

1) Find the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of the following matrices

a) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

b) $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

c) $C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

d) $D = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

e) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

2) $\lambda_1 = 1$ and $\lambda_2 = 3$ are eigenvalues of

the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} -8 & 1 & 6 \\ -11 & 4 & 6 \\ -13 & 1 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$ find λ_3 .

3) $\lambda_1 = +2.6548 + 3.7135i$ $\lambda_2 = 5.3138$ are the eigenvalues of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ find λ_3

4) Prove that eigenvalues of a diagonal matrix are diagonal elements

5) prove that eigenvalues of an upper triangular matrix are diagonal elements

6) find the eigenvalues of the following matrices

a) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 9 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$

b) $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

7) $\lambda_1 = 2$, $\lambda_2 = 4$ & $\lambda_3 = 6$ are the eigenvalues

of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} -6 & -33 & 9 \\ 4 & 17 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Calculate the eigenvectors.

8) $\lambda_1 = 3$, $\lambda_2 = 2.824i$, $\lambda_3 = -2.824i$ are

the eigenvalues of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 5 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

Calculate the eigenvectors

9) The matrix A and its eigenvectors are given below.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -2 & -1 \\ -1 & 4 & -1 \\ 1 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad x_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Calculate eigenvalues.

10) A matrix is given as

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

Determine which of the following vectors could be an eigenvector of A

a) $x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ b) $x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ c) $x_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ d) $x_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ e) $x_5 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

11) Solve the following matrix differential equation

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{dx_1}{dt} \\ \frac{dx_2}{dt} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Selected answers

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$$1) a) A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 4 \quad \lambda_2 = 6 \quad x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$b) B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \lambda_1 = 1+2i \quad \lambda_2 = 1-2i \quad x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{bmatrix} \quad x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$c) C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \lambda_1 = 1 \quad \lambda_2 = 0 \quad x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$d) D = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \lambda_1 = 1 \quad \lambda_2 = 2 \quad \lambda_3 = 3 \quad x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad x_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$2) [A - \lambda I] = \begin{bmatrix} -8-\lambda & 1 & 6 \\ -11 & 4-\lambda & 6 \\ -13 & 1 & 10-\lambda \end{bmatrix} \quad \det[\] = \lambda^3 - 6\lambda^2 + 11\lambda - 6$$

In a polynomial $x^n + a_{n-1}x^{n-1} + \dots + ax + a_0 = 0$
the constant term is the multiplication of
negative of the roots

$$\lambda^3 - 6\lambda^2 + 11\lambda - 6 = 0 \quad (-\lambda_1)(-\lambda_2)(-\lambda_3) = -6$$

$$(-1)(-\cancel{3})(-\lambda_3) = -6$$

$$\boxed{\lambda_3 = 3}$$

4) A diagonal matrix is

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & b & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & c & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & d \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[A - \lambda I] = \begin{bmatrix} a-\lambda & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & b-\lambda & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & c-\lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & d-\lambda \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det[A - \lambda I] = (a - \lambda)(b - \lambda)(c - \lambda)(d - \lambda) \dots \dots$$

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So the roots are

$$\lambda_1 = a \quad \lambda_2 = b \quad \lambda_3 = c \quad \lambda_4 = d$$

(5) Upper triangular matrix is of the form

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & x & x & x \\ 0 & b & x & x \\ 0 & 0 & c & x \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & d \end{bmatrix} \quad [A - \lambda I] = \begin{bmatrix} a - \lambda & x & x & x \\ 0 & b - \lambda & x & x \\ 0 & 0 & c - \lambda & x \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & d - \lambda \end{bmatrix}$$

it is known that determinant of an upper diagonal matrix is multiplication of diagonal elements

$$\det[A - \lambda I] = (a - \lambda)(b - \lambda)(c - \lambda)(d - \lambda) \dots = 0$$

Thus eigenvalues are $\lambda_1 = a \quad \lambda_2 = b \quad \lambda_3 = c \quad \lambda_4 = d$

$$6) \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 9 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \lambda_1 = 8 \\ \lambda_2 = 9 \\ \lambda_3 = 3 \\ \lambda_4 = -2 \end{array}$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \lambda_1 = 1 \\ \lambda_2 = 3 \\ \lambda_3 = 5 \\ \lambda_4 = 1 \end{array}$$

$$7) \quad \begin{bmatrix} -6-2 & -33 & 9 \\ 4 & 17-2 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 1-2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} -8a - 33b + 9c = 0 \\ 4a + 15b - 3c = 0 \\ 0 \quad b - c = 0 \end{array}$$

$$\text{Set } c = 1 \quad b = c \Rightarrow b = 1$$

$$a = b = c = 1 \quad 4a + 15b - 3c = 0 \Rightarrow a = \frac{-12}{4} = -3$$

$$X_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -6-4 & -3 & 9 \\ 4 & 12-4 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 1-4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad X_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -9 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (6)$$

$$X_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -13 \\ 5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$8) \begin{bmatrix} -2.824i & 2 & -2 \\ 1 & -2.824i & 3 \\ 5 & 0 & 3-2.824i \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Sol. } 5a + (3 - 2.824i)c = 0$$

$$\text{Set } c = 1$$

$$a = \frac{-3 + 2.824i}{5} = -0.6 + 0.564i$$

$$b = \frac{-2}{5} = -0.4$$

$$X_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -0.6 + 0.564i \\ -0.4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$AX_1 = \lambda_1 X_1$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -2 & -1 \\ -1 & 4 & -1 \\ 1 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \lambda_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$5 + (-2)(-1) + (-1)(1) = \lambda_1 \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 2$$

$$AX_2 = \lambda_2 X_2$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & -2 & -1 \\ -1 & 4 & -1 \\ 1 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \lambda_2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$5(-1) + (-2)(-1) + (-1)(1) = -\lambda_2$$

$$-4 = -\lambda_2$$

$$\boxed{4 = \lambda_2}$$

$$AX_3 = \lambda_3 X_3 \Rightarrow \lambda_3 = 6$$

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

i) $\lambda = 6$ equation is satisfied

so $X_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ is an eigenvector

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

no λ satisfies this $X_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ is not eigenvector