

Linear Algebra, EE 10810/EECS 205004

Note 6.5

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- Next Quiz on Jan. 6th, Wednesday.
- Final-Exam, 10:10-13:10 on Jan. 13th, Wednesday.

• Assignment:

1. Let \hat{T} and \hat{U} be self-adjoint linear operators on an n -dimensional inner product space \mathcal{V} , and let $\overline{\overline{A}} = [\hat{T}]_{\beta}$, where β is an orthonormal basis for \mathcal{V} . Prove the following results.

- \hat{T} is positive definite (semi-definite) if and only if all of its eigenvalues are positive (non-negative).
- \hat{T} is positive definite if and only if

$$\sum_{i,j} A_{i,j} a_j \bar{a}_i > 0 \quad \text{for all nonzero } n\text{-tuples } (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n) \quad (1)$$

- \hat{T} is positive semidefinite if and only if $\overline{\overline{A}} = \overline{\overline{B}}^* \overline{\overline{B}}$ for some square matrix $\overline{\overline{B}}$.
- If \hat{T} and \hat{U} are positive definite operators such that $\hat{T}^2 = \hat{U}^2$, then $\hat{T} = \hat{U}$.

2. For the following matrix $\overline{\overline{A}}$, find an orthogonal or unitary matrix $\overline{\overline{P}}$ and a diagonal matrix $\overline{\overline{D}}$ such that $\overline{\overline{P}}^* \overline{\overline{A}} \overline{\overline{P}} = \overline{\overline{D}}$:

(a)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad (2)$$

(b)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3-3i \\ 3+3i & 5 \end{pmatrix} \quad (3)$$

3. Which of the following pairs of matrices are unitarily equivalent?

(a)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad (4)$$

(b)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & i & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -i \end{pmatrix} \quad (5)$$

From Scratch !!

Section 6.3: Adjoint of linear operator

- Theorem 6.9: There exists a unique adjoint function \hat{T}^* .
- Theorem 6.10: Let β be an orthonormal basis, $[\hat{T}^*]_\beta = [\hat{T}]_\beta^*$

App: Least squares approximation

- Theorem 6.12: There exists $\bar{x}_0 \in F^n$ such that $(\overline{\bar{A}} \overline{\bar{A}}) \bar{x}_0 = \overline{\bar{A}}^* \bar{y}$ and $\|\overline{\bar{A}} \bar{x}_0 - \bar{y}\| \leq \|\overline{\bar{A}} \bar{x}_0 - \bar{y}\|$.

App: Minimal solution to systems of linear equations:

- Theorem 6.13: There exists exactly one minimal solution \bar{s} of $\overline{\bar{A}} \bar{x} = \bar{b}$, and $\bar{s} \in R(\hat{L}_{A^*})$, i.e., $\overline{\bar{A}}(\overline{\bar{A}}^* \bar{u}) = \bar{b}$ and $\bar{s} = \overline{\bar{A}}^* \bar{u}$.

Section 6.4: Normal and Self-adjoint operators

- Theorem 6.14 (Schur): There exists an orthonormal basis β for \mathcal{V} , such that the matrix $[\hat{T}]_\beta$ is upper triangular.

- Definition: normal $\hat{T}\hat{T}^* = \hat{T}^*\hat{T}$ or $\overline{\bar{A}\bar{A}} = \overline{\bar{A}}^*\overline{\bar{A}}$.

- Theorem 6.15: Let \hat{T} be a normal operator on \mathcal{V} ,

1. $\|\hat{T}(\bar{x})\| = \|\hat{T}^*(\bar{x})\|$
2. $\hat{T} - c\hat{I}$ is normal for every $c \in F$
3. If $\hat{T}(\bar{x}) = \lambda\bar{x}$, then $\hat{T}^*(\bar{x}) = \bar{\lambda}\bar{x}$
4. If λ_1 and λ_2 are distinct eigenvalues of \hat{T} with corresponding eigenvectors \bar{x}_1 and \bar{x}_2 , then \bar{x}_1 and \bar{x}_2 are orthogonal.

- Theorem 6.16: \hat{T} is normal iff there exists an orthonormal basis for \mathcal{V} consisting of eigenvectors of \hat{T} .

- Definition: self-adjoint (Hermitian) if $\hat{T} = \hat{T}^*$ or $\overline{\bar{A}} = \overline{\bar{A}}^*$

- Lemma

1. Every eigenvalue of a self-adjoint operator \hat{T} is real.
2. Suppose that \mathcal{V} is a real inner product space, then the characteristic polynomial of \hat{T} splits.

- Theorem 6.17: \hat{T} is self-adjoint iff there exists an orthonormal basis β for \mathcal{V} consisting of eigenvectors of \hat{T} .

- Definition: positive definite if \hat{T} is self-adjoint and $\langle \hat{T}(\bar{x}), \bar{x} \rangle > 0$ for all $\bar{x} \neq 0$

Section 6.5: Unitary and Orthogonal operators

- Definition: unitary operator if $\|\hat{T}(\bar{x})\| = \|\bar{x}\|$ for all $\bar{x} \in \mathcal{V}$ over $F = \mathcal{C}$.

- Definition: unitary operator if $\|\hat{T}(\bar{x})\| = \|\bar{x}\|$ for all $\bar{x} \in \mathcal{V}$ over $F = \mathcal{R}$.

- Theorem 6.18: Let \hat{T} be a unitary operator on \mathcal{V} ,

1. $\hat{T}\hat{T}^* = \hat{T}^*\hat{T} = \hat{I}$.
2. $\langle \hat{T}(\bar{x}), \hat{T}(\bar{y}) \rangle = \langle \bar{x}, \bar{y} \rangle$, for all $\bar{x}, \bar{y} \in \mathcal{V}$.
3. If β is an orthonormal basis for \mathcal{V} , then $\hat{T}(\beta)$ is an orthonormal basis for \mathcal{V} .
4. There exists an orthonormal basis β for \mathcal{V} such that $\hat{T}(\beta)$ is an orthonormal basis for \mathcal{V} .

- Rotation matrix:

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix} \quad (6)$$

- Definition: orthogonal matrix if $\overline{\bar{A}}^t \overline{\bar{A}} = \overline{\bar{A}\bar{A}}^t = \overline{\bar{I}}$.

- Definition: unitary matrix if $\overline{\bar{A}}^* \overline{\bar{A}} = \overline{\bar{A}\bar{A}}^* = \overline{\bar{I}}$.

- Definition: $\overline{\bar{A}}$ and $\overline{\bar{B}}$ are unitarily equivalent (orthogonally equivalent) iff there exists a unitary (orthogonal) matrix $\overline{\bar{P}}$ such that $\overline{\bar{A}} = \overline{\bar{P}}^* \overline{\bar{B}} \overline{\bar{P}}$.

- Theorem 6.19: $\overline{\bar{A}}$ is normal iff $\overline{\bar{A}}$ is unitarily equivalent to a diagonal matrix.

- Theorem 6.20: $\overline{\bar{A}}$ is symmetry iff $\overline{\bar{A}}$ is orthogonally equivalent to a diagonal matrix.

- Theorem 6.21 (Schur): Let $\overline{\bar{A}} \in \overline{\bar{M}}_{n \times n}(F)$

1. If $F = \mathcal{C}$, then $\overline{\bar{A}}$ is unitarily equivalent to a complex upper triangular matrix.
2. If $F = \mathcal{R}$, then $\overline{\bar{A}}$ is orthogonally equivalent to a real upper triangular matrix.

App: Rigid Motions