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Matrix and vector norms

Let $\vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ i.e. $\vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix}$

A vector norm on \mathbb{R}^n is a function $\|\cdot\| : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

w/ the following properties

$$(1) \quad \|\vec{x}\| \geq 0 \quad \forall \vec{x}$$

$$(2) \quad \|\vec{x}\| = 0 \iff \vec{x} = \vec{0}$$

$$(3) \quad \|\alpha \vec{x}\| = |\alpha| \|\vec{x}\| \quad \forall \alpha \in \mathbb{R}, \forall \vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$(4) \quad \|\vec{x} + \vec{y}\| \leq \|\vec{x}\| + \|\vec{y}\| \quad \forall \vec{x}, \vec{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

There are many types of norms

$$(1) \quad \|\vec{x}\|_2 = \sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \dots + x_n^2}$$

$$(2) \quad \|\vec{x}\|_\infty = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |x_i|$$

* All norms are equivalent!

Cauchy-Schwarz inequality

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$$\langle \vec{x}, \vec{y} \rangle = \vec{x}^T \vec{y} = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i \leq \|\vec{x}\|_2 \|\vec{y}\|_2$$

What is the use of norms?

- (1) To measure distance b/w 2 pts. in space.
- (2) Convergence of sequences (eg. analysis / monitoring of error of iterative methods)

A sequence $\{\vec{x}_{(k)}\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$ of vectors in \mathbb{R}^n converges to \vec{x} w.r.t.

the norm $\|\cdot\|$ if for any small $\epsilon > 0$,
 $\exists N(\epsilon)$ s.t. $\|\vec{x}_{(k)} - \vec{x}\| < \epsilon$ if $k \geq N(\epsilon)$

\lim $\{\vec{x}_{(k)}\} \rightarrow \vec{x}$ in R^n w.r.t. $\|\cdot\|_\infty \Leftrightarrow$ (3)
 $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} x_{i(k)} = x_i$ for each $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$

\lim for each $\vec{x} \in R^n$

$$\|\vec{x}\|_\infty \leq \|x\|_2 \leq \sqrt{n} \|\vec{x}\|_\infty$$

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Matrix norms

Let $A \in M_{n \times n}$; $\|\cdot\|$ is a f^n that maps A in $M_{n \times n}$ to a real-valued no.

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Properties of matrix norms

$$(1) \|A\| \geq 0$$

(2) $\|A\| = 0 \Leftrightarrow A$ is a '0' matrix
w/ all entries = 0.

$$(3) \|\alpha A\| = |\alpha| \|A\|$$

$$(4) \|A + B\| \leq \|A\| + \|B\|$$

$$(5) \|AB\| \leq \|A\| \|B\|$$

$\|\cdot\|_m$ (Induced matrix norm)

If $\|\cdot\|$ is a vector norm on \mathbb{R}^n then

$$\|A\| := \max_{\|\vec{x}\|=1} \|A\vec{x}\|$$

is a matrix norm;

$$\max_{\vec{z} \neq 0} \|A(\frac{\vec{z}}{\|\vec{z}\|})\| = \max_{\vec{z} \neq 0} \frac{\|A\vec{z}\|}{\|\vec{z}\|}$$

\mathbb{R}^m ($\|\cdot\|_\infty$ matrix norm).

$\det A = (a_{ij}) \in M_{n \times n}$,

$$\|A\|_\infty = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}|$$

Ex. $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 & -1 \\ 5 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$\sum_{j=1}^3 |a_{1j}| = |1| + |2| + |-1| = 4$

$\sum_{j=1}^3 |a_{2j}| = |0| + |3| + |-1| = 4$

$\sum_{j=1}^3 |a_{3j}| = |5| + |-1| + |1| = 7$

$$\therefore \|A\|_\infty = \max\{4, 4, 7\} = 7$$

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Eigenvalues (ev) & Eigenvectors (EV)

when $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$

$$A \vec{x} = \lambda \vec{x}$$



EV of A is such a vector which when transformed by A

shrink/s expands either in the dir. of itself or in the opposite dir.



$-1 < \lambda < 0$



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Q) How to find SVs & EVs of a matrix?

Ans) Set characteristic polynomial of A

$$p(\lambda) = |A - \lambda I| = 0.$$

Why?

Consider $A\vec{x} = \lambda\vec{x} \Rightarrow (A - \lambda I)\vec{x} = \vec{0}$

Since $\vec{x} \neq \vec{0}$ (else we have triviality)

Now b/c $\|(A - \lambda I)\vec{x}\| \leq \|A - \lambda I\| \|\vec{x}\|$ & $\vec{x} \neq \vec{0}$

this will get us no-zero b/c determinants and norms have diff. meaning.

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We are solving

$$(A - \lambda I) \vec{x} = 0$$

this has a non-zero soln. for \vec{x}
if and only if $\det(A - \lambda I) = |A - \lambda I| = 0$

this follows from an important thm that
 states "a linear sys. of eqns $B\vec{x} = 0$ w/ n
 eqns. & n unknowns has a non-trivial soln.
 if & only if $\det(B) = 0$ "

Q) Find the EVs and one of $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$?

Ans:- EVs = $\{0, 2\}$
 $EVs = \left\{ \left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right), \left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \right\}$