

QUIZ 3 REVIEW

Chapter Concepts

6.1-2 Eigenvalues + Eigenvectors λ, \mathbf{x}

6.3 Differential Equations $\frac{du}{dt} = Au$ and e^{At}

6.4 Symmetric Matrices have real eigenvalues

$$A = A^T = Q \Lambda Q^T$$

6.5 Positive Definite matrices

6.6 Similar Matrices have the same eigenvalues

$$B = M^{-1} A M, \quad B^k = M^{-1} A^k M$$

6.7 Singular Value Decomposition

$$A = U \Sigma V^T$$

PROBLEM 1

$$\frac{du}{dt} = Au = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -i & 0 \\ i & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} u$$

A is singular so $\lambda_1 = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} |A - \lambda I| &= \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & -1 & 0 \\ i & -\lambda & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^3 + 2\lambda = 0 \\ &\lambda(\lambda^2 + 2) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

EIGENVALS

$$\underline{\lambda_2 = \sqrt{2}i}, \underline{\lambda_3 = -\sqrt{2}i}$$

General Form of Soln:

$$u(t) = C_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} x_1 + \dots + C_3 e^{\lambda_3 t} x_3$$

If A is diagonalizable then

$$e^{At} = S e^{\Lambda t} S^{-1}$$

PROBLEM 2

$$\lambda_1 = 0, \lambda_2 = c, \lambda_3 = 2$$

$$x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad x_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Given a matrix A (3×3)
w/ these eigenvalues / vectors
* note, x's are orthogonal!

(a) Is A diagonalizable? (or for which c is it?)

- A matrix is diagonalizable when its eigenvectors are independent
- YES, diagonalizable for all c (lecture 22)

(b) Is A symmetric?

- A matrix is symmetric when $A = A^T$, and (lecture 25)
the eigenvalues are real, eigenvectors are perpendicular
- YES for real c

(c) Is A positive definite?

- A must be symmetric which it is... (lecture 27)
- No $\lambda_1 = 0$ and we need $\lambda > 0$

(d) Is A a Markov Matrix?

- No, $\lambda_3 > 1$ and we need $\lambda < 1$ (lecture 24)

(e) Is $A/2$ a projection matrix?

- The λ's of a projection are $\lambda = 0, 1$ bc $P^2 = P$ so $\lambda^2 = \lambda$
- Yes for $c=0$ or $c=2$ else NO

PROBLEM 3 SINGULAR VALUE DECOMPOSITION

For every matrix $\rightarrow A = (\text{orthog})(\text{diag})(\text{orthog}) = U\Sigma V^T$

For symmetric matrices $\rightarrow A^T A = (V \Sigma^T U)(U \Sigma V^T) = V(\Sigma^T \Sigma)V^T$
 $U = V$

The diagonals of Σ are $\sigma_i = \sqrt{\text{eigen vals of } A^T A}$

PROBLEM 4

Given matrix A is symmetric and orthogonal

(a) eigenvalues

Symmetric $\rightarrow \lambda$ is real

Orthogonal $\rightarrow |\lambda| = 1$

$$\therefore \lambda = 1 \text{ or } -1$$

$$\begin{cases} Qx = \lambda x \\ \|Qx\| = |\lambda| \|x\| \rightarrow |\lambda| = 1 \end{cases}$$

(b) T/F A is Pos Def? Not necessarily

(c) T/F No repeated eigenvalues? May have repeated λ

(d) T/F A is diagonalizable? YES true bc symmetric

(e) T/F A is non-singular? TRUE

(f) Show $\frac{1}{2}(A+I)$ is a projection matrix

A projection matrix P is symmetric and $P^2 = P$

$$\left[\frac{1}{2}(A+I)\right]^2 = \frac{1}{4}(A^2 + 2AI + I) \stackrel{?}{=} \frac{1}{2}(A+I)$$

Note $A = A^T = A^{-1}$ bc A is symm, orthog.

$$\therefore AA = AA^{-1} = I$$

$$\frac{1}{4}(2AI + 2I) = \frac{1}{2}(A+I) \quad \text{YES, Proj. Matrix}$$