

Q1 - True/False:

TFTFF; FFTTT; TTFTT; TTTTT

Q2.  $A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 3 \\ 3 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $(A^T A)^{-1} = \frac{1}{15} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

$A(A^T A)^{-1} A^T = \frac{1}{15} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 6 & 2 & 4 \\ 6 & 8 & -4 & 2 \\ 2 & -4 & 12 & 4 \\ 4 & 2 & 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  is the ortho. projection onto  $\text{Col}(A)$

$\vec{p} = \frac{1}{15} \begin{bmatrix} 19 \\ 12 \\ 14 \\ 13 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\vec{v} - \vec{p} = \frac{1}{15} \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ , check that

$A^T(\vec{v} - \vec{p}) = \vec{0}$ . This must be the case because  $(\vec{v} - \vec{p})$  is  $\perp \text{Col}(A)$ , by definition of the orthogonal projection  $\vec{p}$  of  $\vec{v}$  onto  $\text{Col}(A)$ :

- $\vec{p}$  is in  $\text{Col}(A)$
- $(\vec{p} - \vec{v}) \perp \text{Col}(A)$

Q3. Diagonalize the matrix - let's call it  $M$  - and solve by the eigenvector method.

Charpoly:  $(\lambda - 1)(\lambda^2 - \lambda - 6)$  (expansion along bottom row)

Eigenvals:  $\lambda_1 = 1, \lambda_2 = -2, \lambda_3 = 3$

Eigenvects:  $\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\vec{v}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

$$\text{Now, } \vec{x}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \vec{v}_1 + 3\vec{v}_3$$

$$\text{So } \vec{x}(t) = e^t \vec{v}_1 + 3e^{3t} \vec{v}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -2e^t + 3e^{3t} \\ -2e^t + 3e^{3t} \\ e^t \end{bmatrix}$$

$$e^{-t} \vec{x}(t) = \vec{v}_1 + 3e^{2t} \vec{v}_3 \rightarrow \vec{v}_1 \text{ as } t \rightarrow -\infty.$$

Q4. See materials for Test 2.

Q5. The  $2\pi$ -periodic Fourier series

$$a_0 + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} (a_m \cos mx + b_m \sin mx)$$

$$\text{has } a_0 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx, \quad a_m = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos mx dx$$

$$b_m = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin(mx) dx. \quad (m > 0)$$

Now  $f(x)$  is even so the sine integrals vanish; also,  $a_0 = 0$  can be seen from cancellation of the areas above/below the  $x$ -axis. So we need

$$a_m = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos mx dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right) \cos(mx) dx$$

(We used  $f(x) = f(-x)$  again)

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - x \right) \frac{\sin(mx)}{m} \Big|_0^\pi + \frac{2}{\pi m} \int_0^\pi \sin(mx) dx =$$

$$= 0 - \frac{2}{\pi m^2} \cos(mx) \Big|_0^\pi = -\frac{2}{\pi m^2} ( (-1)^m - 1 )$$

and that is 0 for even  $m$  and  $\frac{4}{\pi m^2}$  for odd  $m$ , as wanted.

(b) We should look for a  $2\pi$ -periodic in  $x$  Fourier series

$$u(x,t) = u_0(t) + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} (u_m(t) \cos mx + v_m(t) \sin mx)$$

(Actually we will be able to find a solution with cosines only, because  $f(x)$  is even.)

Substituting in the wave equation after expanding  $f(x)$

$$u_0''(t) + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} (u_m''(t) \cos mx + v_m''(t) \sin mx) =$$

$$- \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} m^2 (u_m(t) \cos mx + v_m(t) \sin mx)$$

$$+ \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_{m \text{ odd}} \frac{t^2}{m^2} \cos mx$$

Matching  $\sin(mx)$ ,  $\cos(mx)$  terms on the two sides gives the independent ODEs

$$u_0''(t) = 0, \quad u_m''(t) = -m^2 u_m(t) \quad \text{for } m \text{ even,}$$
$$u_m''(t) = -m^2 u_m(t) + \frac{4}{\pi m^2} t^2 \quad \text{for } m \text{ odd,}$$

$$v_m''(t) = -m^2 v_m(t).$$

Clearly we can choose  $u_m(t) \equiv 0$  for  $m$  even,  $v_m = 0$  while the inhomogeneous equations are solved by

$$u_m(t) = \frac{4}{\pi m^4} t^2 - \frac{8}{\pi m^6} \quad (\text{undetermined coeffs})$$

giving a particular solution

$$u(x,t) = \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_{\substack{m \text{ odd} \\ m \geq 1}} \left( \frac{t^2}{m^4} - \frac{2}{m^6} \right) \cos(mx).$$

The general solution would be the sum of the above and any solution of the homogeneous wave equation ( $2\pi$ -periodic in  $x$ ). //

