

Homework Set 8 (Lecture 27)

Problem 8

Example 10. Determine the 2×2 matrix Q for rotation by 49 degrees.

Solution. Recall that the rotation matrix for angle θ is $Q = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$ (see Example 142 in Lecture 27).

$$\text{Hence, } Q = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(49^\circ) & -\sin(49^\circ) \\ \sin(49^\circ) & \cos(49^\circ) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\left(49 \cdot \frac{2\pi}{360}\right) & -\sin\left(49 \cdot \frac{2\pi}{360}\right) \\ \sin\left(49 \cdot \frac{2\pi}{360}\right) & \cos\left(49 \cdot \frac{2\pi}{360}\right) \end{bmatrix} \approx \begin{bmatrix} 0.6561 & -0.7547 \\ 0.7547 & 0.6561 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Problem 9

Example 11. Determine the square of the norm of the vector $\begin{bmatrix} 5 - 5i \\ 1 + 3i \end{bmatrix}$.

$$\text{Solution. } \left\| \begin{bmatrix} 5 - 5i \\ 1 + 3i \end{bmatrix} \right\|^2 = |5 - 5i|^2 + |1 + 3i|^2 = (5^2 + (-5)^2) + (1^2 + 3^2) = 50 + 10 = 60$$

Problem 10

Example 12. Given $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 - i & -1 + i \\ 3 - 3i & 2 + 3i \end{bmatrix}$, determine A^* .

$$\text{Solution. } A^* = (\bar{A})^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 + i & -1 - i \\ 3 + 3i & 2 - 3i \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 + i & 3 + 3i \\ -1 - i & 2 - 3i \end{bmatrix}$$

Problem 11

Example 13. Invert the complex number $5 - 4i$.

$$\text{Solution. } \frac{1}{5 - 4i} = \frac{5 + 4i}{(5 - 4i)(5 + 4i)} = \frac{5 + 4i}{5^2 - (4i)^2} = \frac{5 + 4i}{25 + 16} = \frac{5}{41} + \frac{4}{41}i$$