

1. **Eigenvalue problems.** Write a program that solves the eigenvalue problem

$$Ax = \lambda x, \tag{1}$$

where $A = (a_{ij})_{n \times n}$ is a square matrix and $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n)^T$ is a vector. Your program should read the matrix A from a file and produce the eigenvalue / vector pairs as output to the screen. Use Numerical Recipes routine `jacobi`. Are eigenvectors of this problem orthogonal?

2. **Eigenvalue problems cont'd.** Write a program that solves the eigenvalue problem

$$Ax = \lambda x. \tag{2}$$

Previously, the problem involved general symmetric matrices. Now, as more efficient methods exist for different types of matrices, solve the problem for (symmetric) tridiagonal A .

Again, your program should read the matrix A from a file and produce the eigenvalue / vector pairs as output to the screen. This time use Numerical Recipes routine `tqli`. If your matrix is not in tridiagonal form use Numerical Recipes routine `tred2`.

3. **Optional Homework Assignment: LAPACK package.** Extremely comprehensive set of well optimized routines for solving eigenvalue problems for different matrix types exist as a part of the LAPACK(Linear Algebra PACKage) package.

Improve the program of previous exercise to include routine `SSYEV`, which solves an eigenproblem for a symmetric matrix.

The package is freely available at <http://www.netlib.org/lapack/>