

Chapter 5.3

9. $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

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

Solve the eigenvalue eigenvector problem $Ax = \lambda x$ when

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

Strategy for solving $Ax = \lambda x$.

① Solve for λ such that $\det(A - \lambda I) = 0$

② For each such λ find $x \in \text{Nul}(A - \lambda I)$ such that $x \neq 0$.

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \det \begin{bmatrix} 3 - \lambda & -1 \\ 1 & 5 - \lambda \end{bmatrix} = (3 - \lambda)(5 - \lambda) + 1$$

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

Now solve for x in $\text{Nul}(A - \lambda I)$

$\lambda = 4$ with mult 2.
Note usually there are two eigenvalues...

$\lambda = 4$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3-4 & -1 \\ 1 & 5-4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-x_1 - x_2 = 0$$

$$x_1 = -x_2$$

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -x_2 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} x_2$$

free vbl. \downarrow
eigenvector \uparrow

Thus $\lambda=4$ is an eigenvalue for eigenvector $x = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

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

$\chi(\lambda) = \det(A - \lambda I) = \det \begin{bmatrix} 2-\lambda & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 3-\lambda & -1 \\ -1 & -2 & 2-\lambda \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{array}{r} 12 \\ +2 \\ +2 \\ \hline 16 \\ -3 \\ \hline 13 \\ -8 \\ \hline 5 \end{array}$$

$= (2-\lambda)(3-\lambda)(2-\lambda) + 2 + 2 - (3-\lambda) - 2(2-\lambda) - 2(2-\lambda)$

$= -\lambda^3 + 7\lambda^2 + (6+6+4)(-\lambda) + 12 + 2 + 2 - (3-\lambda) - 2(2-\lambda) - 2(2-\lambda)$

$= -\lambda^3 + 7\lambda^2 - 11\lambda + 5 = -(\lambda-1)(\lambda^2 - 6\lambda + 5) = -(\lambda-1)(\lambda-5)(\lambda-1)$

$\chi(1) = -1 + 7 - 11 + 5 = 0$

Therefore the eigenvalues are 1 with mult 2 and 5 with mult 1.

Two factors for $\lambda=1$

$$\begin{array}{r} \lambda^2 - 6\lambda + 5 \\ \lambda-1 \overline{) \lambda^3 - 7\lambda^2 + 11\lambda - 5} \\ \underline{-(\lambda^3 - \lambda^2)} \\ -6\lambda^2 + 11\lambda - 5 \\ \underline{-6\lambda^2 + 6\lambda} \\ 5\lambda - 5 \\ \underline{5\lambda - 5} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -16 \\ +1 \\ +2 \\ \hline 2 \\ -11 \end{array}$$

Now find the eigenvectors... Null(A - λI)

$$\text{Nul}(A - \lambda I)$$

$\lambda = 1$

$$A - \lambda I = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 3 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} P & F & F \\ \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & -2 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{array} = \begin{array}{l} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{array} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} r_2 \leftarrow r_2 - r_1 \\ r_3 \leftarrow r_3 + r_1 \end{array}$$

become zero...

$$x_1 + 2x_2 - x_3 = 0$$

$$x_1 = -2x_2 + x_3$$

Solution:

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2x_2 + x_3 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} x_2 + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} x_3$$

Free vbls
Free vbl.
Basis for $\text{Nul}(A - \lambda I)$

$$\text{Nul}(A - \lambda I) = \text{Col} \left(\begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

Therefore $\lambda = 1$ is an eigenvalue with two linearly independent eigenvectors

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and also} \quad x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Note these eigenvectors are not unique.

$$c_1 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{where not } c_1 = c_2 = 0$$

this is also an eigenvector with $\lambda = 1$.

Check this $Ax = \lambda x$

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 3 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}}_A \left(c_1 \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}}_x + c_2 \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}}_x \right) = \lambda \left(c_1 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

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

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

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

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

$$\lambda = 5$$

$$A - \lambda I = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 3 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} - 5 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -2 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find Nul $A - \lambda I$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -3 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -2 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$r_1 \leftrightarrow r_2$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -1 \\ -3 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$r_2 \leftarrow r_2 + 3r_1$$

$$r_3 \leftarrow r_3 + r_1$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} P & P & K \\ \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & -2 & -1 \\ 0 & -4 & -4 \\ 0 & -4 & -4 \end{array} \right] \end{array}$$

$$r_3 \leftarrow r_3 - r_2$$

$$r_2 \leftarrow \frac{1}{-4} r_2$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & -2 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$r_1 \leftarrow r_1 + 2r_2$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_1 + x_3 = 0$$

$$x_1 = -x_3$$

$$x_2 + x_3 = 0$$

$$x_2 = -x_3$$

$$\text{Solution } x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -x_3 \\ -x_3 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} x_3$$

↖ eigenvector for $\lambda = 5$