

Worksheet 13

Objectives: (1) Understand behavior of power iteration (2) Understand derivation and behavior of QR iteration

Problem 1: Eigenvalue problem: properties and conditioning

- (a) A 3×3 matrix has 2 distinct eigenvalues. Is it necessarily defective?
- (b) Why is the eigenvalue problem well-conditioned for symmetric matrices?
- (c) Suppose $\lambda = 2$ is an eigenvalue of A . Name an eigenvalue of $(A^2 - 2I)^{-1}$.

Problem 2: Power iteration

- (a) Power iteration converges to...
- (b) Name two problems that can occur when using (normalized) power iteration.
- (c) Inverse iteration converges to...

Problem 3: Orthogonal/QR iteration

- (a) Name a suitable criterion for convergence of Orthogonal Iteration.
- (b) The iterates X_k in Orthogonal iteration converge to...
- (c) $Q^T A Q$ in Orthogonal Iteration converges to...
- (d) Name a suitable criterion for convergence of QR Iteration.