18.06 Problem Set 9

Due Thursday, 18 November 2010 at 4pm in the undergrad math office. Please note that the problems from the textbook are out of the 4th edition: make sure to check that you are doing the correct problems. For MATLAB problems, please include a printout of your code with your problem set. You can type diary(''filename'') at the beginning of your session to save a transcript, and diary off when you are done.

Each Problem worth 10 points.

- 1. Do problem 12 from section 6.6.
- 2. Do problem 13 from section 6.6.
- 3. Do problem 1 from section 6.7.
- 4. Do problem 2 from section 6.7.
- 5. Do problem 3 from section 6.7.
- 6. Do problem 6 from section 6.7.
- 7. Do problem 7 from section 6.7.
- 8. Do problem 8 from section 6.7.
- 9. Do problem 1 from section 8.1.
- 10. Take an nxn jordan block MATLAB:diag(ones(n-1,1),1) and put a small number on the bottom left corner

what do you see if you plot the eigenvalues

say something about the difficulty of computing numerically eigenvalues of matrices with multiple eigenvalues