

1. 請框出答案. 2. 不可使用手機、計算器，禁止作弊!

1. Find the characteristic polynomial, the real eigenvalues and a corresponding eigenvector of matrix A.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -8 & 4 \\ 1 & 0 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Answer: (a) the characteristic polynomial:  $\lambda^3 + 12\lambda^2 + 32\lambda = \lambda(-8 - \lambda)(-4 - \lambda)^2$  .

(b) the eigenvalues and a corresponding eigenvectors:  $(-8, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}), (-4, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}), (0, \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix})$   
.

2. The first two terms of the sequences are  $a_0 = 0$  and  $a_1 = 3$ . Subsequent terms are generated using the relation

$$a_k = 5a_{k-1} - a_{k-2}, \text{ for } k \geq 2$$

- (a) Write the terms of the sequence through  $a_4$ .  $a_2 = 15, a_3 = 72, a_4 = 345$
- (b) Find a matrix that can be used to generate the sequences, as the matrix  $A$  shown in the class.  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
- (c) Using the above matrix to find the  $a_2$  :  $\begin{bmatrix} 15 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_0 \end{bmatrix}, a_2 = 15$

**Solution :**

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_k \\ a_{k-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5a_{k-1} - a_{k-2} \\ a_{k-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_{k-1} \\ a_{k-2} \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} a_2 \\ a_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 15 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, a_2 = 15$$