

EXERCICE 3 (sheet for class 4)

A symmetric and which is positive semi-definite  
 [which means  $\forall x, x^T A x \geq 0$ ]

We want to show that all eigenvalues of A are non-negative  
 which means  $\geq 0$ .

→ Since A is symmetric, from the spectral theorem,  
 we know that there exists P an orthogonal  
 matrix such that :  $A = P D P^T$  where

$$\lambda_i: \text{eigenvalues of } A, D = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & 0 & \lambda_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A = P D P^T$$

Since  $A$  is positive semi-definite  $x^T A x \geq 0 \quad \forall x$

i.e.  $\underbrace{x^T P D P^T x}_{(P^T x)^T D (P^T x)} \geq 0$

$$D = \begin{pmatrix} d_1 & & & \\ & \ddots & & (0) \\ & & (0) & \ddots \\ & & & & d_n \end{pmatrix}$$

If  $P_x^T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = e_1$

$$\underbrace{(P_x^T)^T D (P_x^T)}_{\substack{1 \times n \\ n \times n \\ n \times 1}} = (1, 0, \dots, 0) \begin{pmatrix} d_1 & & & \\ & (0) & & \\ & & d_n & \\ & & & \ddots \\ & & & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = (1, 0, \dots, 0) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \lambda_1$$

If  $x = (P^T)^{-1} e_1 = Pe_1$ , then  $x^T A x = \lambda_1$

Since  $\forall x, x^T A x \geq 0$ , this implies that  $\lambda_1 \geq 0$

I can take  $x = Pe_i$  with  $e_i = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow i\text{th}$ ,  $x^T A x = \lambda_i$

Since  $x^T A x \geq 0$ , this implies that  $\lambda_i \geq 0$

$$\underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} P^T x \\ y \end{pmatrix}}_{=y}^T D \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} P^T x \\ y \end{pmatrix}}_{=y} = y^T D y \implies \sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i y_i^2 \geq 0$$


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If  $A$  is positive definite, we know  $x^T A x = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0$   
i.e. if  $x \neq 0$ , then  $x^T A x > 0$ .

Then if  $x = Pe_i \neq 0$ , therefore  $x^T A x = \lambda_i > 0$ .

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$\underbrace{\begin{matrix} n \times n & n \times m \\ \times & \times \end{matrix}}_{m \times m}$

From the rank-nullity theorem:  $\text{rank}(A) + \dim \ker(A) = m$

$$\text{rank}(A^T A) + \dim \ker(A^T A) = m$$

Therefore if we show that  $\dim(\ker A) = \dim \ker(A^T A)$ , we will have

$$\text{rank}(A) = \text{rank}(A^T A)$$

We will prove that  $\ker(A) = \ker(A^T A)$ .

1) We want to show that  $\ker(A) \subset \ker(A^T A)$ . Let  $x \in \ker(A)$ ,  $Ax = 0 \Rightarrow A^T A x = A^T 0 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x \in \ker(A^T A)$

2) We want to show that  $\ker(A^T A) \subset \ker(A)$ . Let  $x \in \ker(A^T A)$ ,  $A^T A x = 0$   
I multiply by  $x^T$ ,  $\underbrace{x^T A^T A x}_{(Ax)^T (Ax)} = x^T 0 = 0$   
 $(Ax)^T (Ax) = 0$   
 $\underbrace{(Ax)^T (Ax)}_{n \times n \quad n \times 1} = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow Ax = 0$  i.e.  $x \in \ker(A)$

$$y = Ax, y = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix}, (Ax)^T (Ax) = (y_1, \dots, y_n) \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix} = \sum_{i=1}^n y_i^2 = 0 \Rightarrow y_i = 0 \forall i$$

We have shown that  $\text{Ker}(A^T A) = \text{Ker}(A)$   
 $\Rightarrow \dim(\text{Ker}(A^T A)) = \dim(\text{Ker}(A))$   
 $\Rightarrow \text{rank}(A^T A) = \text{rank}(A)$  (see above).

## WRAP- UP :

Spectral Theorem: A  $n \times n$  symmetric can be diagonalized in an orthogonal basis, ie  $\exists U$  orthogonal matrix,  $D$  diagonal

$$A = U D U^T$$

$$D = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_n \end{pmatrix}$$

di: eigenvalues of  $A$

In addition if  $A$  is positive definite,  $\lambda_i > 0$

if  $A$  is positive semi-definite,  $\lambda_i \geq 0$ .

## POLAR DECOMPOSITION:

$A$   $n \times n$  matrix,  $\exists R$  orthogonal such that

$$A = R \sqrt{\underbrace{A^T A}_\text{Gram matrix, positive semi-definite}}$$

Gram matrix, positive semi-definite

# SINGULAR VALUE DECOMPOSITION

Start (for the moment) from a square matrix  $A$ ,  $n \times n$

$$(1) \quad A = R \underbrace{\sqrt{A^T A}}_{\uparrow} \quad (\text{polar decomposition})$$

↑ Symmetric positive semi-definite.

Then from the spectral theorem

$$(2) \quad \sqrt{A^T A} = V \Sigma V^T$$

$$\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$\lambda_i$ : eigenvalues of  $\sqrt{A^T A}$   
(= square root of eigenvalues of  $A^T A$ )

$V$ : orthogonal

$\lambda_i \geq 0$  because  $\sqrt{A^T A}$  is positive semi-definite.

I can put (1) and (2) together:

$$A = R V \Sigma V^T \quad \text{with } R \text{ and } V \text{ orthogonal}$$

$RV$  is orthogonal since  $R$  &  $V$  are orthogonal. Let denote  $U = RV$

Then:

$$A = U \Sigma V^T$$

with  $U, V$  orthogonal

$\Sigma$  diagonal with positive values.

$$A = U \Sigma V^T$$

$$\Sigma = \text{diag}(\lambda_i)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_n \end{pmatrix}$$

is a singular value decomposition of  $A$ ,  
SVD  $\lambda_i$  are called the singular values of  $A$ .

Note: This is different from diagonalization where :

$$A = P \Sigma P^{-1}$$

Here  $V \neq U$  are different matrices.

Proof that if  $R$  and  $V$  are orthogonal, then  $RV$  is orthogonal.

F need to show:  $(RV)^T (RV) = I$

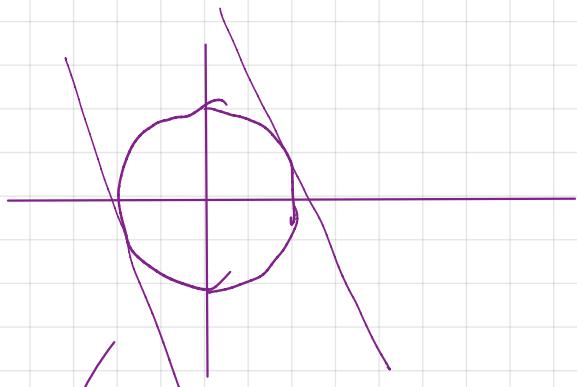
$$(RV)^T RV = V^T \underbrace{R^T R}_{I} V = V^T I V = V^T V = I$$

$R$  orthogonal

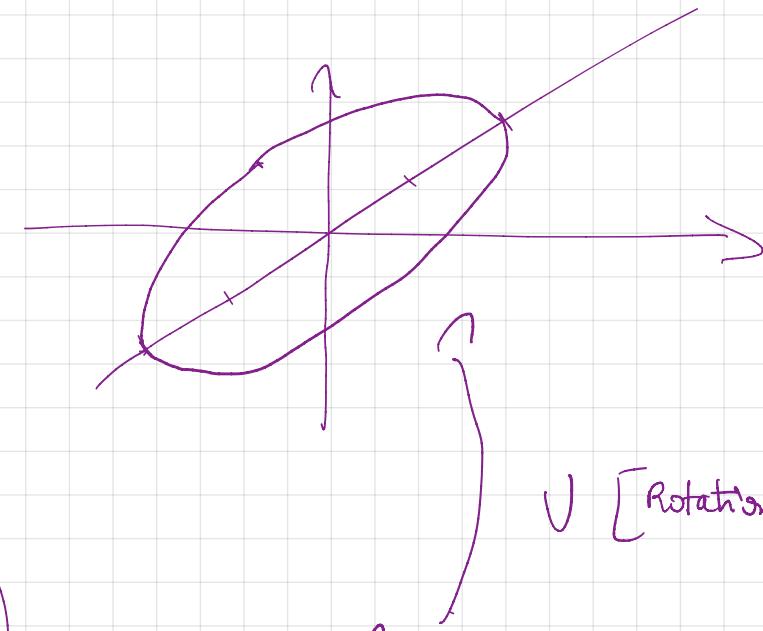
# GEOMETRICAL INTERPRETATION:

$$A = U \Sigma V^T$$

2D:

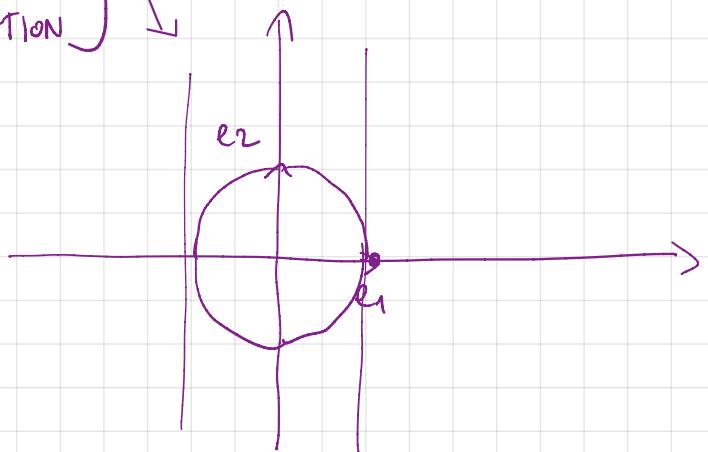


$A$



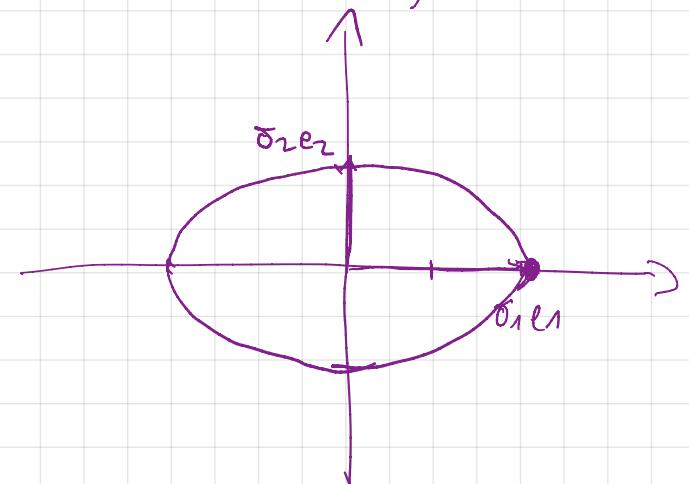
$V$  [Rotation]

$V^T$  is  
[orthogonal]  
 $\hookrightarrow$  ROTATION



$$\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

"stretch"



# SINGULAR VALUE DECOMPOSITION FOR RECTANGULAR MATRICES

Let  $A$  be  $m \times n$  matrix, there exist  $U, V, \Sigma$

$U$ :  $m \times m$  orthogonal matrix

$V$ :  $n \times n$  orthogonal matrix

$\Sigma$ :  $m \times m$

$$\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_1 & & & \\ & \sigma_2 & & (0) \\ (0) & & \ddots & \\ & & & \sigma_m \\ (0) & & & \\ (0) & & & \end{pmatrix}$$

$\swarrow n \quad \downarrow m$

$\sigma_i \geq 0$  singular value of  $A$

$$\sigma_1 \geq \sigma_2 \geq \dots \geq \sigma_r \geq 0$$

$r$  = number of non zero singular value.

$$r = \text{rank}(A) (= \text{rank } A^T A)$$

$$A = U \Sigma V^T$$

Where do  $U, \Sigma, V$  come from?

$$A = U \Sigma V^T$$

$m \times n$     $m \times m$     $m \times n$     $n \times n$

$$\begin{aligned} A^T A &= (U \Sigma V^T)^T (U \Sigma V^T) \\ &= (V^T)^T \Sigma^T U^T U \Sigma V^T \\ &= V \Sigma^T \underbrace{U^T U}_{I} \Sigma V^T \\ &= V \underbrace{\Sigma^T \Sigma}_{\substack{n \times m \\ m \times n}} V^T \quad \text{with } V \text{ orthogonal} \\ &\qquad \qquad \qquad \Sigma^T \Sigma : \text{diagonal matrix} \end{aligned}$$

$\Sigma^T \Sigma$  is the diagonal matrix that contains the eigenvalues of  $A^T A$  which are  $\geq 0$   
because  $A^T A$  is positive semi-definite.

$V$  contains the eigenvectors of  $A^T A$ .

→ Similarly

$$A A^T = U \Sigma V^T (U \Sigma V^T)^T = U \Sigma V^T V \Sigma U^T = U \Sigma \Sigma^T U^T$$

$U$  contains eigenvectors from  $A A^T$

$\text{Rank}(A) = \# \text{ non-zero singular values}.$

A square matrix is non-singular, ie invertible or full rank  
 $\Leftrightarrow$  all its singular value are non-zero.

. The ratio  $\frac{\sigma_1}{\sigma_m}$  tells how close A is to being singular

(The larger the ratio, the closest the matrix is from being singular)

The ratio is called the condition number of A .

## DETERMINANT

$\det(A) = |A|$  is a single number with lots of information.

$$\begin{aligned} (A \text{ is invertible}) &\iff (\det(A) \neq 0) \\ (A \text{ is singular}) &\iff (\det(A) = 0) \end{aligned}$$

Three properties :

①  $\det(I) = 1$

② If I exchange 2 rows of a matrix : reverse sign of determinant

Example

$$\begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = - \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -1$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 6 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

(3a) If I scale a row by  $t$  = determinant is multiplied by  $t$ :

$$\begin{vmatrix} ta & tb \\ c & d \end{vmatrix} = t \begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix}$$

(3b)

$$\begin{vmatrix} a+a' & b+b' \\ c & d \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} a' & b' \\ c & d \end{vmatrix}$$

linear funct<sup>o</sup> wrt 1st row, given 2nd fixed.

A and B are square matrices :

$$(i) \det(A) = \det(A^T)$$

$$(ii) \det(AB) = \det(A)\det(B)$$

If A is invertible :  $\det(A^{-1}) = \frac{1}{\det(A)}$

$$\begin{aligned} \det(AA^{-1}) &= \det(A)\det(A^{-1}) \\ \det(I) &= 1 \Rightarrow \det(A^{-1}) = \frac{1}{\det(A)} \end{aligned}$$

$\det(A) = \pm 1$  if  $A$  is orthogonal

PROOF:

$A$  is orthogonal

$$A^T A = I$$

$$\det(A^T A) = \det(I) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \det(A^T) \times \underset{\text{det}(A)}{\det(A)} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow |\det(A)|^2 = 1 \Rightarrow \det(A) = \pm 1$$

$$\det(A) = \begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix} = ad - cb$$

BACK TO SVD:

For a square matrix

$$A = \underset{n \times n}{U} \underset{n \times n}{\Sigma} \underset{n \times n}{V^T}$$

$$|\det(A)| = |\det(U \Sigma V^T)| = |\det(U)| |\det(\Sigma)| |\det(V^T)|$$

$U$  is orthogonal,  $|\det(U)| = 1$ ;  $|\det(V^T)| = 1$

$$|\det(A)| = |\det(\Sigma)| = \sigma_1 \cdots \sigma_m$$

↓      ↗  
 singular values

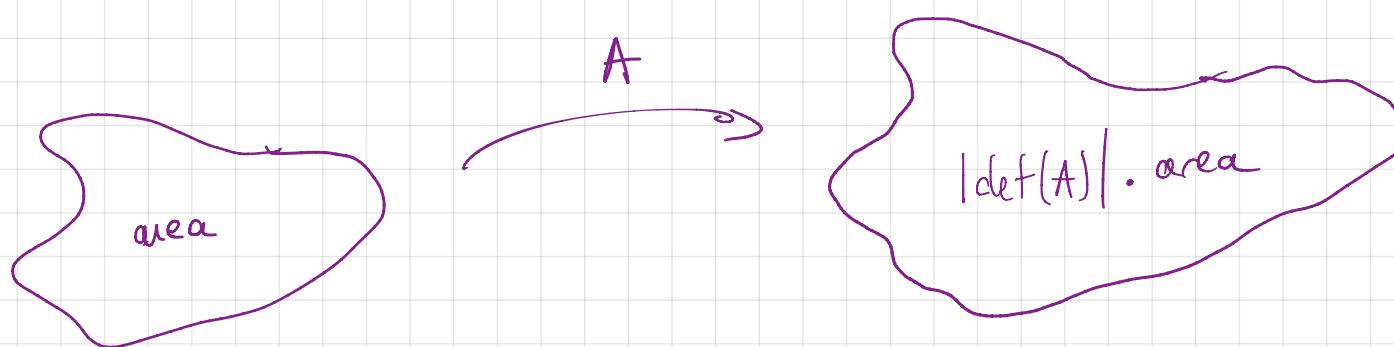
$$\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_1 & & \\ & \ddots & (0) \\ (0) & & \sigma_m \end{pmatrix} \quad \sigma_i \geq 0$$

$$\det(\Sigma) = \det \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_1 & & \\ & \ddots & (0) \\ & & \sigma_m \end{pmatrix} = \sigma_1 \det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \sigma_2 & & \\ & \ddots & \ddots & (0) \\ & & \ddots & \sigma_m \\ (0) & & & \ddots & \sigma_m \end{pmatrix} = \sigma_1 \sigma_2 \det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & \sigma_3 & & \\ & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & (0) \\ & & \ddots & & \sigma_m \\ & & & \ddots & \ddots \\ & & & & \ddots & \sigma_m \end{pmatrix} = \cdots = \sigma_1 \cdots \sigma_m \frac{\det I}{\det I} = \sigma_1 \cdots \sigma_m$$

Given a matrix  $A$ , the absolute value of  $|\det(A)|$   
 = product of the singular values of  $A$

### GEOMETRICAL INTERPRETATION

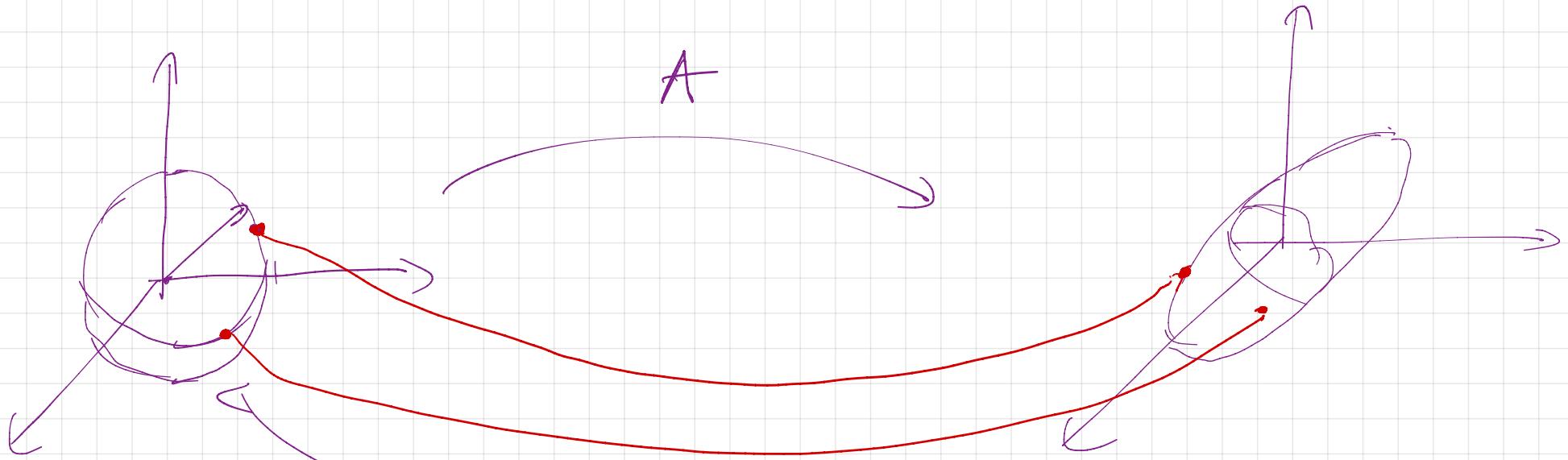
2D



The area is scaled via  $A$  by  
 $|\det(A)|$

in higher dimension:

$$\text{Volume} \xrightarrow{A} \text{New volume} = |\det(A)| \cdot \text{Volume}.$$



Ball is transformed into hyper-ellipsoid via  $A$

## EXERCICE 5 (class 4)

$A$  can be diagonalized     $V = [v_1, \dots, v_n]$

$$A = V D V^{-1} \quad D = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A^2 &= (V D V^{-1})(V D V^{-1}) = V D V^{-1} V D V^{-1} \\ &= V D I D V^{-1} \\ &= V D^2 V^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

$$D^2 = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1^2 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_n^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A^k = V \underbrace{D^k}_{\text{Diagonal matrix}} V^{-1}$$

Diagonal matrix

$$D^k = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1^k & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_n^k \end{pmatrix}$$

$A^k$  are diagonalizable, eigenvalues are  $\lambda_i^k$ , eigenvectors are the same as eigenvectors of  $A$

Other solution:

$v_i$  eigenvector of  $A$  associated to  $\lambda_i$

$$Av_i = \lambda_i v_i$$

$$\Rightarrow A^2 v_i = A(Av_i) = A(\lambda_i v_i) = \lambda_i Av_i = \lambda_i^2 v_i$$

$v_i$  eigenvector of  $A^2$  associated to  $\lambda_i$

EXERCICE 1:

$$Av = 3v$$

$$Aw = 2w$$

$$A^n u = A^n(v + w) = ?$$

$$Av = 3v \Rightarrow A^2 v = 3Av = 3^2 v \dots A^n v = 3^n v$$

$$A^n w = 2^n w$$

$$A^n u = A^n(v + w) = A^n v + A^n w = 3^n v + 2^n w$$

$$\frac{\|A^n(u)\|}{\|A^n v\|} = \frac{\|3^n v + 2^n w\|}{\|3^n v\|} = \frac{\|3^n v + 2^n w\|}{3^n \|v\|} = \frac{\|v + \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n w\|}{\|v\|}$$

$$\text{Since } \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0 \quad v + \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n w \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} v \quad \Rightarrow \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\|v + \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n w\|}{\|v\|} = \frac{\|v\|}{\|v\|} = 1$$

Property: If  $f: (E, \|\cdot\|) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is continuous in  $a \in E$

Then if  $x_n \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow \infty]{} a$

$$f(x_n) \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow \infty]{} f(a)$$

$$v + \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n w \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow \infty]{} v$$

$$\begin{cases} : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \\ x \mapsto \|x\| \end{cases}$$

is continuous in  $v$ , then

$$\underbrace{\left\| v + \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n w \right\|}_{f(v + (\frac{2}{3})^n w)} \xrightarrow{} \|v\|$$
$$\xrightarrow{} f(v)$$