

- 36** $\lambda_1 = e^{2\pi i/3}$ and $\lambda_2 = e^{-2\pi i/3}$ give $\det \lambda_1 \lambda_2 = 1$ and $\text{trace } \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = -1$.
 $A = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$ with $\theta = \frac{2\pi}{3}$ has this trace and det. So does every $M^{-1}AM$!
- 37** (a) Since the columns of A add to 1, one eigenvalue is $\lambda = 1$ and the other is $c - .6$ (to give the correct trace $c + .4$).
 (b) If $c = 1.6$ then both eigenvalues are 1, and all solutions to $(A - I)\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$ are multiples of $\mathbf{x} = (1, -1)$.
 (c) If $c = .8$, the eigenvectors for $\lambda = 1$ are multiples of $(1, 3)$. Since all powers A^n also have column sums = 1, A^n will approach $\frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \text{rank-1 matrix } A^\infty$ with eigenvalues 1, 0 and correct eigenvectors. $(1, 3)$ and $(1, -1)$.

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- 1** $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$; $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} \\ \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \end{bmatrix}$.
- 2** Put the eigenvectors in S and eigenvalues in Λ . $A = S\Lambda S^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$.
- 3** If $A = S\Lambda S^{-1}$ then the eigenvalue matrix for $A + 2I$ is $\Lambda + 2I$ and the eigenvector matrix is still S . $A + 2I = S(\Lambda + 2I)S^{-1} = S\Lambda S^{-1} + S(2I)S^{-1} = A + 2I$.
- 4** (a) False: don't know λ 's (b) True (c) True (d) False: need eigenvectors of S
- 5** With $S = I$, $A = S\Lambda S^{-1} = \Lambda$ is a diagonal matrix. If S is triangular, then S^{-1} is triangular, so $S\Lambda S^{-1}$ is also triangular.
- 6** The columns of S are nonzero multiples of $(2, 1)$ and $(0, 1)$: either order. Same for A^{-1} .
- 7** $A = S\Lambda S^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & \\ & \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} / 2 = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 & \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 \\ \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 & \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix} / 2 = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ b & a \end{bmatrix}$ for any a and b .
- 8** $A = S\Lambda S^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\lambda_1 - \lambda_2} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & \lambda_2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\lambda_2 \\ -1 & \lambda_1 \end{bmatrix}$. $S\Lambda^k S^{-1} = \frac{1}{\lambda_1 - \lambda_2} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & \lambda_2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1^k & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2^k \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\lambda_2 \\ -1 & \lambda_1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \text{2nd component is } F_k \\ (\lambda_1^k - \lambda_2^k)/(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2) \end{bmatrix}$.
- 9** (a) $A = \begin{bmatrix} .5 & .5 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ has $\lambda_1 = 1$, $\lambda_2 = -\frac{1}{2}$ with $\mathbf{x}_1 = (1, 1)$, $\mathbf{x}_2 = (1, -2)$
 (b) $A^n = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1^n & 0 \\ 0 & (-.5)^n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow A^\infty = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix}$
- 10** The rule $F_{k+2} = F_{k+1} + F_k$ produces the pattern: even, odd, odd, even, odd, odd, ...
- 11** (a) True (no zero eigenvalues) (b) False (repeated $\lambda = 2$ may have only one line of eigenvectors) (c) False (repeated λ may have a full set of eigenvectors)

- 12** (a) False: don't know λ (b) True: an eigenvector is missing (c) True.
- 13** $A = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 3 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ (or other), $A = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 4 \\ -4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $A = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 5 \\ -5 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$; only eigenvectors are $x = (c, -c)$.
- 14** The rank of $A - 3I$ is $r = 1$. Changing any entry except $a_{12} = 1$ makes A diagonalizable (A will have two different eigenvalues).
- 15** $A^k = S\Lambda^k S^{-1}$ approaches zero **if and only if every** $|\lambda| < 1$; $A_1^k \rightarrow A_1^\infty$, $A_2^k \rightarrow 0$.
- 16** $\Lambda = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & .2 \end{bmatrix}$ and $S = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$; $\Lambda^k \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ and $S\Lambda^k S^{-1} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$: steady state.
- 17** $\Lambda = \begin{bmatrix} .9 & 0 \\ 0 & .3 \end{bmatrix}$, $S = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$; $A_2^{10} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = (.9)^{10} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $A_2^{10} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = (.3)^{10} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$,
 $A_2^{10} \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = (.9)^{10} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + (.3)^{10} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ because $\begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ is the sum of $\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$.
- 18** $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $A^k = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3^k \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. Multiply those last three matrices to get $A^k = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1+3^k & 1-3^k \\ 1-3^k & 1+3^k \end{bmatrix}$.
- 19** $B^k = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}^k \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5^k & 5^k - 4^k \\ 0 & 4^k \end{bmatrix}$.
- 20** $\det A = (\det S)(\det \Lambda)(\det S^{-1}) = \det \Lambda = \lambda_1 \cdots \lambda_n$. This proof works when A is diagonalizable.
- 21** $\text{trace } ST = (aq + bs) + (cr + dt)$ is equal to $(qa + rc) + (sb + td) = \text{trace } TS$.
 Diagonalizable case: the trace of $S\Lambda S^{-1} = \text{trace of } (\Lambda S^{-1})S = \Lambda$: sum of the λ 's.
- 22** $AB - BA = I$ is impossible since $\text{trace } AB - \text{trace } BA = \text{zero} \neq \text{trace } I$. $AB - BA = C$ is possible when $\text{trace } (C) = 0$, and $E = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ has $EE^T - E^T E = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.
- 23** If $A = S\Lambda S^{-1}$ then $B = \begin{bmatrix} A & 0 \\ 0 & 2A \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} S & 0 \\ 0 & S \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 2\Lambda \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} S^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & S^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$. So B has the additional eigenvalues $2\lambda_1, \dots, 2\lambda_n$.
- 24** The A 's form a subspace since cA and $A_1 + A_2$ all have the same S . When $S = I$ the A 's with those eigenvectors give the subspace of diagonal matrices. Dimension 4.
- 25** If A has columns x_1, \dots, x_n then column by column, $A^2 = A$ means every $Ax_i = x_i$. All vectors in the column space (combinations of those columns x_i) are eigenvectors with $\lambda = 1$. Always the nullspace has $\lambda = 0$ (A might have dependent columns, so there could be less than n eigenvectors with $\lambda = 1$). Dimensions of those spaces add to n by the Fundamental Theorem, so A is diagonalizable (n independent eigenvectors altogether).
- 26** Two problems: The nullspace and column space can overlap, so x could be in both. There may not be r independent eigenvectors in the column space.

- 27** $R = S\sqrt{\Lambda}S^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ has $R^2 = A$. \sqrt{B} needs $\lambda = \sqrt{9}$ and $\sqrt{-1}$, trace is not real. Note that $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ can have $\sqrt{-1} = i$ and $-i$, trace 0, real square root $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$.
- 28** $A^T = A$ gives $\mathbf{x}^T A B \mathbf{x} = (A\mathbf{x})^T (B\mathbf{x}) \leq \|A\mathbf{x}\| \|B\mathbf{x}\|$ by the Schwarz inequality. $B^T = -B$ gives $-\mathbf{x}^T B A \mathbf{x} = (B\mathbf{x})^T (A\mathbf{x}) \leq \|A\mathbf{x}\| \|B\mathbf{x}\|$. Add to get Heisenberg's Uncertainty Principle when $AB - BA = I$. Position-momentum, also time-energy.
- 29** The factorizations of A and B into $S\Lambda S^{-1}$ are the same. So $A = B$. (This is the same as Problem 6.1.25, expressed in matrix form.)
- 30** $A = S\Lambda_1 S^{-1}$ and $B = S\Lambda_2 S^{-1}$. Diagonal matrices always give $\Lambda_1 \Lambda_2 = \Lambda_2 \Lambda_1$. Then $AB = BA$ from $S\Lambda_1 S^{-1} S\Lambda_2 S^{-1} = S\Lambda_1 \Lambda_2 S^{-1} = S\Lambda_2 \Lambda_1 S^{-1} = S\Lambda_2 S^{-1} S\Lambda_1 S^{-1} = BA$.
- 31** (a) $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & d \end{bmatrix}$ has $\lambda = a$ and $\lambda = d$: $(A-aI)(A-dI) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b \\ 0 & d-a \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a-d & b \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$. (b) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ has $A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $A^2 - A - I = 0$ is true, matching $\lambda^2 - \lambda - 1 = 0$ as the Cayley-Hamilton Theorem predicts.
- 32** When $A = S\Lambda S^{-1}$ is diagonalizable, the matrix $A - \lambda_j I = S(\Lambda - \lambda_j I)S^{-1}$ will have 0 in the j, j diagonal entry of $\Lambda - \lambda_j I$. In the product $p(A) = (A - \lambda_1 I) \cdots (A - \lambda_n I)$, each inside S^{-1} cancels S . This leaves S times (product of diagonal matrices $\Lambda - \lambda_j I$) times S^{-1} . That product is the zero matrix because the factors produce a zero in each diagonal position. Then $p(A) =$ zero matrix, which is the Cayley-Hamilton Theorem. (If A is not diagonalizable, one proof is to take a sequence of diagonalizable matrices approaching A .)

Comment I have also seen this reasoning but I am not convinced:

Apply the formula $AC^T = (\det A)I$ from Section 5.3 to $A - \lambda I$ with variable λ . Its cofactor matrix C will be a polynomial in λ , since cofactors are determinants:

$$(A - \lambda I) \operatorname{cof}(A - \lambda I)^T = \det(A - \lambda I)I = p(\lambda)I.$$

“For fixed A , this is an identity between two matrix polynomials.” Set $\lambda = A$ to find the zero matrix on the left, so $p(A) =$ zero matrix on the right—which is the Cayley-Hamilton Theorem.

I am not certain about the key step of substituting a matrix for λ . If other matrices B are substituted, does the identity remain true? If $AB \neq BA$, even the order of multiplication seems unclear . . .

- 33** $\lambda = 2, -1, 0$ are in Λ and the eigenvectors are in S (below). $A^k = S\Lambda^k S^{-1}$ is

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \Lambda^k \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & -2 & -2 \\ 0 & 3 & -3 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{2^k}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{(-1)^k}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Check $k = 4$. The $(2, 2)$ entry of A^4 is $2^4/6 + (-1)^4/3 = 18/6 = 3$. The 4-step paths that begin and end at node 2 are 2 to 1 to 1 to 1 to 2, 2 to 1 to 2 to 1 to 2, and 2 to 1 to 3 to 1 to 2. Much harder to find the eleven 4-step paths that start and end at node 1.

- 34** If $AB = BA$, then B has the same eigenvectors $(1, 0)$ and $(0, 1)$ as A . So B is also diagonal $b = c = 0$. The nullspace for the following equation is 2-dimensional:
 $AB - BA = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -b \\ c & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$. The coefficient matrix has rank $4 - 2 = 2$.
- 35** B has $\lambda = i$ and $-i$, so B^4 has $\lambda^4 = 1$ and 1 and $B^4 = I$. C has $\lambda = (1 \pm \sqrt{3}i)/2$. This is $\exp(\pm\pi i/3)$ so $\lambda^3 = -1$ and -1 . Then $C^3 = -I$ and $C^{1024} = -C$.
- 36** The eigenvalues of $A = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$ are $\lambda = e^{i\theta}$ and $e^{-i\theta}$ (trace $2 \cos \theta$ and $\det = 1$). Their eigenvectors are $(1, -i)$ and $(1, i)$:

$$\begin{aligned} A^n &= S \Lambda^n S^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -i & i \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e^{in\theta} & \\ & e^{-in\theta} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} i & -1 \\ i & 1 \end{bmatrix} / 2i \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} (e^{in\theta} + e^{-in\theta})/2 & \dots \\ (e^{in\theta} - e^{-in\theta})/2i & \dots \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos n\theta & -\sin n\theta \\ \sin n\theta & \cos n\theta \end{bmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

Geometrically, n rotations by θ give one rotation by $n\theta$.

- 37** Columns of S times rows of ΛS^{-1} will give r rank-1 matrices ($r = \text{rank of } A$).
- 38** Note that $\text{ones}(n) * \text{ones}(n) = n * \text{ones}(n)$. This leads to $C = 1/(n + 1)$.

$$\begin{aligned} AA^{-1} &= (\text{eye}(n) + \text{ones}(n)) * (\text{eye}(n) + C * \text{ones}(n)) \\ &= \text{eye}(n) + (1 + C + Cn) * \text{ones}(n) = \text{eye}(n). \end{aligned}$$

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- 1** $u_1 = e^{4t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $u_2 = e^t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$. If $u(0) = (5, -2)$, then $u(t) = 3e^{4t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 2e^t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$.
- 2** $z(t) = 2e^t$; then $dy/dt = 4y - 6e^t$ with $y(0) = 5$ gives $y(t) = 3e^{4t} + 2e^t$ as in Problem 1.
- 3** (a) If every column of A adds to zero, this means that the rows add to the zero row. So the rows are dependent, and A is singular, and $\lambda = 0$ is an eigenvalue.
- (b) The eigenvalues of $A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 3 \\ 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$ are $\lambda_1 = 0$ with eigenvector $x_1 = (3, 2)$ and $\lambda_2 = -5$ (to give trace $= -5$) with $x_2 = (1, -1)$. Then the usual 3 steps:
1. Write $u(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ as $\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = x_1 + x_2$
 2. Follow those eigenvectors by $e^{0t}x_1$ and $e^{-5t}x_2$
 3. The solution $u(t) = x_1 + e^{-5t}x_2$ has steady state $x_1 = (3, 2)$.
- 4** $d(v + w)/dt = (w - v) + (v - w) = 0$, so the total $v + w$ is constant. $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$
 has $\lambda_1 = 0$ with $x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$; $v(1) = 20 + 10e^{-2}$ $v(\infty) = 20$
 $w(1) = 20 - 10e^{-2}$ $w(\infty) = 20$

- 5 $\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} v \\ w \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ has $\lambda = 0$ and $+2$: $v(t) = 20 + 10e^{2t} - \infty$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$.
- 6 $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & 1 \\ 1 & a \end{bmatrix}$ has real eigenvalues $a + 1$ and $a - 1$. These are both negative if $a < -1$, and the solutions of $\mathbf{u}' = A\mathbf{u}$ approach zero. $B = \begin{bmatrix} b & -1 \\ 1 & b \end{bmatrix}$ has complex eigenvalues $b + i$ and $b - i$. These have negative real parts if $b < 0$, and all solutions of $\mathbf{v}' = B\mathbf{v}$ approach zero.
- 7 A projection matrix has eigenvalues $\lambda = 1$ and $\lambda = 0$. Eigenvectors $P\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{x}$ fill the subspace that P projects onto: here $\mathbf{x} = (1, 1)$. Eigenvectors $P\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$ fill the perpendicular subspace: here $\mathbf{x} = (1, -1)$. For the solution to $\mathbf{u}' = -P\mathbf{u}$,
- $$\mathbf{u}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{u}(t) = e^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + e^{0t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ approaches } \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}.$$
- 8 $\begin{bmatrix} 6 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ has $\lambda_1 = 5$, $\mathbf{x}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $\lambda_2 = 2$, $\mathbf{x}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$; rabbits $r(t) = 20e^{5t} + 10e^{2t}$, $w(t) = 10e^{5t} + 20e^{2t}$. The ratio of rabbits to wolves approaches $20/10$; e^{5t} dominates.
- 9 (a) $\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{bmatrix} + 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{bmatrix}$. (b) Then $u(t) = 2e^{it} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{bmatrix} + 2e^{-it} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \cos t \\ 4 \sin t \end{bmatrix}$.
- 10 $\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} y \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y' \\ y'' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y \\ y' \end{bmatrix}$. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ has $\det(A - \lambda I) = \lambda^2 - 5\lambda - 4 = 0$. Directly substituting $y = e^{\lambda t}$ into $y'' = 5y' + 4y$ also gives $\lambda^2 = 5\lambda + 4$ and the same two values of λ . Those values are $\frac{1}{2}(5 \pm \sqrt{41})$ by the quadratic formula.
- 11 $e^{At} = I + t \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \text{zeros} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & t \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. Then $\begin{bmatrix} y(t) \\ y'(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & t \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y(0) \\ y'(0) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y(0) + y'(0)t \\ y'(0) \end{bmatrix}$. This $y(t) = y(0) + y'(0)t$ solves the equation.
- 12 $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -9 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ has trace 6, det 9, $\lambda = 3$ and 3 with *one* independent eigenvector $(1, 3)$.
- 13 (a) $y(t) = \cos 3t$ and $\sin 3t$ solve $y'' = -9y$. It is $3 \cos 3t$ that starts with $y(0) = 3$ and $y'(0) = 0$. (b) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -9 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ has $\det = 9$: $\lambda = 3i$ and $-3i$ with $\mathbf{x} = (1, 3i)$ and $(1, -3i)$. Then $\mathbf{u}(t) = \frac{3}{2}e^{3it} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3i \end{bmatrix} + \frac{3}{2}e^{-3it} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3i \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \cos 3t \\ -9 \sin 3t \end{bmatrix}$.
- 14 When A is skew-symmetric, $\|\mathbf{u}(t)\| = \|e^{At}\mathbf{u}(0)\|$ is $\|\mathbf{u}(0)\|$. So e^{At} is *orthogonal*.
- 15 $\mathbf{u}_p = 4$ and $\mathbf{u}(t) = ce^t + 4$; $\mathbf{u}_p = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\mathbf{u}(t) = c_1 e^t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ t \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^t \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$.
- 16 Substituting $\mathbf{u} = e^{ct}\mathbf{v}$ gives $ce^{ct}\mathbf{v} = Ae^{ct}\mathbf{v} - e^{ct}\mathbf{b}$ or $(A - cI)\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{b}$ or $\mathbf{v} = (A - cI)^{-1}\mathbf{b}$ = particular solution. If c is an eigenvalue then $A - cI$ is not invertible.

- 17** (a) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ (b) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ (c) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. These show the unstable cases
 (a) $\lambda_1 < 0$ and $\lambda_2 > 0$ (b) $\lambda_1 > 0$ and $\lambda_2 > 0$ (c) $\lambda = a \pm ib$ with $a > 0$
- 18** $d/dt(e^{At}) = A + A^2t + \frac{1}{2}A^3t^2 + \frac{1}{6}A^4t^3 + \dots = A(I + At + \frac{1}{2}A^2t^2 + \frac{1}{6}A^3t^3 + \dots)$.
 This is exactly Ae^{At} , the derivative we expect.
- 19** $e^{Bt} = I + Bt$ (short series with $B^2 = 0$) $= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4t \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. Derivative $= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = B$.
- 20** The solution at time $t + T$ is also $e^{A(t+T)}\mathbf{u}(0)$. Thus e^{At} times e^{AT} equals $e^{A(t+T)}$.
- 21** $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}; \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e^t & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} e^t & 4e^t - 4 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.
- 22** $A^2 = A$ gives $e^{At} = I + At + \frac{1}{2}At^2 + \frac{1}{6}At^3 + \dots = I + (e^t - 1)A = \begin{bmatrix} e^t & e^t - 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.
- 23** $e^A = \begin{bmatrix} e & 4(e-1) \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ from **21** and $e^B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ from **19**. By direct multiplication
 $e^A e^B \neq e^B e^A \neq e^{A+B} = \begin{bmatrix} e & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.
- 24** $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$. Then $e^{At} = \begin{bmatrix} e^t & \frac{1}{2}(e^{3t} - e^t) \\ 0 & e^{3t} \end{bmatrix}$.
- 25** The matrix has $A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = A$. Then all $A^n = A$. So $e^{At} = I + (t + t^2/2! + \dots)A = I + (e^t - 1)A = \begin{bmatrix} e^t & 3(e^t - 1) \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ as in Problem 22.
- 26** (a) The inverse of e^{At} is e^{-At} (b) If $A\mathbf{x} = \lambda\mathbf{x}$ then $e^{At}\mathbf{x} = e^{\lambda t}\mathbf{x}$ and $e^{\lambda t} \neq 0$.
 To see $e^{At}\mathbf{x}$, write $(I + At + \frac{1}{2}A^2t^2 + \dots)\mathbf{x} = (1 + \lambda t + \frac{1}{2}\lambda^2t^2 + \dots)\mathbf{x} = e^{\lambda t}\mathbf{x}$.
- 27** $(x, y) = (e^{4t}, e^{-4t})$ is a growing solution. The correct matrix for the exchanged $\mathbf{u} = (y, x)$ is $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ -4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$. It *does* have the same eigenvalues as the original matrix.
- 28** Centering produces $\mathbf{U}_{n+1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \Delta t \\ -\Delta t & 1 - (\Delta t)^2 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{U}_n$. At $\Delta t = 1$, $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ has $\lambda = e^{i\pi/3}$ and $e^{-i\pi/3}$. Both eigenvalues have $\lambda^6 = 1$ so $A^6 = I$. Therefore $\mathbf{U}_6 = A^6\mathbf{U}_0$ comes exactly back to \mathbf{U}_0 .
- 29** First A has $\lambda = \pm i$ and $A^4 = I$. $A^n = (-1)^n \begin{bmatrix} 1-2n & -2n \\ 2n & 2n+1 \end{bmatrix}$ Linear growth.
 Second A has $\lambda = -1, -1$ and
- 30** With $a = \Delta t/2$ the trapezoidal step is $\mathbf{U}_{n+1} = \frac{1}{1+a^2} \begin{bmatrix} 1-a^2 & 2a \\ -2a & 1-a^2 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{U}_n$.
 That matrix has orthonormal columns \Rightarrow orthogonal matrix $\Rightarrow \|\mathbf{U}_{n+1}\| = \|\mathbf{U}_n\|$
- 31** (a) $(\cos A)\mathbf{x} = (\cos \lambda)\mathbf{x}$ (b) $\lambda(A) = 2\pi$ and 0 so $\cos \lambda = 1, 1$ and $\cos A = I$
 (c) $\mathbf{u}(t) = 3(\cos 2\pi t)(1, 1) + 1(\cos 0t)(1, -1)$ [$\mathbf{u}' = A\mathbf{u}$ has **exp**, $\mathbf{u}'' = A\mathbf{u}$ has **cos**]

Problem Set 6.4, page 337

Note A way to complete the proof at the end of page 334, (perturbing the matrix to produce distinct eigenvalues) is now on the course website: “*Proofs of the Spectral Theorem.*” math.mit.edu/linearalgebra.

- 1 $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 6 \\ 3 & 3 & 3 \\ 6 & 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & -3 \\ 2 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2}(A + A^T) + \frac{1}{2}(A - A^T)$
= **symmetric** + **skew-symmetric**.
- 2 $(A^T C A)^T = A^T C^T (A^T)^T = A^T C A$. When A is 6 by 3, C will be 6 by 6 and the triple product $A^T C A$ is 3 by 3.
- 3 $\lambda = 0, 4, -2$; unit vectors $\pm(0, 1, -1)/\sqrt{2}$ and $\pm(2, 1, 1)/\sqrt{6}$ and $\pm(1, -1, -1)/\sqrt{3}$.
- 4 $\lambda = 10$ and -5 in $\Lambda = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 0 \\ 0 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ have to be normalized to unit vectors in $Q = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$.
- 5 $Q = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$. The columns of Q are unit eigenvectors of A . Each unit eigenvector could be multiplied by -1 .
- 6 $A = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 12 \\ 12 & 16 \end{bmatrix}$ has $\lambda = 0$ and 25 so the columns of Q are the two eigenvectors:
 $Q = \begin{bmatrix} .8 & .6 \\ -.6 & .8 \end{bmatrix}$ or we can exchange columns or reverse the signs of any column.
- 7 (a) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ has $\lambda = -1$ and 3 (b) The pivots have the same signs as the λ 's (c) trace $= \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 2$, so A can't have two negative eigenvalues.
- 8 If $A^3 = 0$ then all $\lambda^3 = 0$ so all $\lambda = 0$ as in $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$. If A is *symmetric* then $A^3 = Q \Lambda^3 Q^T = 0$ requires $\Lambda = 0$. The only symmetric A is $Q 0 Q^T =$ zero matrix.
- 9 If λ is complex then $\bar{\lambda}$ is also an eigenvalue ($A\bar{\mathbf{x}} = \bar{\lambda}\bar{\mathbf{x}}$). Always $\lambda + \bar{\lambda}$ is real. The trace is real so the third eigenvalue of a 3 by 3 real matrix must be real.
- 10 If \mathbf{x} is not real then $\lambda = \mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x} / \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{x}$ is *not* always real. Can't assume real eigenvectors!
- 11 $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = 2 \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} + 4 \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$; $\begin{bmatrix} 9 & 12 \\ 12 & 16 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \begin{bmatrix} .64 & -.48 \\ -.48 & .36 \end{bmatrix} + 25 \begin{bmatrix} .36 & .48 \\ .48 & .64 \end{bmatrix}$
- 12 $[\mathbf{x}_1 \ \mathbf{x}_2]$ is an orthogonal matrix so $P_1 + P_2 = \mathbf{x}_1 \mathbf{x}_1^T + \mathbf{x}_2 \mathbf{x}_2^T = [\mathbf{x}_1 \ \mathbf{x}_2] \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}_1^T \\ \mathbf{x}_2^T \end{bmatrix} = I$;
 $P_1 P_2 = \mathbf{x}_1 (\mathbf{x}_1^T \mathbf{x}_2) \mathbf{x}_2^T = 0$. Second proof: $P_1 P_2 = P_1 (I - P_1) = P_1 - P_1^2 = 0$ since $P_1^2 = P_1$.
- 13 $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b \\ -b & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ has $\lambda = ib$ and $-ib$. The block matrices $\begin{bmatrix} A & 0 \\ 0 & A \end{bmatrix}$ and $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & A \\ A & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ are also skew-symmetric with $\lambda = ib$ (twice) and $\lambda = -ib$ (twice).

- 14** M is skew-symmetric and orthogonal; λ 's must be $i, i, -i, -i$ to have trace zero.
- 15** $A = \begin{bmatrix} i & 1 \\ 1 & -i \end{bmatrix}$ has $\lambda = 0, 0$ and only one independent eigenvector $\mathbf{x} = (i, 1)$. The good property for complex matrices is not $A^T = A$ (symmetric) but $\overline{A}^T = A$ (Hermitian with real eigenvalues and orthogonal eigenvectors: see Problem 20 and Section 10.2).
- 16** (a) If $Az = \lambda y$ and $A^T y = \lambda z$ then $B[\mathbf{y}; -\mathbf{z}] = [-Az; A^T y] = -\lambda[\mathbf{y}; -\mathbf{z}]$. So $-\lambda$ is also an eigenvalue of B . (b) $A^T Az = A^T(\lambda y) = \lambda^2 z$. (c) $\lambda = -1, -1, 1, 1$; $\mathbf{x}_1 = (1, 0, -1, 0)$, $\mathbf{x}_2 = (0, 1, 0, -1)$, $\mathbf{x}_3 = (1, 0, 1, 0)$, $\mathbf{x}_4 = (0, 1, 0, 1)$.
- 17** The eigenvalues of $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ are $0, \sqrt{2}, -\sqrt{2}$ by Problem 16 with $\mathbf{x}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{x}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ \sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{x}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$.
- 18** 1. \mathbf{y} is in the nullspace of A and \mathbf{x} is in the column space = row space because $A = A^T$. Those spaces are perpendicular so $\mathbf{y}^T \mathbf{x} = 0$.
2. If $A\mathbf{x} = \lambda\mathbf{x}$ and $A\mathbf{y} = \beta\mathbf{y}$ then shift by β : $(A - \beta I)\mathbf{x} = (\lambda - \beta)\mathbf{x}$ and $(A - \beta I)\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{0}$ and again $\mathbf{x} \perp \mathbf{y}$.
- 19** A has $S = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$; B has $S = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2d \end{bmatrix}$. Perpendicular for A
Not perpendicular for B
since $B^T \neq B$
- 20** $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 + 4i \\ 3 - 4i & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ is a *Hermitian matrix* ($\overline{A}^T = A$). Its eigenvalues 6 and -4 are *real*. Adjust equations (1)–(2) in the text to prove that λ is always real when $\overline{A}^T = A$:
- $A\mathbf{x} = \lambda\mathbf{x}$ leads to $\overline{A}\overline{\mathbf{x}} = \overline{\lambda}\overline{\mathbf{x}}$. Transpose to $\overline{\mathbf{x}}^T A = \overline{\mathbf{x}}^T \overline{\lambda}$ using $\overline{A}^T = A$.
Then $\overline{\mathbf{x}}^T A\mathbf{x} = \overline{\mathbf{x}}^T \lambda\mathbf{x}$ and also $\overline{\mathbf{x}}^T A\mathbf{x} = \overline{\mathbf{x}}^T \overline{\lambda}\mathbf{x}$. So $\lambda = \overline{\lambda}$ is real.
- 21** (a) False. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ (b) True from $A^T = Q\Lambda Q^T$ (c) True from $A^{-1} = Q\Lambda^{-1}Q^T$ (d) False!
- 22** A and A^T have the same λ 's but the *order* of the \mathbf{x} 's can change. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ has $\lambda_1 = i$ and $\lambda_2 = -i$ with $\mathbf{x}_1 = (1, i)$ first for A but $\mathbf{x}_1 = (1, -i)$ first for A^T .
- 23** A is invertible, orthogonal, permutation, diagonalizable, Markov; B is projection, diagonalizable, Markov. A allows QR , $S\Lambda S^{-1}$, $Q\Lambda Q^T$; B allows $S\Lambda S^{-1}$ and $Q\Lambda Q^T$.
- 24** Symmetry gives $Q\Lambda Q^T$ if $b = 1$; repeated λ and no S if $b = -1$; singular if $b = 0$.
- 25** Orthogonal and symmetric requires $|\lambda| = 1$ and λ real, so $\lambda = \pm 1$. Then $A = \pm I$ or $A = Q\Lambda Q^T = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos 2\theta & \sin 2\theta \\ \sin 2\theta & -\cos 2\theta \end{bmatrix}$.
- 26** Eigenvectors $(1, 0)$ and $(1, 1)$ give a 45° angle even with A^T very close to A .

- 27** The roots of $\lambda^2 + b\lambda + c = 0$ are $\frac{1}{2}(-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac})$. Then $\lambda_1 - \lambda_2$ is $\sqrt{b^2 - 4c}$. For $\det(A + tB - \lambda I)$ we have $b = -3 - 8t$ and $c = 2 + 16t - t^2$. The minimum of $b^2 - 4c$ is $1/17$ at $t = 2/17$. Then $\lambda_2 - \lambda_1 = 1/\sqrt{17}$.
- 28** $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2+i \\ 2-i & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \overline{A}^T$ has real eigenvalues $\lambda = 5$ and -1 with trace $= 4$ and $\det = -5$. The solution to **20** proves that λ is real when $\overline{A}^T = A$ is Hermitian; I did not intend to repeat this part.
- 29** (a) $A = Q\Lambda\overline{Q}^T$ times $\overline{A}^T = Q\overline{\Lambda}^T\overline{Q}^T$ equals \overline{A}^T times A because $\Lambda\overline{\Lambda}^T = \overline{\Lambda}^T\Lambda$ (diagonal!) (b) step 2: The 1, 1 entries of $\overline{T}^T T$ and $T\overline{T}^T$ are $|a|^2$ and $|a|^2 + |b|^2$. This makes $b = 0$ and $T = \Lambda$.
- 30** a_{11} is $[q_{11} \dots q_{1n}] [\lambda_1 \overline{q}_{11} \dots \lambda_n \overline{q}_{1n}]^T \leq \lambda_{\max} (|q_{11}|^2 + \dots + |q_{1n}|^2) = \lambda_{\max}$.
- 31** (a) $\mathbf{x}^T(A\mathbf{x}) = (A\mathbf{x})^T \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{x}^T A^T \mathbf{x} = -\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x}$. (b) $\overline{\mathbf{z}}^T A \mathbf{z}$ is pure imaginary, its real part is $\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}^T A \mathbf{y} = 0 + 0$ (c) $\det A = \lambda_1 \dots \lambda_n \geq 0$: pairs of λ 's $= ib, -ib$.
- 32** Since A is diagonalizable with eigenvalue matrix $\Lambda = 2I$, the matrix A itself has to be $S\Lambda S^{-1} = S(2I)S^{-1} = 2I$. (The unsymmetric matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ also has $\lambda = 2, 2$.)

Problem Set 6.5, page 350

- 1** Suppose $a > 0$ and $ac > b^2$ so that also $c > b^2/a > 0$. (i) The eigenvalues have the *same sign* because $\lambda_1 \lambda_2 = \det = ac - b^2 > 0$. (ii) That sign is *positive* because $\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 > 0$ (it equals the trace $a + c > 0$).
- 2** Only $A_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 10 \\ 10 & 101 \end{bmatrix}$ has two positive eigenvalues. $\mathbf{x}^T A_1 \mathbf{x} = 5x_1^2 + 12x_1x_2 + 7x_2^2$ is negative for example when $x_1 = 4$ and $x_2 = -3$: A_1 is not positive definite as its determinant confirms.
- 3** Positive definite for $-3 < b < 3$ $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ b & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & b \\ 0 & 9-b^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ b & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 9-b^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & b \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = LDL^T$
Positive definite for $c > 8$ $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 0 & c-8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & c-8 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = LDL^T$.
- 4** $f(x, y) = x^2 + 4xy + 9y^2 = (x + 2y)^2 + 5y^2$; $x^2 + 6xy + 9y^2 = (x + 3y)^2$.
- 5** $x^2 + 4xy + 3y^2 = (x + 2y)^2 - y^2 = \text{difference of squares}$ is negative at $x = 2$, $y = -1$, where the first square is zero.
- 6** $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ produces $f(x, y) = \begin{bmatrix} x & y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = 2xy$. A has $\lambda = 1$ and -1 . Then A is an *indefinite matrix* and $f(x, y) = 2xy$ has a *saddle point*.
- 7** $R^T R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 13 \end{bmatrix}$ and $R^T R = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 5 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ are positive definite; $R^T R = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 3 \\ 3 & 5 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ is singular (and positive semidefinite). The first two R 's have independent columns. The 2 by 3 R cannot have full column rank 3, with only 2 rows.
- 8** $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 6 \\ 6 & 16 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. Pivots 3, 4 outside squares, ℓ_{ij} inside. $\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x} = 3(x + 2y)^2 + 4y^2$

- 9 $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -4 & 8 \\ -4 & 4 & -8 \\ 8 & -8 & 16 \end{bmatrix}$ has only one pivot = 4, rank $A = 1$, eigenvalues are 24, 0, 0, $\det A = 0$.
- 10 $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ has pivots 2, $\frac{3}{2}$, $\frac{4}{3}$; $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ is singular; $B \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$.
- 11 Corner determinants $|A_1| = 2$, $|A_2| = 6$, $|A_3| = 30$. The pivots are 2/1, 6/2, 30/6.
- 12 A is positive definite for $c > 1$; determinants c , $c^2 - 1$, and $(c - 1)^2(c + 2) > 0$. B is *never* positive definite (determinants $d - 4$ and $-4d + 12$ are never both positive).
- 13 $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ 5 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$ is an example with $a + c > 2b$ but $ac < b^2$, so not positive definite.
- 14 The eigenvalues of A^{-1} are positive because they are $1/\lambda(A)$. And the entries of A^{-1} pass the determinant tests. And $\mathbf{x}^T A^{-1} \mathbf{x} = (A^{-1} \mathbf{x})^T A (A^{-1} \mathbf{x}) > 0$ for all $\mathbf{x} \neq \mathbf{0}$.
- 15 Since $\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x} > 0$ and $\mathbf{x}^T B \mathbf{x} > 0$ we have $\mathbf{x}^T (A + B) \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{x}^T B \mathbf{x} > 0$ for all $\mathbf{x} \neq \mathbf{0}$. Then $A + B$ is a positive definite matrix. The second proof uses the test $A = R^T R$ (independent columns in R): If $A = R^T R$ and $B = S^T S$ pass this test, then $A + B = \begin{bmatrix} R & S \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} R \\ S \end{bmatrix}$ also passes, and must be positive definite.
- 16 $\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x}$ is zero when $(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (0, 1, 0)$ because of the zero on the diagonal. Actually $\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x}$ goes *negative* for $\mathbf{x} = (1, -10, 0)$ because the second pivot is *negative*.
- 17 If a_{jj} were smaller than all λ 's, $A - a_{jj} I$ would have all eigenvalues > 0 (positive definite). But $A - a_{jj} I$ has a zero in the (j, j) position; impossible by Problem 16.
- 18 If $A \mathbf{x} = \lambda \mathbf{x}$ then $\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x} = \lambda \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{x}$. If A is positive definite this leads to $\lambda = \mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x} / \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{x} > 0$ (ratio of positive numbers). So positive energy \Rightarrow positive eigenvalues.
- 19 All cross terms are $\mathbf{x}_i^T \mathbf{x}_j = 0$ because symmetric matrices have orthogonal eigenvectors. So positive eigenvalues \Rightarrow positive energy.
- 20 (a) The determinant is positive; all $\lambda > 0$ (b) All projection matrices except I are singular (c) The diagonal entries of D are its eigenvalues (d) $A = -I$ has $\det = +1$ when n is even.
- 21 A is positive definite when $s > 8$; B is positive definite when $t > 5$ by determinants.
- 22 $R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{9} & \\ & \sqrt{1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$; $R = Q \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} Q^T = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$.
- 23 $x^2/a^2 + y^2/b^2$ is $\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x}$ when $A = \text{diag}(1/a^2, 1/b^2)$. Then $\lambda_1 = 1/a^2$ and $\lambda_2 = 1/b^2$ so $a = 1/\sqrt{\lambda_1}$ and $b = 1/\sqrt{\lambda_2}$. The ellipse $9x^2 + 16y^2 = 1$ has axes with half-lengths $a = \frac{1}{3}$ and $b = \frac{1}{4}$. The points $(\frac{1}{3}, 0)$ and $(0, \frac{1}{4})$ are at the ends of the axes.
- 24 The ellipse $x^2 + xy + y^2 = 1$ has axes with half-lengths $1/\sqrt{\lambda} = \sqrt{2}$ and $\sqrt{2/3}$.
- 25 $A = C^T C = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 3 \\ 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$; $\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 8 \\ 8 & 25 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $C = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

- 26** The Cholesky factors $C = (L\sqrt{D})^T = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ and $C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & \sqrt{5} \end{bmatrix}$ have square roots of the pivots from D . Note again $C^T C = LDL^T = A$.
- 27** Writing out $\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{x}^T L D L^T \mathbf{x}$ gives $ax^2 + 2bxy + cy^2 = a(x + \frac{b}{a}y)^2 + \frac{ac-b^2}{a}y^2$. So the LDL^T from elimination is exactly the same as *completing the square*. The example $2x^2 + 8xy + 10y^2 = 2(x + 2y)^2 + 2y^2$ with pivots 2, 2 outside the squares and multiplier 2 inside.
- 28** $\det A = (1)(10)(1) = 10$; $\lambda = 2$ and 5 ; $\mathbf{x}_1 = (\cos \theta, \sin \theta)$, $\mathbf{x}_2 = (-\sin \theta, \cos \theta)$; the λ 's are positive. So A is positive definite.
- 29** $H_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 6x^2 & 2x \\ 2x & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ is semidefinite; $f_1 = (\frac{1}{2}x^2 + y)^2 = 0$ on the curve $\frac{1}{2}x^2 + y = 0$;
 $H_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 6x & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ is indefinite at $(0, 1)$ where 1st derivatives = 0. This is a saddle point of the function $f_2(x, y)$.
- 30** $ax^2 + 2bxy + cy^2$ has a saddle point if $ac < b^2$. The matrix is *indefinite* ($\lambda < 0$ and $\lambda > 0$) because the determinant $ac - b^2$ is *negative*.
- 31** If $c > 9$ the graph of z is a bowl, if $c < 9$ the graph has a saddle point. When $c = 9$ the graph of $z = (2x + 3y)^2$ is a “trough” staying at zero along the line $2x + 3y = 0$.
- 32** Orthogonal matrices, exponentials e^{At} , matrices with $\det = 1$ are groups. Examples of subgroups are orthogonal matrices with $\det = 1$, exponentials e^{An} for integer n . Another subgroup: lower triangular elimination matrices E with diagonal 1's.
- 33** A product AB of symmetric positive definite matrices comes into many applications. The “generalized” eigenvalue problem $K\mathbf{x} = \lambda M\mathbf{x}$ has $AB = M^{-1}K$. (often we use $\text{eig}(K, M)$ without actually inverting M .) All eigenvalues λ are positive:

$$AB\mathbf{x} = \lambda\mathbf{x} \text{ gives } (B\mathbf{x})^T AB\mathbf{x} = (B\mathbf{x})^T \lambda\mathbf{x}. \text{ Then } \lambda = \mathbf{x}^T B^T AB\mathbf{x} / \mathbf{x}^T B\mathbf{x} > 0.$$

- 34** The five eigenvalues of K are $2 - 2 \cos \frac{k\pi}{6} = 2 - \sqrt{3}, 2 - 1, 2, 2 + 1, 2 + \sqrt{3}$. The product of those eigenvalues is $6 = \det K$.
- 35** Put parentheses in $\mathbf{x}^T A^T C A \mathbf{x} = (A\mathbf{x})^T C (A\mathbf{x})$. Since C is assumed positive definite, this energy can drop to zero only when $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$. Since A is assumed to have independent columns, $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$ only happens when $\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$. Thus $A^T C A$ has positive energy and is positive definite.

My textbooks *Computational Science and Engineering* and *Introduction to Applied Mathematics* start with many examples of $A^T C A$ in a wide range of applications. I believe this is a unifying concept from linear algebra.

Problem Set 6.6, page 360

- 1** $B = GCG^{-1} = GF^{-1}AFG^{-1}$ so $M = FG^{-1}$. C similar to A and $B \Rightarrow A$ similar to B .
- 2** $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ is similar to $B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = M^{-1}AM$ with $M = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$.

- 3 $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = M^{-1}AM;$
 $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix};$
 $B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$
- 4 A has no repeated λ so it can be diagonalized: $S^{-1}AS = \Lambda$ makes A similar to Λ .
- 5 $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ are similar (they all have eigenvalues 1 and 0).
 $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ is by itself and also $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ is by itself with eigenvalues 1 and -1 .
- 6 *Eight families* of similar matrices: six matrices have $\lambda = 0, 1$ (one family); three matrices have $\lambda = 1, 1$ and three have $\lambda = 0, 0$ (two families each!); one has $\lambda = 1, -1$; one has $\lambda = 2, 0$; two matrices have $\lambda = \frac{1}{2}(1 \pm \sqrt{5})$ (they are in one family).
- 7 (a) $(M^{-1}AM)(M^{-1}\mathbf{x}) = M^{-1}(A\mathbf{x}) = M^{-1}\mathbf{0} = \mathbf{0}$ (b) The nullspaces of A and of $M^{-1}AM$ have the same *dimension*. Different vectors and different bases.
- 8 Same Λ But $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ have the same line of eigenvectors and the same eigenvalues $\lambda = 0, 0$.
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- 9 $A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, A^3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, every $A^k = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & k \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. $A^0 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.
- 10 $J^2 = \begin{bmatrix} c^2 & 2c \\ 0 & c^2 \end{bmatrix}$ and $J^k = \begin{bmatrix} c^k & kc^{k-1} \\ 0 & c^k \end{bmatrix}$; $J^0 = I$ and $J^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} c^{-1} & -c^{-2} \\ 0 & c^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$.
- 11 $\mathbf{u}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} v(0) \\ w(0) \end{bmatrix}$. The equation $\frac{d\mathbf{u}}{dt} = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda & 1 \\ 0 & \lambda \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}$ has $\frac{dv}{dt} = \lambda v + w$ and $\frac{dw}{dt} = \lambda w$. Then $w(t) = 2e^{\lambda t}$ and $v(t)$ must include $2te^{\lambda t}$ (this comes from the repeated λ). To match $v(0) = 5$, the solution is $v(t) = 2te^{\lambda t} + 5e^{\lambda t}$.
- 12 If $M^{-1}JM = K$ then $JM = \begin{bmatrix} m_{21} & m_{22} & m_{23} & m_{24} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ m_{41} & m_{42} & m_{43} & m_{44} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = MK = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & m_{12} & m_{13} & 0 \\ 0 & m_{22} & m_{23} & 0 \\ 0 & m_{32} & m_{33} & 0 \\ 0 & m_{42} & m_{43} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$.
- That means $m_{21} = m_{22} = m_{23} = m_{24} = 0$. M is not invertible, J not similar to K .
- 13 The five 4 by 4 Jordan forms with $\lambda = 0, 0, 0, 0$ are $J_1 =$ zero matrix and

$$J_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad J_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$J_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad J_5 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Problem 12 showed that J_3 and J_4 are *not similar*, even with the same rank. Every matrix with all $\lambda = 0$ is “*nilpotent*” (its n th power is $A^n = \text{zero matrix}$). You see $J^4 = 0$ for these matrices. How many possible Jordan forms for $n = 5$ and all $\lambda = 0$?

- 14** (1) Choose $M_i =$ reverse diagonal matrix to get $M_i^{-1}J_iM_i = M_i^T$ in each block
 (2) M_0 has those diagonal blocks M_i to get $M_0^{-1}JM_0 = J^T$. (3) $A^T = (M^{-1})^T J^T M^T$ equals $(M^{-1})^T M_0^{-1}JM_0M^T = (MM_0M^T)^{-1}A(MM_0M^T)$, and A^T is similar to A .
- 15** $\det(M^{-1}AM - \lambda I) = \det(M^{-1}AM - M^{-1}\lambda IM)$. This is $\det(M^{-1}(A - \lambda I)M)$. By the product rule, the determinants of M and M^{-1} cancel to leave $\det(A - \lambda I)$.
- 16** $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$ is similar to $\begin{bmatrix} d & c \\ b & a \end{bmatrix}$; $\begin{bmatrix} b & a \\ d & c \end{bmatrix}$ is similar to $\begin{bmatrix} c & d \\ a & b \end{bmatrix}$. So two pairs of similar matrices but $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ is not similar to $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$: different eigenvalues!
- 17** (a) *False*: Diagonalize a nonsymmetric $A = S\Lambda S^{-1}$. Then Λ is symmetric and similar
 (b) *True*: A singular matrix has $\lambda = 0$. (c) *False*: $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ are similar (they have $\lambda = \pm 1$) (d) *True*: Adding I increases all eigenvalues by 1
- 18** $AB = B^{-1}(BA)B$ so AB is similar to BA . If $ABx = \lambda x$ then $BA(Bx) = \lambda(Bx)$.
- 19** Diagonal blocks 6 by 6, 4 by 4; AB has the same eigenvalues as BA plus 6 – 4 zeros.
- 20** (a) $A = M^{-1}BM \Rightarrow A^2 = (M^{-1}BM)(M^{-1}BM) = M^{-1}B^2M$. So A^2 is similar to B^2 . (b) A^2 equals $(-A)^2$ but A may not be similar to $B = -A$ (it could be!).
 (c) $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ is diagonalizable to $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ because $\lambda_1 \neq \lambda_2$, so these matrices are similar.
 (d) $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ has only one eigenvector, so not diagonalizable (e) PAP^T is similar to A .
- 21** J^2 has three 1's down the *second* superdiagonal, and *two* independent eigenvectors for $\lambda = 0$. Its 5 by 5 Jordan form is $\begin{bmatrix} J_3 & \\ & J_2 \end{bmatrix}$ with $J_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ and $J_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$.

Note to professors: An interesting question: *Which matrices A have (complex) square roots $R^2 = A$?* If A is invertible, no problem. But any Jordan blocks for $\lambda = 0$ must have sizes $n_1 \geq n_2 \geq \dots \geq n_k \geq n_{k+1} = 0$ that come in pairs like 3 and 2 in this example: $n_1 = (n_2 \text{ or } n_2 + 1)$ and $n_3 = (n_4 \text{ or } n_4 + 1)$ and so on.

A list of all 3 by 3 and 4 by 4 Jordan forms could be $\begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & b & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & c \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} a & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & b \end{bmatrix}$,
 $\begin{bmatrix} a & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & a & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & a \end{bmatrix}$ (for any numbers a, b, c)
 with 3, 2, 1 eigenvectors; $\text{diag}(a, b, c, d)$ and $\begin{bmatrix} a & 1 & & \\ & a & & \\ & & b & \\ & & & c \end{bmatrix}$,
 $\begin{bmatrix} a & 1 & & \\ & a & & \\ & & b & 1 \\ & & & b \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} a & 1 & & \\ & a & 1 & \\ & & a & \\ & & & b \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} a & 1 & & \\ & a & 1 & 1 \\ & & a & 1 \\ & & & a \end{bmatrix}$ with 4, 3, 2, 1 eigenvectors.

- 22** If all roots are $\lambda = 0$, this means that $\det(A - \lambda I)$ must be just λ^n . The Cayley-Hamilton Theorem in Problem 6.2.32 immediately says that $A^n = \text{zero matrix}$. The key example is a single n by n Jordan block (with $n - 1$ ones above the diagonal): Check directly that $J^n = \text{zero matrix}$.
- 23** Certainly $Q_1 R_1$ is similar to $R_1 Q_1 = Q_1^{-1}(Q_1 R_1)Q_1$. Then $A_1 = Q_1 R_1 - cs^2 I$ is similar to $A_2 = R_1 Q_1 - cs^2 I$.
- 24** A could have eigenvalues $\lambda = 2$ and $\lambda = \frac{1}{2}$ (A could be diagonal). Then A^{-1} has the same two eigenvalues (and is similar to A).

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- 1** $A = U \Sigma V^T = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_1 & \mathbf{u}_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}_1 & \mathbf{v}_2 \end{bmatrix}^T = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{50} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$
- 2** This $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ is a 2 by 2 matrix of rank 1. Its row space has basis \mathbf{v}_1 , its nullspace has basis \mathbf{v}_2 , its column space has basis \mathbf{u}_1 , its left nullspace has basis \mathbf{u}_2 :

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Row space} & \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} & \text{Nullspace} & \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \\ \text{Column space} & \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, & N(A^T) & \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

- 3** If A has rank 1 then so does $A^T A$. The only nonzero eigenvalue of $A^T A$ is its trace, which is the sum of all a_{ij}^2 . (Each diagonal entry of $A^T A$ is the sum of a_{ij}^2 down one column, so the trace is the sum down all columns.) Then $\sigma_1 = \text{square root of this sum}$, and $\sigma_1^2 = \text{this sum of all } a_{ij}^2$.
- 4** $A^T A = A A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ has eigenvalues $\sigma_1^2 = \frac{3 + \sqrt{5}}{2}$, $\sigma_2^2 = \frac{3 - \sqrt{5}}{2}$. But A is indefinite $\sigma_1 = (1 + \sqrt{5})/2 = \lambda_1(A)$, $\sigma_2 = (\sqrt{5} - 1)/2 = -\lambda_2(A)$; $\mathbf{u}_1 = \mathbf{v}_1$ but $\mathbf{u}_2 = -\mathbf{v}_2$.
- 5** A proof that *eigshow* finds the SVD. When $\mathbf{V}_1 = (1, 0)$, $\mathbf{V}_2 = (0, 1)$ the demo finds $A\mathbf{V}_1$ and $A\mathbf{V}_2$ at some angle θ . A 90° turn by the mouse to $\mathbf{V}_2, -\mathbf{V}_1$ finds $A\mathbf{V}_2$ and $-A\mathbf{V}_1$ at the angle $\pi - \theta$. Somewhere between, the constantly orthogonal \mathbf{v}_1 and \mathbf{v}_2 must produce $A\mathbf{v}_1$ and $A\mathbf{v}_2$ at angle $\pi/2$. Those orthogonal directions give \mathbf{u}_1 and \mathbf{u}_2 .
- 6** $A A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ has $\sigma_1^2 = 3$ with $\mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 1/\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$ and $\sigma_2^2 = 1$ with $\mathbf{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} \\ -1/\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$.
 $A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ has $\sigma_1^2 = 3$ with $\mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{6} \\ 2/\sqrt{6} \\ 1/\sqrt{6} \end{bmatrix}$, $\sigma_2^2 = 1$ with $\mathbf{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 \\ -1/\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$;
and $\mathbf{v}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} \\ -1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix}$. Then $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = [\mathbf{u}_1 \ \mathbf{u}_2] \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{3} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} [\mathbf{v}_1 \ \mathbf{v}_2 \ \mathbf{v}_3]^T$.

- 7 The matrix A in Problem 6 had $\sigma_1 = \sqrt{3}$ and $\sigma_2 = 1$ in Σ . The smallest change to rank 1 is to make $\sigma_2 = 0$. In the factorization

$$A = U\Sigma V^T = \mathbf{u}_1\sigma_1\mathbf{v}_1^T + \mathbf{u}_2\sigma_2\mathbf{v}_2^T$$

this change $\sigma_2 \rightarrow 0$ will leave the closest rank-1 matrix as $\mathbf{u}_1\sigma_1\mathbf{v}_1^T$. See Problem 14 for the general case of this problem.

- 8 The number $\sigma_{\max}(A^{-1})\sigma_{\max}(A)$ is the same as $\sigma_{\max}(A)/\sigma_{\min}(A)$. This is certainly ≥ 1 . It equals 1 if all σ 's are equal, and $A = U\Sigma V^T$ is a multiple of an orthogonal matrix. The ratio $\sigma_{\max}/\sigma_{\min}$ is the important **condition number** of A studied in Section 9.2.
- 9 $A = UV^T$ since all $\sigma_j = 1$, which means that $\Sigma = I$.
- 10 A rank-1 matrix with $A\mathbf{v} = 12\mathbf{u}$ would have \mathbf{u} in its column space, so $A = \mathbf{u}\mathbf{w}^T$ for some vector \mathbf{w} . I intended (but didn't say) that \mathbf{w} is a multiple of the unit vector $\mathbf{v} = \frac{1}{2}(1, 1, 1, 1)$ in the problem. Then $A = 12\mathbf{u}\mathbf{v}^T$ to get $A\mathbf{v} = 12\mathbf{u}$ when $\mathbf{v}^T\mathbf{v} = 1$.
- 11 If A has orthogonal columns $\mathbf{w}_1, \dots, \mathbf{w}_n$ of lengths $\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_n$, then $A^T A$ will be diagonal with entries $\sigma_1^2, \dots, \sigma_n^2$. So the σ 's are definitely the singular values of A (as expected). The eigenvalues of that diagonal matrix $A^T A$ are the columns of I , so $V = I$ in the SVD. Then the \mathbf{u}_i are $A\mathbf{v}_i/\sigma_i$ which is the unit vector \mathbf{w}_i/σ_i .

The SVD of this A with orthogonal columns is $A = U\Sigma V^T = (A\Sigma^{-1})(\Sigma)(I)$.

- 12 Since $A^T = A$ we have $\sigma_1^2 = \lambda_1^2$ and $\sigma_2^2 = \lambda_2^2$. But λ_2 is negative, so $\sigma_1 = 3$ and $\sigma_2 = 2$. The unit eigenvectors of A are the same $\mathbf{u}_1 = \mathbf{v}_1$ as for $A^T A = AA^T$ and $\mathbf{u}_2 = -\mathbf{v}_2$ (notice the sign change because $\sigma_2 = -\lambda_2$, as in Problem 4).
- 13 Suppose the SVD of R is $R = U\Sigma V^T$. Then multiply by Q to get $A = QR$. So the SVD of this A is $(QU)\Sigma V^T$. (Orthogonal Q times orthogonal U = orthogonal QU .)
- 14 The smallest change in A is to set its smallest singular value σ_2 to zero. See #7.
- 15 The singular values of $A + I$ are not $\sigma_j + 1$. They come from eigenvalues of $(A + I)^T(A + I)$.
- 16 This simulates the random walk used by *Google* on billions of sites to solve $A\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{p}$. It is like the power method of Section 9.3 except that it follows the links in one "walk" where the vector $\mathbf{p}_k = A^k \mathbf{p}_0$ averages over all walks.
- 17 $A = U\Sigma V^T = [\text{cosines including } \mathbf{u}_4] \text{diag}(\text{sqrt}(2 - \sqrt{2}), 2, 2 + \sqrt{2}) [\text{sine matrix}]^T$. $AV = U\Sigma$ says that differences of sines in V are cosines in U times σ 's.

The SVD of the derivative on $[0, \pi]$ with $f(0) = 0$ has $\mathbf{u} = \sin nx$, $\sigma = n$, $\mathbf{v} = \cos nx$!

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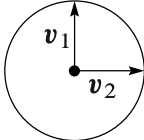
- 1 With $\mathbf{w} = \mathbf{0}$ linearity gives $T(\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{0}) = T(\mathbf{v}) + T(\mathbf{0})$. Thus $T(\mathbf{0}) = \mathbf{0}$. With $c = -1$ linearity gives $T(-\mathbf{0}) = -T(\mathbf{0})$. This is a second proof that $T(\mathbf{0}) = \mathbf{0}$.
- 2 Combining $T(c\mathbf{v}) = cT(\mathbf{v})$ and $T(d\mathbf{w}) = dT(\mathbf{w})$ with addition gives $T(c\mathbf{v} + d\mathbf{w}) = cT(\mathbf{v}) + dT(\mathbf{w})$. Then one more addition gives $cT(\mathbf{v}) + dT(\mathbf{w}) + eT(\mathbf{u})$.
- 3 (d) is not linear.

- 4 (a) $S(T(v)) = v$ (b) $S(T(v_1) + T(v_2)) = S(T(v_1)) + S(T(v_2))$.
- 5 Choose $v = (1, 1)$ and $w = (-1, 0)$. Then $T(v) + T(w) = (v + w)$ but $T(v + w) = (0, 0)$.
- 6 (a) $T(v) = v/\|v\|$ does not satisfy $T(v + w) = T(v) + T(w)$ or $T(cv) = cT(v)$
 (b) and (c) are linear (d) satisfies $T(cv) = cT(v)$.
- 7 (a) $T(T(v)) = v$ (b) $T(T(v)) = v + (2, 2)$ (c) $T(T(v)) = -v$ (d) $T(T(v)) = T(v)$.
- 8 (a) The range of $T(v_1, v_2) = (v_1 - v_2, 0)$ is the line of vectors $(c, 0)$. The nullspace is the line of vectors (c, c) . (b) $T(v_1, v_2, v_3) = (v_1, v_2)$ has Range \mathbf{R}^2 , kernel $\{(0, 0, v_3)\}$ (c) $T(v) = \mathbf{0}$ has Range $\{\mathbf{0}\}$, kernel \mathbf{R}^2 (d) $T(v_1, v_2) = (v_1, v_1)$ has Range = multiples of $(1, 1)$, kernel = multiples of $(1, -1)$.
- 9 If $T(v_1, v_2, v_3) = (v_2, v_3, v_1)$ then $T(T(v)) = (v_3, v_1, v_2)$; $T^3(v) = v$; $T^{100}(v) = T(v)$.
- 10 (a) $T(1, 0) = \mathbf{0}$ (b) $(0, 0, 1)$ is not in the range (c) $T(0, 1) = \mathbf{0}$.
- 11 For multiplication $T(v) = Av$: $V = \mathbf{R}^n$, $W = \mathbf{R}^m$; the outputs fill the column space; v is in the kernel if $Av = \mathbf{0}$.
- 12 $T(v) = (4, 4); (2, 2); (2, 2)$; if $v = (a, b) = b(1, 1) + \frac{a-b}{2}(2, 0)$ then $T(v) = b(2, 2) + (0, 0)$.
- 13 The *distributive law* (page 69) gives $A(M_1 + M_2) = AM_1 + AM_2$. The *distributive law* over c 's gives $A(cM) = c(AM)$.
- 14 This A is invertible. Multiply $AM = 0$ and $AM = B$ by A^{-1} to get $M = 0$ and $M = A^{-1}B$. The kernel contains only the zero matrix $M = 0$.
- 15 This A is *not* invertible. $AM = I$ is impossible. $A \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$. The range contains only matrices AM whose columns are multiples of $(1, 3)$.
- 16 No matrix A gives $A \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$. To professors: Linear transformations on matrix space come from 4 by 4 matrices. Those in Problems 13–15 were special.
- 17 For $T(M) = MT$ (a) $T^2 = I$ is True (b) True (c) True (d) False.
- 18 $T(I) = 0$ but $M = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = T(M)$; these M 's fill the range. Every $M = \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$ is in the kernel. Notice that $\dim(\text{range}) + \dim(\text{kernel}) = 3 + 1 = \dim(\text{input space of } 2 \text{ by } 2 \text{ } M\text{'s})$.
- 19 $T(T^{-1}(M)) = M$ so $T^{-1}(M) = A^{-1}MB^{-1}$.
- 20 (a) Horizontal lines stay horizontal, vertical lines stay vertical (b) House squashes onto a line (c) Vertical lines stay vertical because $T(1, 0) = (a_{11}, 0)$.
- 21 $D = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ doubles the width of the house. $A = \begin{bmatrix} .7 & .7 \\ .3 & .3 \end{bmatrix}$ projects the house (since $A^2 = A$ from $\text{trace} = 1$ and $\lambda = 0, 1$). The projection is onto the column space of $A =$ line through $(.7, .3)$. $U = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ will shear the house horizontally: The point at (x, y) moves over to $(x + y, y)$.

- 22** (a) $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & d \end{bmatrix}$ with $d > 0$ leaves the house AH sitting straight up (b) $A = 3I$ expands the house by 3 (c) $A = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$ rotates the house.
- 23** $T(\mathbf{v}) = -\mathbf{v}$ rotates the house by 180° around the origin. Then the affine transformation $T(\mathbf{v}) = -\mathbf{v} + (1, 0)$ shifts the rotated house one unit to the right.
- 24** A code to add a chimney will be gratefully received!
- 25** This code needs a correction: add spaces between $-10 \ 10 \ -10 \ 10$
- 26** $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & .1 \end{bmatrix}$ compresses vertical distances by 10 to 1. $\begin{bmatrix} .5 & .5 \\ .5 & .5 \end{bmatrix}$ projects onto the 45° line. $\begin{bmatrix} .5 & .5 \\ -.5 & .5 \end{bmatrix}$ rotates by 45° clockwise and contracts by a factor of $\sqrt{2}$ (the columns have length $1/\sqrt{2}$). $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ has determinant -1 so the house is “flipped and sheared.” One way to see this is to factor the matrix as LDL^T :

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \\ & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = (\text{shear}) (\text{flip left-right}) (\text{shear}).$$

- 27** Also **30** emphasizes that circles are transformed to ellipses (see figure in Section 6.7).
- 28** A code that adds two eyes and a smile will be included here with public credit given!
- 29** (a) $ad - bc = 0$ (b) $ad - bc > 0$ (c) $|ad - bc| = 1$. If vectors to two corners transform to themselves then by linearity $T = I$. (Fails if one corner is $(0, 0)$.)

- 30** The circle  transforms to the ellipse by rotating 30° and stretching the first axis by 2.
- 31** Linear transformations keep straight lines straight! And two parallel edges of a square (edges differing by a fixed \mathbf{v}) go to two parallel edges (edges differing by $T(\mathbf{v})$). So the output is a parallelogram.

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- For $S\mathbf{v} = d^2\mathbf{v}/dx^2$
- 1** $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3, \mathbf{v}_4 = 1, x, x^2, x^3$ The matrix for S is $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$.
 $S\mathbf{v}_1 = S\mathbf{v}_2 = \mathbf{0}, S\mathbf{v}_3 = 2\mathbf{v}_1, S\mathbf{v}_4 = 6\mathbf{v}_2$;
- 2** $S\mathbf{v} = d^2\mathbf{v}/dx^2 = 0$ for linear functions $\mathbf{v}(x) = a + bx$. All $(a, b, 0, 0)$ are in the nullspace of the second derivative matrix B .
- 3** $(\text{Matrix } A)^2 = B$ when $(\text{transformation } T)^2 = S$ and output basis = input basis.

- 4 The third derivative matrix has **6** in the (1, 4) position; since the third derivative of x^3 is 6. This matrix also comes from AB . The fourth derivative of a cubic is zero, and B^2 is the zero matrix.
- 5 $T(v_1 + v_2 + v_3) = 2w_1 + w_2 + 2w_3$; A times (1, 1, 1) gives (2, 1, 2).
- 6 $v = c(v_2 - v_3)$ gives $T(v) = \mathbf{0}$; nullspace is $(0, c, -c)$; solutions $(1, 0, 0) + (0, c, -c)$.
- 7 (1, 0, 0) is not in the column space of the matrix A , and w_1 is not in the range of the linear transformation T . Key point: *Column space* of matrix matches *range* of transformation.
- 8 We don't know $T(w)$ unless the w 's are the same as the v 's. In that case the matrix is A^2 .
- 9 Rank of $A = 2 =$ dimension of the *range* of T . The outputs Av (column space) match the outputs $T(v)$ (the range of T). The "output space" W is like \mathbf{R}^m : it contains all outputs but may not be filled up.
- 10 The matrix for T is $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. For the output $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ choose input $v = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = A^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$. This means: For the output w_1 choose the input $v_1 - v_2$.
- 11 $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ so $T^{-1}(w_1) = v_1 - v_2$, $T^{-1}(w_2) = v_2 - v_3$, $T^{-1}(w_3) = v_3$.
The columns of A^{-1} describe T^{-1} from W back to V . The only solution to $T(v) = 0$ is $v = 0$.
- 12 (c) $T^{-1}(T(w_1)) = w_1$ is wrong because w_1 is not generally in the input space.
- 13 (a) $T(v_1) = v_2$, $T(v_2) = v_1$ is its own inverse (b) $T(v_1) = v_1$, $T(v_2) = 0$ has $T^2 = T$ (c) If $T^2 = I$ for part (a) and $T^2 = T$ for part (b), then T must be I .
- 14 (a) $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 5 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ (b) $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -5 & 2 \end{bmatrix} =$ inverse of (a) (c) $A \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$ must be $2A \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$.
- 15 (a) $M = \begin{bmatrix} r & s \\ t & u \end{bmatrix}$ transforms $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ to $\begin{bmatrix} r \\ t \end{bmatrix}$ and $\begin{bmatrix} s \\ u \end{bmatrix}$; this is the "easy" direction. (b) $N = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$ transforms in the inverse direction, back to the standard basis vectors. (c) $ad = bc$ will make the forward matrix singular and the inverse impossible.
- 16 $MW = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 5 & 3 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -7 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$.
- 17 Recording basis vectors is done by a *Permutation matrix*. Changing lengths is done by a *positive diagonal matrix*.
- 18 $(a, b) = (\cos \theta, -\sin \theta)$. Minus sign from $Q^{-1} = Q^T$.

19 $M = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}; \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} = \text{first column of } M^{-1} = \text{coordinates of } \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ in basis } \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}.$

20 $w_2(x) = 1 - x^2; w_3(x) = \frac{1}{2}(x^2 - x); y = 4w_1 + 5w_2 + 6w_3.$

21 w 's to v 's: $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ .5 & 0 & -.5 \\ .5 & -1 & .5 \end{bmatrix}$. v 's to w 's: inverse matrix $= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. The key

idea: The matrix multiplies the coordinates in the v basis to give the coordinates in the w basis.

22 The 3 equations to match 4, 5, 6 at $x = a, b, c$ are $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & a & a^2 \\ 1 & b & b^2 \\ 1 & c & c^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A \\ B \\ C \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$. This

Vandermonde determinant equals $(b-a)(c-a)(c-b)$. So a, b, c must be distinct to have $\det \neq 0$ and one solution A, B, C .

23 The matrix M with these nine entries must be invertible.

24 Start from $A = QR$. Column 2 is $a_2 = r_{12}q_1 + r_{22}q_2$. This gives a_2 as a combination of the q 's. So the change of basis matrix is R .

25 Start from $A = LU$. Row 2 of A is $\ell_{21}(\text{row 1 of } U) + \ell_{22}(\text{row 2 of } U)$. The change of basis matrix is always *invertible*, because basis goes to basis.

26 The matrix for $T(v_i) = \lambda_i v_i$ is $\Lambda = \text{diag}(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3)$.

27 If T is not invertible, $T(v_1), \dots, T(v_n)$ is not a basis. We couldn't choose $w_i = T(v_i)$.

28 (a) $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ gives $T(v_1) = \mathbf{0}$ and $T(v_2) = 3v_1$. (b) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ gives $T(v_1) = v_1$ and $T(v_1 + v_2) = v_1$ (which combine into $T(v_2) = \mathbf{0}$ by *linearity*).

29 $T(x, y) = (x, -y)$ is reflection across the x -axis. Then reflect across the y -axis to get $S(x, -y) = (-x, -y)$. Thus $ST = -I$.

30 S takes (x, y) to $(-x, y)$. $S(T(v)) = (-1, 2)$. $S(v) = (-2, 1)$ and $T(S(v)) = (1, -2)$.

31 Multiply the two reflections to get $\begin{bmatrix} \cos 2(\theta - \alpha) & -\sin 2(\theta - \alpha) \\ \sin 2(\theta - \alpha) & \cos 2(\theta - \alpha) \end{bmatrix}$ which is *rotation* by $2(\theta - \alpha)$. In words: $(1, 0)$ is reflected to have angle 2α , and that is reflected again to angle $2\theta - 2\alpha$.

32 False: We will not know $T(v)$ for *energy* v unless the n v 's are linearly independent.

33 To find coordinates in the wavelet basis, multiply by $W^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$.

Then $e = \frac{1}{4}w_1 + \frac{1}{4}w_2 + \frac{1}{2}w_3$ and $v = w_3 + w_4$. Notice again: W tells us how the bases change, W^{-1} tells us how the coordinates change.

34 The last step writes 6, 6, 2, 2 as the overall average 4, 4, 4, 4 plus the difference 2, 2, -2, -2. Therefore $c_1 = 4$ and $c_2 = 2$ and $c_3 = 1$ and $c_4 = 1$.

35 The wavelet basis is $(1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1)$ and the long wavelet and two medium wavelets $(1, 1, -1, -1, 0, 0, 0, 0)$, $(0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, -1, -1)$ and 4 wavelets with a single pair $1, -1$.

36 If $V\mathbf{b} = W\mathbf{c}$ then $\mathbf{b} = V^{-1}W\mathbf{c}$. The change of basis matrix is $V^{-1}W$.

37 Multiplying by $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$ gives $T(\mathbf{v}_1) = A \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ c & 0 \end{bmatrix} = a\mathbf{v}_1 + c\mathbf{v}_3$. Similarly $T(\mathbf{v}_2) = a\mathbf{v}_2 + c\mathbf{v}_4$ and $T(\mathbf{v}_3) = b\mathbf{v}_1 + d\mathbf{v}_3$ and $T(\mathbf{v}_4) = b\mathbf{v}_2 + d\mathbf{v}_4$. The matrix for T in this basis is $\begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & b & 0 \\ 0 & a & 0 & b \\ c & 0 & d & 0 \\ 0 & c & 0 & d \end{bmatrix}$.

38 The matrix for T in this basis is $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$.

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1 $A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 20 \\ 20 & 40 \end{bmatrix}$ has $\lambda = 50$ and 0 , $\mathbf{v}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{v}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$; $\sigma_1 = \sqrt{50}$.

2 Orthonormal bases: \mathbf{v}_1 for row space, \mathbf{v}_2 for nullspace, \mathbf{u}_1 for column space, \mathbf{u}_2 for $N(A^T)$. All matrices with those four subspaces are multiples cA , since the subspaces are just lines. Normally many more matrices share the same 4 subspaces. (For example, all n by n invertible matrices share \mathbf{R}^n .)

3 $A = QH = \frac{1}{\sqrt{50}} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -1 \\ 1 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{50}} \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 20 \\ 20 & 40 \end{bmatrix}$. H is semidefinite because A is singular.

4 $A^+ = V \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{50} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} U^T = \frac{1}{50} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$; $A^+ A = \begin{bmatrix} .2 & .4 \\ .4 & .8 \end{bmatrix}$, $AA^+ = \begin{bmatrix} .1 & .3 \\ .3 & .9 \end{bmatrix}$.

5 $A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 8 \\ 8 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$ has $\lambda = 18$ and 2 , $\mathbf{v}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{v}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$, $\sigma_1 = \sqrt{18}$ and $\sigma_2 = \sqrt{2}$.

6 $AA^T = \begin{bmatrix} 18 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ has $\mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$. The same $\sqrt{18}$ and $\sqrt{2}$ go into Σ .

7 $[\sigma_1 \mathbf{u}_1 \quad \sigma_2 \mathbf{u}_2] \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}_1^T \\ \mathbf{v}_2^T \end{bmatrix} = \sigma_1 \mathbf{u}_1 \mathbf{v}_1^T + \sigma_2 \mathbf{u}_2 \mathbf{v}_2^T$. In general this is $\sigma_1 \mathbf{u}_1 \mathbf{v}_1^T + \cdots + \sigma_r \mathbf{u}_r \mathbf{v}_r^T$.

8 $A = U\Sigma V^T$ splits into QK (polar): $Q = UV^T = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $K = V\Sigma V^T = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{18} & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$.

9 A^+ is A^{-1} because A is invertible. Pseudoinverse equals inverse when A^{-1} exists!

10 $A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 12 & 0 \\ 12 & 16 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ has $\lambda = 25, 0, 0$ and $\mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} .6 \\ .8 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} .8 \\ -.6 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{v}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

Here $A = [3 \ 4 \ 0]$ has rank 1 and $AA^T = [25]$ and $\sigma_1 = 5$ is the only singular value in $\Sigma = [5 \ 0 \ 0]$.