

GRA 6035 MATHEMATICS

Problems for Lecture 5

Key problems

Problem 1.

Find the equilibrium state \mathbf{v} of the Markov chains with transition matrix A :

$$a) A = \begin{pmatrix} 0.30 & 0.15 \\ 0.70 & 0.85 \end{pmatrix} \quad b) A = \begin{pmatrix} 0.86 & 0.42 \\ 0.14 & 0.58 \end{pmatrix} \quad c) A = \begin{pmatrix} 0.75 & 0.02 & 0.10 \\ 0.20 & 0.90 & 0.20 \\ 0.05 & 0.08 & 0.70 \end{pmatrix} \quad d) A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Problem 2.

Determine the definiteness of the symmetric matrix:

$$a) A = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 4 \\ 4 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \quad b) A = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \quad c) A = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \quad d) A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & -5 \\ 3 & 7 & 0 \\ -5 & 0 & 35 \end{pmatrix} \quad e) A = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -2 & -2 \\ -2 & -4 & -4 \\ -2 & -4 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Problem 3.

Find the symmetric matrix of the quadratic form, and determine its definiteness:

$$a) f(x, y) = x^2 - 8xy + 3y^2 \quad b) f(x, y, z) = 2x^2 - 2xz + 3y^2 + z^2 \quad c) f(x, y, z) = 3x^2 + 4xy - 4xz + 3y^2 + 4yz + 8z^2$$
$$d) f(x, y) = 2xy - y^2 \quad e) f(x, y, z, w) = xw - yz$$

Problem 4.

Determine the definiteness of the symmetric matrix:

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Problems from the Digital Workbook

Exercise problems	5.1 - 5.9 (full solutions in the workbook)
Exam problems	5.10 - 4.15 (full solutions in the workbook)
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	Midterm exam 05/2018 Question 1-6, 8

Answers to key problems

Problem 1.

$$a) \mathbf{v} = (3/17 \ 14/17)^T \quad b) \mathbf{v} = (3/4 \ 1/4)^T \quad c) \mathbf{v} = (2/15 \ 10/15 \ 3/15)^T \quad d) \text{ No equilibrium unless } \mathbf{v}_0 = (a \ b \ a)^T$$

Problem 2.

a) Positive definite b) Negative definite c) Positive definite d) Positive semi-definite e) Indefinite

Problem 3.

a) Indefinite b) Positive definite c) Positive semi-definite d) Indefinite e) Indefinite

Problem 4.

Positive semidefinite

Solutions: Key problems for Lecture 5

1. a) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0.30 & 0.15 \\ 0.70 & 0.85 \end{pmatrix}$
 regular Markov chain since all $a_{ij} > 0$

$\lambda=1: \begin{pmatrix} -0.70 & 0.15 \\ 0.70 & -0.15 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$
 $-0.7x + 0.15y = 0$
 y free, $x = 0.15/0.70 y$
 $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.15/0.70 y \\ y \end{pmatrix} = y \begin{pmatrix} 0.15/0.7 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

b) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0.86 & 0.42 \\ 0.14 & 0.58 \end{pmatrix}$
 regular

$x+y=1: y \cdot 0.15/0.7 + y = 1$
 $y \cdot (0.85/0.7) = 1$
 $y = 0.7/0.85$
 $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.15/0.85 \\ 0.70/0.85 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 15/85 \\ 70/85 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\underline{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 3/17 \\ 14/17 \end{pmatrix}$

$\begin{pmatrix} -0.14 & 0.42 \\ 0.14 & -0.42 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -14 & 42 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$-14x + 42y = 0$
 $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 42 \\ 14 \end{pmatrix} t$

$x+y=1: 42t + 14t = 56t = 1$
 $t = 1/56$

$\underline{v} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 42/56 \\ 14/56 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3/4 \\ 1/4 \end{pmatrix}$

c) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0.75 & 0.02 & 0.10 \\ 0.20 & 0.90 & 0.20 \\ 0.05 & 0.08 & 0.70 \end{pmatrix}$
 regular

$\lambda=1: \begin{pmatrix} -0.25 & 0.02 & 0.10 \\ 0.20 & -0.10 & 0.20 \\ 0.05 & 0.08 & -0.30 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$\rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 8 & -30 \\ 20 & -10 & 20 \\ -25 & 2 & 10 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2} \begin{pmatrix} 20 & -10 & 20 \\ 5 & 8 & -30 \\ -25 & 2 & 10 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1 \div 10, R_2 \div 5} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 8/5 & -6 \\ -25 & 2 & 10 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 8/5 & -6 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 \\ -25 & 2 & 10 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_2 - 2R_1, R_3 + 25R_1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 8/5 & -6 \\ 0 & -42 & 140 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$-42y + 140z = 0$
 $y = \frac{140}{42} z = \frac{10}{3} z$

$x = \frac{1}{5} \cdot \frac{10}{3} z = \frac{2}{3} z$
 $\frac{1200 - 1120}{42} z = \frac{140}{42} z = \frac{10}{3} z$

$x+y+z = \frac{140}{42} z + \frac{28}{42} z + z = 1$
 $\frac{2}{3} z + \frac{10}{3} z + \frac{3}{3} z = 1$
 $5z = 1 \Rightarrow z = 1/5$

$5x + 8y - 20z = 0$
 $5x = -8 \left(\frac{140}{42} z \right) + 20z = \frac{30 \cdot 42 - 8 \cdot 140}{42} z$

$\underline{v} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2/15 \\ 10/15 \\ 3/15 \end{pmatrix}$

$$d) A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



not regular

Compute: A^n :

$$A^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow A^n = \begin{cases} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, & n \text{ odd} \\ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, & n \text{ even} \end{cases}$$

$$\underline{v}_0 = \begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ y_0 \\ z_0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow A^n \cdot \underline{v}_0 = \underline{v}_n = \begin{cases} A^n \cdot \underline{v}_0 = \begin{pmatrix} y_0 \\ z_0 \\ x_0 \end{pmatrix}, & n \text{ odd} \\ A^n \cdot \underline{v}_0 = \begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ y_0 \\ z_0 \end{pmatrix}, & n \text{ even} \end{cases}$$

$x_0 = z_0$: $\underline{v} = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} A^k \cdot \underline{v}_0 = \begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ y_0 \\ x_0 \end{pmatrix}$ eg. state

$x_0 \neq z_0$: no equilibrium state

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ y_0 \\ z_0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} \rightarrow \\ \leftarrow \end{matrix} \begin{pmatrix} z_0 \\ y_0 \\ x_0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} \text{no} \\ \text{convergence} \\ \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty \end{matrix}$$

2. a) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 4 \\ 4 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ $D_1 = 7 > 0$
 $D_2 = 21 - 16 = 5 > 0$

A pos. definite

b) $A = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$ $D_1 = -1 < 0$
 $D_2 = 3 - 1 = 2 > 0$

A neg. definite

c) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ $D_1 = 4 > 0$
 $D_2 = 20 > 0$
 $D_3 = 5 \cdot (16 - 1) > 0$

A pos. defn.

d) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & -5 \\ 3 & 7 & 0 \\ -5 & 0 & 35 \end{pmatrix}$ $D_1 = 2 > 0$
 $D_2 = 14 - 9 = 5 > 0$
 $D_3 = -5 \cdot (0 + 35) + 35 \cdot 5 = 0$

$$\Delta_1 = 2, 7, 35 \geq 0$$

$$\Delta_2 = 5, 215, 45 \geq 0$$

$$\Delta_3 = 0 \geq 0$$

A pos. semidefn.

e) $A = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -2 & -2 \\ -2 & -4 & -4 \\ -2 & -4 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} D_1 = -1 \quad \Delta_1 = -1, -4, -2 \leq 0 \\ D_2 = 0 \quad \Delta_2 = 0, -2 \\ D_3 = -2 \cdot 0 + 4 \cdot 0 - 2 \cdot 0 = 0 \end{array} \right\}$$

A indefinit

3. a) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -4 \\ -4 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ $D_1 = 1$ $D_2 = 3 - 16 = -13$ indefinite

b) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ $D_1 = 2$ $D_2 = 6$ $D_3 = 3 \cdot (2-1) = 3$ pos. defn.

c) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 & -2 \\ 2 & 3 & 2 \\ -2 & 2 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$ $D_1 = 3$ $D_2 = 9 - 4 = 5$ $D_3 = -2 \cdot (10) - 2 \cdot 10 + 8 \cdot 5 = -20 - 20 + 40 = 0$ $\Delta_1 = 3, 3, 8$ $\Delta_2 = 5, 20, 20$ $\Delta_3 = 0$ pos. semidefn

d) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & +1 \\ +1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ $D_1 = 0$ $D_2 = -1$ indefinite

e) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ $D_1 = 0$ $D_2 = 0$ $D_3 = 0$ $\Delta_1 = 0, 0, 0, 0$ $\Delta_2 = 0, 0, \textcircled{-1}$ \Rightarrow indefinite

4. $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ $D_1 = 1$ $D_2 = 1$ $D_3 = 0$ $D_4 = 0$ $\Delta_1 = 1, 1, 1, 1 \geq 0$ $\Delta_2 = 1, 1, 0, 0, 1, 1 \geq 0$ $\Delta_3 = 0, 0, 0, 0 \geq 0$ $\Delta_4 = 0 \geq 0$ pos. semidefn