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Problem Sheet 4

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MA 1140 : Linear Algebra

1. Find the algebraic and geometric multiplicities of each distinct eigenvalues of the following matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 4 \\ 2 & 0 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

2. Using diagonalisation, find A^5 , where

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

3. Solve the initial value problem of the following system of differential equations using diagonalisation of matrices.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dx}{dt} &= 4x - 2y, \\ \frac{dy}{dt} &= x + y, \end{aligned}$$

and initial conditions are $x(0) = 3$; $y(0) = 5$.

4. Suppose $u, v \in V$, where V is a real inner product space. Then prove that

- $\langle u + v, u - v \rangle = \|u\|^2 - \|v\|^2$
- $\|u + v\|^2 + \|u - v\|^2 = 2(\|u\|^2 + \|v\|^2)$.

5. Compute the orthonormal basis for the subspace generated by the span $\{(1, 1, 1, 1), (-1, 4, 4, -1), (4, -2, 2, 0)\}$ in \mathbb{R}^4 .

6. Suppose $u, v \in V$, where V is a real inner product space. Then prove that u and v are orthogonal vectors iff $\|u + v\| = \|u - v\|$.

7. The matrices A and B have same eigenvalues, where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & 1 \\ -2 & d \end{bmatrix}; B = \begin{bmatrix} 114/25 & 48/25 \\ 48/25 & 86/25 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find the values of a and d .

8. Determine the orthogonal projection of the vector $(2, 0, -1, 3)$ onto the plane generated by the span of $\{(0, 1, 1, 1), (-1, 1, 0, 1)\}$ in \mathbb{R}^4 .