

## Exercise Sheet 1

1. Consider the symmetric matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Localize the spectrum of the inverse matrix  $A^{-1}$ , using the Gershgorin circle theorem.

2. A matrix  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  is diagonalizable if it has  $n$  distinct eigenvalues. Apply the Gershgorin circle theorem to show that the following matrix is diagonalizable,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -20 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & -10 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 0 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 10 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 20 \end{bmatrix}.$$

3. Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Approximate the biggest eigenvalue of  $A$  using the Power method. Perform three steps of the method with initial vector  $x^{(0)} = (1, 1, 1)^T$ .

4. Consider the QR-algorithm for a matrix  $A$ : Let  $A_0 = A$ , then

$$A_{k+1} = R_k Q_k, \quad k \in \mathbb{N},$$

where  $A_k = Q_k R_k$  is the QR-decomposition of  $A_k$ ,  $Q_k$  is unitary matrix and  $R_k$  is right triangular matrix. Show that:

- (a)  $A_{k+1} = Q_k^* A_k Q_k$
- (b)  $A_{k+1} = (Q_0 Q_1 \cdots Q_k)^* A (Q_0 Q_1 \cdots Q_k)$
- (c)  $A^{k+1} = (Q_0 Q_1 \cdots Q_k) (R_k R_{k-1} \cdots R_0)$

5. Let  $A, B \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$  be symmetric and  $B$  positive definite. Then, the generalized eigenvalue problem is to find  $\lambda \in \sigma(A, B)$  and a non-zero  $x \in \mathbb{C}^n$  such that

$$Ax = \lambda Bx.$$

Show that the pair  $(A, B)$  has real eigenvalues and linearly independent eigenvectors and that there exist a non-singular matrix  $H \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  such that

$$H^T A H = \text{diag}(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n), \quad H^T B H = I,$$

where  $\lambda_j, j = 1, \dots, n$  are the eigenvalues of  $(A, B)$  and  $I \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  is the identity matrix.

6. Write a MATLAB-PROGRAM that for a given matrix  $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$  results in a graph that represents the Gershgorin circles for the matrices  $A$  and  $A^*$  in the complex plane.
7. Consider a symmetric matrix  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  with  $n$  real eigenvalues

$$|\lambda_1| > \dots > |\lambda_n|$$

and corresponding eigenvectors which form an orthonormal basis  $\{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$ , (with respect to the  $\|\cdot\|_2$  norm). Then, the matrix  $B$  given by

$$B = A - \lambda_k v_k v_k^T, \quad \text{for a given } k = 1, \dots, n$$

admits the eigenvalues  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_{k-1}, 0, \lambda_{k+1}, \dots, \lambda_n$ . Implement in MATLAB, a function that approximates all the eigenvalues of  $A$ , considering the Power method and the given matrix  $B$ .