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# A STUDY ON $(\rho, \zeta)$ -CIRCULANT POLYNOMIAL MATRICES

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ABSTRACT.  $(\rho, \zeta)$ - Circulant polynomial matrices are defined. Its additive properties are investigated and characterizations are also given.

### 1. Introduction

Let  $(a_1(\alpha), a_2(\alpha), ..., a_n(\alpha))$  be an ordered n-tuple of polynomials with coefficients in the field of complex numbers and let them generate the circulant polynomial matrix [1][3] [4] of order n:

$$A(\alpha) = \begin{pmatrix} a_1(\alpha) & a_2(\alpha) & \dots & a_n(\alpha) \\ a_n(\alpha) & a_1(\alpha) & \dots & a_2(\alpha) \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ a_2(\alpha) & a_3(\alpha) & \dots & a_1(\alpha) \end{pmatrix}$$
(1.1)

We shall often denote this circulant polynomial matrix as

$$A(\alpha) = Circ(a_1(\alpha), a_2(\alpha), ..., a_n(\alpha))$$
(1.2)

In this paper, we define the  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrix and also, we examine some fundamental properties.

We found a characterization of  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrix. Let  $I_n(\alpha)$  be the unit n x n polynomial matrix.

Let  $A(\alpha) \in C_{n \times n}(\alpha)$ , then  $A^T(\alpha), A^*(\alpha)$  and  $|A(\alpha)|$  be its transpose, adjoint and the determinant respectively.

# **2.** $(\rho, \zeta)$ -Circulant Polynomial Matrices

Here we define  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrix. Also, we generalize some properties of  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant matrices found in [2], [5], [6], [7].

**Definition 2.1.** If a polynomial matrix is of the form,

 $A(\alpha) =$ 

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$$\begin{pmatrix} a_0(\alpha) & a_1(\alpha) & a_2(\alpha) & \dots & a_{n-2}(\alpha) & a_{n-1}(\alpha) \\ \rho a_{n-1}(\alpha) & a_0(\alpha) - \zeta a_{n-1}(\alpha) & a_1(\alpha) & \dots & a_{n-3}(\alpha) & a_{n-2}(\alpha) \\ \rho a_{n-2}(\alpha) & \rho a_{n-1}(\alpha) - \zeta a_{n-2}(\alpha) & a_0(\alpha) - \zeta a_{n-1}(\alpha) & \dots & a_{n-4}(\alpha) & a_{n-3}(\alpha) \\ \rho a_{n-3}(\alpha) & \rho a_{n-2}(\alpha) - \zeta a_{n-3}(\alpha) & a_{n-1}(\alpha) - \zeta a_{n-2}(\alpha) & \dots & a_{n-5}(\alpha) & a_{n-4}(\alpha) \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \rho a_2(\alpha) & \rho a_3(\alpha) - \zeta a_2(\alpha) & \rho a_4(\alpha) - \zeta a_3(\alpha) & \dots & a_0(\alpha) - \zeta a_{n-1}(\alpha) & a_1(\alpha) \\ \rho a_1(\alpha) & \rho a_2(\alpha) - \zeta a_1(\alpha) & \rho a_3(\alpha) - \zeta a_2(\alpha) & \dots & a_{n-1}(\alpha) - \zeta a_{n-2}(\alpha) & a_0(\alpha) - \zeta a_{n-1}(\alpha) \end{pmatrix}$$
it is known as a  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrix. which is denoted by

 $A(\alpha) = C_{(\rho,\zeta)}(a_0(\alpha), a_1(\alpha), ..., a_{n-1}(\alpha)).$ 

*Remark* 2.2. (i) If  $\zeta = 0$ , then  $A(\alpha)$  is a  $\rho$ -circulant polynomial matrix.

(ii) The polynomial matrix  $b(\alpha) = C_{(\rho,\zeta)}(0, 1, 0, ...0)$  is referred to as fundamental  $(\rho, \zeta)$  circulant matrix.

**Example 2.3.** A 4X4 (3,2)-circulant polynomial matrix is given below.

$$A(\alpha) = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha + \alpha^2 & 1 - \alpha & -3 + \alpha - 2\alpha^2 & 2 + 2\alpha + 3\alpha^2 \\ 6 + 6\alpha + 9\alpha^2 & -4 - 3\alpha - 5\alpha^2 & 1 - \alpha & -3 + \alpha - 2\alpha^2 \\ -9 + 3\alpha - 6\alpha^2 & 12 + 4\alpha + 13\alpha^2 & -4 - 3\alpha - 5\alpha^2 & 1 - \alpha \\ 3 - 3\alpha & 11 - 5\alpha - 6\alpha^2 & 12 + 4\alpha - 13\alpha^2 & -4 - 3\alpha + 5\alpha^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

=  $A_0 + A_1 \alpha + A_2 \alpha^2$  where  $A_0 = C_{(3,2)}(0, 1, -3, 2), A_1 = C_{(3,2)}(1, -1, 1, 2)$ and  $A_2 = C_{(3,2)}(1, 0, -2, 3)$ . that is

$$A_{0} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & -3 & 2\\ 6 & -4 & 1 & -3\\ -9 & 12 & -4 & 1\\ 3 & -11 & 12 & -4 \end{pmatrix} A_{1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & 2\\ 6 & -3 & -1 & 1\\ 3 & 4 & -3 & -1\\ -3 & 5 & 4 & -3 \end{pmatrix} A_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 3\\ 9 & -5 & 0 & -2\\ -6 & 13 & -5 & 0\\ 0 & -6 & 13 & -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

**Proposition 2.4.** If  $A(\alpha), B(\alpha)$  are  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrices, then  $A(\alpha) + B(\alpha), A(\alpha) - B(\alpha), \alpha A(\alpha)$  where  $\alpha$  is a scalar, are also  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrices.

**Proposition 2.5.** A polynomial matrix  $A(\alpha)$  is a  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrix if and only if  $A(\alpha) = f_{A(\alpha)}(b(\alpha)) = \left(\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} a_i(\alpha)b^i(\alpha)\right)$ .

**Theorem 2.6.** A matrix with polynomial coefficients  $A(\alpha) \in C^{(n \times n)}(\alpha)$  is a  $(\rho, \zeta)$ circulant polynomial matrix if and only if  $A(\alpha)b(\alpha) = b(\alpha)A(\alpha)$ .

*Proof.* Assume  $A(\alpha)$  is a  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrix. We must demonstrate our worth  $A(\alpha)b(\alpha) = b(\alpha)A(\alpha)$ 

Let  $A(\alpha)b(\alpha) = C_{(\rho,\zeta)}(a_0(\alpha), a_1(\alpha), \dots a_{n-1}(\alpha))$  be a  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrix. Then  $A(\alpha) = \left(\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} a_i(\alpha)b^i(\alpha)\right)$ .  $\Rightarrow (\alpha)b(\alpha) = b(\alpha)A(\alpha).$ 

Conversely, assume that  $A(\alpha)b(\alpha) = b(\alpha)A(\alpha)$ . Let us prove  $A(\alpha)$  is a  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrix.

If  $A(\alpha)b(\alpha) = b(\alpha)A(\alpha)$ , then

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$$\begin{split} b^{T}(\alpha)A^{T}(\alpha) &= A^{T}(\alpha)b^{T}(\alpha) \\ &(b^{T})^{i}(\alpha)A^{T}(\alpha) &= A^{T}(\alpha)(b^{T})^{i}(\alpha), \text{ i = 1,2,...} \\ \text{If } e_{i}(\alpha) \text{ is the } i^{th} \operatorname{column of } I_{n}(\alpha), \text{ then} \\ &b^{T}(\alpha)e_{i}(\alpha) &= e_{i+1}(\alpha) \text{ for } i = 1, 2, ... n - 1. \\ \text{Thus, we have } (b^{T})^{i}(\alpha)e_{i}(\alpha) &= e_{i+1}(\alpha) \text{ for } i = 1, 2, ... n - 1. \\ \text{Now } A^{T}(\alpha) &= A^{T}(\alpha)I_{n}(\alpha) \\ &= A^{T}(\alpha)[e_{1}(\alpha), e_{2}\alpha, \dots, e_{n}(\alpha)] \\ &= A^{T}(\alpha)[e_{1}(\alpha), b^{T}(\alpha)e_{1}\alpha, \dots, b^{T})^{n-1}(\alpha)e_{1}(\alpha)] \\ &= [A^{T}(\alpha)e_{1}(\alpha), b^{T}(\alpha)e_{1}\alpha, \dots, b^{T})^{n-1}(\alpha)(b^{T})^{n-1}(\alpha)e_{1}(\alpha)] \\ &= [A^{T}(\alpha)e_{1}(\alpha), b^{T}(\alpha)A^{T}(\alpha)e_{1}\alpha, \dots, b^{T})^{n-1}(\alpha)A^{T}(\alpha)e_{1}(\alpha)] \\ &= [\beta(\alpha), (b^{T})(\alpha)\beta(\lambda), \dots, (b^{T})^{n-1}(\alpha)\beta(\lambda)] \\ \text{where } \lambda^{T}(\alpha) \text{ is the first row of } A(\alpha). \\ \text{Let } \lambda^{T}(\alpha) &= (a_{0}(\alpha), a_{1}(\alpha, \dots, a_{n-1}(\alpha))) \\ \text{Thus } \lambda(\alpha) &= \left(\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} a_{i}(\alpha)e_{i+1}(\alpha)\right) \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} a_{i}(\alpha)e_{i+1}(\alpha), \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} a_{i}(\alpha)b^{T}(\alpha)e_{i+1}(\alpha), \dots \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} a_{i}(\alpha)(b^{T})^{n-1}(\alpha)e_{i+1}(\alpha)\right) \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} a_{i}\left(b^{T}\right)^{i}(\alpha)e_{1}(\alpha), (b^{T})^{i+1}(\alpha)e_{1}(\alpha), \dots, (b^{T})^{n+i-1}(\alpha)e_{1}(\alpha)) \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} a_{i}(\alpha)(b^{T})^{i}(\alpha) \\ &= \sum_{i=0$$

**Corollary 2.7.**  $|A(\alpha)| \neq 0$  is a  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrix if and only if  $A^{-1}(\alpha)$  is a  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrix.

Proof. Given that  $|A(\alpha)| \neq 0$  is a  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrix.  $\iff A(\alpha)b(\alpha) = b(\alpha)A(\alpha)$   $\iff A^{-1}(\alpha)b(\alpha) = b(\alpha)A^{-1}(\alpha)$  $\iff A^{-1}(\alpha)$  is a  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrix.

**Theorem 2.8.** If  $A(\alpha)$ ,  $B(\alpha)$  are  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrices, then  $A(\alpha)B(\alpha)$ and  $B(\alpha)A(\alpha)$  are  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrices and  $A(\alpha)B(\alpha) = B(\alpha)A(\alpha)$ .

Proof. Given that  $A(\alpha), B(\alpha)$  are  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrices. From theorem (2.6), we have  $A(\alpha)b(\alpha) = b(\alpha)A(\alpha)$  and  $B(\alpha)b(\alpha) = b(\alpha)B(\alpha)$ . Now  $[A(\alpha)B(\alpha)]b(\alpha) = A(\alpha)[B(\alpha)b(\alpha)]$   $= A(\alpha)[b(\alpha)B(\alpha)]$   $= [A(\alpha)b(\alpha)]B(\alpha)$  $= b(\alpha)[A(\alpha)B(\alpha)]$ 

Thus  $A(\alpha)B(\alpha)$  is a  $(\rho,\zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrix.

Also,  $[B(\alpha)A(\alpha)]b(\alpha) = B(\alpha)[A(\alpha)b(\alpha)]$   $= B(\alpha)[b(\alpha)A(\alpha)]$   $= [B(\alpha)b(\alpha)]A(\alpha)]$   $= [b(\alpha)B(\alpha)]A(\alpha)]$   $= b(\alpha)[B(\alpha)A(\alpha)]$ Hence  $B(\alpha)A(\alpha)$  is a  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrix.

We can deduce from proposition that (2.5), we assume that  $A(\alpha) = f(b(\alpha))$  and  $B(\alpha) = g(b(\alpha))$ .

$$\Rightarrow A(\alpha)B(\alpha) = B(\alpha)A(\alpha) \qquad \Box$$

# 3. Conclusion

some of the characterization of  $(\rho, \zeta)$ -circulant polynomial matrices are discussed here. In the same way, the other properties can be extended.

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