

1. Show that (a) if \mathbf{A} is invertible, so is \mathbf{A}^H
(b) if \mathbf{A} is unitary, so is \mathbf{A}^H
2. If $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{A}^H$, then for every $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{C}^M$, $\mathbf{x}^H \mathbf{A} \mathbf{x}$ is real. Prove. (\mathbf{A} is a $M \times M$ matrix.)
3. If $\mathbf{A}^H = -\mathbf{A}$, (a) show that $j\mathbf{A}$ is Hermitian ($j = \sqrt{-1}$)
(b) show that \mathbf{A} is unitary, diagonalizable and has pure imaginary eigenvalues.
4. Find k , l , and m to make the matrix \mathbf{A} shown below, a Hermitian matrix

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & k & -j \\ 3 - j5 & 0 & m \\ l & 2 + j4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

5. In the below, find the unitary matrix \mathbf{Q} that diagonalizes \mathbf{A} , i.e., $\mathbf{Q}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{Q} = \mathbf{\Lambda}$.

a)

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 - j \\ 1 + j & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

b)

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 - j \\ 1 + j & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

c)

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 + j \\ 0 & -1 - j & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

d)

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & j/\sqrt{2} & -j/\sqrt{2} \\ -j/\sqrt{2} & 2 & 0 \\ j/\sqrt{2} & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

6. If \mathbf{A} has $\lambda_1 = 0$, and $\lambda_2 = 5$ corresponding to

$$\mathbf{q}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{q}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find a) trace(\mathbf{A}), b) det(\mathbf{A}), c) can you specify \mathbf{A} ?

7. Find a real matrix \mathbf{A} with $\mathbf{A} + \alpha\mathbf{I}$ invertible for all real α .

8. Find (i) \mathbf{A}^{90} , (ii) $e^{\mathbf{A}}$, if

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

9. Find a 3 x 3 matrix whose rows add up to 1 and show that $\lambda = 1$ is an eigenvalue of this matrix. What is the corresponding \mathbf{q} ?

10. Verify if the matrices are unitary; if so, specify their inverses.

a)

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} -j/\sqrt{2} & j/\sqrt{6} & j/\sqrt{3} \\ 0 & -j/\sqrt{6} & j/\sqrt{3} \\ j/\sqrt{2} & j/\sqrt{6} & j/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

b)

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 3/5 & j4/5 \\ -4/5 & j3/5 \end{bmatrix}$$

c)

$$\mathbf{A} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} j + \sqrt{3} & 1 - j\sqrt{3} \\ 1 + j\sqrt{3} & j - \sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

d)

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1+j}{2} & \frac{-1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{j}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{-j}{\sqrt{3}} \\ \frac{3+j}{2\sqrt{15}} & \frac{4+3j}{2\sqrt{15}} & \frac{5j}{2\sqrt{15}} \end{bmatrix}$$

11. Consider a recursion where $\mathbf{x}(0) = [2 \ 0 \ 2]^T$ and $\mathbf{x}(k+1) = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}(k)$

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 & 1/2 & 1/2 \\ 1/4 & 1/2 & 0 \\ 1/4 & 0 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find the (i) eigenvalues and the eigenvectors of the matrix \mathbf{A} , (ii) the value of $\mathbf{x}(k+1)$, (iii) the limiting value $\mathbf{x}(\infty)$.

12. A WSS process has $\mathbf{R}_{xx}(0) = 1$, and $\mathbf{R}_{xx}(\pm 1) = 0.8$.

- Choose $\mathbf{R}_{xx}(\pm 2) \geq 0$, such that the process is deterministic like.
- For your choice of $\mathbf{R}_{xx}(\pm 2)$, obtain an expression for $\mathbf{R}_{xx}(k)$ for all k .

13. State whether the following statements are True. If False, provide the correct statement.

- an AR process is always asymptotically WSS.
- an estimator which is ergodic in the mean square error sense need not necessarily be ergodic in the mean.
- generally speaking, more the more the (extent of) correlation, large will be the eigenvalue spread of the random process.
- an unitary matrix is diagonalizable only if it has distinct eigenvalues.

14. Consider a r.p. $u(n) = 3e^{j4\pi n} + v(n)$, where $v(n)$ is a Gaussian white noise process with variance $\sigma^2 = 4$.

- find the 2 x 2 autocorrelation matrix \mathbf{R} .
- what is the eigenvalue spread of \mathbf{R} ?
- find the expression for \mathbf{R}^6 .

15. We are given random samples $\{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N\}$ where each x_i is i.i.d. with $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$. Consider the following estimator for μ ,

$$\hat{\mu}(N) = \frac{1}{N+a} \sum_{i=1}^N x_i$$

where $a \geq 0$.

- For what value(s) of a is the above unbiased estimator of μ ? (for small sample case)
- For what value(s) of a is the above an asymptotically unbiased estimator of μ ?
- Prove that the above is a consistent estimator of μ , for all $a \geq 0$.

16. Suppose that N independent observations $\{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N\}$ are made of a r.v. X that is Gaussian; i.e.,

$$p(x_i | \mu, \sigma^2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} \exp[-(x_i - \mu)^2 / 2\sigma^2]$$

Assuming only μ is unknown, derive the Cramer-Rao lower bound (CRLB) of $E[(\mu - \hat{\mu})^2]$ for an unbiased estimator of μ .

17. For the observations in Pbm.16, now assume that only variance σ^2 is unknown, and derive the CRLB of $E[(\sigma^2 - \hat{\sigma}^2)^2]$ for an unbiased estimator of σ^2 .

18. Consider a real 7x1 random vector $\mathbf{u}(n)$ having an auto-correlation \mathbf{R} with $\lambda_1 > \lambda_2 > \dots > \lambda_7$ and corresponding eigen-vectors \mathbf{q}_i , $i=1,2,\dots,7$. A low-rank model of $\mathbf{u}(n)$, given by $\mathbf{c}(n)$, is constructed using only the eigen-vectors corresponding to the 3 largest eigen-values of \mathbf{R} , and this $\mathbf{c}(n)$ is transmitted through an AWGN channel.

- Describe in matrix-vector notation the operation at the transmitter to obtain $\mathbf{c}(n)$.
- The received vector $\mathbf{r}(n) = \mathbf{c}(n) + \mathbf{w}(n)$, where $\mathbf{w}(n)$ is AWGN with variance σ_w^2 . What is the matrix operation required at the receiver to obtain MMSE estimate $\hat{\mathbf{u}}(n)$ of $\mathbf{u}(n)$?
- If $\lambda_i = 0.9^i$, $i=1,2,\dots,7$, find the limiting value of σ_w^2 at which the above low-rank model gives the same MSE as the direct transmission of the entire $\mathbf{u}(n)$.