



Exam 2

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Do not use calculators or decimal notation.

[1] Use Cramer's rule to solve for x in the system of equations

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix}} = 1$$

$$\text{or } 1 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix} - 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 3 - 3 + 1 = 1$$

$$\frac{\begin{vmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{a \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix} - 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix}}{a \cdot 3 - 3 + 1} = \frac{3a - 2}{3a - 2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{3a-2}$$

answer

$$\text{check: } y = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 6 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} a-1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} a-1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix}} = (a-1) \cdot 3$$

$$\text{or } a \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 6 \\ 1 & 6 \end{vmatrix} - 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 6 \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 3a - 5 + 2 = 3a - 3$$

$$y = 3a - 3 / 3a - 2$$

$$z = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} a-1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} a-1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix}} = -a + 1$$

$$z = -a + 1 / 3a - 2$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3a-3 \\ -a+1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3a-2 \\ 3a-2 \\ 3a-2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \checkmark$$

[2] Find a basis for the subspace V of $\mathbb{R}^5$ defined by the following system of equations. Extend this basis to a basis for all of $\mathbb{R}^5$.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 & 6 \\ \cancel{0 & 1 & 0 & 3 & 6} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 4 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v \\ w \\ x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\begin{matrix} \text{pivot} & \text{free} \\ \hline \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 4 & 7 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -5 \\ -3 & -6 \\ -4 & -7 \end{bmatrix} \\ \hline \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$

basis for V : $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -3 & -4 & 1 & 0 \\ -5 & -6 & -7 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right.$

extension to $\mathbb{R}^5$

$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right.$

for read cols R to L

This is basis because lead ones in different cols, if we look from right

[3] Find A^n for the matrix

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

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \text{trace}(A) &= 2+5=7 = \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 \\ \det(A) &= 10-4=6 = \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow \lambda = 1, 6$$

alternatively, $|A - \lambda I| = \lambda^2 - 7\lambda + 6 = (\lambda - 1)(\lambda - 6) = 0$

$$A - 1I: \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \quad \text{eigenbasis} = \{ (1, -1), (1, 4) \} = T$$

usual basis = S

$$A - 6I: \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 1 \\ 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\begin{matrix} L & I & L & I \\ \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix} & = & \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ S \leftarrow S & & S \leftarrow T & T \leftarrow T & T \leftarrow S \end{matrix} / 5$$

$$\text{so } A^n = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1^n & 0 \\ 0 & 6^n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} / 5$$

$$\approx \begin{matrix} & 4 & -1 \\ 1 & \hline 4 & -1 \\ -1 & -4 & 1 \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & \hline 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 4 & 4 \end{matrix}$$

$$\boxed{A^n = 1^n \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ -4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} / 5 + 6^n \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 4 \end{bmatrix} / 5}$$

checks: $n=0 \quad \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} / 5 = I \quad \checkmark$

$n=1 \quad \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 5 \\ 20 & 25 \end{bmatrix} / 5 = A \quad \checkmark$

$n=2 \quad \begin{bmatrix} 40 & 35 \\ 140 & 145 \end{bmatrix} / 5 = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 7 \\ 28 & 29 \end{bmatrix}$

$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 7 \\ 28 & 29 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark$

[4] Find e^{At} for the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -4 \\ 1 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{trace}(A) = 12 = \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 \quad \lambda = 6, 6$$

$$\det(A) = 36 = \lambda_1 \lambda_2$$

$$B = A - 6I = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -4 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

want

$$v_2 \xrightarrow{B} v_1 \xrightarrow{B} 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

$$A = 6I + B$$

$$Av_1 = 6v_1 = (6, 0)^T$$

$$Av_2 = 6v_2 + v_1 = (1, 6)^T$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -4 \\ 1 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 1 \\ 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

S ← S S ← T T ← T T ← S

$$e^{At} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e^{6t} & te^{6t} \\ 0 & e^{6t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A = 6I + B$$

$$e^{At} = e^{6t}I + te^{6t}B$$

$$e^{At} = e^{6t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + te^{6t} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -4 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 \quad 2 \\ -2 \overline{) -2 \quad -4} \\ 1 \quad 2 \end{array}$$

check: $t=0$: $I = 1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + 0 \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -4 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark$

$$\left(\frac{d}{dt} e^{At} \right) \Big|_{t=0} : A = 6 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -4 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

[5] Find e^{At} for the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{trace}(A) = 2 = \lambda_1 + \lambda_2$$

$$\det(A) = 2 = \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \quad (!)$$

$$\lambda^2 - 2\lambda + 2 = 0$$

$$\lambda = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4-8}}{2} = 1 \pm i$$

$$A - (1+i)I : \begin{bmatrix} -i & -1 \\ 1 & -i \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} i \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$A - (1-i)I : \begin{bmatrix} i & -1 \\ 1 & i \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & i \\ i & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1-i & 0 \\ 0 & 1+i \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -i \\ -i & 1 \end{bmatrix} / 2$$

$S \leftarrow S \quad S \leftarrow T$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -i \\ i & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} -i & 1 \\ 1 & i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$e^{At} = e^{(1-i)t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -i \\ i & 1 \end{bmatrix} / 2 + e^{(1+i)t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & i \\ -i & 1 \end{bmatrix} / 2$$

$$e^{(1-i)t} = e^t e^{-it} = e^t \cos t - i e^t \sin t$$

$$e^{(1+i)t} = e^t e^{it} = e^t \cos t + i e^t \sin t$$

$$e^{At} = e^t \cos t \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -i \\ i & 1 \end{bmatrix} / 2 + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & i \\ -i & 1 \end{bmatrix} / 2 \right) + e^t \sin t \left(-i \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -i \\ i & 1 \end{bmatrix} / 2 + i \begin{bmatrix} 1 & i \\ -i & 1 \end{bmatrix} / 2 \right)$$

$$e^{At} = e^t \cos t \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + e^t \sin t \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

this makes sense: $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ acts on $\mathbb{R}^2$ like 1 on $\mathbb{C}$

$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ " " " i on $\mathbb{C}$

$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ " " " $1+i$ on $\mathbb{C}$

$$\text{so } e^{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} t}$$

acts on $\mathbb{R}^2$ like $e^{(1+i)t}$ on $\mathbb{C}$

$$e^{(1+i)t} = 1 e^t \cos t + i e^t \sin t$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

[6] Find e^{At} for the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda^3 - (1+1+1)\lambda^2 + (|1 \ 1 \ -1| + |1 \ -1 \ 1| + |1 \ 1 \ 1|)\lambda - 0 = 0$$

$$\lambda^3 - 3\lambda^2 + 2\lambda = 0 \quad \lambda(\lambda-1)(\lambda-2) = 0$$

$$\lambda = 0, 1, 2$$

$$A - 0\lambda: \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$A - 1\lambda: \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ +1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$A - 2\lambda: \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{S \leftarrow S} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{S \leftarrow T} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{T \leftarrow T} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & +1 \\ -1 & -1 & +1 \\ +1 & +1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{T \leftarrow S} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & +1 \\ -1 & -1 & +1 \\ +1 & +1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{inverse then negate}}$$

check ✓

$$A = 0 \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + 1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + 2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

check ✓

$$I = 1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + 1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + 1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$e^{At} = 1 \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + e^t \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$e^{At}|_{t=0} = I \quad \checkmark$$

$$\left(\frac{d}{dt} e^{At} \right) \Big|_{t=0} = A \quad \checkmark$$