

HW9

5.4.3ace, 5.4.10, A.11ac, 3.3.5, 5.5.7

Exercise 5.4.3

- a. Can a 3×4 matrix have independent columns? Independent rows? Explain.

A 3×4 matrix can have at most 3 linearly independent rows or columns.

So it can't have independent columns, since it can have at most 3 independent, but it has 4 columns. 1 column must be dependent.

It can have independent rows, since it has 3 rows. all 3 rows could be independent.

- c. If A is an $m \times n$ matrix and $\text{rank } A = m$, show that $m \leq n$.

The rank of a matrix A is same as the number of independent rows or columns,

which means A has m independent rows or columns, which implies that m must be less or equal to n , since we define the number of independent rows or columns with the smaller number between the number of rows and columns.

e. Can the null space of a 3×6 matrix have dimension 2? Explain.

maximum rank that a 3×6 matrix can have is 3. The rank-nullity theorem says

$$\text{rank } A + \text{nullity } A = \text{dimension of } A$$

which

$$3 + 2 \neq 6$$

Can't have null space with dimension of 2

Exercise 5.4.10 Let A be an $n \times n$ matrix.

- a. Show that $A^2 = 0$ if and only if $\text{col } A \subseteq \text{null } A$.
- b. Conclude that if $A^2 = 0$, then $\text{rank } A \leq \frac{n}{2}$.
- c. Find a matrix A for which $\text{col } A = \text{null } A$.

a.

Assume $A^2 = 0$

let b any vector in $\text{col}(A)$

Then $Ax = b$

Consider Ab

$$Ab = A(Ax) = A^2x = 0 \cdot x = 0$$

which means b is in $\text{null}(A)$

Therefore $\text{col}(A) \subseteq \text{null}(A)$

Assume $\text{col}(A) \subseteq \text{null}(A)$

Consider Ax for any x

Ax is in $\text{col}(A)$, since it's a linear combination of the columns A .

Since $\text{col}(A) \subseteq \text{null}(A)$,

$$A(Ax) = 0$$

therefore

$$A^2 x = 0$$

and

$$A^2 = 0$$

b.

We know that $A^2 = 0 \Leftrightarrow \text{col}(A) \subseteq \text{null}(A)$,

Rank-Nullity theorem says

$$\dim(\text{null}(A)) \leq n - \text{rank } A$$

which $\dim(\text{null}(A)) = \dim(\text{col}(A)) = \text{rank}(A)$

therefore

$$\text{rank}(A) \leq n - \text{rank}(A)$$

\downarrow

$$\text{rank}(A) + \text{rank}(A) \leq n$$

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$$2 \cdot \text{rank}(A) \leq n$$

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$$\text{rank}(A) \leq \frac{n}{2}$$

C.

A would be a matrix that its column-vectors are also in its null space.

which means A is just a 0 matrix

So for 2×2 matrix A would be

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

$$\text{Col}(A) = \text{Null}(A) = \{0\}$$

Exercise A.11 Find the roots of each of the following complex quadratic equations.

a. $x^2 + 2x + (1 + i) = 0$

b. $x^2 - x + (1 - i) = 0$

c. $x^2 - (2 - i)x + (3 - i) = 0$

d. $x^2 - 2(2 - i)x - 5i = 0$

quadratic formula states

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

a.

$$x = \frac{-(2) \pm \sqrt{(2)^2 - 4(1)(1+i)}}{2(1)}$$

$$= \frac{-2}{2} \pm \frac{\sqrt{4 - 4(1+i)}}{2}$$

$$= -1 \pm \frac{\sqrt{4(1 - (1+i))}}{2}$$

$$= -1 \pm \frac{2\sqrt{1-1-i}}{2}$$

$$= -1 \pm \sqrt{-i} = -1 \pm \sqrt{-1} \cdot \sqrt{i}$$

$$= -1 \pm i\sqrt{i}$$

c.

$$x = \frac{-(-(-2-i)) \pm \sqrt{(-(-2-i))^2 - 4(1)(3-i)}}{2(1)}$$

$$= \frac{2-i \pm \sqrt{(-2+i)^2 - 4(3-i)}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{2-i \pm \sqrt{4-4i-1-12+4i}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{2-i \pm \sqrt{-9}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{2-i \pm 3i}{2}$$

$$= \frac{2-i+3i}{2} \quad \alpha \quad \frac{2-i-3i}{2}$$

$$= \frac{2+2i}{2} \quad \alpha \quad \frac{2-4i}{2}$$

$$= 1+i \quad \alpha \quad 1-2i$$

Exercise 3.3.5 Show that the eigenvalues of
$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$$
are $e^{i\theta}$ and $e^{-i\theta}$.
(See Appendix A)

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta - \lambda & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta - \lambda \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \det(A - \lambda I) &= (\cos \theta - \lambda)(\cos \theta - \lambda) + (\sin \theta)(\sin \theta) \\ &= \cos^2 \theta - 2\lambda \cos \theta + \lambda^2 + \sin^2 \theta \\ &= \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta + \lambda^2 - 2\lambda \cos \theta \\ &= 1 + \lambda^2 - 2\lambda \cos \theta \\ &= \lambda^2 - 2\cos \theta \lambda + 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$= \frac{-(-2\cos \theta) \pm \sqrt{(-2\cos \theta)^2 - 4(1)(1)}}{2(1)}$$

$$= \frac{2\cos \theta \pm \sqrt{4\cos^2 \theta - 4}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{2\cos \theta \pm \sqrt{4(\cos^2 \theta - 1)}}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{2 \cos \theta \pm 2 \sqrt{-\sin^2 \theta}}{2} \\
&= \frac{2 \cos \theta \pm 2 i \sin \theta}{2} \\
&= \cos \theta \pm i \sin \theta
\end{aligned}$$

Euler's formula says

$$e^{i\theta} = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$$

therefore

$$\lambda = e^{i\theta}, e^{-i\theta}$$

Exercise 5.5.7 Let λ be an eigenvalue of A with corresponding eigenvector \mathbf{x} . If $B = P^{-1}AP$ is similar to A , show that $P^{-1}\mathbf{x}$ is an eigenvector of B corresponding to λ .

Let $B \cdot P^{-1}x = \lambda P^{-1}x$

since $B = P^{-1}AP$,

$$\begin{aligned} B \cdot P^{-1}x &= P^{-1}AP \cdot P^{-1}x \\ &= P^{-1}Ax \end{aligned}$$

since $Ax = \lambda x$,

$$\begin{aligned} P^{-1} \cdot Ax &= P^{-1} \lambda x \\ &= \lambda \cdot P^{-1}x \end{aligned}$$

therefore

$$B P^{-1}x = \lambda \cdot P^{-1}x$$