

# INTRODUCTION TO NUMERICAL ANALYSIS

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# **5. EIGENVALUES AND EIGENVECTORS**

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### Eigenvalue

The word eigenvalue is derived from the German word eigenwert, which means "proper or characteristic value."

 $[a][u] = \lambda[u]$ 

Generalized form

 $Lu = \lambda u$ 

- *L* : operator that can represent multiplication by a matrix, differentiation, integration, and so on.
- Ex) : second differentiation with respect to *x*, *y*

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = k^2y$$

 $\lambda$ : eigenvalue associated by the operator L

u: eigenvector or eigenfunction corresponding to the eigenvalue  $\lambda$  and operator L

# 5.1 Background

### Importance of eigenvalues and eigenvectors in science and engineering

- Ex) vibration
  - Eigenvalues represent the natural frequencies of a system or component.
  - Eigenvectors represent the modes of these vibrations.
  - Important to identify these natural frequencies
    - Periodic external loads at or near these frequencies, resonance can cause the motion of the structure to be amplified.
    - Leading to failure of the component
- Mechanics of materials
  - The principal stresses are the eigenvalues of the stress matrix.
  - The principal directions are the directions of the associated eigenvectors.

# 5.1 Background

### Importance of eigenvalues and eigenvectors in science and engineering

- Quantum mechanics
  - In Heisenberg's formulation of quantum mechanics

 $L\Psi=c\Psi$ 

- $-\ \Psi$  : any quantity that can be measured or inferred experimentally, wave function
  - Such as position, velocity, or energy
- c : eigenvalue
- Ex)

$$\frac{ih}{2\pi}\frac{\partial\Psi}{\partial t} = E\Psi \qquad \qquad -i\frac{h}{2\pi}\vec{\nabla}\Psi = \vec{p}\Psi$$

$$\frac{ih}{2\pi}\frac{\partial}{\partial t}($$
) : energy operator  $-i\frac{h}{2\pi}\vec{\nabla}($ ) : momentum operator

### Importance of eigenvalues and eigenvectors in science and engineering

- Link between eigenvalue problems involving differential equations and eigenvalue problems involving matrices ?
- Numerical solution of eigenvalue problems involving ODEs
  - Results in systems of simultaneous equations

 $[a][u] = \lambda[u]$ 

- Eigenvalues of a matrix can also provide useful information
  - Jacobi and Gauss-Siedel iterative methods

 $x_i^{(k+1)} = b'_i - [a] x_i^{(k)}$ 

- It turns out that whether or not these iterative methods converge to a solution depends on the eigenvalues of the matrix [a].
- How quickly the iterations converge depends on the magnitudes of the eigenvalues of [*a*].

### Eigenvalues of a matrix

 $[a-\lambda I][u] = 0$ 

- $[a \lambda I]$ : non-singular (if it has an inverse)  $\Rightarrow [u] = 0$  (trivial solution)
- $[a \lambda I]$  : singular (if it does not have an inverse)  $\Rightarrow [u] = 0$  (non-trivial solution is possible.)

### Characteristic equation

 $\det[a - \lambda I] = 0$ 

- Polynomial equation for  $\lambda$
- For a small matrix [*a*]
  - The eigenvalues can be determined directly by calculating the determinant and solving for the roots
    of the characteristic equation.
- For a large matrix
  - Difficult to determine
  - Various numerical methods: power method and QR factorization method

### Power method

- Iterative procedure for determining the <u>largest real eigenvalue</u> and the corresponding eigenvector of a matrix
- For a  $(n \times n)$  matrix [a], n distinct real eigenvalues and n associated eigenvectors

$$\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n \qquad [u]_1, [u]_2, \dots, [u]_n$$
$$\lambda_1 |> |\lambda_2|> \dots > |\lambda_n|$$

- Eigenvectors are linearly independent!
  - Any vector can be written as a linear combination of the basis vectors.

 $[x] = c_1[u]_1 + c_2[u]_2 + \dots + c_n[u]_n \qquad c_i \neq 0$ 

# **5.3 Basic Power Method**

### Power method

• Successive iteration

$$[a][x]_{1} = c_{1}[a][u]_{1} + c_{2}[a][u]_{2} + \dots + c_{n}[a][u]_{n} = \lambda_{1}c_{1}[x]_{2}$$
$$[a][x]_{2} = \lambda_{1}[u]_{1} + \frac{c_{2}\lambda_{2}^{2}}{c_{1}\lambda_{1}}[u]_{2} + \dots + \frac{c_{n}\lambda_{n}^{2}}{c_{1}\lambda_{1}}[u]_{n} = \lambda_{1}[x]_{3}$$
$$[a][x]_{3} = \lambda_{1}[u]_{1} + \frac{c_{2}\lambda_{2}^{3}}{c_{1}\lambda_{1}^{2}}[u]_{2} + \dots + \frac{c_{n}\lambda_{n}^{3}}{c_{1}\lambda_{1}^{2}}[u]_{n} = \lambda_{1}[x]_{4}$$

$$[x]_{2} = [u]_{1} + \frac{c_{2}\lambda_{2}}{c_{1}\lambda_{1}}[u]_{2} + \dots + \frac{c_{n}\lambda_{n}}{c_{1}\lambda_{1}}[u]_{n}$$
$$[x]_{2} = [u]_{1} + \frac{c_{2}\lambda_{2}^{2}}{c_{1}\lambda_{1}}[u]_{2} + \dots + \frac{c_{n}\lambda_{n}^{2}}{c_{1}\lambda_{1}}[u]_{n}$$

$$[x]_{3} = [u]_{1} + \frac{1}{c_{1}} \frac{1}{\lambda_{1}^{2}} [u]_{2} + \dots + \frac{1}{c_{1}} \frac{1}{\lambda_{1}^{2}} [u]_{n}$$

$$[x]_{k+1} = [u]_1 + \frac{c_2}{c_1} \frac{\lambda_2^k}{\lambda_1^k} [u]_2 + \dots + \frac{c_n}{c_1} \frac{\lambda_n^k}{\lambda_1^k} [u]_n$$

# **5.3 Basic Power Method**

### Power method

#### Successive iteration

$$[x]_{k+1} = [u]_1 + \frac{c_2}{c_1} \frac{\lambda_2^k}{\lambda_1^k} [u]_2 + \dots + \frac{c_n}{c_1} \frac{\lambda_n^k}{\lambda_1^k} [u]_n$$

• When k is sufficiently large,

$$[x]_{k+1} = [u]_1 + \frac{c_2 \lambda_2^k}{c_1 \lambda_1^k} [u]_2 + \dots + \frac{c_n \lambda_n^k}{c_1 \lambda_1^k} [u]_n \qquad [x]_{k+1}$$

$$[x]_{k+1} = [u]_1$$

 $[a][x]_{k+1} \rightarrow \lambda_1[u]_1$ 

### Power method

- Algorithm of the power method
  - Start with a column eigenvector  $[x]_i$  of length n. (the vector can be any non zero vector)
  - Multiply the vector  $[x]_i$  by the matrix  $[a] \Rightarrow [x]_{i+1}$

 $[x]_{i+1} = [a][x]_i$ 

- Normalizing  $[x]_{i+1}$
- Assign the normalized vector and go back to the first step
- Convergence criteria

 $\|[x]_{i+1} - [x]_i\|_{\infty} \leq Tolerance$ 

# **5.3 Basic Power Method**

### Power method

### • Example

Example 5-2: Using the power method to determine the largest ei	genvalue of a matrix.
Determine the largest eigenvalue of the following matrix: $ \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & -2 \\ -2 & 8 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & -4 \end{bmatrix} $	(5.21)

Use the power method and start with the vector  $x = [1, 1, 1]^T$ .

$[x]_{2} = [a][x]_{1} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & -2 \\ -2 & 8 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 7 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = 7 \begin{bmatrix} 0.5714 \\ 1 \\ 0.2857 \end{bmatrix}$	$[x]_5 = [a][x]_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & -2 \\ -2 & 8 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.3936 \\ 1 \\ 0.3723 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2.8298 \\ 7.5851 \\ 3.2979 \end{bmatrix} = 7.5851 \begin{bmatrix} 0.3731 \\ 1 \\ 0.4348 \end{bmatrix}$
$[x]_{3} = [a][x]_{2} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & -2 \\ -2 & 8 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.5714 \\ 1 \\ 0.2857 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3.7143 \\ 7.1429 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = 7.1429 \begin{bmatrix} 0.52 \\ 1 \\ 0.56 \end{bmatrix}$	$[x]_{6} = [a][x]_{5} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & -2 \\ -2 & 8 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.3731 \\ 1 \\ 0.4348 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2.6227 \\ 7.6886 \\ 3.0070 \end{bmatrix} = 7.6886 \begin{bmatrix} 0.3411 \\ 1 \\ 0.3911 \end{bmatrix}$
$[x]_{4} = [a][x]_{3} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & -2 \\ -2 & 8 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.52 \\ 1 \\ 0.56 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2.96 \\ 7.52 \\ 2.8 \end{bmatrix} = 7.52 \begin{bmatrix} 0.3936 \\ 1 \\ 0.3723 \end{bmatrix}$	$[x]_{9} = [a][x]_{8} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & -2 \\ -2 & 8 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.3272 \\ 1 \\ 0.3946 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2.5197 \\ 7.7401 \\ 3.0760 \end{bmatrix} = 7.7401 \begin{bmatrix} 0.3255 \\ 1 \\ 0.3974 \end{bmatrix}$

### Power method

- Convergence of the power method
  - Converges very slowly unless the starting vector [x] is close to the eigenvector [u]
  - A problem can arise when  $c_1$  is zero.

$$[x]_{k+1} = [u]_1 + \frac{c_2}{c_1} \frac{\lambda_2^k}{\lambda_1^k} [u]_2 + \dots + \frac{c_n}{c_1} \frac{\lambda_n^k}{\lambda_1^k} [u]_n$$

- When can the power method be used?
  - Only the largest eigenvalue is desired.
  - The largest eigenvalue cannot be a repeated root of the characteristic equation.
    - Other eigenvalues with the same magnitude
  - The largest eigenvalue must be real.
    - Two eigenvalues with the same magnitude.

### Inverse Power Method

- To determine the <u>smallest eigenvalue</u>
- Power method: for the <u>largest eigenvalue</u>
- Apply the power method to the inverse of the given matrix [a]
  - This works because the eigenvalues of the inverse matrix  $[a]^{-1}$ 
    - Reciprocals of the eigenvalues of [*a*]

 $[a][x] = \lambda[x] \implies$ 

 $[a]^{-1}[a] = [I] \Rightarrow$ 

- $1/\lambda$  : eigenvalue of the inverse matrix  $[a]^{-1}$
- Application of the power method  $\Rightarrow$  the largest value of  $1/\lambda$  $\Rightarrow$  the smallest value of  $\lambda$

# **5.4 Inverse Power Method**

### Procedure

Starting vector [x]<sub>i</sub>

Multiplied by  $[a]^{-1}$ 

$$[x]_{i+1} = [a]^{-1}[x]_i$$

- Normalization
- Inverse matrix  $[a]^{-1}$  has to be calculated before iterations !
  - Calculating the inverse of a matrix is computationally inefficient and not desirable.

$$[x]_{i+1} = [a]^{-1}[x]_i \implies [a][x]_{i+1} = [x]_i$$

- By solving systems of linear equations,  $[x]_{i+1}$  can be obtained.
- This can best be done by using the LU decomposition method.
- With the power method and inverse power method, the largest and the smallest eigenvalues of a matrix can be found.
- In some instances, it is necessary to find all the eigenvalues.
  - Shifted power method, QR factorization method

# **5.5 Shifted Power Method**

### Shifted Power Method

 Once the largest or the smallest eigenvalue is known, the shifted power method can be used for finding the other eigenvalues.

 $[a][x] = \lambda[x]$ 

- λ<sub>1</sub>: the largest or smallest eigenvalue obtained by using the power method or inverse power method
- Shifted matrix

- $\alpha$  : eigenvalues of the shifted matrix  $\alpha = (\lambda \lambda_1)$
- $\lambda = \lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3, \dots, \lambda_n$

$$\alpha = 0, \lambda_2 - \lambda_1, \lambda_3 - \lambda_1, \lambda_4 - \lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n - \lambda_1$$

# **5.5 Shifted Power Method**

### Shifted Power Method

• Shifted matrix

$$[a - \lambda_1 I] \qquad \alpha = 0, \lambda_2 - \lambda_1, \lambda_3 - \lambda_1, \lambda_4 - \lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n - \lambda_1$$

- Apply the basic power method !
- The largest eigenvalue of the shifted matrix,  $\alpha_k$  can be determined.
- The eigenvalue  $\lambda_k$  can be determined.  $\alpha_k = \lambda_k \lambda_1$
- Repeat this process together with shifted inverse power method!
- Comment
  - Tedious and inefficient process!
  - QR factorization

### QR factorization and iteration method

- Popular means for finding all the eigenvalues of a matrix
- Based on the facts
  - Similar matrices have the same eigenvalues and associated eigenvectors.
  - The eigenvalues of an upper triangular matrix are the elements along the diagonal.
- Strategy
  - Transform the matrix into a **similar matrix** that is **upper triangular**.
  - Iterative process is required.
- The QR factorization method finds all the eigenvalues of a matrix, but cannot find the corresponding eigenvectors.
- For real eigenvalues
  - QR factorization method eventually factors the given matrix into an orthogonal matrix and an upper triangular matrix
- For complex eigenvalues (not covered in this course)

### Similar matrices

- Two matrices [a] and [b] are similar if
  - : similarity transformation
  - Similar matrices have the same eigenvalues and associated eigenvectors.

## Orthogonal matrix

Whose inverse is the same as its transpose

 $\Rightarrow [Q]^T[Q] = [Q]^{-1}[Q] = [I]$ 

### QR factorization and iteration procedure

• Start with the matrix  $[a]_1$ 

•  $[Q]_1$ : orthogonal matrix,  $[R]_1$ : upper triangular matrix

### QR factorization and iteration procedure

The first iteration

 $[a]_1 = [Q]_1[R]_1 \qquad [R]_1 = [Q_1]^{-1}[a]_1$ 

$$[a] = [c]^{-1}[b][c]$$

•  $[R]_1$  is multiplied by  $[Q]_1$  from the right

 $\Leftarrow [R]_1[Q]_1 = [Q_1]^{-1}[a]_1[Q]_1 = [Q_1]^T[a]_1[Q]_1$ 

- [a]<sub>1</sub> and [a]<sub>2</sub> are similar; have the same eigenvalues.
- The second iteration

 $= [Q_2]^T [a]_2 [Q]_2$ 

- [a]<sub>2</sub> and [a]<sub>3</sub> are similar; have the same eigenvalues.
- Iterations continue until an upper triangular matrix is resulted in.

The eigenvalues of an upper triangular matrix are the elements along the diagonal.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & X & X & X \\ 0 & \lambda_2 & X & X \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda_3 & X \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \lambda_4 \end{bmatrix}$$

### QR factorization

[a] = [Q][R]

• Householder matrix [*H*] for factorization

$$[H] = [I] - \frac{2}{[v]^{T}[v]} [v] [v]^{T}$$

- [v]: n-element column vector  $[v] = [c] + ||c||_2[e]$   $||c||_2 = \sqrt{c_1^2 + c_2^2 + c_3^2 + \dots + c_n^2}$
- $[v]^T$  : row vector
- $[v]^T[v]$  : scalar
- $[v][v]^T : (n \times n)$  matrix
- Special properties of [H]
  - Symmetric
  - Orthogonal
  - [H][a][H] : similar to [a]

$$[H]^{-1} = [H]^{T} = [H]$$

$$[a] = [c]^{-1}[b][c]$$

$$[H]^{-1}[H][a][H][H] = [a]$$

### QR factorization

[a] = [Q][R]

Step 1: identify the vector [c] and [e]

$$[c] = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} \\ a_{21} \\ \cdots \\ a_{n1} \end{bmatrix} \qquad [e] = \begin{bmatrix} \pm 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \cdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- In [*e*], the first element is
  - +1 : if the first element of [c] ( $a_{11}$ ) is positive.
  - -1 : if the first element of [c]  $(a_{11})$  is negative.
- $[H]^{(1)}$  can be constructed.
- $[Q]^{(1)} = [H]^{(1)}$  $[R]^{(1)} = [H]^{(1)}[a]$

$$[H] = [I] - \frac{2}{[v]^{T}[v]} [v] [v]^{T}$$

$$[v] = [c] + ||c||_2[e]$$

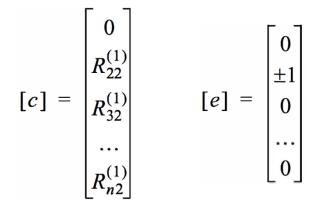
$$\|c\|_2 = \sqrt{c_1^2 + c_2^2 + c_3^2 + \dots + c_n^2}$$

$R_{11}^{(1)}$	$R_{12}^{(1)}$	$R_{13}^{(1)}$	$R_{14}^{(1)}$	$R_{15}^{(1)}$
0	$R_{22}^{(1)}$	$R_{23}^{(1)}$	$R_{24}^{(1)}$	$R_{25}^{(1)}$
0	$R_{32}^{(1)}$	$R_{33}^{(1)}$	$R_{34}^{(1)}$	$R_{35}^{(1)}$
0	$R_{42}^{(1)}$	$R_{43}^{(1)}$	$R_{44}^{(1)}$	$R_{45}^{(1)}$
0	$R_{52}^{(1)}$	$R_{53}^{(1)}$	$R_{54}^{(1)}$	$R_{55}^{(1)}$

### QR factorization

[a] = [Q][R]

Step 2: identify the vector [c] and [e]



- In [*e*], the second element is
  - +1 : if the first element of [c] ( $R_{22}^{(1)}$ ) is positive.
  - -1 : if the first element of [c] ( $R_{22}^{(1)}$ ) is negative.

 $[H] = [I] - \frac{2}{[v]^{T}[v]} [v] [v]^{T}$   $[v] = [c] + ||c||_{2} [e]$   $||c||_{2} = \sqrt{c_{1}^{2} + c_{2}^{2} + c_{3}^{2} + \dots + c_{n}^{2}} \begin{bmatrix} R_{11}^{(2)} & R_{12}^{(2)} & R_{14}^{(2)} & R_{15}^{(2)} \\ 0 & R_{12}^{(2)} & R_{13}^{(2)} & R_{14}^{(2)} & R_{15}^{(2)} \\ 0 & R_{22}^{(2)} & R_{23}^{(2)} & R_{24}^{(2)} & R_{25}^{(2)} \\ 0 & 0 & R_{33}^{(2)} & R_{34}^{(2)} & R_{35}^{(2)} \\ 0 & 0 & R_{43}^{(2)} & R_{44}^{(2)} & R_{45}^{(2)} \\ 0 & 0 & R_{53}^{(2)} & R_{54}^{(2)} & R_{55}^{(2)} \end{bmatrix}$ 

 $[a] = [H]^{(1)}[R]^{(1)} = [Q]^{(1)}[R]^{(1)}$  $[R]^{(1)} = [H]^{(2)}[R]^{(2)}$  $[a] = [Q]^{(1)}[H]^{(2)}[R]^{(2)} = [Q]^{(2)}[R]^{(2)}$ 

•  $[H]^{(2)}$  can be constructed.  $[Q]^{(2)} = [Q]^{(1)}[H]^{(2)}$   $[R]^{(2)} = [H]^{(2)}[R]^{(1)}$ 

### QR factorization

[a] = [Q][R]

Step 3: identify the vector [c] and [e]

$$\begin{bmatrix} c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ R_{33}^{(2)} \\ R_{34}^{(2)} \\ \dots \\ R_{n3}^{(2)} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \pm 1 \\ 0 \\ \dots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

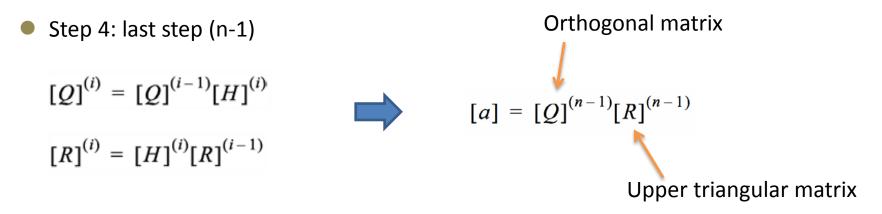
- In [*e*], the third element is
  - +1: if the first element of [c] ( $R_{33}^{(1)}$ ) is positive.
  - -1: if the first element of [c] ( $R_{33}^{(1)}$ ) is negative.
- $[H]^{(3)}$  can be constructed.

$$[Q]^{(3)} = [Q]^{(2)}[H]^{(3)} \qquad [R]^{(3)} = [H]^{(3)}[R]^{(2)}$$

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$R_{11}^{(3)}$	$R_{12}^{(3)}$	$R_{13}^{(3)}$	$R_{14}^{(3)}$	$R_{15}^{(3)}$
0	$R_{22}^{(3)}$	$R_{23}^{(3)}$	$R_{24}^{(3)}$	$R_{25}^{(3)}$
0	0	$R_{33}^{(3)}$	$R_{34}^{(3)}$	$R_{35}^{(3)}$
0	0	0	$R_{44}^{(3)}$	$R_{45}^{(3)}$
0	0	0	$R_{54}^{(3)}$	$R_{55}^{(3)}$

### QR factorization

[a] = [Q][R]



- Eigenvalue ?
  - $\ [a]_n = [R]_{(n-1)} \ [Q]_{(n-1)}$
  - $\ [a]_n = [Q]_{(n)} \ [R]_{(n)}$
  - $\ [a]_{n+1} = [R]_{(n)} \ [Q]_{(n)}$

Step for the factorization!

### QR factorization

### • Example

Example 5-3: QR factorization of a matrix.	
Factor the following matrix $[a]$ into an orthogonal matrix $[Q]$ and an upper tr	iangular matrix [R]:
$[a] = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -7 & 2 \\ 4 & -5 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	(5.56)

Step 1: The vector [c] is defined as the first column of the matrix [a]:

$$[c] = \begin{bmatrix} 6\\ 4\\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

The vector [e] is defined as the following three-element column vector:

$$[e] = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\ 0\\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

### QR factorization

Example

Using Eq. (5.40), the Euclidean norm,  $||c||_2$ , of [c] is:  $||c||_2 = \sqrt{c_1^2 + c_2^2 + c_3^2} = \sqrt{6^2 + 4^2 + 1^2} = 7.2801$ 

Using Eq. (5.39), the vector [v] is:

$$[v] = [c] + ||c||_{2}[e] = \begin{bmatrix} 6\\4\\1 \end{bmatrix} + 7.2801 \begin{bmatrix} 1\\0\\0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 13.2801\\4\\1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Next, the products  $[v]^{T}[v]$  and  $[v][v]^{T}$  are calculated:

$$\begin{bmatrix} v \end{bmatrix}^{T} \begin{bmatrix} v \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 13.2801 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 13.2801 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 193.3611$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} v \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v \end{bmatrix}^{T} = \begin{bmatrix} 13.2801 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 13.2801 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 176.3611 & 53.1204 & 13.2801 \\ 53.1204 & 16 & 4 \\ 13.2801 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

### QR factorization

Example

The Householder matrix  $[H]^{(1)}$  is then:  $[H]^{(1)} = [I] - \frac{2}{[v]^{T}[v]} [v] [v]^{T} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{2}{193.3611} \begin{bmatrix} 176.3611 & 53.1204 & 13.2801 \\ 53.1204 & 16 & 4 \\ 13.2801 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -0.8242 & -0.5494 & -0.1374 \\ -0.5494 & 0.8345 & -0.0414 \\ -0.1374 & -0.0414 & 0.9897 \end{bmatrix}$ Once the Housholder matrix  $[H]^{(1)}$  is constructed, [a] can be factored into  $[Q]^{(1)} [R]^{(1)}$ , where:

$$[Q]^{(1)} = [H]^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} -0.8242 & -0.5494 & -0.1374 \\ -0.5494 & 0.8345 & -0.0414 \\ -0.1374 & -0.0414 & 0.9897 \end{bmatrix}$$

and

$$[R]^{(1)} = [H]^{(1)}[a] = \begin{bmatrix} -0.8242 & -0.5494 & -0.1374 \\ -0.5494 & 0.8345 & -0.0414 \\ -0.1374 & -0.0414 & 0.9897 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -7 & 2 \\ 4 & -5 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -7.2801 & 8.6537 & -2.8846 \\ 0 & -0.2851 & 0.5288 \\ 0 & 0.1787 & 0.6322 \end{bmatrix}$$

This completes the first step.

### QR factorization

Step 2

$$\begin{bmatrix} c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ R_{22}^{(1)} \\ R_{32}^{(1)} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -0.2851 \\ 0.1787 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} e \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Using Eq. (5.40), the Euclidean norm,  $||c||_2$ , of [c] is:  $||c||_2 = \sqrt{c_1^2 + c_2^2 + c_3^2} = \sqrt{0^2 + (-0.2851)^2 + 0.1787^2} = 0.3365$ Using Eq. (5.39), the vector [v] is:

$$[v] = [c] + ||c||_{2}[e] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -0.2851 \\ 0.1787 \end{bmatrix} + 0.3365 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -0.6215 \\ 0.1787 \end{bmatrix}$$

Next, the products  $[v]^{T}[v]$  and  $[v][v]^{T}$  are calculated:

$$\begin{bmatrix} v \end{bmatrix}^{T} \begin{bmatrix} v \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -0.6215 & 0.1787 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \\ -0.6215 & \\ 0.1787 \end{bmatrix} = 0.4183$$
$$v \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v \end{bmatrix}^{T} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \\ -0.6215 & \\ 0.1787 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & \\ 0 & 0.3864 & -0.1111 & \\ 0 & 0.1111 & 0.0319 \end{bmatrix}$$

### QR factorization

Step 2

The Householder matrix  $[H]^{(2)}$  is then:  $[H]^{(2)} = [I] - \frac{2}{[v]^{T}[v]} [v] [v]^{T} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} - \frac{2}{0.4183} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.3864 & -0.1111 \\ 0 & 0.1111 & 0.0319 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -0.8474 & 0.5311 \\ 0 & 0.5311 & 0.8473 \end{vmatrix}$ Once the Housholder matrix  $[H]^{(2)}$  is constructed, [a] can be factored into  $[Q]^{(2)}[R]^{(2)}$ , where:  $[Q]^{(2)} = [Q]^{(1)}[H]^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} -0.8242 & -0.5494 & -0.1374 \\ -0.5494 & 0.8345 & -0.0414 \\ -0.1374 & -0.0414 & 0.9897 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -0.8474 & 0.5311 \\ 0 & 0.5311 & 0.8473 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -0.8242 & 0.3927 & -0.4082 \\ -0.5494 & -0.7291 & 0.4082 \\ -0.1374 & 0.5607 & 0.8166 \end{bmatrix}$ and  $\begin{bmatrix} R \end{bmatrix}^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} H \end{bmatrix}^{(2)} \begin{bmatrix} R \end{bmatrix}^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -0.8474 & 0.5311 \\ 0 & 0.5311 & 0.8473 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -7.2801 & 8.6537 & -2.8846 \\ 0 & -0.2851 & 0.5288 \\ 0 & 0.1787 & 0.6322 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -7.2801 & 8.6537 & -2.8846 \\ 0 & 0.3365 & -0.1123 \\ 0 & 0 & 0.8165 \end{bmatrix}$ 

### QR factorization

### • Example

Example 5-3: QR factorization of a matrix.	
Factor the following matrix $[a]$ into an orthogonal matrix $[Q]$ and an upper triangular i	matrix [ <i>R</i> ]:
$[a] = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -7 & 2 \\ 4 & -5 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	(5.56)

$[a] = [Q]^{(2)}[R]^{(2)}$		6 -7 2		-0.8242	0.3927	-0.4082	-7.2801	8.6537	-2.8846
$[a] = [Q]^{(2)}[R]^{(2)}$	or	4 -5 2	=	-0.5494	-0.7291	0.4082	0	0.3365	-0.1123
		1 -1 1		_0.1374	0.5607	0.8166	0	0	0.8165

$$\mathbf{q} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.824 & 0.393 & 0.408 \\ 0.549 & -0.729 & -0.408 \\ 0.137 & 0.561 & -0.816 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{n} \qquad \mathbf{q} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.992 & -0.113 & 0.047 \\ 0.102 & 0.976 & 0.192 \\ -0.068 & -0.186 & 0.98 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{n} \qquad \mathbf{q} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.999 & 0.04 & 0.026 \\ -0.042 & 0.997 & 0.072 \\ -0.023 & -0.073 & 0.997 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{n} \qquad \mathbf{q} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -0.028 & 0.01 \\ 0.028 & 0.999 & 0.032 \\ -0.011 & -0.032 & 0.999 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{n}$$

### Iteration

Repeat the factorization until the last matrix in the sequence is upper triangular.

 $A_n = [R]_{(n-1)} [Q]_{(n-1)}$ 

$$\begin{bmatrix} \lambda_{1} & X & X & X \\ 0 & \lambda_{2} & X & X \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda_{3} & X \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \lambda_{4} \end{bmatrix}$$

### Example

# Example 5-4: Calculating eigenvalues using the QR factorization and iteration method.

The three-dimensional state of stress at a point inside a loaded structure is given by:

$$\sigma_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} 45 & 30 & -25 \\ 30 & -24 & 68 \\ -25 & 68 & 80 \end{bmatrix} \text{ MPa}$$

Determine the principal stresses at this point by determining the eigenvalues of the stress matrix, using the QR factorization method.

#### Example

```
function [Q R] = QRFactorization(R)
% The function factors a matrix [A] into an orthogonal matrix [Q]
% and an upper-triangular matrix [R].
% Input variables:
% A The (square) matrix to be factored.
% Output variables:
% Q Orthogonal matrix.
% R Upper-triangular matrix.
nmatrix = size(R);
n = nmatrix(1);
I = eye(n);
O = I;
for j = 1:n-1
    c = R(:, j);
    c(1:j-1) = 0;
    e(1:n,1)=0;
    if c(j) > 0
                                              clear all
        e(i) = 1;
                                              A = [45 \ 30 \ -25; \ 30 \ -24 \ 68; \ -25 \ 68 \ 80]
    else
                                              for i = 1:100
        e(j) = -1;
                                                   [q R] = QRFactorization(A);
    end
    clength = sqrt(c'*c);
                                                   A = R^*q;
    v = c + clength*e;
                                              end
    H = I - 2/(v'*v)*v*v';
                                              Α
    O = O^*H;
                                              e = diaq(A)
    R = H^*R_i
```

# QR factorization

Householder matrix transformation

$$H = I - \frac{2uu^T}{u^T u}$$

• Characteristics

$$Hu = \left(I - 2uu^{T}\right)u = Iu - 2u\left(u^{T}u\right) = u - 2u = -u$$

- Eigenvalue: -1
- Orthogonal vector v

$$u^T v = uv = 0$$

$$Hv = \left(I - 2uu^{T}\right)v = v - 2u\left(u^{T}v\right) = v$$

- Eigenvector of householder matrix
- Eigenvalue: 1

### QR factorization

• Characteristics

$$H^{T} = (I - 2uu^{T})^{T} = I^{T} - 2(uu^{T})^{T} = I^{T} - 2(u^{T})^{T} u^{T} = I - 2uu^{T} = H$$

• Symmetric

$$HH^{T} = (I - 2uu^{T})(I - 2uu^{T})^{T} = I - 4uu^{T} + 4uu^{T}uu^{T} = I$$

Orthogonal

 $\alpha = \|x\|$ 

### QR factorization

• Characteristics

$$v = x + \alpha e$$
  $\alpha = ||x||$   $\alpha^2 = x^T x$ 

$$e^{T}x = x^{T}e, e^{T}e = 1$$
  $\alpha e = [\alpha, 0, \dots, 0]^{T}$ 

$$\|v\|^{2} = (x + \alpha e)^{T} (x + \alpha e) = x^{T} x + \alpha e^{T} x + \alpha x^{T} e + \alpha^{2} e^{T} e = 2\alpha^{2} + 2\alpha e^{T} x = 2\alpha(\alpha + e^{T} x)$$

$$Hx = \left(I - \frac{2vv^{T}}{v^{T}v}\right)x = x - 2\frac{vv^{T}}{v^{T}v}x = x - 2\frac{vv^{T}}{\|v\|^{2}}x = x - \frac{1}{\alpha(\alpha + e^{T}x)}vv^{T}x = -\alpha e$$

$$vv^{T}x = (x + \alpha e)(x + \alpha e)^{T}x = (xx^{T} + \alpha ex^{T} + \alpha xe^{T} + \alpha^{2}ee^{T})x$$
  
$$= xx^{T}x + \alpha ex^{T}x + \alpha xe^{T}x + \alpha^{2}ee^{T}x = \alpha^{2}x + \alpha^{3}e + \alpha(e^{T}x)x + \alpha^{2}(e^{T}x)e$$
  
$$= \alpha(\alpha + e^{T}x)x + \alpha^{2}(\alpha + e^{T}x)e = \alpha(\alpha + e^{T}x)(x + \alpha e)$$

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} \chi_1 \\ \chi_2 \\ \vdots \\ \chi_n \end{bmatrix} \to Hx \to \begin{bmatrix} -\alpha \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

 $\vec{x}$ 

œ

 $\vec{v}$ 

# QR factorization

• Characteristics

$$Hx = \left(I - \frac{2uu^{T}}{u^{T}u}\right)x = \left(-\alpha, 0, \dots, 0\right)^{T}$$

$$x = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \qquad \alpha^2 = x^T x = 17 \qquad \alpha = 4.123$$

$$u = x + \alpha e = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 4.123 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4.123 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$H = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -0.97 & -0.243 \\ -0.97 & 0.059 & -0.235 \\ -0.243 & -0.235 & 0.941 \end{pmatrix} \bullet H \cdot x = \begin{pmatrix} -4.123 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \bullet$$

### QR factorization with Householder matrix

• Step 1

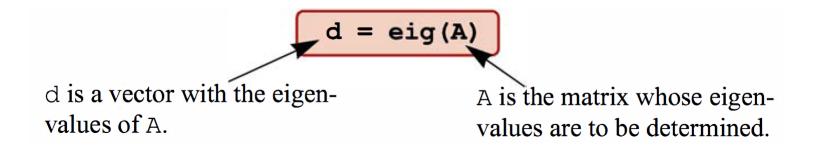
$$H_{1}A = H_{1} \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} * & * & \cdots & * \\ 0 & * & \cdots & * \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ 0 & * & \cdots & * \end{pmatrix} \qquad H = \begin{pmatrix} I - \frac{2uu^{T}}{u^{T}u} \end{pmatrix} \qquad \alpha = x^{T}x \qquad x = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} \\ a_{21} \\ \vdots \\ a_{n1} \end{pmatrix}$$

### • Step 2

$$H_{2}A_{1} = H_{2} \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ 0 & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ 0 & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \\ 0 & & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ 0 & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ 0 & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ 0 & * & \cdots & * \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ 0 & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ 0 & * & \cdots & * \\ \vdots & 0 & & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & * \end{pmatrix}$$

# **5.7 MATLAB Built-in Functions**

### Eigenvalues and eigenvectors





 $\lor$  is a matrix whose columns are the eigenvectors of A. D is a diagonal matrix whose diagonal elements are the eigenvalues.

A is the matrix whose eigenvalues and eigenvectors are to be determined.

# **5.7 MATLAB Built-in Functions**

### QR factorization

