

that the trace is the sum of the eigenvalues (recall (7.1.7)) to conclude that  $\text{trace}(\mathbf{T}) = \sum_{i,j} \lambda_i \mu_j = \sum_i \lambda_i \sum_j \mu_j = \text{trace}(\mathbf{P}) \text{trace}(\mathbf{Q})$ .

**7.1.22.** (a) Use (6.2.3) to compute the characteristic polynomial for  $\mathbf{D} + \alpha \mathbf{v} \mathbf{v}^T$  to be

$$\begin{aligned} p(\lambda) &= \det(\mathbf{D} + \alpha \mathbf{v} \mathbf{v}^T - \lambda \mathbf{I}) \\ &= \det(\mathbf{D} - \lambda \mathbf{I} + \alpha \mathbf{v} \mathbf{v}^T) \\ &= \det(\mathbf{D} - \lambda \mathbf{I})(1 + \alpha \mathbf{v}^T (\mathbf{D} - \lambda \mathbf{I})^{-1} \mathbf{v}) \\ &= \left( \prod_{j=1}^n (\lambda - \lambda_j) \right) \left( 1 + \alpha \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{v_i^2}{\lambda_i - \lambda} \right) \\ &= \prod_{j=1}^n (\lambda - \lambda_j) + \alpha \sum_{i=1}^n \left( v_i \prod_{j \neq i} (\lambda - \lambda_j) \right). \end{aligned} \quad (\ddagger)$$

For each  $\lambda_k$ , it is true that

$$p(\lambda_k) = \alpha v_k \prod_{j \neq k} (\lambda_k - \lambda_j) \neq 0,$$

and hence no  $\lambda_k$  can be an eigenvalue for  $\mathbf{D} + \alpha \mathbf{v} \mathbf{v}^T$ . Consequently, if  $\xi$  is an eigenvalue for  $\mathbf{D} + \alpha \mathbf{v} \mathbf{v}^T$ , then  $\det(\mathbf{D} - \xi \mathbf{I}) \neq 0$ , so  $p(\xi) = 0$  and  $(\ddagger)$  imply that

$$0 = 1 + \alpha \mathbf{v}^T (\mathbf{D} - \xi \mathbf{I})^{-1} \mathbf{v} = 1 + \alpha \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{v_i^2}{\lambda_i - \xi} = f(\xi).$$

(b) Use the fact that  $f(\xi_i) = 1 + \alpha \mathbf{v}^T (\mathbf{D} - \xi_i \mathbf{I})^{-1} \mathbf{v} = 0$  to write

$$\begin{aligned} (\mathbf{D} + \alpha \mathbf{v} \mathbf{v}^T)(\mathbf{D} - \xi_i \mathbf{I})^{-1} \mathbf{v} &= \mathbf{D}(\mathbf{D} - \xi_i \mathbf{I})^{-1} \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{v} (\alpha \mathbf{v}^T (\mathbf{D} - \xi_i \mathbf{I})^{-1} \mathbf{v}) \\ &= \mathbf{D}(\mathbf{D} - \xi_i \mathbf{I})^{-1} \mathbf{v} - \mathbf{v} \\ &= (\mathbf{D} - (\mathbf{D} - \xi_i \mathbf{I}))(\mathbf{D} - \xi_i \mathbf{I})^{-1} \mathbf{v} \\ &= \xi_i (\mathbf{D} - \xi_i \mathbf{I})^{-1} \mathbf{v}. \end{aligned}$$

**7.1.23.** (a) If  $p(\lambda) = (\lambda - \lambda_1)(\lambda - \lambda_2) \cdots (\lambda - \lambda_n)$ , then

$$\ln p(\lambda) = \sum_{i=1}^n \ln(\lambda - \lambda_i) \implies \frac{p'(\lambda)}{p(\lambda)} = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{(\lambda - \lambda_i)}.$$

(b) If  $|\lambda_i/\lambda| < 1$ , then we can write

$$(\lambda - \lambda_i)^{-1} = \left( \lambda \left( 1 - \frac{\lambda_i}{\lambda} \right) \right)^{-1} = \frac{1}{\lambda} \left( 1 - \frac{\lambda_i}{\lambda} \right)^{-1} = \frac{1}{\lambda} \left( 1 + \frac{\lambda_i}{\lambda} + \frac{\lambda_i^2}{\lambda^2} + \dots \right).$$