

Chapter 1 - MA106 review

① Basic definitions:

- A field K , is a set with addition & multiplication s.t. $(K, +)$ is abelian, $(K \setminus \{0\}, \cdot)$ is abelian + distributivity.
- A vector space V over a field K is set V with vector addition & scalar multiplication.
- A basis of a vector space is a subset $B \subset V$ s.t. every $v \in V$ can be written uniquely as a finite linear combination of $b \in B$.
- A linear map $T: V \rightarrow W$ "respects vector space structure" [$T(\alpha v + \beta w) = \alpha T(v) + \beta T(w)$]
we can pick bases $E = \{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$, $F = \{f_1, \dots, f_m\}$ for V and W . Can write

$$T(e_j) = a_{1j}f_1 + \dots + a_{mj}f_m \quad 1 \leq j \leq n$$

Then

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{pmatrix} \in K^{m \times n}$$

"matrix for T
wrt chosen bases
for V and W "

The columns of A are the images $T(e_1), \dots, T(e_n)$ of the basis vectors for V wrt basis $f_1, \dots, f_m$ of W .

- To change basis, consider this sequence of linear maps:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} V & \xrightarrow{\text{Id}_V} & V & \xrightarrow{T} & W & \xrightarrow{\text{Id}_W} & W \\ E' & & E & & F & & F' \end{array}$$

Then as composition of linear maps corresponds to matrix multiplication

$$M(T)_{E'}^{F'} = M(\text{Id}_W)_F^{F'} \cdot M(T)_E^F \cdot M(\text{Id}_V)_{E'}^E$$

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Chapter 2 - Jordan Canonical Form

② Eigenvalues & Eigenvectors:

- Find some $0 \neq v \in V$, $\lambda \in K$ s.t. $T(v) = \lambda v$. λ eigenvalue for eigenvector v .
- $T: V \rightarrow V$. Matrix for T diagonal $\Leftrightarrow$ basis consisting of eigenvectors.
- $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_r$ distinct eigenvalues $\Rightarrow$ corresponding eigenvectors linearly indep.
- $T: V \rightarrow V$ ($\dim(V) = n$) has n distinct eigenvalues. Then A is diagonalisable.

Aim: $J = P^{-1}AP$

Find a basis for
 $T(v) = Av$ s.t.
matrix is 'nice'

③ Minimal Polynomial:

Put P by looking at kernels of $(A - \lambda I)^i$ and get eigenvectors for free!

$A \in K^{n \times n}$, then $\exists p \in K[x]$, $\deg(p) \leq n^2$ s.t. $p(A) = 0_{n \times n}$

Pf: $|\{I_n, A, \dots, A^{n^2}\}| = n^2 + 1$. $\dim(A^{n \times n}) = n^2 \Rightarrow$ linear dependency relation and set this as p .

Def: The unique monic non-zero polynomial $\mu_A(x)$ of minimal degree with $\mu_A(A) = 0$ is the minimal polynomial of A .

Existence: $\mu_A(A) = 0 \Rightarrow \exists p \in K[x]$ of minimal degree [or use above]

Uniqueness: two monic $p_1(x), p_2(x)$ s.t. $p_1(A) = p_2(A) = 0$. $p = p_1 - p_2$ contradicts minimality.

$q \in K[x]$ s.t. $q(A) = 0$, then $\mu_A | q$.

Pf: write $q = sm + r$ s.t. $\deg(r) < \deg(\mu)$. If $r \neq 0$, then $r(A) = q(A) - s(A)\mu(A) = 0$. μ minimal $\Rightarrow r = 0 \Rightarrow \mu | q$.

④ Cayley Hamilton Theorem: $C_A(x)$ characteristic polynomial of $A \in K^{n \times n}$. Then $C_A(A) = 0_{n \times n}$ [not $0 \in K$!]

B_{ji} = delete j th row, i th column.

$C_{ji} = \det(B_{ji})$, then $\text{Adj}(B)_{ij} = (-1)^{i+j} C_{ji}$

Pf: ① $B \text{adj}(B) = \text{adj}(B)B = \det(B)I_n$. set $B = A - xI_n$.
so $\text{Adj}(A - xI_n)(A - xI_n) = C_A(x)I_n$.

② $P(x) = \sum p_j x^j$, $Q(x) = \sum q_k x^k$, $p_j, q_k \in K^{n \times n}$ [matrices!]

Then $P(x)Q(x) = R(x) = \sum R_i x^i$ with $\sum_{j+k=i} p_j q_k = R_i$

Note: $P(m)Q(m) = R(m)$ if $m \in K^{n \times n}$ commutes w/ all coefficients of Q .

③ Set $P(x) = \text{adj}(A - xI_n)$, $Q(x) = A - xI_n$, $m = A$. $Q(A) = 0 \Rightarrow C_A(A) = 0$

⑤ Calculating minimal polynomial: just check the few possibilities given by

① $\mu_A | C_A$ ② λ eigenvalue of A . Then $\mu_A(\lambda) = 0$

Need $C_A(x)$ for this to work...

This always exists, horrible algorithm for large matrices in notes

Pf of B: $Av = \lambda v \Rightarrow A^2 v = \lambda^2 v \Rightarrow \dots \Rightarrow A^n v = \lambda^n v \Rightarrow \forall p \in K[x]$ we have $p(A)v = p(\lambda)v \Rightarrow$ as $\mu_A(A)v = 0 \forall v \Rightarrow \mu_A(\lambda)v = 0$. $v \neq 0 \Rightarrow \mu_A(\lambda) = 0$

⑥ Jordan chains & Jordan blocks: $T: V \rightarrow V$ / $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$

its a kernel

$N_i(A, \lambda) = \{v \in V: (A - \lambda I_n)^i v = 0\}$ "generalised eigenspace of index i of A "

A Jordan chain of length k is a sequence $v_1, \dots, v_k \in K^n$ s.t.

$$Av_1 = \lambda v_1, \quad Av_i = \lambda v_i + v_{i-1} \quad 2 \leq i \leq k$$

Jordan block of degree k with eigenvalue λ is $J_{\lambda, k}$ with

$$J_{ij} = \begin{cases} \lambda & \text{if } i=j \\ 1 & \text{if } j=i+1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$J_{\lambda, k} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda & 1 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & \lambda \end{pmatrix}$$

Matrix for $T|_W$ where W

is subspace spanned by $\{v_1, \dots, v_k\}$

$T(v_1) = \lambda v_1$ ← 1st column

$T(v_2) = \lambda v_2 + v_1$ ← 2nd column

- Jordan basis for A is a basis of $\mathbb{C}^n$ w/ one or more Jordan chains strung together. P is matrix w/ Jordan basis as columns $\Rightarrow J = P^{-1}AP$ need $\mathbb{C} = \mathbb{C}$ to ensure at least one eigenvalue.
- Main thm:** $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$. Then $\exists$ Jordan basis for A . Hence A is similar to a matrix J which is a direct sum of Jordan blocks. The Jordan blocks in J are uniquely determined by A .

Pd: very long... won't come up hopefully! Induction on $\dim(V) = n$.

⑦ Consequences of JCF: Let $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$, $\{\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_r\}$ eigenvalues of A .

$$\textcircled{A} \quad c_A(x) = (-1)^n \prod_{i=1}^r (x - \lambda_i)^{\alpha_i} \quad \textcircled{B} \quad \mu_A(x) = \prod_{i=1}^r (x - \lambda_i)^{\beta_i}$$

where α_i is the sum of the degrees of the Jordan blocks of A for eigenvalue λ_i

where β_i is the largest among the degrees of the Jordan blocks of A for eigenvalue λ_i

③ A is diagonalisable $\Leftrightarrow \mu_A(x)$ has no repeated factors.

Pd: If $m = A \oplus B$, then $c_m(x) = c_A(x)c_B(x)$ and $\mu_m(x) = \text{lcm}\{\mu_A(x), \mu_B(x)\}$ and apply repeatedly.

④ Let λ be an eigenvalue of $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$. Let J be JCF of A . Then

(i) $\#\{\text{Jordan blocks of } J \text{ w/ eigenvalue } \lambda\} = \text{nullity}(A - \lambda I_n)$ for $i=0$

(ii) $\#\left\{\begin{array}{l} \text{Jordan blocks of } J \text{ w/} \\ \text{eigenvalue } \lambda \text{ of degree} \\ \text{at least } i \end{array}\right\} = \text{nullity}((A - \lambda I_n)^i) - \text{nullity}((A - \lambda I_n)^{i-1})$

⑧ Basic facts of the Spectral Theory of matrices: (Grand Finale)

① $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$, $p \in \mathbb{C}[x]$, if λ is eigenvalue of A , $p(\lambda)$ eigenvalue of $p(A)$ (all take this form)

Pd: Assignment 1

② $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$, let $N_i(\lambda, A) = \ker((A - \lambda I_n)^i) = \{\text{generalised eigenvectors of } A \text{ wrt } \lambda \text{ of index } i\}$
 $\Rightarrow$ every vector in $\mathbb{C}^n$ can be written as a sum of genuine/generalised eigenvectors.

Pd: $\exists P$ s.t. $J = P^{-1}AP$ and the P our our basis of generalised e.v.

③ $\exists S \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$ s.t. $B = S^{-1}AS$
 $(A, B \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n} \text{ similar}) \Leftrightarrow \left(\begin{array}{l} A \text{ \& } B \text{ have same eigenvalues} \\ \lambda_1 = \mu_1, \dots, \lambda_r = \mu_r \\ \text{and } \dim N_i(A, \lambda_j) = \dim N_i(B, \mu_j) \forall i, j \end{array} \right)$

Pd: $\Rightarrow$ dimensions of corresponding generalised eigenspaces of similar matrices are the same $\therefore$ dimension = $\text{nullity}(A - \lambda I_n)^i$ dependent only on map
 $\Leftarrow$ so invariant under basis change.
 $\Leftarrow$ Follows from uniqueness of JCF.

Chapter 3 - Functions of Matrices

⑨ Lagrange Interpolation: speedy method for pen & paper $f(A)$

$\Psi = M_A / C_A$ in practice...

• Suppose $\Psi(M) = 0$. Divide by remainder: $z^n = q(z)\Psi(z) + h(z)$ [This is division by remainder]

$$A^n = q(A)\cancel{\Psi(A)} + h(A) = h(A)$$

Division w/ remainder is hard!

Shortcut: roots of $\Psi(z)$, say $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_k$, multiplicities $m_1, \dots, m_k$. Solve system of simultaneous equations in coefficients of $h(z)$:

$$f: z^n \quad f^{(t)}(\alpha_j) = h^{(t)}(\alpha_j) \quad \underbrace{1 \leq j \leq k}_{\text{roots}} \quad \underbrace{1 \leq t \leq m_j}_{\text{multiplicities}}$$

Example: z^n

$$\begin{aligned} M_A(z) &= (z+2)^2 \\ \Rightarrow h(z) &= \alpha z + \beta \\ \therefore (-2)^n &= -2\alpha + \beta \\ n(-2)^{n-1} &= \alpha \end{aligned}$$

Example: e^{tz}

$$\begin{aligned} C_A(z) &= (1-z)(2-z)^2 \\ \Rightarrow h(z) &= \alpha z^2 + \beta z + \gamma \\ \text{So system is} \end{aligned}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} e^t &= h(1) \\ e^{2t} &= h(2) \\ 2e^{2t} &= h'(2) \end{aligned} \right. \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{multiple root} \\ \swarrow \end{array}$$

⑩ Definition of a function of a matrix: Use z^n to generalise. Let $J = P^{-1}AP$. $J = J_{\lambda_1, k_1} \oplus \dots \oplus J_{\lambda_k, k_k}$ is the JCF of A . we define

$$f(A) = P^{-1}f(J)P \quad \text{where} \quad f(J) = f(J_{\lambda_1, k_1}) \oplus \dots \oplus f(J_{\lambda_k, k_k})$$

where

$$f(J_{\lambda, k}) = \begin{pmatrix} f(\lambda) & f'(\lambda) & \dots & \frac{f^{(k-2)}}{(k-2)!}(\lambda) & \frac{f^{(k-1)}}{(k-1)!}(\lambda) \\ 0 & f(\lambda) & \dots & \frac{f^{(k-3)}}{(k-3)!}(\lambda) & \frac{f^{(k-2)}}{(k-2)!}(\lambda) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & f(\lambda) & f'(\lambda) \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & f(\lambda) \end{pmatrix}$$

Can use this or Lagrange interpolation to find $e^A \dots$

Lots of practice needed...

Chapter 4 - Bilinear Maps & Quadratic Forms

bilinear form $T: V \times V \rightarrow K$

$W=V$

(11) Definitions: V, W are K -vector spaces. A bilinear map on V and W is a map $\tau: V \times W \rightarrow K$ s.t.

(i) $T(\alpha_1 v_1 + \alpha_2 v_2, w) = \alpha_1 T(v_1, w) + \alpha_2 T(v_2, w)$

(ii) $T(v, \alpha_1 w_1 + \alpha_2 w_2) = \alpha_1 T(v, w_1) + \alpha_2 T(v, w_2)$

linear in both arguments

Pick basis $E = \{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$, $F = \{f_1, \dots, f_m\}$. Set $\alpha_{ij} = T(e_i, f_j)$

Pick coordinates for $v \in V$, $w \in W$. $v = x_1 e_1 + \dots + x_n e_n$, $w = y_1 f_1 + \dots + y_m f_m$

$\tau(v, w) = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^m x_i \tau(e_i, f_j) y_j = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^m x_i \alpha_{ij} y_j = \underline{v}^T A \underline{w}$

(12) change of basis: $P \underline{v}' = \underline{v}$, $Q \underline{w}' = \underline{w}$. Have $\underline{v}^T A \underline{w} = \tau(v, w) = (\underline{v}')^T A \underline{w}'$
so $\underline{v}'^T B \underline{w}' = (P \underline{v}')^T A (Q \underline{w}') = (\underline{v}')^T P^T A Q \underline{w}' \Rightarrow B = P^T A Q$

Note: Matrices A and B are congruent if $\exists$ invertible P s.t. $B = P^T A P$ [represent the same bilinear form in different bases].

Note: $\text{rank}(\tau) := \text{rank}(A) \Rightarrow$ rank well defined [independent of basis choice]

(13) L/R radicals: Since $\tau(v, w) = \underline{v}^T A \underline{w}$

$\ker(A) = \{v \in V : \tau(w, v) = 0 \ \forall w \in V\}$ is the right radical of τ

$\ker(A^T) = \{v \in V : \tau(v, w) = 0 \ \forall w \in V\}$ is the left radical of τ

$\text{rank}(A) = \text{rank}(A^T) \Rightarrow \dim \{ \text{right/left radical} \} = \dim(V) - \text{rank}(\tau) = n - r$

$\text{rank}(\tau) = n \Rightarrow \tau$ is non-degenerate.

(14) Symmetric/antisymmetric bilinear forms: A bilinear form τ on V is

(i) symmetric if $\tau(v, w) = \tau(w, v) \ \forall w, v \in V \Rightarrow A = A^T$

(iii) antisymmetric if $\tau(v, v) = 0 \ \forall v \in V \Rightarrow A^T = -A$ + zeros on diagonal

Equivalently...

$T(v+w, v+w) = T(v, v) + T(v, w) + T(w, v) + T(w, w) = T(v, w) + T(w, v) = 0 \Rightarrow T(v, w) = -T(w, v)$

Prop: If $2 \neq 0$ in K , then any bilinear form $\tau = \tau_1 + \tau_2$ [unique]

Pf: Put $\tau_1 = \frac{1}{2}(\tau(v, w) + \tau(w, v))$, $\tau_2 = \frac{1}{2}(\tau(v, w) - \tau(w, v))$
symmetric antisymmetric

uniqueness: if $\tau = \tau_1' + \tau_2'$...

Hard?

(15) Quadratic Forms: V is a k -vector space. Then a quadratic form on V is a function $q: V \rightarrow k$ s.t.

(i) $q(\lambda v) = \lambda^2 q(v) \quad \forall v \in V, \lambda \in k$

Take a q
 $\tau_q(v, w) = q(v+w) - q(v) - q(w)$
 $q\tau_q(v, v) = q(2v) - 2q(v) = 4q(v) - 2q(v) = 2q(v)$

(ii) $\tau_q(v_1, v_2) = q(v_1 + v_2) - q(v_1) - q(v_2)$ is a symmetric bilinear form on V .

Note: there is a one-to-one association between quadratic forms & bilinear forms
 $q \mapsto \frac{1}{2}\tau_q, \quad \tau \mapsto q$ (k: char 2)

(16) Nice bases for quadratic forms: V ndim vector space w/ symmetric bilinear form τ (or q). Then

• $\exists$ basis $b_1, \dots, b_n$ of V & $\beta_1, \dots, \beta_n$ s.t.

$$\tau(b_i, b_j) = \begin{cases} \beta_i & \text{if } i=j \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

• if gives any symmetric matrix A , $\exists$ invertible P s.t. $P^T A P$ diagonal.

• if gives any quadratic form q on V , $\exists$ basis $b_1, \dots, b_n$ & constants $\beta_1, \dots, \beta_n$ s.t.

$$q(x_1 b_1 + \dots + x_n b_n) = \beta_1 x_1^2 + \dots + \beta_n x_n^2$$

Pf: induction. short. pick v_1 s.t. $q(v_1, v_1) \neq 0$, $\beta_1 = q(v_1)$, then $\tau(w, v_1) \xleftarrow{\text{rank 1}} \text{nullity } n-1$

Flowchart for finding this: Have quadratic form q . $B = (\beta_{ij})$ is matrix for q wrt arbitrary basis $b_1, \dots, b_n$. Modify:

Step 1: get $q(b_1) \neq 0$

note: be careful where change of basis is coming from is

P = new basis vectors $\Rightarrow$ will take from original matrix

Step 2: modify $b_2, \dots, b_n$ to make them orthogonal to b_1

Step 3: induct on n

case 1: $\beta_{11} \neq 0$, then done

case 2: $\beta_{11} = 0$ but $\beta_{ii} \neq 0$ then swap

case 3: $\beta_{ii} = 0 \forall i$, let $b_i = b_i + b_j$

$$b_i = b_i - \frac{\beta_{1i}}{\beta_{11}} b_1 \quad \text{why this?}$$

$$\tau(b_1, b_i - \frac{\beta_{1i}}{\beta_{11}} b_1) = \dots = 0$$

(17) Sylvester's Theorem: A quadratic form q over $\mathbb{R}$ has form

(t, u) is the signature of q

$$q(v) = \sum_{i=1}^t x_i^2 - \sum_{i=1}^u x_{t+i}^2$$

$\rightarrow$ rank is the only invariant of a quadratic form over $\mathbb{C}$

wrt a suitable basis where $t+u = \text{rank}(q)$ Note: swap $\mathbb{R}$ to $\mathbb{C}$ & get $q(v) = \sum_{i=1}^r x_i^2$

(18) Sylvester's Law of Inertia: q a quadratic form on V over $\mathbb{R}$. $e_1, \dots, e_n$ & $e'_1, \dots, e'_n$ two bases for V s.t.

$$q(x_1 e_1 + \dots + x_n e_n) = \sum_{i=1}^t x_i^2 - \sum_{i=1}^u x_{t+i}^2, \quad q(x_1 e'_1 + \dots + x_n e'_n) = \sum_{i=1}^{t'} x_i^2 - \sum_{i=1}^{u'} x_{t'+i}^2$$

Then $t = t', u = u'$ [signature invariant]

Pf: know $t+u = t'+u' = \text{rank}(q) \Rightarrow$ wts $t = t' \Rightarrow$ assume $t > t'$

① $V_1 = \text{span} \{e_1, \dots, e_t\}$, $V_2 = \text{span} \{e'_{t'+1}, \dots, e'_n\}$. Then for $v, w \neq 0$ $\forall v \in V_1, q(v) > 0, \forall w \in V_2$ s.t. $q(w) < 0 \Rightarrow V_1 \cap V_2 = \{0\}$

② $\dim(V_1 \cap V_2) = \dim(V_1) + \dim(V_2) - \dim(V_1 + V_2) = t + (n - t') - \dim(V_1 + V_2) > 0$
 $t - t' > 0, \dim(V_1 \cap V_2) \leq n$ $\cdot \cdot \cdot$

19) Eulidian Spaces, orthonormal bases

Signature is $(n, 0)$, $t=n$

- The quadratic form q is positive definite if $q(v) > 0 \quad \forall 0 \neq v \in V$
- A vector space $V/\mathbb{R}$ w/ positive definite symmetric bilinear form τ is a Eulidian space.
 wrt this τ
 $\delta_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i=j \\ 0 & \text{if } i \neq j \end{cases}$
 not stored for product...
 orthogonal if not normalised.
- A basis for V s.t. $\tau(e_i, e_j) = \delta_{ij}$ is an orthonormal basis of V .

20) Gram-Schmidt Process (orthonormalisation process): Let V be a Eulidian space. $\dim V = n$. can modify basis $\{g_1, \dots, g_n\}$ to an orthonormal basis $\{j_1, \dots, j_n\}$ by:

Step 1: $j_1 := \frac{g_1}{|g_1|}$

inductively.
 (basis change matrix $M(\text{Id}_n)(g_1, \dots, g_n)$ is upper triangular! $(j_1, \dots, j_n)$)

$$j'_{i+1} = g_{i+1} - \sum_{\alpha=1}^i (j_\alpha \cdot g_{i+1}) j_\alpha$$

$$j_{i+1} = \frac{j'_{i+1}}{|j'_{i+1}|}$$

21) Orthogonal transformations:

- $T: V \rightarrow V$ orthogonal if it preserves the scalar product: $T(v) \cdot T(w) = v \cdot w$
 $T(v) = Av \Rightarrow T(v) \cdot T(w) = v^T A^T A w = v^T w \Rightarrow A^T A = I_n$
- $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ orthogonal if $A^T A = I_n$ $\det(A) = \pm 1$

22) QR Decomposition: Let $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, then can write $A = QR$ where Q is orthogonal and R is upper triangular.

Method: ① columns of A form a basis. Set this as $\{g_1, \dots, g_n\}$
 ② orthonormalise $\{g_1, \dots, g_n\} \rightarrow \{j_1, \dots, j_n\}$ using Gram Schmidt
 ③ $\{g_1, \dots, g_n\}$ is Q & find change of basis matrix R .

Useful! some $Ax = b$? Easy, $QRx = b \Rightarrow Rx = Q^T b$
 R upper Δ so easy, sub backwards!

23) Nice orthonormal bases

$$R = \begin{pmatrix} j_1 \cdot g_1 & j_1 \cdot g_2 & j_1 \cdot g_3 \\ 0 & j_2 \cdot g_2 & j_2 \cdot g_3 \\ 0 & 0 & j_3 \cdot g_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

- $T: V \rightarrow V$ linear map on Eulidian space V . Then the linear map S s.t. $(Tv) \cdot w = v \cdot (Sw)$ $\forall v, w$, is the adjoint of T , T^* .

Note: ① Choose an orthonormal basis $\Rightarrow$ matrix of T^* is transpose of T .
 $\Rightarrow$ linear operator orthogonal iff $T^* = T^{-1}$. $(Av) \cdot w = v \cdot (Bw)$
 $v^T A^T w = v^T B w \Rightarrow A^T = B$

② T selfadjoint if $T^* = T$ [if bilinear form $T(v, w) = Tv \cdot w$ is symmetric.]

- $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ symmetric $\Rightarrow$ all eigenvalues are real.

Pf: ① $\det(A - \lambda I_n) = 0$, $\mathbb{C}$ closed $\Rightarrow$ at least one root $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$. v eigenvector.
 ② $Av = \lambda v$, $A\bar{v} = \bar{\lambda} \bar{v}$ [as $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$]
 $\hookrightarrow v^T A^T = \lambda v^T \rightarrow v^T A = \lambda v^T$ [as $A = A^T$]
 $\lambda v^T \bar{v} = v^T A^T \bar{v} = v^T A \bar{v} = \bar{\lambda} v^T \bar{v} \Rightarrow \lambda = \bar{\lambda} \Rightarrow \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ [why?]

• Thm: let V be a Euclidean space $\dim(V)=n$. Then

(A) Given any quadratic form q on V , $\exists$ orthonormal basis $j_1, \dots, j_n$ of V & constants $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n$ s.t.

$$q(x_1 j_1 + \dots + x_n j_n) = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i x_i^2$$

(B) Given a self adjoint linear operator, $\exists j_1, \dots, j_n$ orthonormal basis $j_1, \dots, j_n$ of V consisting of eigenvectors of T .

(C) $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ symmetric. $\exists P$ orthogonal s.t. $P^T A P$ diagonal.

• (very useful!) $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ symmetric, λ_1, λ_2 distinct eigenvalues w/ v_1, v_2 eigenvectors. Then $v_1 \cdot v_2 = 0$
 if repeated eigenvalue, need gram schmidt to orthonormalise.

Id: $A v_1 = \lambda_1 v_1$ & $A v_2 = \lambda_2 v_2$ & consider $v_1^T A v_2 \dots$

(24) Quadratic Forms in Geometry: Can 'complete the square' to get general form of surfaces... lots of cases...

(25) Singular Value Decomposition: Given any $A \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times m}$, then there exist unique singular values $\gamma_1, \dots, \gamma_n > 0$ and orthogonal matrices P and Q s.t.

$$\begin{pmatrix} D & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = P^T A Q \quad (D = \text{diag}(\gamma_1, \gamma_2, \dots, \gamma_n))$$

The γ are the positive square roots of the non-zero eigenvalues of $A^T A$.

Note: If you have a symmetric matrix, SVD is just orthogonal diagonalisation with extra care needed for signs. Otherwise...

Step 1: eigenvalues of $A^T A$
 $\gamma_i = \sqrt{\lambda_i}$

Step 2: want P, Q orthogonal s.t. $D = P^T A Q$

Find orthogonal basis of eigenvectors for $A^T A$
[This is Q]

Step 3: Find images of basis found & divide by corresponding γ_i

There is a complex story but non-essential.

Chapter 5 - Finitely Generated Abelian Groups

Big st review of
MA136 - see final...

(26) New tools:

- The direct sum of groups $G_1, \dots, G_n$ is defined to be the set $\{(g_1, \dots, g_n) \mid g_i \in G_i\}$ (w/ componentwise addition).
- (1st isomorphism thm): Let $\phi: G \rightarrow H$ be a homomorphism w/ kernel K . Then $G/K \cong \text{im}(\phi)$.
- A finitely generated abelian group is called free of rank n if it is isomorphic to $\mathbb{Z}^n$.
- Elements $x_1, \dots, x_n$ of an abelian group G form an integral / $\mathbb{Z}$ -basis of $G \Leftrightarrow$ they're linearly independent & span G .
- A matrix $P \in \mathbb{Z}^{n \times n}$ w/ $\det(P) = \pm 1$ is called uni-modular.
- Unimodular Smith normal form (SNF): $A \in \mathbb{Z}^{m \times n}$ $\text{rank}(A) = r$. Can reduce A by a sequence of unimodular row & column operations to B . $B_{ii} = d_i$ for $1 \leq i \leq r$. $B_{ij} = 0$ otherwise. $d_i \mid d_{i+1}$ for $1 \leq i \leq r$.

Note: gcd of all entries of A is d_1 . (put d_1 in (1,1) & continue)

(27) Results:

- The group $\langle y_1, \dots, y_n \mid d_1 y_1, \dots, d_r y_r \rangle \cong \mathbb{Z}/d_1 \oplus \mathbb{Z}/d_2 \oplus \dots \oplus \mathbb{Z}/d_r \oplus \mathbb{Z}^{n-r}$ generators
- (Fundamental thm of finitely generated abelian groups): If G is as described, then its isomorphic to a direct sum of cyclic groups. Previously, if G is generated by n elements, then for some r $0 \leq r \leq n$, $\exists d_1, \dots, d_r \in \mathbb{Z}$ w/ $d_i > 0$, $d_i \mid d_{i+1}$ s.t.
make matrix $\rightarrow$ SNF to get the d_i $G \cong \underbrace{\mathbb{Z}/d_1 \oplus \mathbb{Z}/d_2 \oplus \dots \oplus \mathbb{Z}/d_r}_{r \text{ finite cyclic groups}} \oplus \underbrace{\mathbb{Z}^{n-r}}_{n-r \text{ infinite cyclic groups}}$

Note: $|G| = d_1 d_2 \dots d_r \Rightarrow n = 36$ order finite abelian $G \cong \mathbb{Z}/36, \mathbb{Z}/2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}/18, \mathbb{Z}/3 \oplus \mathbb{Z}/12, \mathbb{Z}/6 \oplus \mathbb{Z}/6$

- Let $G = G_1 \oplus \dots \oplus G_n$ be a finite abelian group. $\text{order}(g) = \text{lcm}(g_1, \dots, g_n)$
 $[g = (g_1, \dots, g_n)] \Rightarrow \text{lcm of all components of } G$.
[isomorphic groups have same # of elements of each order] $\mathbb{Z}/36$ has 1 element of order 36
- Let H be the subgroup of $\mathbb{Z}^n$ generated by columns of $A \in \mathbb{Z}^{n \times n}$ [invertible in $\mathbb{Q}^{n \times n}$]. Index of H in $\mathbb{Z}^n = |\det(A)|$
[order($\mathbb{Z}^n/H$) = $|\det(A)|$] diagonal entries of SNF of A $\alpha_1 \dots \alpha_r$ not isomorphic to $\mathbb{Z}/2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}/18$

Pl: Assignment 4: $f_i(A) = \text{gcd}(\{|\det(S)| : S \text{ is an } i \times i \text{ submatrix of } A\})$

- Put $A \xrightarrow{\text{SNF}} B$. $|\det(A)| = |\det(B)|$
- $H \cong \mathbb{Z}/\alpha_1 \oplus \dots \oplus \mathbb{Z}/\alpha_r$

KEY CALCULATIONS

A quadratic form $q: V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a map s.t.

$$q(\lambda v) = \lambda^2 q(v)$$

$$q(v_1, v_2) = q(v_1 + v_2) - q(v_1) - q(v_2)$$

is a symmetric bilinear form

① Jordan Canonical Form

$$J = P^{-1} A P$$

STEP 1: Find J

- Find $C_A(x)$ and then $\mu_A(x)$ if matrix small. $\mu_A | C_A$ & $\mu_A(\lambda) = 0$
- Find nullity $(A - \lambda I) = \#$ jordan blocks for this eigenvalue, & nullity $(A - \lambda I)^i - \text{nullity}(A - \lambda I)^{i-1} = \#$ jordan blocks of degree at least i if matrix is large.

DON'T CALCULATE EIGENVECTORS (you get them for free!)
(unless chain length 1)

STEP 2: Find P

- You know how many vectors you need in each chain.

$$A v_k = \lambda v_k + v_{k-1} \Rightarrow (A - \lambda I) v_k = v_{k-1} \dots (A - \lambda I)^n v_n = 0$$

Pick vectors: not in the kernel of the smaller powers of $(A - \lambda I)^i$. $v_k \in \ker(A - \lambda I)^k$, $v_k \notin \ker(A - \lambda I)^{k-1}$

STEP 3: Order P correctly

- will be wrong if you don't order following the chain.

$$T(v_1) = \lambda v_1$$

$$T(v_2) = \lambda v_2 + v_1$$

$$T(v_3) = \lambda v_3 + v_2$$

images are the columns
or matrices!

$$\begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots \\ 0 & 0 & \vdots \end{pmatrix}$$

② Functions of Matrices

choice 1: $A = P^{-1} J P \Rightarrow f(A) = P^{-1} f(J) P$, $f(J) = f(J_{\lambda_1, k_1}) \oplus \dots \oplus f(J_{\lambda_n, k_n})$
and

$$f(J_{\lambda, k}) := \begin{pmatrix} f(\lambda) & f'(\lambda) & \frac{1}{2} f''(\lambda) & \frac{1}{6} f'''(\lambda) \\ 0 & f(\lambda) & f'(\lambda) & \frac{1}{2} f''(\lambda) \\ 0 & 0 & f(\lambda) & f'(\lambda) \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & f(\lambda) \end{pmatrix}$$

Spot the pattern!

choice 2: (Lagrange Interpolation) . Want $f(A)$. Divide by μ_A or C_A

$$f(x) = C_A(x) q(x) + h(x) \Rightarrow f(A) = \cancel{C_A(A)} q(A) + h(A)$$

division with remainder so if C_A is a i th degree polynomial then $\deg(h) = i-1$

Then find $h(x)$

λ are eigenvalues

$$f(\lambda) = h(\lambda)$$

$$f'(\lambda) = h'(\lambda)$$

for repeated roots
[notes: $\because C_A(\lambda) = 0$]

③ New basis for quadratic forms

β is matrix for q

STEP 1: Have matrix for q wrt basis $\{b_1, \dots, b_n\}$ & modifying:

- If $B_{ii} \neq 0$ ✓, if $B_{ii} = 0$, swap basis vectors / add basis vectors.
- orthogonalise, $b_i = b_i - \frac{B_{ii}}{B_{ii}} b_i$ ← sets all basis vectors orthogonal to b_i

$$q(b_i - \frac{B_{ii}}{B_{ii}} b_i, b_i) = q(b_i, b_i) - \frac{B_{ii}}{B_{ii}} q(b_i, b_i) = 0$$

STEP 2: Find matrix wrt new basis: $B = P^T A P$ where A wrt start basis & P 's modification from start basis.

④ Nice basis for maps on Euclidean spaces

Signature is $(n, 0)$
 $q(v) > 0 \quad \forall v \in V$

Tools:

① Gram Schmidt: Have a matrix / basis, take columns $g_1, \dots, g_n$.

$$\left. \begin{aligned} - j_1 &= \frac{g_1}{|g_1|} \\ - j_i' &= g_i - \sum_{\alpha=1}^{i-1} (j_\alpha \cdot g_i) j_\alpha \\ - j_i &= \frac{j_i'}{|j_i'|} \end{aligned} \right\} \text{the } \{j_1, \dots, j_n\} \text{ are now orthogonal}$$

$$j_i \cdot j_j = \delta_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i=j \\ 0 & \text{if } i \neq j \end{cases}$$

② Eigenvectors: If you have a quadratic form with $q(v) > 0$
 then $A^T = A$ and so if λ, μ distinct $\Rightarrow v_\lambda \cdot v_\mu = 0$
 (if you have some repeated, then just run gram schmidt)

QR Decomposition:

columns of $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

$$\text{STEP 1: } \{g_1, \dots, g_n\} \xrightarrow{\text{Gram-Schmidt}} \{j_1, \dots, j_n\}$$

columns of Q

STEP 2: Find R by tracking changes in terms of basis or

$$R = \begin{pmatrix} j_1 \cdot g_1 & j_1 \cdot g_2 & j_1 \cdot g_3 \\ 0 & j_2 \cdot g_2 & j_2 \cdot g_3 \\ 0 & 0 & j_3 \cdot g_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

⑤ Singular Value Decomposition: $A \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times m}$. write $D = P^T A Q$

STEP 1: Find eigenvalues of $A^T A$. set $\gamma_i = \sqrt{\lambda}$ & arrange as increasing.

STEP 2: find orthogonal basis of eigenvectors for $A^T A$. This is Q .

STEP 3: $P D = A Q$ so find images of Q vectors under A & divide by corresponding γ_i to find P .

⑥ Smith Normal Form:

STEP 1: Find gcd & move to top left w/ INTEGER operations

STEP 2: Repeat & repeat till done.