

MATH 54 – MOCK FINAL EXAM – SOLUTIONS

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1. (20 points) Use the Gram-Schmidt process to obtain an orthonormal basis of $W = \text{Span}\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3\}$, where:

$$\mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{v}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -3 \\ 1 \\ 11 \end{bmatrix}$$

First of all, $\{\mathbf{w}_1, \mathbf{w}_2, \mathbf{w}_3\}$ is an orthogonal basis for W , where:

$$\mathbf{w}_1 = \mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{w}_2 = \mathbf{v}_2 - \left(\frac{\mathbf{v}_2 \cdot \mathbf{w}_1}{\mathbf{w}_1 \cdot \mathbf{w}_1} \right) \mathbf{w}_1 = \mathbf{v}_2 - \frac{7}{14} \mathbf{w}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{3}{2} \\ 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{w}_3 &= \mathbf{v}_3 - \left(\frac{\mathbf{v}_3 \cdot \mathbf{w}_1}{\mathbf{w}_1 \cdot \mathbf{w}_1} \right) \mathbf{w}_1 - \left(\frac{\mathbf{v}_3 \cdot \mathbf{w}_2}{\mathbf{w}_2 \cdot \mathbf{w}_2} \right) \mathbf{w}_2 = \mathbf{v}_3 - \frac{42}{14} \mathbf{w}_1 - \frac{-20}{10} \mathbf{w}_2 \\
&= \mathbf{v}_3 - 3\mathbf{w}_1 + 2\mathbf{w}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -3 \\ 1 \\ 11 \end{bmatrix} - 3 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} + 2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

Finally, an orthonormal basis for W is $\{\mathbf{w}_1', \mathbf{w}_2', \mathbf{w}_3'\}$, where:

$$\mathbf{w}_1' = \frac{\mathbf{w}_1}{\|\mathbf{w}_1\|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{14}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{w}_2' = \frac{\mathbf{w}_2}{\|\mathbf{w}_2\|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{w}_3' = \frac{\mathbf{w}_3}{\|\mathbf{w}_3\|} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

2. (10 points) Find a least squares solution to the following system $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$, where:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^T A \hat{\mathbf{x}} = A^T \mathbf{b}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \hat{\mathbf{x}} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 6 & -3 \\ -3 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \hat{\mathbf{x}} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Which gives:

$$\hat{\mathbf{x}} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -3 \\ -3 & 6 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{5}{9} \\ \frac{1}{9} \end{bmatrix}$$

3. (10 points) Find the orthogonal projection of t^2 onto the subspace W spanned by $\{1, t\}$, with respect to the following inner product:

$$\langle p, q \rangle = \int_{-1}^1 p(t)q(t)dt$$

Let $p_1(t) = 1$, $p_2(t) = t$, $p_3(t) = t^2$, then:

$$\hat{p}_3 = \left(\frac{\langle p_3, p_1 \rangle}{\langle p_1, p_1 \rangle} \right) p_1 + \left(\frac{\langle p_3, p_2 \rangle}{\langle p_2, p_2 \rangle} \right) p_2 = \left(\frac{\int_{-1}^1 t^2 dt}{\int_{-1}^1 dt} \right) (1) + \left(\frac{\int_{-1}^1 t^3 dt}{\int_{-1}^1 t^2 dt} \right) (t) = \left(\frac{2}{2} \right) (1) + \left(\frac{0}{\frac{2}{3}} \right) t = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\hat{p}_3(t) = \frac{1}{3}$$

4. (20 points)

Find a diagonal matrix D and an orthogonal matrix P such that $A = PDP^T$, where:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 4 \\ -2 & 6 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvalues:

$$\begin{aligned} \det(A - \lambda I) &= \begin{vmatrix} 3 - \lambda & -2 & 4 \\ -2 & 6 - \lambda & 2 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (3 - \lambda) \begin{vmatrix} 6 - \lambda & 2 \\ 2 & 3 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} + 2 \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ 4 & 3 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} + 4 \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 6 - \lambda \\ 4 & 2 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (3 - \lambda) ((6 - \lambda)(3 - \lambda) - 4) + 2((-2)(3 - \lambda) - 8) + 4(-4 - 4(6 - \lambda)) \\ &= -\lambda^3 + 12\lambda^2 - 21\lambda - 98 \end{aligned}$$

Now, using the rational roots theorem (the possible zeros are $\pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 7, \pm 14, \pm 49, \pm 98$), we get that $\lambda = -2$ is an eigenvalue, and using long division, we get:

$$-\lambda^3 + 12\lambda^2 - 21\lambda - 98 = -(\lambda - 2)(\lambda^2 - 14\lambda + 49) = -(\lambda - 2)(\lambda - 7)^2 = 0$$

Hence the eigenvalues are $\lambda = -2, 7$

Eigenvectors

$\lambda = -2$:

$$\begin{aligned}
Nul(A + 2I) &= Nul \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 & -4 \\ -2 & 8 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = Nul \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -2 & 4 \\ 1 & -4 & -1 \\ 0 & 18 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= Nul \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4 & -1 \\ 0 & 18 & 9 \\ 0 & 18 & 9 \end{bmatrix} = Nul \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= Nul \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= Span \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -\frac{1}{2} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} = Span \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

$\lambda = 7$:

$$\begin{aligned}
Nul(A - 7I) &= Nul \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 4 \\ -2 & 6 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = Nul \begin{bmatrix} -4 & -2 & 4 \\ -2 & -1 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= Nul \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= Span \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} = Span \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

Gram-Schmidt

$\lambda = -2$:

Let $\mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$, then $\mathbf{v}_1 = \mathbf{u}_1$, and:

$$\mathbf{w}_1 = \frac{\mathbf{v}_1}{\|\mathbf{v}_1\|} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} \\ -\frac{2}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

$\lambda = 7$:

$$\text{Let } \mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Then:

$$\mathbf{v}_1 = \mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{v}_2 = \mathbf{u}_2 - \frac{\mathbf{u}_2 \cdot \mathbf{u}_1}{\mathbf{u}_1 \cdot \mathbf{u}_1} \mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{4}{5} \\ \frac{2}{5} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

And finally:

$$\mathbf{w}_1 = \frac{\mathbf{v}_1}{\|\mathbf{v}_1\|} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{-2}{\sqrt{5}} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{w}_2 = \frac{\mathbf{v}_2}{\|\mathbf{v}_2\|} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{4}{\sqrt{45}} \\ \frac{2}{\sqrt{45}} \\ \frac{5}{\sqrt{45}} \end{bmatrix}$$

Conclusion:

Putting everything together, we get $A = PDP^T$, where:

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 7 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix}, P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{4}{\sqrt{45}} \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{-2}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{2}{\sqrt{45}} \\ \frac{-2}{3} & 0 & \frac{5}{\sqrt{45}} \end{bmatrix}$$

5. (20 points, 2 points each)

Mark the following statements as **TRUE** or **FALSE**. If the statement is **TRUE**, don't do anything. If the statement is **FALSE**, provide an explicit counterexample.

- (a) If A is a 3×3 matrix with eigenvalues $\lambda = 0, 2, 3$, then A must be diagonalizable!

TRUE (an $n \times n$ matrix with 3 distinct eigenvalues is diagonalizable)

- (b) There does not exist a 3×3 matrix A with eigenvalues $\lambda = 1, -1, -1 + i$.

TRUE (here we assume A has real entries; eigenvalues always come in complex conjugate pairs, i.e. if A has eigenvalue $-1 + i$, it must also have eigenvalue $-1 - i$)

- (c) If A is a symmetric matrix, then all its eigenvectors are orthogonal.

FALSE: Take A to be your favorite symmetric matrix, and, for example, take \mathbf{v} to be one eigenvector, and \mathbf{w} to be the *same* eigenvector (or a different eigenvector corresponding to the same eigenvalue). That's why we had to apply the Gram Schmidt process to each eigenspace in the previous problem!

- (d) If Q is an orthogonal $n \times n$ matrix, then $\text{Row}(Q) = \text{Col}(Q)$.

TRUE: (since Q is orthogonal, $Q^T Q = I$, so Q is invertible, hence $\text{Row}(Q) = \text{Col}(Q) = \mathbb{R}^n$)

- (e) The equation $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$, where A is a $n \times n$ matrix always has a unique least-squares solution.

FALSE: Take A to be the zero matrix, and \mathbf{b} to be the zero vector! This statement is true if A has rank n .

- (f) If $AB = I$, then $BA = I$.

FALSE: Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$. Then $AB = I$, but $BA = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$!

- (g) If A is a square matrix, then $\text{Rank}(A) = \text{Rank}(A^2)$

FALSE: Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, then $\text{Rank}(A) = 1$, but $A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, so $\text{Rank}(A^2) = 0$.

- (h) If W is a subspace, and $P\mathbf{y}$ is the orthogonal projection of \mathbf{y} onto W , then $P^2\mathbf{y} = P\mathbf{y}$

TRUE (draw a picture! If you orthogonally project $P\mathbf{y} = \hat{\mathbf{y}}$ on W , you get $\hat{\mathbf{y}}$)

- (i) If $T : V \rightarrow W$, where $\dim(V) = 3$ and $\dim(W) = 2$, then T cannot be one-to-one.

TRUE (by Rank-Nullity theorem, $\dim(\text{Nul}(T)) + \text{Rank}(T) = 3$. But $\text{Rank}(T)$ can only be at most $\dim(W) = 2$, so $\dim(\text{Nul}(T)) > 0$, so $\text{Nul}(T) \neq \{\mathbf{0}\}$)

- (j) If A is similar to B , then $\det(A) = \det(B)$.

TRUE (If $A = PBP^{-1}$, then $\det(A) = \det(B)$)

6. (20 points) Solve the following system $\mathbf{x}' = A\mathbf{x}$, where:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvalues:

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} 1 - \lambda & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 - \lambda & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = (1 - \lambda) ((1 - \lambda)^2 + 1) = 0$$

which gives you $\lambda = 1, 1 \pm i$.

Eigenvectors:

$\lambda = 1$:

$$\text{Nul}(A - I) = \text{Nul} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \text{Nul} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$\lambda = 1 + i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Nul}(A - (1 + i)I) &= \text{Nul} \begin{bmatrix} -i & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & -i & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & -i \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \text{Nul} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2i & -i \\ 0 & 1 & i \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \text{Nul} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 - i \\ 0 & 1 & i \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -2 + i \\ -i \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

Note: Here we used the fact that $\frac{1}{i} = \frac{i}{i^2} = -i$.

Now separate the eigenvector into real and imaginary parts:

$$\begin{bmatrix} -2+i \\ -i \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + i \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solution: Hence our solution is:

$$\mathbf{x}(t) = Ae^t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + B \left(e^t \cos(t) \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - e^t \sin(t) \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) + C \left(e^t \sin(t) \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + e^t \cos(t) \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

7. (10 points) Solve the following system $\mathbf{x}' = A\mathbf{x}$, where:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 4 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvalues:

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} 1 - \lambda & -1 \\ 4 & -3 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = (1 - \lambda)(-3 - \lambda) + 4 = \lambda^2 + 2\lambda + 1 = (\lambda + 1)^2 = 0$$

which gives $\lambda = -1$.

Eigenvectors

$$\text{Nul}(A + I) = \text{Nul} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix} = \text{Nul} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \text{Span} \{ [1 \ 2] \}$$

Generalized eigenvector:

Now find \mathbf{u} such that $(A + I)\mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$:

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 4 & -2 & 2 \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + s \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \mid s \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

Now let $s = 0$, and you get $\mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$.

Solution:

$$\mathbf{x}(t) = Ae^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + B \left(te^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + e^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

8. (20 points) Solve the following heat equation:

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} & 0 < x < 1, \quad t > 0 \\ u(0, t) = u(1, t) = 0 & t > 0 \\ u(x, 0) = x & 0 < x < 1 \end{cases}$$

Step 1: Separation of variables. Suppose:

$$(1) \quad u(x, t) = X(x)T(t)$$

Plug (1) into the differential equation (), and you get:

$$\begin{aligned} (X(x)T(t))_t &= (X(x)T(t))_{tt} \\ X(x)T'(t) &= X''(x)T(t) \end{aligned}$$

Rearrange and get:

$$(2) \quad \frac{X''(x)}{X(x)} = \frac{T'(t)}{T(t)}$$

Now $\frac{X''(x)}{X(x)}$ *only* depends on x , but by (2) *only* depends on t , hence it is constant:

$$(3) \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{X''(x)}{X(x)} &= \lambda \\ X''(x) &= \lambda X(x) \end{aligned}$$

Also, we get:

$$(4) \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{T'(t)}{T(t)} &= \lambda \\ T'(t) &= \lambda T(t) \end{aligned}$$

but we'll only deal with that later (Step 4)

Step 2: Consider (3):

$$X''(x) = \lambda X(x)$$

Note: Always start with $X(x)$, do **NOT** touch $T(t)$ until right at the end!

Now use the **boundary conditions** in ():

$$u(0, t) = X(0)T(t) = 0 \Rightarrow X(0)T(t) = 0 \Rightarrow X(0) = 0$$

$$u(1, t) = X(1)T(t) = 0 \Rightarrow X(1)T(t) = 0 \Rightarrow X(1) = 0$$

Hence we get:

$$(5) \quad \begin{cases} X''(x) = \lambda X(x) \\ X(0) = 0 \\ X(1) = 0 \end{cases}$$

Step 3: Eigenvalues/Eigenfunctions. The auxiliary polynomial of (5) is $p(\lambda) = r^2 - \lambda$

Now we need to consider 3 cases:

Case 1: $\lambda > 0$, then $\lambda = \omega^2$, where $\omega > 0$

Then:

$$r^2 - \lambda = 0 \Rightarrow r^2 - \omega^2 = 0 \Rightarrow r = \pm\omega$$

Therefore:

$$X(x) = Ae^{\omega x} + Be^{-\omega x}$$

Now use $X(0) = 0$ and $X(1) = 0$:

$$X(0) = 0 \Rightarrow A + B = 0 \Rightarrow B = -A \Rightarrow X(x) = Ae^{\omega x} - Ae^{-\omega x}$$

$$X(1) = 0 \Rightarrow Ae^{\omega} - Ae^{-\omega} = 0 \Rightarrow Ae^{\omega} = Ae^{-\omega} \Rightarrow e^{\omega} = e^{-\omega} \Rightarrow \omega = -\omega \Rightarrow \omega = 0$$

But this is a **contradiction**, as we want $\omega > 0$.

Case 2: $\lambda = 0$, then $r = 0$, and:

$$X(x) = Ae^{0x} + Bxe^{0x} = A + Bx$$

And:

$$X(0) = 0 \Rightarrow A = 0 \Rightarrow X(x) = Bx$$

$$X(1) = 0 \Rightarrow B = 0 \Rightarrow X(x) = 0$$

Again, a **contradiction** (we want $X \not\equiv 0$, because otherwise $u(x, t) \equiv 0$)

Case 3: $\lambda < 0$, then $\lambda = -\omega^2$, and:

$$r^2 - \lambda = 0 \Rightarrow r^2 + \omega^2 = 0 \Rightarrow r = \pm\omega i$$

Which gives:

$$X(x) = A \cos(\omega x) + B \sin(\omega x)$$

Again, using $X(0) = 0$, $X(1) = 0$, we get:

$$X(0) = 0 \Rightarrow A = 0 \Rightarrow X(x) = B \sin(\omega x)$$

$$X(1) = 0 \Rightarrow B \sin(\omega) = 0 \Rightarrow \sin(\omega) = 0 \Rightarrow \omega = \pi m, \quad (m = 1, 2, \dots)$$

This tells us that:

$$(6) \quad \begin{aligned} \text{Eigenvalues: } & \lambda = -\omega^2 = -(\pi m)^2 \quad (m = 1, 2, \dots) \\ \text{Eigenfunctions: } & X(x) = \sin(\omega x) = \sin(\pi m x) \end{aligned}$$

Step 4: Deal with (4), and remember that $\lambda = -(\pi m)^2$:

$$T'(t) = \lambda T(t) \Rightarrow T(t) = Ae^{\lambda t} = T(t) = \widetilde{A}_m e^{-(\pi m)^2 t} \quad m = 1, 2, \dots$$

Note: Here we use \widetilde{A}_m to emphasize that \widetilde{A}_m depends on m .

Step 5: Take linear combinations:

$$(7) \quad u(x, t) = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} T(t)X(x) = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \widetilde{A}_m e^{-(\pi m)^2 t} \sin(\pi m x)$$

Step 6: Use the initial condition $u(x, 0) = x$ in (8):

$$(8) \quad u(x, 0) = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \widetilde{A}_m \sin(\pi m x) = x \quad \text{on}(0, 1)$$

Now we want to express x as a linear combination of sines, so we have to use a **sine series** (that's why we used \widetilde{A}_m instead of A_m):

$$\begin{aligned} \widetilde{A}_m &= \frac{2}{1} \int_0^1 x \sin(\pi m x) dx \\ &= 2 \left(\left[-x \frac{\cos(\pi m x)}{\pi m} \right]_0^1 - \int_0^1 -\frac{\cos(\pi m x)}{\pi m} dx \right) \\ &= 2 \left(-\frac{\cos(\pi m)}{\pi m} + \int_0^1 \frac{\cos(\pi m x)}{\pi m} dx \right) \\ &= 2 \left(-\frac{(-1)^m}{\pi m} + \left[\frac{\sin(\pi m x)}{(\pi m)^2} \right]_0^1 \right) \\ &= \frac{2(-1)^{m+1}}{\pi m} \quad (m = 1, 2, \dots) \end{aligned}$$

Step 7: Conclude using (9)

$$(9) \quad u(x, t) = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{2(-1)^{m+1}}{\pi m} e^{-(\pi m)^2 t} \sin(\pi m x)$$