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2) We can easily see that  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  &  $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  are eigenvectors. As they are already orthogonal to each other, we just need to scale them to unit vectors.

Hence  $\beta = \left\{ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$  is an orthonormal eigenbasis.

6)  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}, \text{ \& } \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$  are e-vectors, and they are orthogonal.

$\beta = \left\{ \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}, \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$  is an orthonormal eigenbasis.

10)  $\lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = 0$  &  $\lambda_3 = 9$ .

$$\vec{v}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \in E_0 \quad \& \quad \vec{v}_2 = \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \in E_9$$

Let  $\vec{v}_3 = \vec{v}_1 \times \vec{v}_2 = \frac{1}{3\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$ . Since  $A$  is symmetric,  $\vec{v}_3$  is also an eigenvector. In fact  $\vec{v}_3 \in E_0$ . Hence,

$$S = \begin{pmatrix} 2/\sqrt{5} & 2/3\sqrt{5} & 1/3 \\ 1/\sqrt{5} & -4/3\sqrt{5} & -2/3 \\ 0 & -\sqrt{5}/3 & 2/3 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad D = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 9 \end{pmatrix}.$$

12) a)  $E_1 = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$  and  $E_{-1} = (E_1)^\perp$ .

Choose  $v_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \in E_1$  &  $\vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \vec{v}_3 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \in E_{-1}$ .

$\beta = \left\{ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$  is an orthonormal eigenbasis.

b)  $B = \left( [T(v_1)]_\beta, [T(v_2)]_\beta, [T(v_3)]_\beta \right) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$

c)  $A = SBS^{-1}$  w/  $S = \begin{pmatrix} 1/\sqrt{5} & 0 & 2/\sqrt{5} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2/\sqrt{5} & 0 & -1/\sqrt{5} \end{pmatrix}$

$$\therefore A = \begin{pmatrix} -3/5 & 0 & 4/5 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 4/5 & 0 & 3/5 \end{pmatrix}$$

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16) a)  $A$  has 5 identical columns  $\Rightarrow \dim(\ker[A]) \geq 4$ , and in fact we can easily see  $\text{Im}(A) \neq \{\vec{0}\}$ , hence  $\dim(\ker[A]) = 4$ .

$\lambda_1 = 0$  has multiplicity 4.

Note  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  is an e-vector, w/ e-value 5, so  $\lambda_2 = 5$  w/ multiplicity 1.

b)  $B = A + 2I_5$

$\Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 0 + 2 = 2$  w/ multiplicity 4

$\lambda_2 = 5 + 2 = 7$  w/ multiplicity 1.

c)  $\det(B) = \text{product of e-values} = 2^4 \cdot 7 = \boxed{112}$

26)  $J_n$  are both orthogonal and symmetric, so the eigenvalues are  $1$  &  $-1$ . As for their multiplicities, we know trace is the sum of e-values, and  $\text{tr}(J_n) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \\ 1 & \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$  & therefore

if  $n$  is even:  $1$  &  $-1$  have multiplicity  $n/2$

if  $n$  is odd:  $1$  has mult.  $\frac{n+1}{2}$ ,  $-1$  has mult.  $\frac{n-1}{2}$ .

36) Consider  $\vec{v}$ , an e-vector of  $A$  w/ e-value  $\lambda$ .

$$\lambda \vec{v} = A\vec{v} = A^2\vec{v} = \lambda^2 \vec{v}.$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \lambda^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 0 \text{ or } \lambda = 1.$$

Since  $A$  is symmetric  $E_0$  &  $E_1$  are orthogonal complements, so

if  $A \neq \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = 0 \cdot I_n$  &  $A \neq I_n$ ,  $A$  is projection onto a

proper subspace  $E_1$ . If  $A = I_n$ ,  $A$  is a "projection" onto  $\mathbb{R}^2$ , &

if  $A = 0 \cdot I_n$ , it is a "projection" onto  $\{\vec{0}\}$ .

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3) Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 4 & 7/2 \\ 3 & 7/2 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$ . Then  $g(x) = x \cdot A \bar{x}$ .

6)  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \det(A) < 0 \Rightarrow g$  is indefinite.

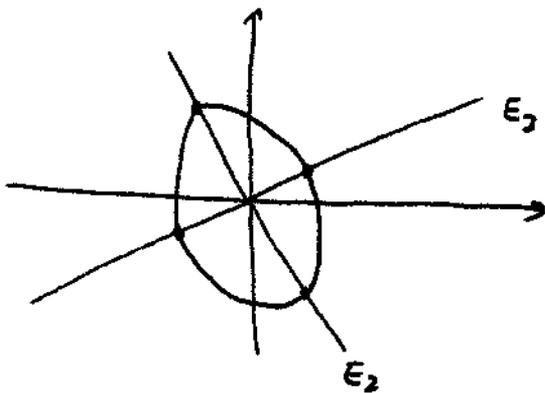
10)  $L(x) = (x+v)^T A (x+v) - x^T A x - v^T A v$   
 $= x^T A x + x^T A v + v^T A x + v^T A v - x^T A x - v^T A v$   
 $= x^T A v + v^T A x$

But  $x^T A v = (x^T A v)^T$  as  $x^T A v$  is a scalar  
 $= v^T A^T x$   
 $= v^T A x$  as  $A$  is symmetric.

$\therefore L(x) = v^T A x + v^T A x$   
 $= (2v^T A) \bar{x}$ .  $L(x)$  is linear.

14)  $\det(A)$  = product of the two eigenvalues. Hence,  $\det(A) > 0$  implies that the two e-values have the same sign. Therefore,  $A$  is either positive definite or negative definite. Since  $\bar{e}_1 \cdot A \bar{e}_1 = a > 0$ , we know  $A$  is positive definite.

15)  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ ; e-values:  $\lambda_1 = 7, \lambda_2 = 2$ ;  $\beta = \left\{ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$  is an orthonormal eigenbasis.



$$7c_1^2 + 2c_2^2 = 1$$

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23) Yes. Let  $A = \frac{1}{2}(M + M^T)$

Claim:  $A$  is symmetric

Pf:  $A^T = \frac{1}{2}(M + M^T)^T = \frac{1}{2}(M^T + (M^T)^T) = \frac{1}{2}(M^T + M) = \frac{1}{2}(M + M^T) = A.$

Claim:  $g(\bar{x}) = \bar{x} \cdot A \bar{x}$

Pf:

~~$$g(\bar{x}) = \bar{x} \cdot A \bar{x}$$~~

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{x}^T A \bar{x} &= \bar{x}^T \frac{1}{2}(M + M^T) \bar{x} \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(\bar{x}^T M \bar{x} + \bar{x}^T M^T \bar{x}) \end{aligned}$$

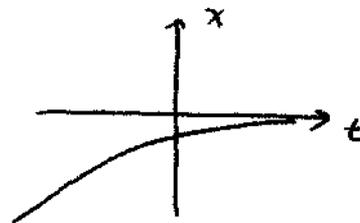
But,  $\bar{x}^T M^T \bar{x}$  is a scalar, so  $\bar{x}^T M^T \bar{x} = (\bar{x}^T M^T \bar{x})^T = \bar{x}^T M \bar{x}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \bar{x}^T A \bar{x} &= \frac{1}{2}(\bar{x}^T M \bar{x} + \bar{x}^T M \bar{x}) \\ &= \bar{x}^T M \bar{x} \\ &= g(\bar{x}). \end{aligned}$$

24)  $g(\bar{e}_i) = \bar{e}_i \cdot A \bar{e}_i = \bar{e}_i \cdot (\text{ith column of } A) = a_{ii}$

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2) By fact 8.1.1  $x(t) = -e \cdot e^{-0.71t} = -e^{1-0.71t}$



14)a) By 8.1.1,  $x(t) = e^{-t/8270}$

Let  $T$  designate half-life. Then  $e^{-T/8270} = 1/2$

$\Rightarrow \frac{-T}{8270} = \ln(1/2) \Rightarrow T = 8270 \cdot \ln 2 \approx 5732$

b)  $e^{-t/8270} = 1 - 0.42 = 0.58$

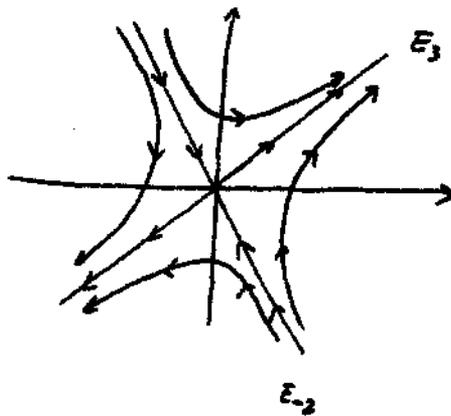
$\Rightarrow t = -8270 \cdot \ln 0.58 \approx 5250$

The Iceman died 5,250 years before A.D. 1991, i.e. about 3,250 B.C.  
The Austrian expert was wrong.

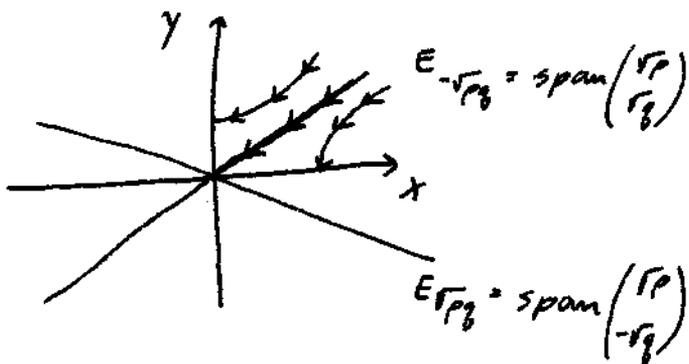
26)  $\lambda_1 = 3; v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}; c_1 = 5$   
 $\lambda_2 = -2; v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}; c_2 = -1$

$\therefore \vec{x}(t) = 5 \cdot e^{3t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - e^{-2t} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$

32)  $\lambda_1 = 3$   
 $\lambda_2 = -2$  from ex. 26



46)



if  $\frac{y(0)}{x(0)} < \frac{\sqrt{q}}{\sqrt{p}}$   $x$  wins

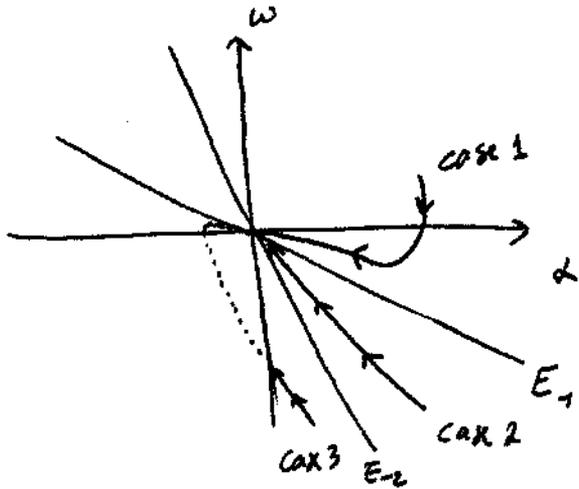
if  $\frac{y(0)}{x(0)} > \frac{\sqrt{q}}{\sqrt{p}}$   $y$  wins

if  $\frac{y(0)}{x(0)} = \frac{\sqrt{q}}{\sqrt{p}}$  everybody dies

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$$54) a) \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -2 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \quad \lambda_1 = -1 \quad v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_2 = -2 \quad v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$



b) The door will slam only in case 3, i.e. if  $\frac{w(0)}{x(0)} < -2$ .