

Linear Operators

LA5◊1. Find the matrix of linear operator

- (a) of a 2-dimensional rotation on some angle α ,
- (b) of a 3-dimensional rotation on $2\pi/3$ around the line, which is given by equations $x_1 = x_2 = x_3$ in the standard basis,
- (c) $X \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} X$ in the space $\text{Mat}_2(\mathbb{R})$ with the standard basis.

LA5◊2. Suppose $f(t) = f_1(t)f_2(t)$ is a decomposition of a polynomial $f(t)$ into the product of two relatively prime polynomials and suppose that $f(A) = 0$ for some linear operator A . Prove that there exist such basis that

$$A \simeq \begin{pmatrix} A_1 & 0 \\ 0 & A_2 \end{pmatrix},$$

where $f_1(A_1) = f_2(A_2) = 0$.

LA5◊3. Prove that an eigenspace $V_\lambda(A)$ of an operator A is an invariant subspace for each operator B such that $AB = BA$.

LA5◊4. Suppose A, B are some linear operators in the same vector space V . Prove that $f_{AB}(t) \equiv f_{BA}(t)$.

LA5◊5. Suppose $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n$ are the eigenvalues of some matrix A . Find the eigenvalues of an operator

- (a) $X \mapsto AX^tA$ in the space $\text{Mat}_n(\mathbb{R})$,
- (b) $X \mapsto AXA^{-1}$ in the space $\text{Mat}_n(\mathbb{R})$.

LA5◊6. Find the Jordan Form of a matrix A and give a geometric description of the corresponding linear operator, if

- (a) $A^2 = E$,
- (b) $A^2 = A$.

LA5◊7. Find the Jordan Form of a matrix A , if $A^3 = A^2$.