

## Midterm 2

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The boxes below are for your scores, do not write in them! Write your solutions in the spaces provided after each problem.

1	9	10
2	1	15
3	15	15
4	15	15
5	9	10
Total	49	65

1. Find the numbers  $x$  and  $y$  which give the best solution (in the sense of least squares) to the inconsistent system of equations

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &= 2x + y \\ 3 &= y \\ 3 &= x + y \\ 5 &= x + y \end{aligned}$$

$$A^T A x = A^T y$$

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

$$A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} [x] = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} [y]$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 4 \\ 4 & 4 \end{bmatrix} [x] = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 4 \\ -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} [x] = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix} \checkmark$$

$$-2x = 12$$

$$x = -6$$

$$6x + 4y = 10$$

$$-36 + 4y = 10 \quad y = \frac{46}{4} = \left(\frac{23}{2}\right)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{2} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

2. Let  $W$  be the set of all  $(x, y, z, w) : x + y = z + w = 0$ .

- (a) Find an orthogonal basis for  $W$ .  
 (b) Find the orthogonal projection of  $(2, 0, 3, 5)$  onto  $W$ .  
 (c) Find the distance from  $(2, 0, 3, 5)$  to  $W$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} x & y \\ 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$W: x + y = z + w = 0$$

$$w = x + y - z$$

Gram-Schmidt:

$$u_1 = \underline{(1, 0, 0, 1)}, \quad (\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, 0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})^T$$

$$\text{basis: } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$u_2 = (-\frac{1}{2}, 1, 0, \frac{1}{2})$$

$$w_2 = v_2 - (v_2 \cdot u_1)u_1 = (0, 1, 0, 1) - [(0, 1, 0, 1) \cdot (\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, 0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})](\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, 0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}) \\ = (0, 1, 0, 1) - (\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, 0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}) = (-\frac{1}{2}, 1, 0, \frac{1}{2})$$

$$u_3 = (-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, 0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})$$

$$w_3 = (0, 0, 1, -1) - [(0, 0, 1, -1) \cdot (\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, 0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})]u_1 - [(0, 0, 1, -1) \cdot (-\frac{1}{2}, 1, 0, \frac{1}{2})]u_2 \\ = (0, 0, 1, -1) - (-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, 0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}) - (-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})(-\frac{1}{2}, 1, 0, \frac{1}{2}) \\ = (0 + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}, 0 + 1, 1, -1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}) = (0, 1, 1, 0)$$

$$u_4 = (0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 0)$$

$$w_4 = (0, 0, 0, 1) - [(0, 0, 0, 1) \cdot u_1]u_1 - [v_4 \cdot v_2]u_2 - [v_4 \cdot v_3]u_3 \\ = (0 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} - 0, 0 - 0 - 1 - 0, 0 - 0 - 0 - 0, 1 - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} - 0)$$

3. Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 3 \\ 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \det \begin{bmatrix} 6-\lambda & 3 \\ 4 & 2-\lambda \end{bmatrix} = (6-\lambda)(2-\lambda) - 12$$

$$= 12 - 8\lambda + \lambda^2 - 12$$

$$= \lambda(\lambda - 8)$$

(a) Find the eigenvalues of  $A$ .

$$\lambda = \{0, 8\}$$

(b) We know that there exist matrices  $S$  and  $T$  such that  $A = STS^{-1}$ , where  $T$  is upper triangular and  $S$  is invertible. Find  $T$ .

$$\lambda = 0 \quad NS(A - \lambda I) = \left[ \begin{array}{cc} 6 & 3 \\ 4 & 2 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{cc} 6 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \quad T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = 8 \quad \left[ \begin{array}{cc} -2 & 3 \\ 4 & -6 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{cc} -2 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \quad T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(c) Now find  $S$ .

$$S = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

4. Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & -1 \\ 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \det \begin{bmatrix} 6-\lambda & -1 \\ 4 & 2-\lambda \end{bmatrix} = (12-8\lambda+\lambda^2+4)$$

(a) Find the eigenvalues of  $A$ .

$$\lambda^2 - 8\lambda + (16 - \lambda^2 + 4) = 0$$

(b) We know that there exist matrices  $S$  and  $T$  such that  $A = STS^{-1}$ , where  $T$  is upper triangular. Find  $T$ .

$$\lambda = 4 \quad NS(A - \lambda I) = \left[ \begin{array}{cc} 2 & -1 \\ 4 & -2 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{cc} 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \quad NS(A - \lambda I) = 1$$

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 4 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{we need } NS = 2 \text{ so use Jordan format}$$

(c) Now find  $S$ .

$$S = [s_1 | s_2] \quad \text{Since 2nd column of } (A - \lambda I) \text{ is nonzero, } s_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad S_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \quad S_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 4 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

5. For each of the following matrices  $A$ , you are asked to determine whether or not there exist matrices  $S$  and  $D$  such that  $A = SDS^{-1}$ , with  $S$  invertible and then with  $S$  orthogonal. In the appropriate place in the box below, write Y if  $S$  and  $D$  with the properties named exist, N if not, and M if there is not enough information to tell.

(a)

$S$  is basis  $\lambda_1 = 1, \lambda_2 = 2, \lambda_3 = 3$   $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 3 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$   $\det(A) = 6 \neq 0$   
 $A$  invertible

(b)

$S$  is basis  $\lambda_1 = 1, \lambda_2 = 2, \lambda_3 = 3$   $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 3 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$   $\det(A) = 6$

(c)

$\lambda_1 = 1$   $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$   $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 3 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$   $\det(A) = 3$   
 $NS = 2$

(d)

$\lambda_1 = 1$   $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$   $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$  Symmetric  
 $A$  is diagonalizable  $A = S \Lambda S^{-1}$

(e)  $A$  is a matrix whose characteristic polynomial is  $X(X-1)(X-2)$ .

a)  $\lambda^2 - \text{tr}(A)\lambda + \det(A)$

$\lambda^2 - 9\lambda + (15 + 24 + 24 - 27 - 16 + 20)$   
 $+ 2$

	Invertible $S$	Orthogonal $S$
a	Yes	No
b	Yes	No
c	Yes N	No
d	Yes	Yes
e	No	No

$\lambda_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$   $S$  is basis

$\det A = 0$

for orthogonality of  $S$   
 $A$  must be  
symm and have diff eigenvalues