

Recall:

$T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$      $V$  is a complex vector space.

$$n = \dim(V)$$

$\exists$  a basis of  $V$  s.t.

$$\mu(T) = \left( \begin{array}{c|c|c} & & \\ \text{---} & \text{---} & \text{---} \\ \boxed{\mathbb{I}_1} & & \\ & \boxed{\mathbb{I}_2} & \\ & & \text{---} \\ & & \text{---} \\ & & \boxed{\mathbb{I}_m} \end{array} \right)$$

Jordan  
normal  
form.

$$\boxed{\mathbb{I}_i = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & & 0 \\ & \ddots & \\ 0 & & \lambda \end{pmatrix}}$$

$\lambda$  is an eigenvalue  
Jordan Block.

# ① Characteristic Poly & the Cayley-Hamilton Thm.

(8.34) Def'n.  $V$  is a complex vector space.

$\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_m$  are distinct eigenvalues of  $T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$

$d_i = \dim(G(T, \lambda_i))$  (multiplicity of  $\lambda_i$ )

Then the characteristic polynomial

$$\begin{aligned} P_{\text{char}}(x) &= \underbrace{(z - \lambda_1)}^{d_1} \underbrace{(z - \lambda_2)}^{d_2} \cdots \underbrace{(z - \lambda_m)}^{d_m} \\ &= \prod_{i=1}^m (z - \lambda_i)^{d_i} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (8.36) \quad \deg(P_{\text{char}}(x)) &= (\underbrace{d_1}_{\dim V.}) + (\underbrace{d_2}_{\dim V.}) + \cdots + (\underbrace{d_m}_{\dim V.}) \\ &= \underbrace{\dim V.} \end{aligned}$$

Pf  $V = G(\lambda_1, T) \oplus \cdots \oplus G(\lambda_m, T)$

$$\dim V = \sum_{i=1}^m \dim G(\lambda_i, T) = \sum_{i=1}^m d_i$$

•  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{zeros of } \\ P_{\text{char}}(x) \end{array} \right\} = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Eigenvalues} \\ \text{of } T. \end{array} \right\}$

Remark  $P_{\text{char}}(z) = \det(M(T) - zI)$

e.g.,  $P_{\text{char}}(z) = (z-2)^3 (z-1)^1 (z+1)^1$

is the characteristic poly of  $T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$

①  $\lambda_1 = 2, \lambda_2 = 1, \lambda_3 = -1$

②  $\dim G_2(T) = 3$

$\dim G_1(T) = 1$

$\dim G_{-1}(T) = 1$

the Jordan normal form of  $T$

$$\begin{pmatrix} & & & & \\ & \begin{matrix} 2 & * & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & * \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{matrix} & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & 1 & \\ & & & -1 & \\ & 0 & & & \\ & & & & \end{pmatrix}_{5 \times 5}$$

②  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$

W/ 3 matrices

$$\underbrace{\text{Pchar}(z)}_{=} = (z-2)^3$$

(8.37) Cayley-Hamilton Thm.

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Pchar( $T$ )  $\Rightarrow$  where  $\text{Pchar}(z)$  is the  
char poly of  $T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$

Pf. (A different proof is in the textbook)

$$\begin{pmatrix} A & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & B & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & C \end{pmatrix}^n = \begin{pmatrix} A^n & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & B^n & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & C^n \end{pmatrix}$$

n! |

$$(T - \lambda_i I) \mid G(T, \lambda_i)$$

e.g.  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1^2 & 2^2 & 0 \\ 3^2 & 4^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4^2 \end{pmatrix}$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\exists$  a basis  $\{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$  s.t. with respect  
to  $\nearrow$

$$M(T) = \begin{pmatrix} D_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & D_m \end{pmatrix} \quad D_i = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_i & & & & 0 \\ & \ddots & & & \\ & & \ddots & & \\ & & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & & \lambda_i \end{pmatrix}$$

$\lambda$  is an eigenvalue.

$$M(P_{\text{char}}(T)) = 0 \iff P_{\text{char}}(M(T)) = 0$$

e.g.

$$M(T) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & & & & \\ & \lambda_1 & 1 & & \\ & & \lambda_1 & & \\ & & & \lambda_2 & 1 \\ & & & & \lambda_2 \end{pmatrix} = A$$

$$P_{\text{char}}(z) = (z - \lambda_1)^3 (z - \lambda_2)^2 \quad \text{WTS.}$$

$$P_{\text{char}}(A) = 0$$

$$P_{\text{char}}(A) = (\underbrace{A - \lambda_1 I}_n)^3 (\underbrace{A - \lambda_2 I}_n)^2 = 0 \text{ matrix.}$$

$$(A - \lambda_2 I)^2 = \left[ \left( \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & & & & \\ & \lambda_1 & 1 & & \\ & & \lambda_1 & & \\ & & & \lambda_2 & 1 \\ & & & & \lambda_2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_2 & & & & \\ & \ddots & & & \\ & & \ddots & & \\ & & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & & \lambda_2 \end{pmatrix}_{5 \times 5} \right) \right]^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \left( \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{matrix} \right)^2 \\
 &= \left( \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{matrix} \right) = \left( \begin{pmatrix} \textcircled{1} & \\ & \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \end{pmatrix} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\underset{\nearrow}{(A - \lambda_1 I)}^3 = \left( \begin{matrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} \textcircled{1} \end{matrix} \right)$$

$$(A - \lambda_1 I)^3 (A - \lambda_2 I)^2 = \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \left( \begin{array}{c|c} \textcircled{1} & \\ \hline 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) = 0$$

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Minimal Poly.  $V$  is a vector space. finite dim.

(8.4)  $T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$   $\exists$  a unique monic poly

$P_{\min}(x)$  of smallest degree s.t.

$$P_{\min}(T) = 0.$$

Pf Existence

$$n = \dim(V)$$

$$\dim(\mathcal{L}(V)) = \frac{n^2}{\cancel{n}}$$

$\{I, T, T^2, T^3, \dots, T^{n^2}\}$  is linearly dependent.

$\exists a_0, \dots, a_m$  s.t.

$$a_0 + a_1 T + \dots + \underbrace{a_m T^m}_{\cancel{|}} = 0$$

$$P_{\min}(x) = a_0 + a_1 x + \dots + \underbrace{a_m x^m}_{\cancel{|}}$$

where  $m$  is  
the smallest integer s.t.

$\cancel{P}$   
the coefficient  
of the  
highest degree

term = 1

e.g.  $2x^2 + 1$   $\cancel{\times}$   
 $x^2 + 1$   $\checkmark$

monic

Unique:  $\deg \underline{g}(z) = \deg \underline{P_{\min}(z)}$

$\underline{g}(T) = 0 \Rightarrow \underline{g}(z) - P_{\min}(z)$  has lower degree  
and  
 $\underline{g}(T) - P_{\min}(T) = 0$  Q.E.D.

$$f(x) = 2 + 3x$$

$$\frac{2}{3} + x$$

$$f(T) = 0 \Rightarrow \left( \frac{1}{3} f(T) \right) = 0$$


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(8.46) Given any polynomial  $g(x)$ .

$$g(T) = 0 \Leftrightarrow P_{\min}(x) \mid g(x)$$

(8.48).  $V$  is a complex vector space

$$T \in L(V). \quad P_{\min}(x) \mid P_{\text{char}}(x)$$

Pf " " $g(x) = f(x) P_{\min}(x)$ " zero map  
 $g(T) = f(T) \underline{P_{\min}(T)} = f(T) \cdot 0_A = 0$

" $\Rightarrow$ "  $f(T) = 0$  wts  $P_{min}(x) \mid f(x)$

By the division algorithm. (Long division)

$$f(x) = P_{min}(x) \cdot g(x) + r(x)$$

$$\deg r(x) < \deg f(x)$$

$$f(x) = x^5 + x^4 - 2x + 1$$

$f(x)$

$$P_{min}(x) = x^2 + 1$$

$$f(x) =$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 x^3 + x^2 - x - 1 \\
 \hline
 \sqrt{x^5 + x^4 - 2x + 1} \\
 - x^5 + x^3 \\
 \hline
 x^4 - x^3 - 2x + 1 \\
 = x^4 + x^2 \\
 \hline
 - x^3 - x^2 - 2x + 1 \\
 - x^3 - x \\
 \hline
 - x^2 - x + 1 \\
 - x^2 - 1 \\
 \hline
 - x + 2
 \end{array}$$

$$P_{min} \left( \underline{x^3 + x^2 - x - 1} \right)$$

$$+ (-x+2)$$

$$r(x)$$

WTS  $r(x) \Rightarrow$

suppose that  $r(x) \neq 0$ .

$$g(x) = P_{\min}(x) f(x) + r(x)$$

~~$$g(\tau) = P_{\min}(\tau) f(\tau) + r(\tau)$$~~

$r(\tau) \Rightarrow$  contradiction  $\because \deg(r(x)) < \deg P_{\min}$

(8.49).  $\tau \in \mathcal{L}(V)$   $V$  is a vector space.

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$\{$  terms of  $\tau$   $\} = \{$  eigenvalues of  $\tau$   $\}$

Examples

①  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$   $B = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$   $C = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$

$$P_{\text{mh}} = (z-2)^2 \quad P_{\min}(z) = (z-2)^3 \quad P_{\min}(z) = z-2$$

$$P_{\text{char}}(z) = (z-2)^3$$

$P_{\min}$  :

Bz C:  $f(z) = z-2$

$$f(C) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow$$

$$P_{\min}(z) \mid f(z)$$

$$\Rightarrow P_{\min}(z) = z-2$$

$$A = \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 1 & 0 & \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & \end{array} \right)$$

$$P_{\min}(z) \mid P_{\text{char}} = (z-2)^3$$

minimal Poly

~~2x2~~

$$(z-2)^2 \checkmark$$

$$(A - 2I)^2 = 0 \quad P_{\min}(z) = (z-2)^2$$

$$B = \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 1 & 0 & \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & \end{array} \right)$$

$$P_{\min}(z) = (z-2)^3$$

$$② T \in \mathcal{L}(V) \quad \dim V = 6$$

$$\underline{P_{\text{char}}(z)} = (x-3)(x-2)^2(x+1)^3$$

$$\underline{\underline{P_{\min}(z)}} = (x-3) \overset{\leftarrow}{\underset{\uparrow}{(x-2)}} \overset{\leftarrow}{\underset{\uparrow}{(x+1)}}$$

2 a basis of  $V$ . s.f

$$M(T) = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underline{b)} \quad P_{m,n}(z) = (x-3)(x-2)(x+1)^2 \cdot (x+1)^2$$

$$M(T) = \left( \begin{array}{cccccc} -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \begin{array}{c} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \\ v_4 \\ v_5 \\ v_6 \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{c} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \\ v_1 \end{array}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} P_{m,n}(z) = (x-3)(x-2)^2(x+1)^3 \\ P_{m,n}(z) = (x-3)(x-2)^2(x+1)^2 \end{array} \right.$$

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$$\underline{e.g.} \quad P_{char}(z) = (x-2)^4$$

$$P_{min}(z) = (x-2)^2$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \boxed{2 & 1} \\ \boxed{2} & \boxed{2} \\ \boxed{2} & \boxed{2} & \boxed{2} \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\quad} \begin{pmatrix} \boxed{2} & \boxed{0} \\ \boxed{2} & \boxed{2} \\ \boxed{2} & \boxed{1} & \boxed{2} \end{pmatrix}$$