

Math 211, Spring 2017 — Homework 9

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Problem 1 (Exercises 7.1.4, 6). Let A and B be $n \times n$ matrices, and \vec{v} an eigenvector of A with associated eigenvalue λ and an eigenvector of B with associated eigenvalue μ .

1. Is \vec{v} an eigenvector of $7A$? If so, what is the eigenvalue?
2. Is \vec{v} an eigenvector of AB ? If so, what is the eigenvalue?

Problem 2 (Exercises 7.1.16, 18, 20, 21). Arguing geometrically, find all eigenvectors and eigenvalues of the following linear transformations.

1. Rotation through an angle of 180 degrees in \mathbb{R}^2 .
2. Reflection about a plane V in \mathbb{R}^3 .
3. Rotation about the \vec{e}_3 -axis through an angle of 90 degrees, counter-clockwise as viewed from the positive \vec{e}_3 -axis in \mathbb{R}^3 .
4. Scaling by 5 in \mathbb{R}^3 .

Problem 3 (Exercise 7.1.38). We are told that $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ is an eigenvector of the matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 & 1 \\ -5 & 0 & -3 \\ -1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$;

what is the associated eigenvalue?

Problem 4 (Exercises 7.2.2, 4, 6, 8, 10). For each of the following matrices, find all the real eigenvalues and their algebraic multiplicities.

1. $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

2. $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 4 \\ -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

3. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

4. $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

5. $\begin{bmatrix} -3 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ -2 & 7 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

Problem 5 (Exercises 7.3.6, 8, 10, 12, 14). For each of the following matrices, find all real eigenvalues. Then find a basis of each corresponding eigenspace.

1. $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

2. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

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

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

5. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -5 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$