

S.2 continued:

Characteristic Polynomial of A.

E.x $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 7 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. $\text{char}(A) = \det(A - \lambda I)$
2 variable

$$\det \left(\begin{bmatrix} 2-\lambda & 3 \\ 7 & 1-\lambda \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

$$= (2-\lambda)(1-\lambda) - 21$$

$$= \lambda^2 - 3\lambda - 19$$

roots:

$$\lambda = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{9 - 4(1)(-19)}}{2} = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{85}}{2} \quad \text{are the eigenvalues...}$$

We got

$$X^2 - 3X - 19$$

plug in $X=A$...

$$A^2 - 3A - 19 \cdot I$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 7 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^2 - 3 \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 7 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 19 & 0 \\ 0 & 19 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 25 & 9 \\ 21 & 22 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 9 \\ 21 & 3 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 19 & 0 \\ 0 & 19 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

There are nonzero vectors $\bar{x}_1$ and $\bar{x}_2$

$$\text{where } A \cdot \bar{x}_1 = \left(\frac{3 + \sqrt{85}}{2} \right) \cdot \bar{x}_1$$

$$\text{and } A \cdot \bar{x}_2 = \left(\frac{3 - \sqrt{85}}{2} \right) \cdot \bar{x}_2$$

Fact: A matrix A, when plugged into its $\text{Char}(A)$, results in the 0 matrix.

Additions to Invertible Matrix Theorem

(s) 0 is not an
eigenvalue of A

(more things that
are equivalent to
" A is invertible")

(t) $\det(A) \neq 0$

(the only solution
to $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$ is $\vec{0}$)

Def

" A is similar to B "

means $A = P \cdot B \cdot P^{-1}$

for some
invertible
matrix P .

Thm

IFF A, B are similar, A, B have
the same characteristic polynomial, and
the same eigenvalues...

Warning!

Just because A, B have same eigenvalues
 A, B might not be similar

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

doubles all
vectors in $\mathbb{R}^2$

$\lambda = 2$
is the only
eigenvalue

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

$\lambda = 2$
is the only
eigenvalue

Not
similar
despite
having
same
eigenvalues.

... If $B = P \cdot A \cdot P^{-1}$

$$B = \underbrace{P \cdot 2 \cdot I \cdot P^{-1}} = 2 \cdot \underbrace{P \cdot I \cdot P^{-1}} = 2 \cdot P \cdot P^{-1}$$

Then $B = 2I$

this was a false assumption since $B \neq 2I$.

So B, A are not similar.

Section 5.3 Diagonalization.

Ex $A = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -15 \\ 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$. Find A^{30} .

Even $A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -15 \\ 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -15 \\ 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 7 \cdot 7 + (-15) \cdot 2 & 7 \cdot (-15) - 15 \cdot (-4) \\ 2 \cdot 7 - 4 \cdot 2 & 2 \cdot (-15) - 4 \cdot (-4) \end{bmatrix}$$

8 multiplications
4 additions

By the time A^{30} , that's a lot of arithmetic.

Well,

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

are
inverses

Then $A^k = (P \cdot D \cdot P^{-1})^k$

$$= \underbrace{(P \cdot P^{-1}) \cdot (P \cdot P^{-1}) \cdots (P \cdot P^{-1})}_k$$

$$= P \cdot D \cdot D \cdots D \cdot P^{-1}$$

$$= P \cdot D^k \cdot P^{-1}$$

So $A^k = P \cdot D^k \cdot P^{-1}$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^k \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -5 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2^k & 0 \\ 0 & 1^k \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -5 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = 2$$

~~$$A\vec{x} = 2\vec{x}$$~~

~~$$(A - 2I)\vec{x} = \vec{0}$$~~

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & -15 \\ 2 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x} = \vec{0}$$

$$\text{take } x_2 = 1 \\ x_1 = 3$$

RREF

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

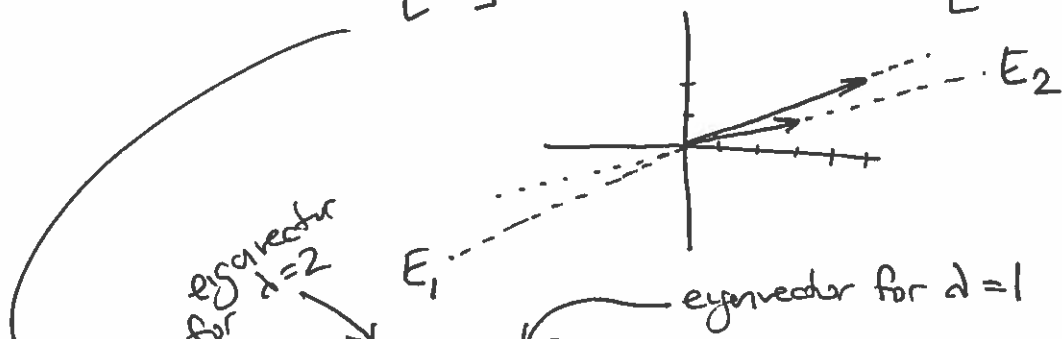
$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_2 \text{ free} \\ x_1 = 3x_2$$

We now have $d=2$ and $d=1 \dots$

$$\text{e'vector} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$



So $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ forms a basis for $\mathbb{R}^2$.
 $B =$

↑ ↑
came from different λ ;

theorem tells us
e'vectors from distinct
e'values are linearly
independent.

Say you have $[\vec{x}]_B = \begin{bmatrix} p \\ q \end{bmatrix}$

Then $[T(\vec{x})]_B = \begin{bmatrix} 2p \\ q \end{bmatrix}$ so in B -coordinates, T 's matrix = $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Ex Diagonalize $\begin{bmatrix} 7 & -15 \\ 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$
 (Means Find P, D such that $A = P \cdot D \cdot P^{-1}$)
 invertible diagonal

Find A 's eigenvalues.

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

$$\det \left(\begin{bmatrix} 7-\lambda & -15 \\ 2 & -4-\lambda \end{bmatrix} \right) = 0$$

$$(7-\lambda)(-4-\lambda) + 30 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 3\lambda - 28 + 30 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 3\lambda + 2 = 0$$

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

$$\lambda = 1, \lambda = 2$$

Gives you D ... if you have as many e'values as n was in the $n \times n$ matrix.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ or } \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

choose this to match earlier example...

For each eigen value, there is an eigenvector...
 find one eigenvector...

$$\lambda = 1$$

$$A\vec{x} = 1 \cdot \vec{x}$$

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

$$\begin{bmatrix} 6 & -15 \\ 2 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x} = \vec{0}$$

$$\text{RREF} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2.5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\downarrow x_2 \text{ free}$$

$$x_1 = 2.5x_2$$

$$\text{take } x_2 = 1$$

$$x_1 = 2.5$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2.5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

or take

$$x_2 = 2$$

$$x_1 = 5$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Consider letting $P = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

$\nearrow$ e' vector for $d=2$ $\nearrow$ e' vector for $d=1$

This is $P_{std \leftarrow B}$

Now consider $\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}}_{P_{std \leftarrow B}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_D \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}^{-1}}_{B_{std \leftarrow P}}$

Then $\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}^{-1}}_{[A \cdot \vec{x}]_B} \cdot [\vec{x}]_{std}$

does the action that A was supposed to do...
stretching in $\vec{b}_1$ direction by 2
in $\vec{b}_2$ direction by 1

$\underbrace{[A \cdot \vec{x}]_B}_{[A \cdot \vec{x}]_{std}}$

So $A = P \cdot D \cdot P^{-1}$

Find answer:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 7 & -15 \\ 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -5 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Ex Diagonalize $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

Find λ : $\det\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1-\lambda & 3 \\ 4 & 5-\lambda \end{bmatrix}\right) = 0$

$$(1-\lambda)(5-\lambda) - 12 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 6\lambda + 5 - 12 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 6\lambda - 7 = 0$$

$$(\lambda - 7)(\lambda + 1) = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = 7, -1$$

$$\lambda = 7$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -6 & 3 \\ 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

↓ RREF

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

take $x_2 = -2$
(nice to cancel fraction)

$$x_1 = \frac{1}{2}x_2 = -1$$

$$\text{So } \vec{v}_7 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = -1$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

↓ RREF

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

take $x_2 = 2$
 $x_1 = -\frac{3}{2}x_2 = -3$

$$\text{So } \vec{v}_{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Build: } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -3 \\ -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -3 \\ -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -3 \\ -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \frac{-1}{8} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Ex Diagonalize $\begin{bmatrix} 12 & 8 \\ -7 & 11 \end{bmatrix}$.

Find λ : $\det\left(\begin{bmatrix} 12-\lambda & 8 \\ -7 & 11-\lambda \end{bmatrix}\right) = 0$

$$(12-\lambda)(11-\lambda) + 56 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 23\lambda + 132 + 56 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 23\lambda + 188 = 0$$

well $\lambda = \frac{23 \pm \sqrt{23^2 - 4(1)(188)}}{2}$

$$= \frac{23 \pm \sqrt{529 - 752}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{23 \pm \sqrt{\text{negative}}}{2}$$

This matrix has no real eigenvalues...

Continue if you're willing to work with complex numbers

if not, stop.

Ex Diagonalize

$\begin{bmatrix} 12 & -8 \\ -7 & \end{bmatrix}$ changed...
~~3~~

$$\det\left(\begin{bmatrix} 12-\lambda & -8 \\ -7 & 3-\lambda \end{bmatrix}\right) = 0$$

$$(12-\lambda)(3-\lambda) - 56 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 15\lambda + 38 - 56 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 15\lambda - 18 = 0 = 0$$

$$\lambda = \frac{15 \pm \sqrt{225 - 4(-18)}}{2}$$
$$\lambda = \frac{15 \pm \sqrt{305}}{2}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{15 + \sqrt{305}}{2}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 12 - \left(\frac{15 + \sqrt{305}}{2}\right) & -9 \\ -7 & 3 - \left(\frac{15 + \sqrt{305}}{2}\right) \end{bmatrix}$$

RREF (div bottom row by -7)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{3}{7} + \frac{15 + \sqrt{305}}{14} \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

take $x_2 = 14$ to clear fractions

$$\begin{bmatrix} -9 - \sqrt{305} \\ 14 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 &= -(\text{scribble}) x_2 \\ &= -(-6 + 15 + \sqrt{305}) = -9 - \sqrt{305} \end{aligned}$$

shortcut

for 2nd e' vector:

$$\begin{bmatrix} -9 + \sqrt{305} \\ 14 \end{bmatrix}$$

flipped sign

$$\text{So } \begin{bmatrix} 12 & -9 \\ -7 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -9 - \sqrt{305} & -9 + \sqrt{305} \\ 14 & 14 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{15 + \sqrt{305}}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{15 - \sqrt{305}}{2} \end{bmatrix} \cdot P^{-1}$$

Ex If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$. Diagonalize A .

It's already diagonal.

↙ here $(6-\lambda)(6-\lambda) = 0$
 $(6-\lambda)^2 = 0$

$\lambda = 6$ is the only e' value.

Ex If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 6 \\ 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$. Diagonalize A .

Find λ : $\det \left(\begin{bmatrix} 6-\lambda & 6 \\ 0 & 6-\lambda \end{bmatrix} \right) = 0$

$$(6-\lambda) \cdot (6-\lambda) - 0 = 0$$

$$(6-\lambda)^2 = 0$$

$\lambda = 6$ is the only eigenvalue...

Maybe using $\lambda = 6$ we could still find a basis ~~for~~ of $\mathbb{R}^2$ that had 2 eigenvectors...

$$\lambda = 6$$

Find eigenvectors...

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

→ $x_2 = 0$

→ x_1 is free... take $x_1 = 1$.

↘ Find e' vector $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$.

Unable to find a second linearly indep. e' vector.

There is no basis of e' vectors $\Rightarrow$ A can't be diagonalized.

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

Find λ .

$$\det \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1-\lambda & 3 & 3 \\ -3 & -5-\lambda & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 1-\lambda \end{bmatrix} \right) = 0$$

$$(1-\lambda)(-5-\lambda)(1-\lambda) - 27 - 27 + 9(1-\lambda) + 9(1-\lambda) - 9(-5-\lambda) = 0$$

$$(1-2\lambda+\lambda^2)(-5-\lambda) - 54 + 18 - 18\lambda + 45 + 9\lambda = 0$$

$$-5 + 9\lambda - 3\lambda^2 - \lambda^3 + 9 - 9\lambda = 0$$

$$-\lambda^3 - 3\lambda^2 + 4 = 0$$

$$\lambda^3 + 3\lambda^2 - 4 = 0 \quad \leftarrow \text{try to factor...}$$

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

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

easy to see $\lambda=1$
is a root so $(\lambda-1)$
is a factor

only 2 ~~eigenvalues~~ eigenvalues...

So... $\lambda=1$ and $\lambda=-2$

Need 3 lin. indep. eigenvectors...

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & 3 \\ -3 & -6 & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

↓ RREF

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

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

take $x_3=1$

$$x_2 = -x_3 = -1$$

$$x_1 = x_3 = 1$$

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

↓ RREF

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

$$x_1 = -x_2 - x_3$$

Gen sol. $\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} -x_2 - x_3 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$

$$x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$\text{So } \dots \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 3 \\ -3 & -5 & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$$

Ex Diagonalize $\begin{bmatrix} 5 & -8 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

3 distinct
eigenvalues....

Find λ :

$$(5-\lambda)(0-\lambda)(2-\lambda) = 0$$

$$-\lambda(5-\lambda)(2-\lambda)$$

$\downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow$
0 5 2 are eigenvalues.

$$\lambda = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & -8 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

RREF

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -8/5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_3 = 0$$

$$\text{take } x_2 = 5$$

$$x_1 = \frac{8}{5}x_2 = 8$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = 5$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -8 & 1 \\ 0 & -5 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

RREF

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

must be 0

$$\text{take } x_1 = 1$$

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

$$\lambda = 2$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -8 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

RREF

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -9 \\ 0 & 1 & -7/2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{take } x_3 = 2$$

$$x_2 = \frac{7}{2}x_3 = 7$$

$$x_1 = 9x_3 = 18$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 18 \\ 7 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 8 & 1 & 18 \\ 5 & 0 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 1 & 18 \\ 5 & 0 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$$

Ex Try to diagonalize $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 3 \\ -4 & -6 & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Find λ : $\det \begin{bmatrix} 2-\lambda & 4 & 3 \\ -4 & -6-\lambda & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 1-\lambda \end{bmatrix} = 0$

$$(2-\lambda)(-6-\lambda)(1-\lambda) - 36 - 36 + 9(2-\lambda) + 16(1-\lambda) - 9(-6-\lambda) = 0$$

$$(-12 + 4\lambda + \lambda^2)(1-\lambda) - 72 + 18 - 9\lambda + 16 - 16\lambda + 54 + 9\lambda = 0$$

$$-12 + 16\lambda - 3\lambda^2 - \lambda^3 - 16\lambda + 16 = 0$$

$$-\lambda^3 - 3\lambda^2 + 4 = 0$$

$$\lambda^3 + 3\lambda^2 - 4 = 0$$

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

$\lambda = 1$ or $\lambda = -2$
are the
two e' values

$$\lambda = 1$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 3 \\ -4 & -7 & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

RREF

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & +1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

take $x_3 = 1$
 $x_2 = -1$
 $x_1 = 1$

$$\lambda = -2$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 4 & 3 \\ -4 & -4 & -3 \\ 3 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

RREF

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

take $x_3 = 0$
 $x_2 = 1$
 $x_1 = -x_2 = -1$

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

Not enough lin. indep e' vectors to build P!

So A is not diagonalizable!

Each eigenvalue has multiplicity

algebraic multiplicity

the power of $(\lambda - \lambda_0)$

in A 's characteristic polynomial.

Last ex: $(\lambda - 1)^1 (\lambda + 2)^2$

1 has alg mult. 1 $\leftarrow$

-2 has alg mult. ~~1~~ 2 $\leftarrow$

geometric multiplicity

is the dimension of the corresponding eigenspace.

Fact: algebraic mult $\geq$ geometric multiplicity $\Rightarrow 1$