# Section 7.3 Problems

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##1.

Just find some eigenvectors.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 3 \\ 2 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\lambda = (9, 4)$$
$$S = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**5**.

None real, but  $\lambda = 1 \pm i$ 

10.

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

**17.** 

 $\lambda = (0, 0, 1, 1)$ . Diagonalizable.

21.

[,1] [,2]

$$[1,] \ 5 \ \text{--}2 \ [2,] \ 6 \ \text{--}2 \ \#\# \ 22.$$

Just 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$
 ## 23.

For  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\lambda = 1$ , but since that yields  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ , the only eigenvector is  $e_1$ . That makes sense, since  $Ae_1$  just selects the first column, which contains only single scalar.

#### 25.

If c only is 0, then A has distinct eigenvectors. If all three are 0, then A has just one eigenvector for the repeat eigenvalue 0. ## 26.

Since det  $A = \prod_{i=1}^{n} \lambda_i$ , if the determinant is negative but n is positive, there must be an odd number of negative eigenvalues.

#### 27.

 $\lambda = (1, 5).$ 

#### 28.

The eigenvalues are all just k, multiplicity n. They all have  $e_1$  as the eigenvector.

#### 29.

Algebraic and geometric multiplicity are both n-r, since by rank-nullity  $\ker(A)$  has dimension n-r.

#### 30.

Algebraic multiplicity is n-m

#### 31.

If an eigenbasis exist, both multiplicities sum to n, though geometric and algebraic multiplicity need not match for every distinct eigenvalue.

#### 32.

The algebraic nultiplicities are the same, since the eigenvalues are shared. The dimension of  $\ker(A - I\lambda)$  is  $n - rank(A^T - \lambda I)$ . So the dimension of the transposes eigenspace is the orthogonal complement of A's image, and vice versa. So if n = 3, then a two-dimensional eigenspace in A corresponds to a one-dimensional eigenspace in  $A^T$  and vice versa.

#33.

$$(B - \Lambda) = S^{-1}(A - \Lambda)S$$
$$= S^{-1}(AS - \Lambda S)$$
$$= S^{-1}AS - S^{-1}\Lambda S$$
$$= B - \Lambda$$

34.

$$B = S^{-1}AS$$

$$SB = AS$$

$$S(Bx) = A(Sx)$$

So if Bx = 0, Sx = 0 as well.

b.

Invertible, so isomorphic.

$$T(X) = Sx$$
$$T^{-1}x = S^{-1}Sx = x$$

c. Since S has full rank, Sx has the rank of ker B, since x is some linear combination of the kernel, so the dimension remains the same. Since A and B both have n columns, if the kernels have dimension m since hey both have dimension n-m.

#### **35.**

No, the traces are different.

#### 37.

a.

$$Av \cdot w = v \cdot Aw$$
$$v^T A^T w = v^T Aw$$
$$v^T Aw = v^T Aw$$

The proof of symmetric orthogonal eigenvectors

b.

$$Av \cdot w = v \cdot Aw$$
$$\lambda_v v^T w = \lambda_w v^T w$$

Since  $\lambda_w \neq \lambda_v$ , this holds only if  $v \cdot w = 0$ .

### 38.

Since det A = 1 and A is orthogonal, 1 or 3 eigenvalues are 1. Thus Av = 1v = v for those eigenvectors.

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x \leftarrow c(1, 0, 0, 1, 0)

y \leftarrow c(0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0)

z \leftarrow c(0, 0, 0, 0, 0)

sum(cumsum(x == 0) == seq_along(x))
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[1] 0

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sum(cumsum(y == 0) == seq_along(y))
[1] 2
sum(cumsum(z == 0) == seq_along(z))
[1] 5
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## 39.

- a. n-m are 0, with equal geometric multiplicity because  $\dim(\ker(A)) = n-m$  The remaining m are distinct and have orthogonal eigenvectors because all projection matrices are symmetric.
- b. Reflection matrices only have eigenvalues  $\pm 1$  (this makes obvious geometric sense), so algebraic multiplicity is greater than 1. The eigenvectors are bases of the subspaces of reflection, since these retain their position.

## 40.

a = 0.

## 41.

All possible values.

## **42**.

 $b \neq 1$ 

#### 43.

 $a \neq 0$ 

## 44.

All values, since this is always symmetric.

## **45**

Always diagonalizable.

## 46.

At least one of the constants is 0.

# 47.

$$a = b = c = 0$$
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