

→ Eigenvalues & Eigenvectors

$$A \vec{x} = \lambda \vec{x}$$

↑ scalar

A → square matrix
 $n \times n$

For nonzero vectors \vec{x} ,

$$\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$$

If the equation $A\vec{x} = \lambda\vec{x}$ has solution for nontrivial \vec{x} , we call λ as an "eigenvalue" of the square matrix A.

For a specific eigenvalue λ of A, solutions to $A\vec{x} = \lambda\vec{x}$ are called the "eigenvectors" corresponding to this λ .
 ↘ solution space $\subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$
 ↙ basis vectors of the eigenspace
 (eigenspace) → basis

$$A \vec{x} = \lambda \vec{x}$$

↑ scalar

$$\begin{bmatrix} A \end{bmatrix}_{n \times n} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}_{n \times 1} = \lambda \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}_{n \times 1}$$

$$A\vec{x} - \lambda\vec{x} = \vec{0}$$

$$(A - \lambda I)\vec{x} = \vec{0}$$

matrix scalar looking for possible solutions → eigenspace.

$n \times n$ identity matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ & \ddots \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}_{n \times n}$

$$\left(\begin{bmatrix} A \end{bmatrix}_{n \times n} - \lambda \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & 1 \end{bmatrix}_{n \times n} \right) \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Square

→ a "homogeneous" system of linear equations

$$(A - \lambda I)\vec{x} = \vec{0}$$

→ we don't want only the trivial solution for \vec{x}

→ we want infinitely many solutions

det ≠ 0 \mathbb{R}^n I_n $x_1=0, x_2=0, \dots, x_n=0$ → trivial \vec{x}
 we want det = 0 !

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

In order to have nontrivial solutions this equality should be satisfied.

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \dots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \lambda & & & 0 \\ & \lambda & & 0 \\ & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & \lambda \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} - \lambda & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} - \lambda & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \dots & a_{nn} - \lambda \end{vmatrix} \Rightarrow \det(A - \lambda I) = p(\lambda) = 0$$

$p(\lambda) = 0$

"the characteristic polynomial" of A.

$p(\lambda) = 0$ polynomial of A.
 ↳ the roots of this polynomial \Rightarrow eigenvalues of A.

ex/ $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 3 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$

Find the eigenvalues, eigenvectors, eigenspace, characteristic polynomial for A.

$\det(A - \lambda I) = 0$ \rightarrow $(A - \lambda I)\vec{x} = \vec{0}$

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

$\begin{vmatrix} 3-\lambda & 3 \\ 2 & -2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (3-\lambda)(-2-\lambda) - 6 = 0$
 $\lambda^2 + 2\lambda - 3\lambda - 6 - 6 = 0$

The characteristic polynomial for A. $\rightarrow \lambda^2 - \lambda - 12 = 0 \rightarrow (\lambda - 4)(\lambda + 3) = 0$
 $\lambda_1 = 4$ $\lambda_2 = -3$
the eigenvalues of A.

For $\lambda_1 = 4$: $(A - \lambda I)\vec{x} = \vec{0}$
 Find the solutions for this system where $\lambda = 4$

$A - 4I = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 3 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$ $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 3 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

Solve this system!

$\xrightarrow{-R_1 \rightarrow R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & | & 0 \\ 3 & -6 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-3R_1 + R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $x_2 = r \in \mathbb{R}$ free
 $x_1 = 2r$

solution set = $\{ (2r, r) : r \in \mathbb{R} \} \rightarrow$ a subspace of \mathbb{R}^2
 \rightarrow eigenspace for $\lambda = 4$
 $\begin{bmatrix} 2r \\ r \end{bmatrix} = r \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$
 \rightarrow eigenvector for $\lambda = 4$

\rightarrow For $\lambda = -3$: $(A - \lambda I)\vec{x} = \vec{0}$ for $\lambda = -3$

$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ $\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 2 & | & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1/3 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $x_2 = r \in \mathbb{R}$
 $x_1 = -1/3r$ $\{ (-1/3r, r) : r \in \mathbb{R} \}$
 eigen space

A basis for this space $\rightarrow \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1/3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

$$[3 \ 1 \ | \ 0] \quad [0 \ 0 \ | \ 0] \quad \dots \quad \text{eigenvalue}$$

A basis for this space $\rightarrow \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1/3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ \rightarrow eigenvector for $\lambda = -3$

Ex

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & -2 \\ 2 & 0 & -2 \\ 2 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 3}$$

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

$$(3-\lambda) \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & -2 \\ -1 & -1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ 2 & -1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} - 2 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -\lambda \\ 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$(3-\lambda) (\lambda^2 + \lambda - 2) + 2(-1-\lambda) + 4 - 2(-2 + 2\lambda) = 0$$

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

$$(1-\lambda) [(\lambda+2)(\lambda-3) + 2 + 4] = 0 \quad \lambda^2 + 2\lambda - 3\lambda - 6 + 6 = \lambda^2 - \lambda$$

$$(1-\lambda) [\lambda(\lambda-1)] = 0 \quad \boxed{\lambda_1 = 1} \quad \boxed{\lambda_2 = 0} \rightarrow 2 \text{ eigenvalues.}$$

For $\lambda_1 = 1$:

$$(A - \lambda I)\vec{x} = 0 \quad \lambda = 1$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & -2 \\ 2 & 0 & -2 \\ 2 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 3} \quad \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 3-1 & -1 & -2 & 0 \\ 2 & 0-1 & -2 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & -1-1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & -1 & -2 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & -2 & 0 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & -1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{matrix} x_2 = r \in \mathbb{R} \\ x_3 = s \in \mathbb{R} \\ x_1 = (r + 2s)/2 \end{matrix}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & -1 & -2 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & -2 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & -2 & 0 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & -1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{array}{l} r_2 = - \\ x_3 = s \in \mathbb{R} \\ x_1 = (r+2s)/2 \end{array}$$

eigenspace $\rightarrow \left\{ \left(\frac{r+2s}{2}, r, s \right) : r, s \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3$

$$\begin{bmatrix} (r+2s)/2 \\ r \\ s \end{bmatrix} = r \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + s \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{A basis} = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

eigenvector
corresponding to $\lambda=1$

For $\lambda=0$:

$$(A - \lambda I)\vec{x} = 0 \quad \text{where } \lambda=0.$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & -2 \\ 2 & 0 & -2 \\ 2 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 3}$$

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

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 3 & -1 & -2 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1/3 & -2/3 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\substack{-2r_1+r_2 \rightarrow r_2 \\ -2r_1+r_3 \rightarrow r_3}} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1/3 & -2/3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2/3 & -2/3 & 0 \\ 0 & -1/3 & 1/3 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\frac{2}{3} - 1 \quad \frac{4}{3} - 1$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1/3 & -2/3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{array}{l} x_3 = r \in \mathbb{R} \\ \Rightarrow x_2 = r \end{array}$$

$$x_1 - r/3 - 2r/3 = 0 \Rightarrow x_1 = r$$

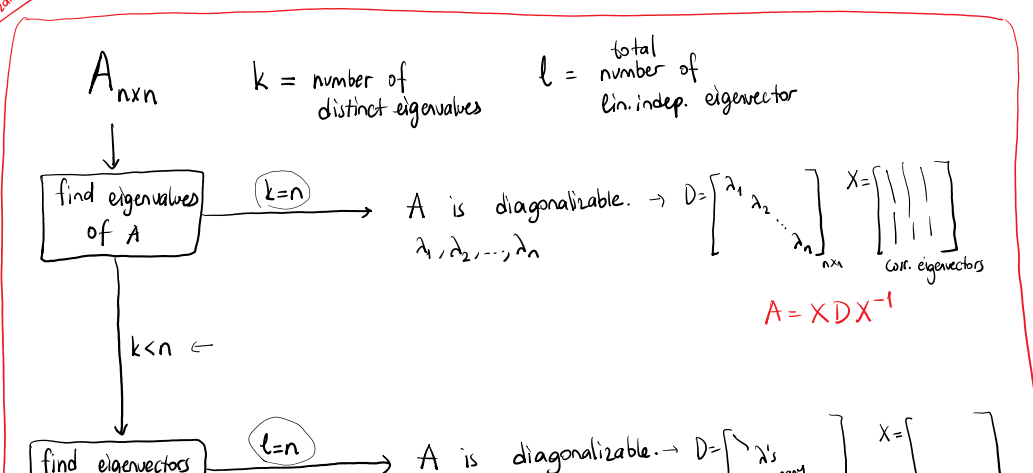
$$\left\{ (r, r, r) : r \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3$$

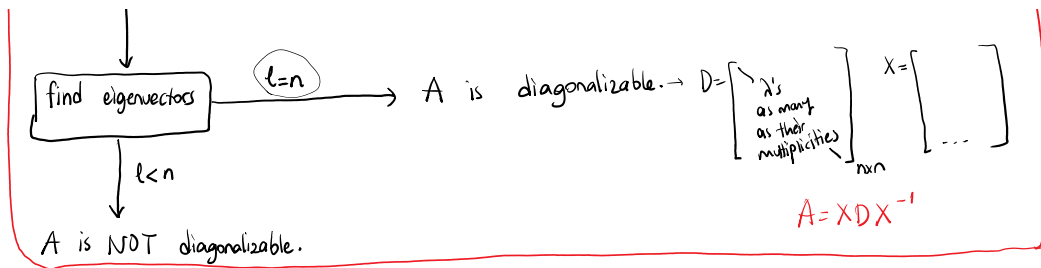
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

A basis for this space = $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

the eigenvector corresponding to $\lambda=0$.

Diagonalization





- $A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -4 \\ 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$
- How many distinct eigenvalues are there? 2 Set of λ 's: $\{ \square \}$
 - Is A diagonalizable? Yes
 - Find a diagonal matrix D for this diagonalization: $D = \begin{bmatrix} \square & \\ & \square \end{bmatrix}$
 - Find a correspondingly invertible matrix $X = \begin{bmatrix} \square & \square \\ \square & \square \end{bmatrix}$
 - Show that $A = XDX^{-1}$

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

$$\begin{vmatrix} 6-\lambda & -4 \\ 3 & -1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow (6-\lambda)(-1-\lambda) - (-12) = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 6\lambda + \lambda - 6 + 12 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda^2 - 5\lambda + 6 = 0 \Rightarrow (\lambda-2)(\lambda-3) = 0$$

$$\lambda_1 = 2 \quad \lambda_2 = 3$$

$$A = XDX^{-1}$$

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 4/3 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

2 distinct eigenvalues.
 $\Rightarrow A$ is diagonalizable.

eigenvectors: $(A - \lambda I)\vec{x} = 0$

for $\lambda = 2$: $\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 6-2 & -4 & | & 0 \\ 3 & -1-2 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -4 & | & 0 \\ 3 & -3 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array}$ $x_2 = r \in \mathbb{R}$
 $\Rightarrow x_1 = r$ $\begin{bmatrix} r \\ r \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ eigenvector

for $\lambda = 3$: $\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 6-3 & -4 & | & 0 \\ 3 & -1-3 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -4 & | & 0 \\ 3 & -4 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$\begin{array}{cc|c} 3 & -4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array}$ $x_2 = r \in \mathbb{R}$
 $x_1 = 4r/3$ $\begin{bmatrix} 4r/3 \\ r \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 4/3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ eigenvector

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4/3 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

just to check:

$$A = XDX^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4/3 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 4 \\ 3 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4/3 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -6 & 8 \\ 9 & -9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -4 \\ 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$-6 + \frac{4}{3} \cdot 9 \quad 8 + \frac{4}{3} \cdot (-9)$

$$\det X = 1 - 4/3 = -1/3 \neq 0$$

$$X^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4/3 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{-1/3} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 4 \\ 3 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Ex

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}_{4 \times 4}$$

neither diagonal nor triangular

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

$$\begin{vmatrix} 3-\lambda & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 1-\lambda & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2-\lambda & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$0 + 0 + (2-\lambda) \begin{vmatrix} 3-\lambda & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 1-\lambda & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$0 + 0 + (2-\lambda) \begin{vmatrix} 3-\lambda & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 1-\lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

lower triangular $= (3-\lambda)(1-\lambda)(2-\lambda)$

$$\Rightarrow (2-\lambda)(3-\lambda)(1-\lambda)(2-\lambda) = 0$$

$$(A-\lambda I)\vec{x} = 0$$

$\lambda_1=1$ $\lambda_2^*=2$ $\lambda_3=3 \rightarrow 3$ distinct eigenvalue
 $\lambda_2^*=2$ a multiple root with mult.=2

$$\lambda_1=1: \begin{bmatrix} 3-1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 4 & 1-1 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2-1 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2-1 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} x_1=0 \\ x_2=r \in \mathbb{R} \\ x_3+x_4=0 \Rightarrow x_3=0 \\ x_4=0 \end{matrix} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ r \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} : r \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \text{eigenvector}$$

$$\lambda_2=2: \begin{bmatrix} 3-2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 4 & 1-2 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2-2 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2-2 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 4 & -1 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} x_1=0 \\ \Rightarrow x_2=0 \\ x_3=r \in \mathbb{R} \\ \Rightarrow x_4=0 \end{matrix} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ r \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} : r \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \text{eigenvector}$$

$$\lambda_3=3: \begin{bmatrix} 3-3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 4 & 1-3 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2-3 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2-3 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 4 & -2 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} x_2=r \in \mathbb{R} \\ \Rightarrow x_1=r/2 \\ \Rightarrow x_3=0 \\ x_4=0 \end{matrix} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} r/2 \\ r \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} : r \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \text{eigenvector}$$

+ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \text{int. eigenvector}$

$\Rightarrow A$ is NOT diagonalizable.

Ex

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

$$\begin{vmatrix} 3-\lambda & -1 & -2 \\ 2 & 0-\lambda & -2 \\ 2 & -1 & -1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (3-\lambda) \left[\frac{-\lambda(-1-\lambda)-2}{\lambda^2+\lambda-2} \right] + 1 \left[\frac{2(-1-\lambda)+4}{-2-2\lambda+4} \right] - 2 \left[\frac{-2-(-2\lambda)}{-2+2\lambda} \right]$$

$$(3-\lambda)(\lambda-1)(\lambda+2) + 2(1-\lambda) + 4(1-\lambda)$$

$$= (1-\lambda) \left[(\lambda-3)(\lambda+2) + 6 \right] = (1-\lambda) \left[\frac{\lambda^2-3\lambda+2\lambda-6+6}{\lambda^2-\lambda} \right]$$

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

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$$\lambda_1^*=1 \quad \lambda_2=0$$

\downarrow
multiple root

mult.=2

2 distinct eigenvalues

we should go through the eigenvectors to decide about diagonalization

$$(A-\lambda I)\vec{x} = 0$$

$$\lambda_1 = 1: \begin{bmatrix} 3-1 & -1 & -2 & | & 0 \\ 2 & 0-1 & -2 & | & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & -1-1 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & -2 & | & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & -2 & | & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & -2 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & -2 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$x_2 = r \in \mathbb{R}$
 $x_3 = s \in \mathbb{R}$
 $x_1 = \frac{r+2s}{2}$

$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} \frac{r+2s}{2} \\ r \\ s \end{bmatrix} : r, s \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$
 $\rightarrow r \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + s \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow$ eigenvectors for $\lambda=1$

$$\lambda_2 = 0: \begin{bmatrix} 3-0 & -1 & -2 & | & 0 \\ 2 & 0-0 & -2 & | & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & -1-0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & -2 & | & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & -2 & | & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & -1 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$2x_1 - 2x_3 = 0 \Rightarrow x_1 = x_3 = r \in \mathbb{R}$
 $3r - x_2 - 2r = 0 \Rightarrow x_2 = r$
 $2r - x_2 - r = 0$

$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} r \\ r \\ r \end{bmatrix} : r \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$

$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow$ eigenvector for $\lambda=0$

$\lambda_1 = 1$ $\lambda_2 = 0$

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\lambda=1$ $\lambda=0$

3 lin. indep. eigenvectors \rightarrow A is diagonalizable.

$\det X = 1/2(-1) - 1 \cdot 1 + 1 \cdot 1 = -1/2 \neq 0$
 columns of X are all linearly indep.

$$A = XDX^{-1}$$

Ex/

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

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

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1-\lambda & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 3-\lambda & 1 \\ 0 & 5 & -1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (1-\lambda) \left[(3-\lambda)(-1-\lambda) - 5 \right] + 0 + 0 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 3\lambda + \lambda - 3 - 5 = \lambda^2 - 2\lambda - 8$$

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

$\lambda_1 = 1$ $\lambda_2 = 4$ $\lambda_3 = -2$

3 distinct eigenvalues $\Rightarrow A$ is diagonalizable.

$$\lambda_1 = 1: \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & -2 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1/2 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & -2 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1/2 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -9/2 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$x_2 = 0$
 $x_3 = 0$
 $x_1 = r \in \mathbb{R}$

$\begin{bmatrix} r \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ eigenvector

$$\lambda_2 = 4: \begin{bmatrix} 1-4 & 2 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 3-4 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & -1-4 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 2 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & -5 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 2 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$x_2 = r \in \mathbb{R}$
 $x_3 = r$
 $-3x_1 + 2r + r = 0 \Rightarrow x_1 = r$

$\begin{bmatrix} r \\ r \\ r \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ eigenvector

$$\lambda_3 = -2: \begin{bmatrix} 1-(-2) & 2 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 3-(-2) & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & -1-(-2) & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 1 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$x_3 = r \in \mathbb{R}$
 $x_2 = -r/5$
 $3x_1 + 2(-r/5) + r = 0 \Rightarrow x_1 = r/5$

$\begin{bmatrix} -r/5 \\ -r/5 \\ r \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} -1/5 \\ -1/5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ eigenvector

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1/5 \\ 0 & 1 & -1/5 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A = XDX^{-1}$$