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Assignment 5

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PROBLEM

(Quadratic Forms Q2.19) Find the roots of $4x^2 + 3x + 5 = 0$.

Solution

The given equation can be written as,

$$\mathbf{x}^{T} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{x} + \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{x} + 5 = 0 \tag{0.0.1}$$

where,

$$\mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \tag{0.0.2}$$

Substituting (0.0.2) in (0.0.1),

$$\begin{pmatrix} x & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + 5 = 0$$
 (0.0.3)

$$\implies 4x^2 + 3x + 5 = 0 \qquad (0.0.4)$$

$$\implies \left(2x + \frac{3}{4}\right)^2 = -\frac{71}{16} \quad (0.0.5)$$

The square of a real number is always non-negative. In (0.0.5), we can say that $2x + \frac{3}{4}$ is not a real number. So, the roots are not real. From the figure, we can see that the function does not cross the x-axis, so, the quadratic equation has no real roots. Obtaining the affine transformation,

$$\mathbf{V} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \tag{0.0.6}$$

$$\mathbf{u} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} \tag{0.0.7}$$

$$f = 5 \tag{0.0.8}$$

Th equation used for affine transformation

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{P}\mathbf{y} + \mathbf{c} \tag{0.0.9}$$

The eigenvalues of V are

$$\lambda_1 = 4 \tag{0.0.10}$$

$$\lambda_2 = 0 \tag{0.0.11}$$

$$\mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \tag{0.0.12}$$

The eigenvectors of V are

$$\mathbf{p}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \tag{0.0.13}$$

$$\mathbf{p}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \tag{0.0.14}$$

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{p}_1 & \mathbf{p}_2 \end{pmatrix} \tag{0.0.15}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \tag{0.0.16}$$

Since $|\mathbf{V}| = 0$,

$$\begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{u}^T + \eta \mathbf{p}_1^T \\ \mathbf{V} \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{c} = \begin{pmatrix} -f \\ \eta \mathbf{p}_1 - \mathbf{u} \end{pmatrix}$$
 (0.0.17)

$$\boldsymbol{\eta} = \mathbf{u}^{\mathsf{T}} \mathbf{p}_1 \tag{0.0.18}$$

$$\Rightarrow \eta = -3 \tag{0.0.19}$$

$$\Longrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -6 \\ 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{c} = \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ -3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \tag{0.0.20}$$

$$\implies \mathbf{c} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{-3}{4} \\ \frac{11}{24} \end{pmatrix} \tag{0.0.21}$$

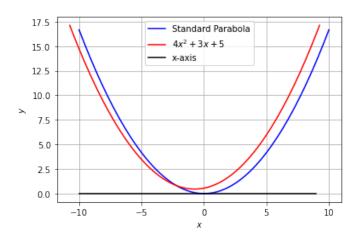


Fig. 0: Plot of the function