

# MATH 504: Numerical Methods I

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Final Examination

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- Duration for this exam is 165 minutes.

**Problem 1. (20 points)** Let  $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$  be a matrix with eigenvalues  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_{n-1}, \lambda_n$  such that

$$|\lambda_1| \geq |\lambda_2| \geq \dots \geq |\lambda_{n-1}| > |\lambda_n|,$$

and  $n$  linearly independent eigenvectors  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{n-1}, v_n$ , where  $v_j$  is an eigenvector corresponding to  $\lambda_j$  for  $j = 1, \dots, n$ .

Suppose also that an LU factorization of  $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$  obtained by employing partial pivoting strategy is also given, that is a permutation matrix  $P \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ , a unit lower triangular matrix  $L \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$ , and an upper triangular matrix  $U \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$  satisfying

$$PA = LU$$

are given.

Given  $A$  as above and  $q^{(0)} \in \mathbb{C}^n$  such that  $q^{(0)} \notin \text{span}\{v_1, \dots, v_{n-1}\}$ , write down a pseudocode that generates a sequence  $\{q^{(k)}\}$  in  $\mathbb{C}^n$  satisfying

$$\text{span}\{q^{(k)}\} \rightarrow \text{span}\{v_n\} \quad \text{as } k \rightarrow \infty.$$

Your pseudocode must perform as few flops as possible.

**Problem 2.** Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -4 & 3 \\ 4 & -1 & -6 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- (a) **(10 points)** Compute a unit lower triangular matrix  $L \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}$  (that is  $L$  must be a lower triangular matrix with 1s on the diagonal) and an upper triangular matrix  $U \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}$  such that

$$A = LU.$$

- (b) **(10 points)** Compute a unit upper triangular matrix  $U \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}$  (that is  $U$  must be an upper triangular matrix with 1s on the diagonal) and a lower triangular matrix  $L \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}$  such that

$$A = UL.$$



**Problem 3. (25 points)** For every matrix  $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$ , there exist unitary matrices  $U, V \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$  such that

$$UAV = B \tag{1}$$

is bidiagonal (that is  $B$  is such that  $b_{ij} = 0$  if  $j \neq i$  and  $j \neq i + 1$ ).

Write down a pseudocode that, for a given  $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$ , computes a bidiagonal matrix  $B \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$  such that (1) holds for some unitary matrices  $U, V \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$ . Your pseudocode does not have to return  $U$  and  $V$ , it suffices if it only returns  $B$ .

**Problem 4.** The Hadamard product  $\odot$  of two matrices  $A, B \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$  is defined by

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & & & \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}}_A \odot \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & \dots & b_{1n} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & & b_{2n} \\ \vdots & & & \\ b_{n1} & b_{n2} & & b_{nn} \end{bmatrix}}_B = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}b_{11} & a_{12}b_{12} & \dots & a_{1n}b_{1n} \\ a_{21}b_{21} & a_{22}b_{22} & & a_{2n}b_{2n} \\ \vdots & & & \\ a_{n1}b_{n1} & a_{n2}b_{n2} & & a_{nn}b_{nn} \end{bmatrix}.$$

For a given  $D \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$ , define

$$f : \mathbb{C}^{n \times n} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}, \quad f(X) = D \odot X. \quad (2)$$

**(a) (10 points)** Assuming  $D$  and  $X$  in (2) have exact representations in IEEE floating point arithmetic, show that  $\hat{f}(X)$ , that is the computed  $f(X)$  in IEEE floating point arithmetic, satisfies

$$\hat{f}(X) = f(X + \delta X), \quad \exists \delta X \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n} \text{ s.t. } \|\delta X\|_F / \|X\|_F = O(\epsilon_{\text{mach}}).$$

**(b) (10 points)** Let  $\kappa$  denote the absolute condition number of  $f(X)$  defined as in (2) for a given  $D \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$  when the Frobenius norm  $\|\cdot\|_F$  is used on the input and output spaces of  $f(X)$ . Show that  $\kappa = \|D\|_F$ .

*(Note: You can make use of the inequality*

$$\|A \odot B\|_F \leq \|A\|_F \|B\|_F$$

*that is satisfied for every  $A, B \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$ .)*



**Problem 5. (15 points)** A pseudocode is provided below for the basic QR algorithm without shifts to compute the eigenvalues of a matrix  $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$ .

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**Algorithm 1** The QR Algorithm without Shifts

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 $A_0 \leftarrow A$   
for  $k = 0, 1, \dots$  do  
  Compute a QR factorization  $A_k = Q_{k+1}R_{k+1}$   
   $A_{k+1} \leftarrow R_{k+1}Q_{k+1}$   
end for
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Prove that the iterates  $Q_k, R_k$  by this algorithm satisfy

$$A^k = (Q_1 Q_2 \dots Q_k) (R_k \dots R_2 R_1)$$

for all integer  $k \geq 1$ .