

Lecture 20

$$B = \{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$$

$$T: V \rightarrow W$$

B, D ordered bases for V, W respectively

$$M_{DB}(T) = (c_D(T(e_1)) \quad c_D(T(e_2)) \quad \dots \quad c_D(T(e_n)))$$

$$T(v) = c_D^{-1} \left(M_{DB} c_B(v) \right)$$

If $T = \text{Id}: V \rightarrow V$, get change-of-basis matrix:

$$M_{DB}(\text{Id}) = P_{D \leftarrow B} = (c_D(e_1) \quad \dots \quad c_D(e_n))$$

$$M_B(T) = M_{B0}(T)$$

$$M_B(T) = P_{D \leftarrow B}^{-1} M_{DB}(T) P_{D \leftarrow B}$$

Theorem 1) Let $T: V \rightarrow V$ be a linear transformation, B, D ordered bases of V . Then the matrices $M_B(T), M_D(T)$ are similar.

2) Let A, A' be similar matrices, with $A' = P^{-1}AP$. Then there is a linear transformation $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ and a basis B of \mathbb{R}^n st. $A = M_E(T)$ and $A' = M_B(T)$. In fact, $T = T_A$ ($T_A(x) = Ax$) and B is the set of columns of P .

(E is the standard basis).

Defn. Let $T: V \rightarrow V$ be a lin. trans,
 M_B any matrix representing T .

1) $\det(T) = \det(M_B)$

2) characteristic poly nomial of T
is the char. poly of M_B ; i.e.
 $\det(tI - M_B)$.

Recall: A matrix, solve $AX = \lambda X$

$$AX - \lambda IX = 0$$

$$(A - \lambda I)X = 0$$

non-trivial solns iff $\underbrace{\det(A - \lambda I)}_{\text{polynomial in } \lambda} = 0$

char poly is $\det(A - \lambda I)$

Check well-defined: let \mathcal{D} be another basis, $M_{\mathcal{D}}$ another matrix representing T .

Then $M_{\mathcal{D}} = P^{-1} M_{\mathcal{B}} P$, ($P = \begin{matrix} \mathcal{P} \\ \mathcal{B} \leftarrow \mathcal{D} \end{matrix}$).

$$\begin{aligned} \det(tI - M_{\mathcal{D}}) &= \det(tI - P^{-1} M_{\mathcal{B}} P) \\ &= \det(tP^{-1} I P - P^{-1} M_{\mathcal{B}} P) \\ &= \det(P^{-1} (tI - M_{\mathcal{B}}) P) \\ &= \det(P^{-1}) \det(tI - M_{\mathcal{B}}) \det(P) \\ &= \det(tI - M_{\mathcal{B}}). \end{aligned}$$

Ex $T: \mathbb{P}_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{P}_2$

$$\begin{array}{ll} T(1) = x^2 - 1 & e_1 = 1 \\ T(x) = 3x & e_2 = x \\ T(x^2) = x^2 + 2 & e_3 = x^2 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} M_{\mathcal{E}}(T) &= (c_{\mathcal{E}} T(e_1) \quad c_{\mathcal{E}} T(e_2) \quad c_{\mathcal{E}} T(e_3)) \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

~~\mathcal{B}~~ $\mathcal{D} = \{f_1, f_2, f_3\}$, $f_1 = 1, f_2 = x^2, f_3 = x$

$$\begin{aligned}
 M_D(T) &= (c_D T(f_1) \quad c_D T(f_2) \quad c_D T(f_3)) \\
 &= (c_D(x^2-1) \quad c_D(x^2+2) \quad c_D(3x)) \\
 &= \left(\begin{array}{cc|c} -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 3 \end{array} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

Let $U_1 =$ subspace of even polys in \mathbb{P}_2

$U_2 =$. . . odd . . .

basis for U_1 is $\{1, x^2\}$, basis for U_2 is $\{x\}$.

$D = \{$ basis for U_1 , basis for $U_2\}$.

Definition Let $T: V \rightarrow V$ be a linear operator, U a subspace of V . Write $T(U) = \{ T(u) : u \in U \}$. If $T(U) \subseteq U$ then U is said to be T -invariant.

In this case, the restriction of T to U is a linear operator on U .

Ex. In above. $T: U_1 \rightarrow U_1$,
 $T: U_2 \rightarrow U_2$.

U_1, U_2 are both T -invariant.