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Assignment V

* Question 1: let $T: V \rightarrow V$ be a L.T.
 $B = \{b_1, b_2, b_3, b_4\}$ is a basis of V such that:
 $T(b_1) = b_2$, $T(b_2) = b_3$, $T(b_3) = b_4$, $T(b_4) = -b_1 + 2b_3$

i) M_B : $M_B = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} T(b_1) & T(b_2) & T(b_3) & T(b_4) \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix} \end{matrix}$

ii) first let us compute $|M_B|$:

$$|M_B| = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 1 \neq 0$$

thus T is invertible $\Rightarrow T^{-1}$ exists.

$$\text{and, } T^{-1}(b_2) = b_1$$

$$T^{-1}(b_3) = b_2$$

$$T^{-1}(b_4) = b_3$$

$$b_4 = T^{-1}(-b_1 + 2b_3) \Rightarrow b_4 = -T^{-1}(b_1) + 2T^{-1}(b_3)$$
$$\Rightarrow T^{-1}(b_1) = 2b_2 - b_4$$

iii) Find eigenvalues of T :

First we will get the eigenvalues of M_B .

$$\begin{aligned}C_{M_B}(a) &= a^4 - 2a^2 + 1 \quad (\text{since } M_B \text{ is a companion matrix}) \\ &= (a^2 - 1)^2 \\ &= (a-1)^2 (a+1)^2\end{aligned}$$

thus eigenvalues of M_B are 1 and -1

hence eigenvalues of T are 1 and -1

Now let us find the eigen spaces corresponding to the eigenvalues.

$$* E_1(M_B) : (I_4 - M_B) \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_1+R_2 \rightarrow R_2} \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\downarrow R_2+R_3 \rightarrow R_3$$
$$\left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xleftarrow{R_3+R_4 \rightarrow R_4} \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

Thus $x_1 = -x_4$, $x_2 = -x_4$, $x_3 = x_4$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{and } E_1(M_B) &= \{ (-x_4, -x_4, x_4, x_4) \mid x_4 \in \mathbb{R} \} \\ &= \text{span} \{ (-1, -1, 1, 1) \}\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Hence } E_1(T) = \text{span} \{ (-b_1 - b_2 + b_3 + b_4) \}$$

$$* E_{-1}(M_B) : (-I_4 - M_B) \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{-R_1+R_2 \rightarrow R_2} \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\downarrow -R_2+R_3 \rightarrow R_3$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{-R_3+R_4 \rightarrow R_4} \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

thus $x_1 = x_4$, $x_2 = -x_4$, $x_3 = -x_4$

$$\text{So } E_{-1}(M_B) = \{ (x_4, -x_4, -x_4, x_4) \mid x_4 \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

$$= \text{span} \{ (1, -1, -1, 1) \}$$

hence $E_{-1}(T) = \text{span} \{ (b_1 - b_2 - b_3 + b_4) \}$.

iv) It is obvious that M_B^{-1} is the matrix presentation of T^{-1} with respect to the basis B .

Recall that if λ is an eigenvalue of M_B then $\frac{1}{\lambda}$ is an eigenvalue of M_B^{-1} ($\lambda \neq 0$)

Moreover: $E_\lambda(M_B) = E_{\frac{1}{\lambda}}(M_B^{-1})$

thus eigenvalues of T^{-1} are 1 and -1

and $E_1(T^{-1}) = E_1(T) = \text{span} \{ -b_1 - b_2 + b_3 + b_4 \}$

$E_{-1}(T^{-1}) = E_{-1}(T) = \text{span} \{ b_1 - b_2 - b_3 + b_4 \}$

v). We know that $C_T(\alpha) = C_{M_B}(\alpha)$

$$\text{thus } C_T(\alpha) = (\alpha-1)^2 (\alpha+1)^2$$

• we can notice that M_B is a companion matrix

$$\text{thus } m_{M_B}(\alpha) = C_{M_B}(\alpha) = (\alpha-1)^2 (\alpha+1)^2$$

$$\text{and } m_T(\alpha) = m_{M_B}(\alpha) = (\alpha-1)^2 (\alpha+1)^2$$

vi) Since $m_T(\alpha) = (\alpha-1)^2 (\alpha+1)^2 \neq (\alpha-1)(\alpha+1)$
we can conclude that T is not diagonalizable.

$$\text{vii) } M_B^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{thus } C_{M_B^{-1}}(\alpha) = |\alpha I_4 - M_B^{-1}| = \begin{vmatrix} \alpha & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & \alpha & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \alpha & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & \alpha \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \alpha \begin{vmatrix} \alpha & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & \alpha & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & \alpha \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} -2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & \alpha & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & \alpha \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \alpha [\alpha(\alpha^2)] + 1 [-2(\alpha^2) + 1(1)]$$

$$= \alpha^4 - 2\alpha^2 + 1$$

$$\text{thus } C_{T^{-1}}(\alpha) = C_T(\alpha) = \alpha^4 - 2\alpha^2 + 1 = (\alpha-1)^2 (\alpha+1)^2$$

• we know that T^{-1} is not diagonalizable since T is not diagonalizable thus $m_{T^{-1}}(\alpha) \neq (\alpha-1)(\alpha+1)$

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but the matrix presentation of T^{-1} with respect to some basis is not a companion matrix.

Characteristic polynomial of T^{-1} = Minimum polynomial of T^{-1} . See the notes I WILL post (no points are taken off since there is a missing material that I did not provide)

viii) Let $F: V \rightarrow V$ s.t. $F(v) = -T^4(v) + 2T^2(v) \quad \forall v \in V$

we know that $C_T(\alpha) |_{\alpha=T} = 0$ -function

thus $T^4 - 2T^2 + I = 0$ where I is the identity map on V .

$$\Leftrightarrow -T^4 + 2T^2 - I = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{-T^4(v) + 2T^2(v)} - I(v) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow F(v) - v = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow F(v) = v \quad \text{for every } v \in V$$

(ix) Recall that -1 is an eigenvalue of T

then $T(v) = -v$

$$T = -I$$

$$T + I = 0$$

$$F = 0\text{-function}$$

and it is obvious that F

thus F^{-1} doesn't exist.

NOT CORRECT
F is not 0
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be careful here. $T(v) = -v$ only for v in $E_{-1}(T)$ not for all v in V . What you can show here that 0 is an eigenvalue of $T + I$. Hence $Z(T + I) \neq \{0\}$. Thus $T + I$ is not 1-1 and hence $T + I$ is not invertible. To show that 0 is an eigenvalue of $T + I$. Let v be a nonzero element of $E_{-1}(T)$. Then $(T + I)(v) = T(v) + I(v) = -v + v = 0_v$.

Note that we conclude that the characteristic polynomial of $T + I$ has 0 -constant (note that multiplication of all eigenvalues of $T + I$ (with repetition) = $\det(\text{Matrix presentation of } T + I \text{ with respect to some basis of } V) = + -$ constant term of the characteristic polynomial of $T + I$.

* Question 2:

Let $T: V \rightarrow V$ such that $\dim(V) = 5$

we know that the degree of the characteristic polynomial is equal to the **dimension** of V .

thus $C_T(x)$ has a degree 5.

So $C_T(x)$ ~~has~~ is a polynomial of odd degree and we know that every polynomial of odd degree ~~has~~ must have at least one real root.

Thus T must have at least one real eigenvalue say α . and a corresponding **eigenvector or eigen-element** $v \in V, v \neq 0$, such that $T(v) = \alpha v$

* Question 3:

$$\text{Let } A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

since A is a companion matrix

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then } C_A(\alpha) = m_A(\alpha) &= \alpha^3 - 3\alpha + 2 \\ &= (\alpha - 1)^2(\alpha + 2) \end{aligned}$$

and since $m_A(\alpha) \neq (\alpha - 1)(\alpha + 2)$ thus A is not diagonalizable.

therefore A is 3×3 matrix, such that $C_A(\alpha) = m_A(\alpha)$ and A is not diagonalizable.

* Question 4:

$$\text{let } A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 6 \\ 1 & 0 & -11 \\ 0 & 1 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

since A is a companion matrix we have:

$$\begin{aligned} C_A(\alpha) = M_A(\alpha) &= \alpha^3 - 6\alpha^2 + 11\alpha - 6 \\ &= (\alpha-1)(\alpha-2)(\alpha-3) \end{aligned}$$

and A is diagonalizable. ~~since~~

thus A is a 3×3 matrix, such that $C_A(\alpha) = M_A(\alpha)$

and A is diagonalizable.