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Paradigm - All ONB are equivalent.

Examples: $A=A^* \Rightarrow$ e. values of A^2 are ≥ 0 True

In some ONB matrix of A is $D = \text{diag}(\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n)$ $\lambda_k \in \mathbb{R}$

$A^2, D^2 = \text{diag}(\lambda_1^2, \dots, \lambda_n^2)$ so e. values of $A^2 \geq 0$

If A^*A has only 0 & 1 as eigenvalues then A is orthogonal projection. True.

$$\vec{u}_1, \dots, \vec{u}_n = \beta \quad [A]_{\beta\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & 0 \\ & \ddots & \\ 0 & & 1 & & 0 \\ & & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & & 0 \end{pmatrix} \Bigg\}^k$$

If matrix of N in some ONB is diagonal, then $N^*N = NN^*$

N -diag., N^* -diag. & diag. matrices commute.

$N = UDU^*, N^* = UD^*U^* \quad (U = U^{**}), NN^* = UDU^*UD^*U^* = UDD^*U^*$

$N^*N = UD^*U^*UDU^* = UD^*DU^* \quad D^*D = DD^*$

Def. $N: X \rightarrow X$ is called normal if $N^*N = NN^*$

Examples: 1. A self adjoint $\Rightarrow A$ normal ($A^*A = A^2 = AA^*$)

2. $U: X \rightarrow X$ unitary $\Rightarrow U$ -normal $UU^* = I, U^*U = I$

Thm. (In $\mathbb{C}^n$) N -normal, then $\exists$ ONB $\vec{u}_1, \dots, \vec{u}_n$ s.t. matrix of N in this basis is diagonal $N = UDU^*$

Pf. Pick $\vec{u}_1, \dots, \vec{u}_n$, ONB s.t. matrix of N is upper triangular.

L. N -normal & upper triangular $\Rightarrow N$ -diagonal.

Pf. of L.: Induction in n , 1×1 trivial

Assume true for $(n-1) \times (n-1)$. Prove that true for $n \times n$.

$$N = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ & & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & & & a_{nn} \end{pmatrix} \quad N^* = \begin{pmatrix} \bar{a}_{11} & & & \\ \bar{a}_{12} & & & 0 \\ & \ddots & & \\ \bar{a}_{1n} & \dots & \bar{a}_{nn} \end{pmatrix} \quad N^*N = \begin{pmatrix} |a_{11}|^2 & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & |a_{nn}|^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$NN^* = \begin{pmatrix} |a_{11}|^2 + |a_{12}|^2 + \dots + |a_{1n}|^2 & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & |a_{nn}|^2 \end{pmatrix} \quad a_{12} = a_{13} = \dots = a_{1n} = 0$$

$$N = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & & & \\ \vdots & & N_1 & \\ 0 & & & \end{pmatrix} \text{ upper triang.} \quad N^*N = \begin{pmatrix} |a_{11}|^2 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & & & \\ \vdots & & N_1^*N_1 & \\ 0 & & & \end{pmatrix} \quad NN^* = \begin{pmatrix} |a_{11}|^2 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & & & \\ \vdots & & N_1N_1^* & \\ 0 & & & \end{pmatrix}$$

N_1 -normal & upper triang. $\Rightarrow N_1$ -diagonal

Ex. $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{vmatrix} 1-\lambda & -3 \\ 3 & 1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (1-\lambda)^2 + 3^2 = 0 \quad 1-\lambda = \pm 3i, \lambda = 1 \pm 3i$

$\lambda = 1+3i: (A-\lambda I) = \begin{pmatrix} -3i & -3 \\ 3 & -3i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{pmatrix} \quad \lambda = 1-3i: (A-\lambda I) = \begin{pmatrix} 3i & -3 \\ 3 & 3i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{pmatrix}$

orthonormal: $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{pmatrix}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{pmatrix}$

$A = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -i & i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1+3i & 0 \\ 0 & 1-3i \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -i & i \end{pmatrix}^* \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -i & i \end{pmatrix}^* = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & i \\ 1 & -i \end{pmatrix}$

Prop. Any normal operator with real e. values is self-adjoint.

Pf. - (diag. matrix with real entries is self adjoint)