# Problem Set 5

June 10, 2021

#### Deadline: June 18th

All problems from Lax's *Linear Algebra and its Applications*, as well as the problems from this set, are recommended.

All problems from this set should be **sent by e-mail** (scanned, typed or photographed) to juliahdomingues@hotmail.com:

### **Exercise 1**

Let a and b be real numbers.

a) If

$$K = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & b \\ -b & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Show that

$$e^{tK} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(bt) & \sin(bt) \\ -\sin(bt) & \cos(bt) \end{pmatrix}$$

b) If

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ -b & a \end{pmatrix}$$

Show that

$$e^{tA} = \begin{pmatrix} e^{at}\cos(bt) & e^{at}\sin(bt) \\ -e^{at}\sin(bt) & e^{at}\cos(bt) \end{pmatrix}$$

# **Exercise 2**

Let *A*, *B* be  $n \times n$  real matrices. Suppose that *A* and *B* are positive. Prove that the eigenvalues of *AB* are all positive.

#### **Exercise 3**

Compute a singular value decomposition for the matrix

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

Describe the algorithm you are using to compute such decomposition and give a brief argument of why it works.

## **Exercise 4**

Let A be an  $n \times m$  matrix, let  $A = U\Sigma V^T$  be any SVD for A, with U, V orthogonal of size  $m \times m$  and  $n \times n$  respectively and

$$\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} D & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Here  $\Sigma$  is written in block form,  $D = \text{diag}(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, ..., \lambda_r)$  and  $\lambda_i > 0$ . Let us call  $U = [\mathbf{u}_1, ..., \mathbf{u}_r, ..., \mathbf{u}_m]$ and  $V = [\mathbf{v}_1, ..., \mathbf{v}_r, ..., \mathbf{v}_n]$  to see that the columns are orthonormal bases of  $\mathbb{R}^m$  and  $\mathbb{R}^n$  respectively.

Prove that

- a) The rank of *A* is *r* and  $\sqrt{\lambda_1}, \dots, \sqrt{\lambda_r}$  are the singular values of *A*.
- b)  $\{\mathbf{u}_1, \dots, \mathbf{u}_r\}$  is an orthonormal basis of the column space of *A*.
- c)  $\{\mathbf{u}_{r+1}, \dots, \mathbf{u}_m\}$  is an orthonormal basis of the null space of  $A^T$ .
- d)  $\{\mathbf{v}_{r+1}, \dots, \mathbf{v}_n\}$  is an orthonormal basis of the null space of *A*.
- e)  $\{\mathbf{v}_r, \dots, \mathbf{v}_r\}$  is an orthonormal basis of the row space of *A*.

## **Exercise 5**

Given a SVD for an invertible matrix *A*, find one for  $A^{-1}$ . How are  $\Sigma_A$  and  $\Sigma_{A^{-1}}$  related?