

INTERMEDIATE TEST

MATHEMATICS for ECONOMIC APPLICATIONS 04/12/2017

I M 1) Using trigonometric form: $1 + i = \sqrt{2} \left(\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + i \operatorname{sen}\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) \right) = \sqrt{2} e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}}$ and $1 + \sqrt{3}i = 2 \left(\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) + i \operatorname{sen}\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) \right) = 2 e^{i\frac{\pi}{3}}$; thus $\frac{1+i}{1+\sqrt{3}i} = \frac{\sqrt{2} e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}}}{2 e^{i\frac{\pi}{3}}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} e^{-i\frac{\pi}{12}}$ and $\left(\frac{1+i}{1+\sqrt{3}i} \right)^4 = \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} e^{-i\frac{\pi}{12}} \right)^4 = \frac{1}{4} e^{-i\frac{\pi}{3}} = \frac{1}{4} \left(\cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right) + i \operatorname{sen}\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right) \right) = \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i \right) = \frac{1}{8} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{8}i$.

I M 2) The characteristic polynomial of \mathbb{A} is $p_{\mathbb{A}}(\lambda) = \begin{vmatrix} 2-\lambda & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & k-\lambda & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (k-\lambda) \begin{vmatrix} 2-\lambda & 1 \\ 1 & 2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (k-\lambda)((2-\lambda)^2 - 1) = (k-\lambda)(\lambda^2 - 4\lambda + 3) = (k-\lambda)(\lambda-3)(\lambda-1)$; the matrix \mathbb{A} has multiple eigenvalue if $k = 1$ or $k = 3$. For $k = 1$ the multiple eigenvalue is $\lambda = 1$ with algebraic multiplicity equal to 2.

The matrix $\|\mathbb{A} - 1 \cdot \mathbb{I}\| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$ has rank equal to 1, so the geometric multiplicity of $\lambda = 1$ is equal to 2 and so for $k = 1$ the matrix is diagonalizable.

For $k = 3$ the multiple eigenvalue is $\lambda = 3$ has algebraic multiplicity equal to 2 but the matrix $\|\mathbb{A} - 3 \cdot \mathbb{I}\| = \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$ has rank equal to 2, so its geometric multiplicity is equal to 1 and so for $k = 3$ the matrix is not diagonalizable.

I M 3) The dimension of the Image of a linear map is equal to the rank of the matrix associated to the map; the matrix \mathbb{A} , using the elementary operations:

$\mathbb{R}_1 \leftrightarrow \mathbb{R}_4, \mathbb{R}_2 \leftrightarrow \mathbb{R}_3, \mathbb{R}_4 \leftarrow \mathbb{R}_4 - m \cdot \mathbb{R}_1$, can be reduced to $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & k \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 - mk \end{vmatrix}$

and easily we see that: $\operatorname{Rank}(\mathbb{A}) = \begin{cases} 3 & \text{if } km = 1 \\ 4 & \text{if } km \neq 1 \end{cases}$.

So if $km = 1$ $\operatorname{Dim}(\operatorname{Imm}(f)) = 3$ and $\operatorname{Dim}(\operatorname{Ker}(f)) = 1$ while $\operatorname{Dim}(\operatorname{Imm}(f)) = 4$ and $\operatorname{Dim}(\operatorname{Ker}(f)) = 0$ if $km \neq 1$.

I M 4) An element \mathbb{X} belongs to the Kernel of the linear map if $f(\mathbb{X}) = \mathbb{A}^T \cdot \mathbb{X} = \mathbb{O}$ or

$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{vmatrix} \cdot \begin{vmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{vmatrix}$ that in system form is:

$$\begin{cases} x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 = 0 \\ 2x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 0 \\ 3x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 = 0 \\ x_1 - x_3 = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x_2 + 3x_3 = 0 \\ x_2 + 3x_3 = 0 \\ 2x_2 + 6x_3 = 0 \\ x_1 = x_3 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x_2 = -3x_3 \\ x_1 = x_3 \end{cases}.$$

Every element of the Kernel is $\begin{vmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} x_3 \\ -3x_3 \\ x_3 \end{vmatrix} = x_3 \cdot \begin{vmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ 1 \end{vmatrix}$ and so a basis for the Kernel is $\mathcal{B}_{\text{Ker}f} = \{(1, -3, 1)\}$.

I M 5) Given the matrix $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$ we must verify that it has two eigenvalues

equal to those of the matrix $\mathbb{A}^2 = \mathbb{A} \cdot \mathbb{A}$.

$$\mathbb{A}^2 = \mathbb{A} \cdot \mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \cdot \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 2 \end{vmatrix}.$$

The characteristic polynomial of \mathbb{A} is:

$$p_{\mathbb{A}}(\lambda) = |\mathbb{A} - \lambda\mathbb{I}| = \begin{vmatrix} 1-\lambda & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1-\lambda & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (1-\lambda) \begin{vmatrix} 1-\lambda & 1 \\ 1 & 1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} =$$

$$= (1-\lambda)((1-\lambda)^2 - 1) = (1-\lambda)(\lambda^2 - 2\lambda) = \lambda(1-\lambda)(\lambda-2) = 0$$

and so the three eigenvalues of \mathbb{A} are $\lambda_1 = 0$, $\lambda_2 = 1$, $\lambda_3 = 2$.

The characteristic polynomial of \mathbb{A}^2 is:

$$p_{\mathbb{A}^2}(\lambda) = |\mathbb{A}^2 - \lambda\mathbb{I}| = \begin{vmatrix} 2-\lambda & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1-\lambda & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (1-\lambda) \begin{vmatrix} 2-\lambda & 2 \\ 2 & 2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} =$$

$$= (1-\lambda)((2-\lambda)^2 - 4) = (1-\lambda)(\lambda^2 - 4\lambda) = \lambda(1-\lambda)(\lambda-4) = 0$$

and so the three eigenvalues of \mathbb{A}^2 are $\lambda_1 = 0$, $\lambda_2 = 1$, $\lambda_3 = 4$.

The Matrices \mathbb{A} and \mathbb{A}^2 have two common eigenvalues: $\lambda = 0$ and $\lambda = 1$.