

Biostat 216 Homework 5

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- Q1. Let $\mathbf{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ be a symmetric matrix. Prove that $\langle \mathbf{Ax}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{Ay} \rangle$ for all $\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n$. Give an example that it is not necessary true if \mathbf{A} is not symmetric.

- Q2. Find the orthogonal projector into the plane spanned by the vectors $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$.

Find the orthogonal projection of the point $\mathbf{1}_3$ into the plane spanned by the vectors $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$.

- Q3. Matrices that satisfy $\mathbf{A}'\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}'$ are said to be *normal*. Give an example of asymmetric (not symmetric), normal matrix. If \mathbf{A} is normal, then prove that every vector in $\mathcal{C}(\mathbf{A})$ is orthogonal to every vector in $\mathcal{N}(\mathbf{A})$.
- Q4. Let \mathbf{A} be a symmetric matrix. Show that the system $\mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{b}$ has a solution if and only if \mathbf{b} is orthogonal to $\mathcal{N}(\mathbf{A})$.

- Q5. Determinant.

- (1). Find the determinant of the following two matrices without doing any computations:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- (2). Let $\mathbf{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{5 \times 5}$ with $\det(\mathbf{A}) = -3$. Find $\det(\mathbf{A}^3)$, $\det(\mathbf{A}^{-1})$, and $\det(2\mathbf{A})$.

- (3). Find the determinant of the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$. Hint: find the row and column permutations that make \mathbf{A} triangular; then use product rule.

- Q6. Let

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- (1). Find eigenvalues and eigenvectors of \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{A}^{-1} . Do they have same eigenvectors? What's the relationship between their eigenvalues?
- (2). Find eigenvalues of \mathbf{B} and $\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}$. Are eigenvalues of $\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}$ equal to eigenvalues of \mathbf{A} plus eigenvalues of \mathbf{B} ?
- (3). Find eigenvalues of \mathbf{AB} and \mathbf{BA} . Are the eigenvalues of \mathbf{AB} equal to eigenvalues of \mathbf{A} times eigenvalues of \mathbf{B} ? Are the eigenvalues of \mathbf{AB} equal to eigenvalues of \mathbf{BA} ?