

EE5609: Matrix Theory

Assignment-11

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Abstract

This document solves problem on Eigen values and properties.

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1 PROBLEM

Let \mathbf{A} be a real symmetric matrix and $\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{I} + i\mathbf{A}$, where $i^2 = -1$. Then

1. \mathbf{B} is invertible if and only if \mathbf{A} is invertible.
2. All eigenvalues of \mathbf{B} are necessarily real.
3. $\mathbf{B} - \mathbf{I}$ is necessarily invertible.
4. \mathbf{B} is necessarily invertible.

2 SOLUTION

Given	Let \mathbf{A} be a real symmetric matrix, and $\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{I} + i\mathbf{A}$, where $i^2 = -1$.
Checking Option 1	Lets assume, \mathbf{A} is non invertible, $\implies \det \mathbf{A} = 0$ $\implies \det \mathbf{B} = \det \mathbf{I}$ $\implies \mathbf{B}$ is invertible even if \mathbf{A} is non invertible. since, $\det \mathbf{I} = 1$ Thus Option 1 is incorrect.
Checking Option 2	Eigen values of $\mathbf{B} =$ Eigen values of $\mathbf{I} + i$ (Eigen values of \mathbf{A}). Clearly, Eigen values of \mathbf{B} are real only if \mathbf{A} , has zero Eigen values, as \mathbf{A} is a real symmetric matrix. Thus, Option 2 is incorrect.

