|^2 &> 0. \end{aligned}$$
 - vi. Therefore verify that $\frac{s_{i-10}}{s_{i0}} > 0$.
 - vii. **Therefore verify that** $s_{i-10} > 0$.

2.47.1 Auxilliary algorithm

Choose an integer $0 \leq k \leq t$ such that polynomial s_k is defined. Choose a polynomial $g = g_0 x^k + g_1 x^{k-1} + \dots + g_k$.

1. If $k = t$, then verify that $\text{tr}(g(A)s_k(A)h(A)^2)$
 - (a) $= \text{tr}(g(A)s_t(A)h(A)^2)$.
 - (b) $= \text{tr}(g(A)0_{m \times m}h(A)^2)$.
 - (c) $= \text{tr}(0_{m \times m})$.
 - (d) $= 0$.
2. Otherwise if $k = t - 1$, then verify that $\text{tr}(g(A)s_k(A)h(A)^2)$

$$(a) = \text{tr}(g(A)s_{t-1}(A)h(A)^2).$$

$$(b) = \text{tr}(g(A)I_{m,m}h(A)).$$

$$(c) = \text{tr}(g(A)h(A)).$$

$$(d) = g_0.$$

$$(e) = \frac{g_0}{s_{k+1_0}}.$$

3. Otherwise if $k < t - 1$, then do the following:

$$(a) \text{ Verify that } \text{tr}(g(A)s_k(A)h(A)^2) = \text{tr}(g(A)(q_{k+1}(A)s_{k+1}(A) + s_{k+2}(A))h(A)^2).$$

$$(b) \text{ Verify that } \text{tr}(g(A)s_k(A)h(A)^2) = \text{tr}(g(A)q_{k+1}(A)s_{k+1}(A)h(A)^2) + \text{tr}(g(A)s_{k+2}(A)h(A)^2).$$

(c) Execute the **auxilliary algorithm** supplying the integer $k + 1$ and $(k + 1)^{th}$ degree polynomial gq .

(d) Since it should be that $k + 1 < t$, the execution of the **auxilliary algorithm** should have verified that $\text{tr}((g(A)q_{k+1}(A))s_{k+1}(A)h(A)^2) = \frac{(s_{k+2_0}/s_{k+1_0})g_0}{s_{k+2_0}} = \frac{g_0}{s_{k+1_0}}.$

(e) Execute the **auxilliary algorithm** supplying the integer $k + 2$ and k^{th} degree polynomial g .

(f) If $k + 2 < t$, then:

i. The execution of the **auxilliary algorithm** should have verified that $\text{tr}(g(A)s_{k+2}(A)h(A)^2) = \frac{0}{s_{k+2_0}} = 0.$

(g) Otherwise if $k + 2 = t$, then:

i. The execution of the **auxilliary algorithm** should have verified that $\text{tr}(g(A)s_{k+2}(A)h(A)^2) = \text{tr}(g(A)s_t(A)h(A)^2) = 0.$

(h) **Therefore** **verify** **that** $\text{tr}(g(A)s_k(A)h(A)^2) = \frac{g_0}{s_{k+1_0}} + 0 = \frac{g_0}{s_{k+1_0}}.$

2.48 Algorithm 48

Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are only rationals and is such that $A^T = A$. Now do the following:

1. Execute **algorithm 3** on the polynomial matrix $xI - A$ and let D be the result.

2. The last diagonal entry of D should be a product of m factors, $u_1u_2 \cdots u_m$.

3. Execute **algorithm 47** on the matrix A .

4. Execute **algorithm 42** supplying the sequences of polynomials s_0, s_1, \dots, s_t and q_1, q_2, \dots, q_{t-1} constructed above.

5. For $i = 1$ to $i = t$ do the following:

(a) If $\text{sgn}(u_1(c_i)) = \text{sgn}(u_1(d_i)), \text{sgn}(u_2(c_i)) = \text{sgn}(u_2(d_i)), \dots, \text{sgn}(u_m(c_i)) = \text{sgn}(u_m(d_i))$, then do the following:

i. Verify that $\text{sgn}(u_1(c_i)) \text{sgn}(u_2(c_i)) \cdots \text{sgn}(u_m(c_i)) = \text{sgn}(u_1(d_i)) \text{sgn}(u_2(d_i)) \cdots \text{sgn}(u_m(d_i)).$

ii. Verify that $\text{sgn}(u_1(c_i)u_2(c_i) \cdots u_m(c_i)) = \text{sgn}(u_1(d_i)u_2(d_i) \cdots u_m(d_i)).$

iii. Verify that $\text{sgn}(s_t(c_i)) = \text{sgn}(s_t(d_i)).$

iv. **Abort algorithm.**

(b) Otherwise do the following:

i. Assign (c_i, d_i) to one of the u_j s for which $\text{sgn}(u_j(c_i)) = -\text{sgn}(u_j(d_i)).$

6. Let n_i be the number of pairs assigned to the polynomial u_i .

7. Verify that $\sum_{i=1}^m n_j = t$.

8. If for any $i = 1$ to $i = m$, $n_i > \deg(u_i)$, then do the following:

(a) Execute **algorithm 37** on the polynomial u_i along with $\deg(u_i) + 1$ of the rational number pairs assigned to it.

(b) **Abort algorithm.**

9. Otherwise if for any $i = 1$ to $i = m$, $n_i < \deg(u_i)$, then do the following:

(a) Verify that $\sum_{i=1}^m n_j < t$.

(b) Verify that $\sum_{i=1}^m n_j < \sum_{i=1}^m \deg(u_i).$

(c) **Abort algorithm.**

10. Otherwise if for any $i = 1$ to $i = m$, $n_i \neq \deg(u_i)$, then do the following:

(a) Verify that $n_i \neq \deg(u_i).$

(b) Verify that $n_i \not\prec \deg(u_i).$

(c) Verify that $n_i \not\succ \deg(u_i).$

(d) **Abort algorithm.**

11. For all $i = 1$ to $i = m$, verify that $n_i = \deg(u_i)$.

2.49 Algorithm 49 (Upper triangular matrix multiplication)

Choose two upper triangular $m \times m$ matrices, A and B . Now do the following:

1. Multiply A by B and let C be the result.
2. For $i = 1$ to $i = m$, do the following:
 - (a) **Verify that** $C_{i,i} = \sum_{k=1}^m (A_{i,k} B_{k,i}) = \sum_{k=1}^{i-1} (A_{i,k} B_{k,i}) + A_{i,i} B_{i,i} + \sum_{k=i+1}^m (A_{i,k} B_{k,i}) = \sum_{k=1}^{i-1} (0 * B_{k,i}) + A_{i,i} B_{i,i} + \sum_{k=i+1}^m (A_{i,k} * 0) = A_{i,i} B_{i,i}$.
3. For $i = 2$ to $i = m$, do the following:
 - (a) For $j = 1$ to $j = i - 1$, do the following:
 - i. Verify that $C_{i,j} = \sum_{k=1}^m A_{i,k} B_{k,j} = \sum_{k=1}^{i-1} A_{i,k} B_{k,j} + \sum_{k=i}^m A_{i,k} B_{k,j} = \sum_{k=1}^{i-1} 0 * B_{k,j} + \sum_{k=i}^m A_{i,k} * 0 = 0$.
4. **Therefore verify that C is upper triangular.**

2.50 Algorithm 50 (Orthogonalization)

Choose integers $m \geq n \geq 0$. Choose an $n \times m$ matrix of polynomials M and an $m \times n$ matrix of polynomials A_0 such that $MA_0 = I_n$. Now do the following:

1. Using [algorithm 8](#), verify that $C_n(M_0 A_0) = C_n(I_n) = 1$.
2. If $C_n(A_0) = 0_{\binom{m}{n} \times 1}$, then do the following:
 - (a) Verify that $C_n(M_0 A_0) = C_n(M_0) C_n(A_0) = C_n(M_0) 0_{\binom{m}{n} \times 1} = 0$.
 - (b) **Abort algorithm.**
3. Otherwise, do the following:
4. Verify that $C_n(A_0) \neq 0_{\binom{m}{n} \times 1}$.
5. For $i = 1$ to $i = n$, do the following:
 - (a) If $A_{i-1} e_i = 0_{m \times 1}$, then do the following:

i. Verify that $C_n(A_{i-1}) = 0$.

ii. **Abort algorithm.**

- (b) Otherwise, do the following:
- (c) Verify that $\|A_{i-1} e_i\|^2 \neq 0$.
- (d) Let D_i be a $n \times n$ diagonal matrix comprising i 1s followed by $n - i$ $\|A_{i-1} e_i\|^2$ s.
- (e) **Verify that D_i is upper triangular.**
- (f) Verify that $C_n(D_i) = (\|A_{i-1} e_i\|^2)^{n-i} \neq 0$.
- (g) Let $N_i = I_n$ except that its i^{th} row is $i - 1$ 0s followed by a 1 followed by $-(A_{i-1}^T A_{i-1})_{i,i+1}$, then $-(A_{i-1}^T A_{i-1})_{i,i+2}$, all the way up to $-(A_{i-1}^T A_{i-1})_{i,n}$.
- (h) **Verify that N_i is upper triangular.**
 - (i) Using [algorithm 8](#), verify that $C_n(N_i) = 1 \neq 0$.
 - (j) Let $A_i = A_{i-1} D_i N_i$.
 - (k) **Verify that** $C_n(A_i) = C_n(A_{i-1} D_i N_i) = C_n(A_{i-1}) C_n(D_i) C_n(N_i) = C_n(A_{i-1}) C_n(D_i) \neq 0$.
 - (l) Verify that $A_{i-1}^T A_i = (A_{i-1}^T A_{i-1}) D_i N_i$ is a matrix with 0s from position $(i, i + 1)$ to (i, n) .
- (m) **Verify that** $A_i^T A_i = (A_{i-1} D_i N_i)^T (A_{i-1} D_i N_i) = N_i^T D_i^T (A_{i-1}^T A_{i-1}) D_i N_i$ **is a matrix with 0s from position $(i, i + 1)$ to (i, n) and from position $(i + 1, i)$ to (n, i) .**
 - (n) Verify that $A_i = A_0 (D_1 N_1) \cdots (D_i N_i)$.
 - (o) Verify that $MA_i = (D_1 N_1) \cdots (D_i N_i)$.
 - (p) For $j = 1$ to $j = n$, do the following:
 - i. Using [algorithm 49](#), verify that $(e_j^T M)(A_i e_j) = e_j^T (MA_i) e_j = e_j^T ((D_1 N_1) \cdots (D_i N_i)) e_j = (D_{1,j} N_{1,j}) \cdots (D_{i,j} N_{i,j})$.
 - ii. **Therefore using (5d) verify that** $(e_j^T M)(A_i e_j) = D_{1,j} \cdots D_{i,j} = D_{1,j} \cdots D_{\min(i,j-1),j} = \|A_0 e_1\|^2 \cdots \|A_{\min(i,j-1)-1} e_{\min(i,j-1)}\|^2$.
6. Let $E = (D_1 N_1) \cdots (D_n N_n)$.

7. Verify that $A_n^T A_n = (A_0(D_1 N_1) \cdots (D_n N_n))^T (A_0(D_1 N_1) \cdots (D_n N_n)) = ((D_1 N_1) \cdots (D_n N_n))^T (A_0^T A_0) ((D_1 N_1) \cdots (D_n N_n)) \stackrel{8.}{=} E^T (A_0^T A_0) E$ is a diagonal matrix. (b) **Abort algorithm.**
8. Yield the matrix E .
9. Using **algorithm 50**, verify that $(1 \|A_0 e_1\|^2 \cdots \|A_{\min(i,j-1)-1} e_{\min(i,j-1)}\|^2)^2 = (e_j^T M(x) A_i(x) e_j)^2 < \frac{1}{a^{(2i)!! * 2i}} \leq 1$.

2.51 Algorithm 51 (Cauchy-Schwarz inequality)

Choose a $1 * m$ matrix A and an $m * 1$ matrix B . Now do the following:

1. Verify that 0
 - (a) $\leq \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^m (A_i B_j - A_j B_i)^2$
 - (b) $= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^m (A_i^2 B_j^2 - 2 A_i B_j A_j B_i + A_j^2 B_i^2)$
 - (c) $= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^m A_i^2 \sum_{j=1}^m B_j^2 + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^m B_i^2 \cdot \sum_{j=1}^m A_j^2 - \sum_{i=1}^m A_i B_i \sum_{j=1}^m A_j B_j$
 - (d) $= \frac{1}{2} (A A^T) (B^T B) + \frac{1}{2} (A A^T) (B^T B) - (A B)^2$
 - (e) $= (A A^T) (B^T B) - (A B)^2$.
2. Therefore verify that $(A B)^2 \leq (A A^T) (B^T B)$.

2.52 Algorithm 52

Choose integers $m \geq n > 0$. Choose an $n \times m$ matrix of polynomials M and an $m \times n$ matrix of polynomials A_0 such that $M A_0 = I_n$. Choose a rational number x . Now do the following:

1. Execute **algorithm 50** on M and A_0 .
2. Let $a = \max(\|M(x)\|^2, 1)$.
3. Choose a column index $1 \leq j \leq n$ such that $\|A_n(x) e_j\|^2 < \frac{1}{a^{(2n+2)!!}}$.
4. Let $i = n$.
5. Verify that $\|A_i(x) e_j\|^2 < \frac{1}{a^{(2i+2)!!}}$.
6. Using **algorithm 51**, verify that $(e_j^T M(x) A_i(x) e_j)^2 \leq \|e_j^T M(x)\|^2 \|A_i(x) e_j\|^2 < \|M(x)\|^2 \frac{1}{a^{(2i+2)!!}} \leq a \frac{1}{a^{(2i+2)!!}} \leq \frac{1}{a^{(2i)!! * 2i}} \leq 1$.
7. If $i = 0$, then do the following:
 - (a) Verify that $(e_j^T M(x) A_i(x) e_j)^2 = (e_j^T M(x) A_0(x) e_j)^2 = (e_j^T I_n e_j)^2 = 1$.

10. If $\min(i, j - 1) = 0$, then do the following:

- (a) Verify that $(1 \|A_0(x) e_1\|^2 \cdots \|A_{\min(i,j-1)-1}(x) e_{\min(i,j-1)}\|^2)^2 = 1^2 = 1$.

(b) **Abort algorithm.**

11. Otherwise do the following:

- (a) Verify that $\min(i, j - 1) > 0$.
- (b) If for all $k = 0$ to $k = \min(i, j - 1) - 1$, $\|A_k(x) e_{k+1}\|^2 \geq \frac{1}{a^{(2i)!!}}$, then do the following:
 - i. Verify that $(e_j^T M(x) A_i(x) e_j)^2 = (\|A_0(x) e_1\|^2 \cdots \|A_{\min(i,j-1)-1}(x) e_{\min(i,j-1)}\|^2)^2 \geq (\frac{1}{a^{(2i)!!}})^{2 \min(i,j-1)} \geq (\frac{1}{a^{(2i)!!}})^{2i} = \frac{1}{a^{(2i)!! * 2i}}$.
 - ii. **Abort algorithm.**
- (c) Otherwise, do the following:
 - i. Let k , where $0 \leq k < i$, be one of the integers for which $\|A_k(x) e_{k+1}\|^2 < \frac{1}{a^{(2i)!!}}$.
 - ii. Verify that $\|A_k(x) e_{k+1}\|^2 < \frac{1}{a^{(2i)!!}} \leq \frac{1}{a^{(2k+2)!!}}$.
 - iii. Simultaneously set i to k and j to $k + 1$.
 - iv. Go to (4).

12. **Abort algorithm.**

2.53 Algorithm 53

Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are only rationals and is such that $A^T = A$. Now do the following:

1. Execute **algorithm 48** on the matrix A .
2. For $i = 1$ to $i = t$, let k_i be the index of the polynomial to which (c_i, d_i) was associated.
3. Let the macro $[P]$ expand to "(if P , then yield 1, otherwise yield 0)".

4. Verify that $\sum_{i=1}^t (m+1-k_i)$
 - (a) $= \sum_{i=1}^t \sum_{j=1}^m [k_i \leq j]$
 - (b) $= \sum_{j=1}^m \sum_{i=1}^t [k_i \leq j]$
 - (c) $= \sum_{j=1}^m \sum_{i=1}^t [k_i \leq j] \sum_{l=1}^m [k_i = l]$
 - (d) $= \sum_{j=1}^m \sum_{l=1}^m \sum_{i=1}^t [k_i \leq j][k_i = l]$
 - (e) $= \sum_{j=1}^m \sum_{l=1}^m \sum_{i=1}^t [l \leq j][k_i = l]$
 - (f) $= \sum_{j=1}^m \sum_{l=1}^m [l \leq j] \sum_{i=1}^t [k_i = l]$
 - (g) $= \sum_{j=1}^m \sum_{l=1}^m [l \leq j] n_l$
 - (h) $= \sum_{j=1}^m \sum_{l=1}^m [l \leq j] \deg u_l$
 - (i) $= \sum_{j=1}^m \sum_{l=1}^j \deg u_l$
 - (j) $= \sum_{j=1}^m \deg D_{j,j}$
 - (k) $= m$
5. Verify that $\sum_{i=1}^t (m+1-k_i) = m$.

2.54 Algorithm 54 (Spectral algorithm initialization)

Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are only rationals and is such that $A^T = A$. Choose a rational number $\epsilon > 0$. Now do the following:

1. Execute **algorithm 48** on the matrix A .
2. Execute **algorithm 6** with $xI_m - A$ as the choice matrix. Take note of M^{-1} , D , and N^{-1} .
3. Let M' be the matrix obtained by replacing all the negative signs in M^{-1} with positive signs.
4. Let $M'' = \max_{i=1}^m \max_{j=1}^m M'(\max(|c_1|, |d_t|))_{i,j}$.
5. Let N' be the matrix obtained by replacing all the negative signs in N with positive signs.
6. Let $N'' = \frac{1}{\max_{i=1}^m \max_{j=1}^m N'(\max(|c_1|, |d_t|))_{i,j}} + 1$.
7. Let L be the formal polynomial obtained by replacing all the negative signs in $(\|N^{-1}\|^2)^{(2m+2)!!}$ with positive signs.
8. Let $L' = \frac{1}{\max(1, L(|c_1|), L(|d_t|))}$.
9. Let $\delta = \min(1, \min_{i=1}^{t-1} (c_{i+1} - c_i))$.
10. For $i = 1$ to $i = t$, do the following:

- (a) Let k_i be the index of the polynomial to which (c_i, d_i) was associated.
- (b) Verify that $\text{sgn}(u_{k_i}(c_i)) \neq \text{sgn}(u_{k_i}(d_i))$.
- (c) Let Q be the last $m+1-k_i$ columns of I_m .
- (d) Execute **algorithm 50** on the matrix NQ . Let E be the $(m+1-k_i) \times (m+1-k_i)$ matrix yielded from this.
- (e) Let $K_i = NQE$, an $m \times (m+1-k_i)$ matrix.
- (f) **Verify that $K_i^T K_i$ is a diagonal matrix.**
- (g) Let E' be the matrix obtained by replacing all the negative signs in E with positive signs.
- (h) Let $E'' = \frac{E'}{\max_{j=1}^m \max_{l=1}^m E'(\max(|c_1|, |d_t|))_{j,l}}$.

11. Let $E'' = 1 + \max_{i=1}^t E''_i$.

12. For $i = 1$ to $i = t$, do the following with the symbols Q , E , and F retaining their values from the corresponding iteration of the loop at (7).

- (a) Let $b = \frac{\epsilon \delta}{M'' N'' E''^2 m^2 (m+1-k_i)}$.
- (b) For $j = k$ to $j = m$, do the following:
 - i. Execute **algorithm 36** on the formal polynomial $D_{j,j}$, interval (c_i, d_i) , and target of b . Let c_i and d_i receive their updates.
- (c) If a diagonal entry of $K_i(c_i)^T K_i(c_i)$ is less than L' , then do the following:
 - i. Let z be the index of the column of the entry.
 - ii. Verify that $(Q^T N^{-1})(NQ) = Q^T (N^{-1} N) Q = Q^T I_m Q = Q^T Q = I_{m+1-k_i}$.
 - iii. Verify that $L' \leq \frac{1}{\max(\|(Q^T N^{-1})(c_i)\|^2, 1)^{(2(m+1-k_i)+2)!!}}$.
 - iv. Execute **algorithm 52** with matrices $Q^T N^{-1}$ and NQ , rational number c_i , and column index z .
 - v. **Abort algorithm.**
- (d) Otherwise, do the following:
 - i. **For $j = 1$ to $j = m+1-k_i$, verify that $(K_i(c_i)^T K_i(c_i))_{j,j} \geq L'$.**

- ii. Verify that $xK_i - AK_i = (xI_m - A)K_i = M^{-1}DN^{-1}K_i = M^{-1}DN^{-1}NQE = M^{-1}DQE$.
- iii. Verify that $\|c_i K_i(c_i) - AK_i(c_i)\|^2 = \|M^{-1}(c_i)D(c_i)QE(c_i)\|^2 \leq \|M'' J_m \frac{\epsilon\delta}{M''N''E''m^2(m+1-k_i)} QE'' J_{m+1-k}\|^2 = \|J_m \frac{\epsilon\delta}{N''E''m^2(m+1-k_i)} QJ_{m+1-k}\|^2 = \|\frac{\epsilon\delta}{N''E''m^2} J_{m \times (m+1-k_i)}\|^2 \leq \|\frac{\epsilon\delta}{N''E''m^2} J_{m \times (m+1-k_i)}\|^2 = \frac{m+1-k_i}{m^3} \cdot \frac{\epsilon^2\delta^2}{(N''E'')^2}.$
- iv. Therefore verify that $\|c_i K_i(c_i) - AK_i(c_i)\|^2 \leq \frac{m+1-k_i}{m^3} \cdot \frac{\epsilon^2\delta^2}{(N''E'')^2} \leq \frac{m+1-k_i}{m} \epsilon^2.$
- iii. $= |(Ke_i)^T(AKe_j + c_b Ke_j - AKe_j) - (AKe_i + c_a Ke_i - AKe_i)^T(Ke_j)|$
- iv. $\leq |(Ke_i)^T(AKe_j) - (AKe_i)^T(Ke_j)| + |(Ke_i)^T(c_b Ke_j - AKe_j)| + |(c_a Ke_i - AKe_i)^T(Ke_j)|$
- v. $\leq |(Ke_i)^T A(Ke_j) - (Ke_i)^T A^T(Ke_j)| + |mN''E'' J_{1 \times m} \frac{\epsilon\delta}{N''E''m^2} J_{m \times 1}| + |\frac{\epsilon\delta}{N''E''m^2} J_{1 \times m} mN''E'' J_{m \times 1}|$
- vi. $= 2\epsilon\delta.$
- (c) Therefore verify that $|e_i^T(K^T K)e_j| = |(Ke_i)^T(Ke_j)| \leq \frac{2\epsilon\delta}{c_b - c_a} \leq 2\epsilon.$
8. Using (7c) and **algorithm 54**, verify that the absolute values of all the non-diagonal entries $K^T K$ are less than or equal to 2ϵ .
9. Using **algorithm 54**, verify that all the diagonal entries of $K^T K$ are more than or equal to L' .

2.55 Algorithm 55 (Spectral algorithm)

Choose an $m \times m$ matrix, A , whose entries are only rationals and is such that $A^T = A$. Choose a rational number $\epsilon > 0$. Now do the following:

1. Execute **algorithm 54** on matrix A and rational ϵ .
2. Let C be a diagonal matrix whose i^{th} , where $1 \leq i \leq t$, group of entries are $m+1-k_i$ c_i s.
3. Using **algorithm 53**, verify that C is $m \times m$.
4. Let K be a matrix whose columns are the in-order concatenation of those of $K_1(c_1), K_2(c_2), \dots, K_t(c_t)$.
5. Using **algorithm 53** and (9e), verify that K is $m \times m$.
6. Using **algorithm 53** and **algorithm 54**, verify that $\|KC - AK\|^2 \leq \sum_{i=1}^t \frac{m+1-k_i}{m} \epsilon^2 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^t (m+1-k_i)}{m} \epsilon^2 = \frac{m}{m} \epsilon^2 = \epsilon^2.$
7. For $i = 1$ to $i = m$, do the following: For $j = 1$ to $j = m$, do the following:
 - (a) If Ke_i was constructed during iteration $i = a$ and Ke_j during iteration $i = b$ of (11), and if $a \neq b$, then do the following:
 - i. $= |c_b(Ke_i)^T(Ke_j) - c_a(Ke_i)^T(Ke_j)|$
 - ii. $= |(Ke_i)^T(c_b Ke_j) - (c_a Ke_i)^T(Ke_j)|$