

MC-208 Linear Algebra

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Assignment - 3

Ans 1.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 5 & 7 & 9 \end{bmatrix} = A$$

Characteristic polynomial

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^3 - \text{tr}(A) \lambda^2 + \left[ \begin{array}{c} \text{sum of minors} \\ \text{along diagonals} \end{array} \right] \lambda - \det(A)$$

$$\text{tr}(A) = 14$$

Sum of  
minors

$$= 43$$

$$\det(A) = -18$$

along diagonal

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^3 - 14\lambda^2 + 43\lambda + 18$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \lambda^2 - 5\lambda - 2 \\ \lambda - 9 \overline{) \lambda^3 - 14\lambda^2 + 43\lambda + 18} \\ \lambda^2 - 9\lambda^2 \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\lambda - 9)(\lambda^2 - 5\lambda - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (\lambda - 9) \left( \lambda + \frac{5 + \sqrt{33}}{2} \right) \left( \lambda - \frac{5 - \sqrt{33}}{2} \right)$$

$$-5\lambda^2 + 43\lambda$$

$$-5\lambda^2 + 45\lambda$$

$$-2\lambda + 18$$

$$-2\lambda + 18$$

0

In this case the characteristic & the minimal polynomial are the same as both of them do ~~not~~ have the same number of irreducible factors.

Ans 2.

$$a) T: \mathbb{R}^2 \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \quad T(x, y) = (2x - 9y, 3x - 5y)$$

$$\text{Usual basis of } \mathbb{R}^2 = \left\{ \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}}_{v_1}, \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}}_{v_2} \right\}$$

$$T(v_1) = (2, 3)$$

$$T(v_2) = (-9, -5)$$



$$a(1,0) + b(0,1) = (2,3)$$

$$(a,b) \equiv (2,3)$$

$$a(1,0) + b(0,1) = (-9, -5)$$

$$(a,b) \equiv (-9, -5)$$

$$\text{Matrix Representation of } T(x,y) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -9 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det(T) = -10 + 27 = \underline{17}$$

$$b) T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3 \quad T(x,y,z) = (3x-2z, 5y+7z, x+y+z)$$

$$\text{Usual basis for } \mathbb{R}^3 = \left\{ \underbrace{(1,0,0)}_{v_1}, \underbrace{(0,1,0)}_{v_2}, \underbrace{(0,0,1)}_{v_3} \right\}$$

$$T(v_1) = (3, 0, 1)$$

$$T(v_2) = (0, 5, 1)$$

$$T(v_3) = (-2, 7, 1)$$

$$a(1,0,0) + b(0,1,0) + c(0,0,1) = (3, 0, 1)$$

$$(a, b, c) \equiv (3, 0, 1)$$

$$a(1,0,0) + b(0,1,0) + c(0,0,1) = (0, 5, 1)$$

$$(a, b, c) \equiv (0, 5, 1)$$

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$$(a, b, c) \equiv (-2, 7, 1)$$

$$\text{Matrix Rep: } \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 & 1 \\ -2 & 7 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det(T) = -6 + 10 = \underline{4}$$



Ans 3.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 3 \\ 3 & -5 & 3 \\ 6 & -6 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = A$$

$$\text{chr}(A) = \lambda^3 - \text{tr}(A)\lambda^2 + \left[ \begin{array}{c} \text{Sum of minors} \\ \text{along the} \\ \text{diagonal} \end{array} \right] \lambda - \det(A)$$

$$\text{tr}(A) = 0$$

$$\det(A) = 1(-2) + 3(-6) + 3(12) = -2 - 18 + 36 = 16$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{c} \text{Sum of minors} \\ \text{along the diag} \end{array} \right] = -2 - 14 + 4 = -12$$

$$\lambda^3 - 12\lambda - 16 = 0$$

$$(\lambda + 2)(\lambda^2 - 2\lambda - 8)$$

$$(\lambda + 2)(\lambda + 2)(\lambda - 4)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \lambda^2 - 2\lambda - 8 \\ \lambda + 2 \overline{) \lambda^3 - 12\lambda - 16} \\ \underline{\lambda^3 + 2\lambda^2} \phantom{- 16} \\ -2\lambda^2 - 12\lambda \phantom{- 16} \\ \underline{-2\lambda^2 - 4\lambda} \phantom{- 16} \\ -8\lambda - 16 \\ \underline{-8\lambda - 16} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

eigen values are  $\lambda_1 = -2, \lambda_2 = 4$

There are only two linearly independent eigen vectors that exist

for  $\lambda = -2$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3 & 3 \\ 3 & -3 & 3 \\ 6 & -6 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$3x - 3y + 3z = 0$$

$$3x - 3y + 3z = 0$$

$$6x - 6y + 6z = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



for  $\lambda = 4$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -3 & -3 & 3 \\ 3 & -9 & 3 \\ 6 & -6 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 \\ 1/2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-3x - 3y + 3z = 0$$

$$3x - 9y + 3z = 0$$

$$6x - 6y = 0$$

$$x + y - z = 0$$

$$x - 2y + z = 0$$

$$x = y$$

~~Eigenvalue~~

~~Eigenvector~~

~~$(1, 1, 0)$~~

~~$(1, 0, -1)$~~

$$x + y - z = 0$$

$$x - 2y + z = 0$$

$$z = -y$$

$$2x = z$$

So, the eigenvalues are 4 & -2 and the eigenvectors are

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 1\right) \text{ and } \{(1, 1, 0), (1, 0, -1)\}$$

Ans 4.

$$T: \mathbb{R}^2 \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$$

$$T(x, y) = (3x + 3y, x + 5y)$$

Usual basis of  $\mathbb{R}^2$  :  $\left\{ \underbrace{(1, 0)}_{v_1}, \underbrace{(0, 1)}_{v_2} \right\}$

$$T(v_1) = (3, 1)$$

$$T(v_2) = (3, 5)$$

$$\text{Matrix Rep.} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Chr}(T) &= \lambda^2 - 8\lambda + 12 = 0 \\ \lambda^2 - 6\lambda - 2\lambda + 12 &= 0 \\ (\lambda - 6)(\lambda - 2) &= 0\end{aligned}$$

Eigenvalues are 6 & 2

$$\text{for } \lambda = 6 \quad \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-3x + y = 0$$

$$3x - y = 0$$

$$\text{Eigenvectors} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{for } \lambda = 2 \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x + y = 0$$

$$3x + 3y = 0$$

$$\text{eigenvectors} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{eigenspace} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1/3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

Ans 5.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = A$$

$$\text{tr}(A) = 7$$

$$\text{det}(A) = 12$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{sum of minors} &= 4 + 6 + 6 \\ &= 16\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{chr}(A) = \lambda^3 - 7\lambda^2 + 16\lambda - 12$$

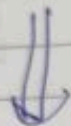


$$\lambda^3 - 7\lambda^2 + 16\lambda - 12$$

$$(\lambda-2)(\lambda^2 - 5\lambda + 6)$$

$$(\lambda-2)(\lambda-2)(\lambda-3)$$

$$(\lambda-2)(\lambda-3)$$



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

$$(\lambda-2)^2(\lambda-3)$$

By Cayley-Hamilton  
Thm  $\rightarrow$  True

Hence, the minimal polynomial is  
 $(\lambda-2)(\lambda-3) = \lambda^2 - 5\lambda + 6$

Ans 6,

$$\begin{bmatrix} -3 & 3 & -2 \\ -7 & 6 & -3 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{tr}(A) = 5$$

$$\text{Sum} = 9 - 4 + 3 = 8$$

$$\det(A) = -3(9) - 3(-11)$$

$$-2(1)$$

$$= -27 + 33 - 2 = 4$$

$$\lambda^3 - 5\lambda^2 + 8\lambda - 4 = 0$$

$$(\lambda-1)(\lambda-2)^2$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \lambda^2 - 4\lambda + 4 \\ \lambda-1 \overline{) \lambda^3 - 5\lambda^2 + 8\lambda - 4} \\ \underline{\lambda^3 - \lambda^2} \phantom{+ 8\lambda - 4} \\ -4\lambda^2 + 8\lambda - 4 \\ \underline{-4\lambda^2 + 4\lambda} \phantom{- 4} \\ 4\lambda - 4 \end{array}$$

Ans 7,

$$\begin{bmatrix} -4 & 3 & -2 \\ -7 & 5 & -3 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -5 & 3 & -2 \\ -7 & 4 & -3 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-4\lambda^2 + 8\lambda$$

$$-4\lambda^2 + 8\lambda$$

$$4\lambda - 4$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & \\ & & \\ & & \end{bmatrix}$$

The matrix char and minimal polynomial are the same.

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

To find  $\Rightarrow Q$  where  $J = Q^{-1} A Q$

for  $\lambda = 2$   $A - 2I$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -5 & 3 & -2 \\ -7 & 4 & -3 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-5x + 3y - 2z = 0$$

$$x = y$$

$$-7x + 4y - 3z = 0$$

$$x - y = 0$$

$$x = y = -z$$

$$2x + 2z = 0 \quad x = -z$$

$$3x + 3z = 0$$

eigen vector

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{or } \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

for  $\lambda = 1$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -4 & 3 & -2 \\ -7 & 5 & -3 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-4x + 3y - 2z = 0$$

$$-7x + 5y - 3z = 0$$

$$x - y + z = 0$$

$$\text{eigen vector} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



Ans 7. Let  $f$  be the minimal polynomial of linear operator  $T$ , over a vector space  $S$ .

$$\Rightarrow f(T) = 0$$

Let  $g(t)$  be ~~and~~ another polynomial such that  $g(T) = 0$

$$\text{then ; } \deg(f) \leq \deg(g)$$

[By the def<sup>n</sup> of minimal polynomial]

By division theorem of polynomial forms over field, there exists polynomials  $q(t)$  &  $r(t)$  such that

$$f \cdot q + r = g$$

$$\text{where } \deg(r) < \deg(f)$$

Putting  $T$  in the above eq<sup>n</sup>, we get

$$f(T) \cdot q(T) + r(T) = g(T)$$

$$\Rightarrow r(T) = 0$$

Contradicts the minimality

Hence the ~~is~~ minimal polynomial is always unique.



Ans 8

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} c & c & c \\ c & c & c \\ c & c & c \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{tr}(A) = 3c$$

$$\det(A) = 0$$

$$\text{Sum of minors} = 0$$

$$\text{chr}(A) = \lambda^3 - (3c)\lambda^2 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2(\lambda - 3c) = 0$$

$$\lambda_1 = 0 \quad \lambda_2 = 3c$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} c & c & c \\ c & c & c \\ c & c & c \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2c & c & c \\ c & -2c & c \\ c & c & -2c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{minimal polynomial } m(T) = \lambda(\lambda - 3c)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3c \end{bmatrix}$$

Ans 9.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 9 & 2 & 0 \\ 5 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{tr}(A) = 6$$

$$\det(A) = -20 - 21 = -41$$

$$\text{sum} = 6 - 7 - 7 = -8$$

$$\lambda^3 - 6\lambda^2 - 8\lambda + 41$$

By C.H thm

$$A^3 - 6A^2 - 8A = -41$$

Multiplying by  $A^{-1}$

$$A^2 - 6A - 8 = -4I A^{-1}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 20 & 3 & 8 \\ 27 & 8 & 18 \\ 20 & 5 & 19 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 6 & 12 \\ 54 & 12 & 0 \\ 30 & 0 & 18 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 8 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{-1}{41} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -3 & -4 \\ -27 & -7 & 18 \\ -10 & 5 & -7 \end{bmatrix} = A^{-1}$$

Ans 16  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\det(A) = 3(2) - 1(2) - 1(0) = 6 - 2 = 4$$

$$\text{tr}(A) = 5$$

sum of minors  
along diag  $= 2 + 2 + 4 = 8$

$$\text{chr}(A) = \lambda^3 - 5\lambda^2 + 8\lambda - 4 = 0$$

$$8 = 20 + 16 - 4$$

$$\text{chr}(A) = (\lambda - 2)(\lambda - 2)(\lambda - 1)$$

$$= (\lambda - 2)^2(\lambda - 1)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \lambda^2 - 3\lambda + 2 \\ \lambda - 2 \overline{) \lambda^2 - 5\lambda^2 + 8\lambda - 4} \\ \lambda^3 - 2\lambda^2 \\ \hline -3\lambda^2 + 8\lambda \\ -3\lambda^2 + 6\lambda \\ \hline 2\lambda - 4 \end{array}$$

for  $\lambda = 2$   $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 2 & 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$x + y - z = 0$$

$$2x = z$$

$$2x + 2y - 2z = 0$$

$$x = 1/2$$

$$z = 1$$



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$$\text{eigenvector} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 \\ 1/2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

for  $\lambda = 1$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$2x + y - z = 0$$

$$2x + y - z = 0$$

$$2x + 2y - z = 0$$

$$\text{eigenvector} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

There are only 2 linearly independent eigenvectors.

$\therefore$  The given matrix is not similar to a diagonal matrix over  $\mathbb{R}$  or  $\mathbb{C}$ .