

ENSC 180: Introduction to Engineering Analysis

Assignment 4 Solutions

1. Given $[A] = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 7 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$, $[B] = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 8 & 7 \\ 3 & -3 & 0 \\ 14 & 1 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$ and $[C] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 4 & 7 \\ 9 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$. Using MATLAB built-in functions, write a script or use the command line to perform the following operations and print out the resulting matrices.

(a) $A+B$ (b) $A*C$ (c) A^T (d) AA^T (e) CC^T (f) $A^{-1}B^{-1}$ (g) rank of A and C (h) determinant of A (i) solve the equation system $[A]\{x\} = [C]$. (20 marks)

Code:

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%% A4 Q1 - Performing matrix operations
% Given three matrices A, B and C, this script performs various matrix
% operations using these variables and prints the results upon completion

% Define the matrix variables;
A= [4 3 1;3 7 -1; 1 -1 9];
B= [10 8 7; 3 -3 0; 14 1 7];
C= [1 -1; 4 7; 9 5];

% Perform the operations;
% >>1 mark for a-f, 0.5 mark for g1 and g2, 2 marks for i; 10 total<<
a = A+B;
b = A*C;
c = A.'; % .' is the transpose, ' is the complex conjugate transpose. A.', A' and
transpose(A) all acceptable. (no difference with real numbers)
d = A*A.';
e = C*C';
f = inv(A)*inv(B); %(A^-1)*(B^-1) also acceptable
g1 = rank(A);
g2 = rank(C);
h = det(A);
i = A\C; %pinv(A)*C, inv(A)*C and (A^-1)*C are also acceptable, but C\A or other
variants are NOT acceptable (x=A\b solves the equation A*x=b, while x=b\A solves
b*x=A)

%>>2 marks if correct, 1 mark if switched C and A, 0 else<<

% Print out the results; >>10 marks total; for each output that does not
% match answers, deduct 1 mark each for a max of 10<<
disp("a = A+B"); disp(a);
disp("b = A*C;"); disp(b);
disp("c = A.'"); disp(c);
disp("d = A*A.'"); disp(d);
disp("e = C*C'"); disp(e);
disp("f = inv(A)*inv(B)"); disp(f);
disp("g1 = rank(A)"); disp(g1);
disp("g2 = rank(C)"); disp(g2);
disp("h = det(A);"); disp(h);
disp("i = A\C;"); disp(i);
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Outputs;

a = A+B

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14  11   8
 6   4  -1
15   0  16
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b = A*C;

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25  22
22  41
78  37
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c = A.'

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4   3   1
3   7  -1
1  -1   9
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d = A*A.'

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26  32  10
32  59 -13
10 -13  83
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e = C*C'

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2  -3   4
-3  65  71
4   71 106
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f = inv(A)*inv(B)

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0.1200  0.3375 -0.1293
-0.0173 -0.1140  0.0238
-0.0946 -0.2301  0.1122
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g1 = rank(A)

3

g2 = rank(C)

2

h = det(A);

154

i = A\C;

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-0.9091 -2.0000
 1.1364  2.0000
 1.2273  1.0000
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2. Write a user-defined function to add and multiply two matrices without using the MATLAB matrix-wise + and * operations. The function should have the two matrices as input, check whether the addition and multiplication operations are valid for the given matrices and if valid, manually compute (using for-loops) and present the output matrix. If the operations are not valid, the function should print a statement to that effect. Print out the results of the function using inputs [A],[B], [A],[C] and [C],[A]. (20 marks)

Code (**NOTE; marking scheme in code is wrong, double all their listed values!):

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function [add, mult] = userMatAddMult( A, B )
%[add, mult] = userMatAddMult( A, B ): Takes two real-valued matrices A and
%B as input. Checks their size to determine if addition and multiplication
%of A and B are possible (A+B and A*B). If possible, returns the matrices
%add and mult as a result and prints out their values. If not possible,
%returns value NaN for the given operations and prints out error messages.

%ADDITION REQUIREMENTS; the two matrices must be the same size

%MULTIPLICATION REQUIREMENTS; the number of rows in A must equal the
%number of columns in B (A=mxn, B=axb, then n=a)

% Booleans, determine if operations are performed, default False/0
doadd = 0;
domult = 0;

% Default the outputs to NaN
add = NaN;
mult = NaN;

% ***** CHECK CASES *****
% check for cases, extract dimensions of rows and columns
[Ar,Ac] = size(A);
[Br,Bc] = size(B);
if size(A)==size(B)
    % equal sizes, perform both operations
    doadd = 1;
    domult = 1;
else
    % A and B are matrices of different sizes, cannot add >>1 mark<<
    disp("ERROR: Cannot add, matrix dimensions do not agree");
    %Multiplication case
    if Ac == Br
        % columns of A match rows of B, can perform multiplication >>1 mark <<
        domult = 1;
    else
        % matrix dimensions are incompatible >> 1 mark <<
        disp("ERROR: Cannot multiply, inner matrix dimensions do not agree");
    end
end
end
% >> total 3 marks to check all the non-equal cases <<

%perform the operations
if doadd
    % ***** ADDITION *****
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    % add each element
    add= zeros(size(A));
    for i=1:Ar
        for j=1:Ac
            add(i,j) = A(i,j)+B(i,j); % >> 1 mark <<
        end
    end
end

if domult
    % ***** MULTIPLICATION *****
    mult = zeros(Ar,Bc); % matrix size is outer dimensions
    for i=1:Ar
        for j=1:Bc
            % the element of mult(i,j) is the sum of products along the
            % row Ar and the column Bc.
            % Loop along said row/coln (each are same size)
            for k = 1:Ac
                % Loop down vectors A(i,:) and B(:,j) to
                % compute each product separately, then add to the
                % current sum of the final matrix's element
                product = A(i,k) * B(k,j); % >> 2 marks for doing the correct
element-wise products<<
                mult(i,j) = mult(i,j) + product; %>> 2 marks for doing the
correct summation of products <<
            end
        end
    end
end
end
%>>total 5 marks for the operations<<

%Display the results
disp("Addition results;");disp(add);
disp("Multiplication results;");disp(mult);
%>> total 2 marks, -1 mark for each incorrect output up to max of 2 <<
End

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Outputs:

Addition results;

14 11 8

6 4 -1

15 0 16

ERROR: Cannot add, matrix
dimensions do not agree

Addition results;

NaN

ERROR: Cannot add, matrix
dimensions do not agree

ERROR: Cannot multiply, inner
matrix dimensions do not agree

Addition results;

NaN

Multiplication results;

63 24 35

37 2 14

133 20 70

Multiplication results;

25 22

22 41

78 37

Multiplication results;

NaN

3. Find the determinant of $([A]-\alpha[I])$ algebraically without using MATLAB, where $[A]$ is given in Q1 above, I is an identity matrix and α is a scalar. Solve the equation $\det([A]-\alpha[I])=0$ to find the values of α by plotting the equation using MATLAB over the range $0 \leq \alpha \leq 10$. Display the plot and values of α . (20 marks)

Algebraically;

$$\begin{aligned}
 \det([A] - \alpha[I]) &= \begin{vmatrix} 4-\alpha & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 7-\alpha & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 9-\alpha \end{vmatrix} \\
 &= (4-\alpha) \begin{vmatrix} 7-\alpha & -1 \\ -1 & 9-\alpha \end{vmatrix} - 3 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 1 & 9-\alpha \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 7-\alpha \\ 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} \\
 &= (4-\alpha)[(7-\alpha)(9-\alpha) - 1] - 3[(3)(9-\alpha) - (-1)] + [(3)(-1) - (7-\alpha)] \\
 &= (4-\alpha)[63 - 7\alpha - 9\alpha + \alpha^2 - 1] - 3[27 - 3\alpha + 1] + [-3 - 7 + \alpha] \\
 &= (4-\alpha)[62 - 16\alpha + \alpha^2] - 3[28 - 3\alpha] + [-10 + \alpha] \\
 &= 248 - 64\alpha + 4\alpha^2 - 84 + 9\alpha - 10 + \alpha \\
 &= \mathbf{154 - 116\alpha + 20\alpha^2 - \alpha^3}
 \end{aligned}$$

(15 marks total; 10 marks if correct procedure but incorrect answer due to algebra error)

Solving for alpha;

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%% A4 Q3 (part 2) - Solving det(A-alphaI)=0 for alpha graphically
% Assuming the student had algebraically determined the equation in terms
% of alpha, the equation is input and then plotted over a range of
% 0<=alpha<=10, then uses a for loop to determine and print out the
% location of the root/alpha value

% getting function values from 0 to 10
alpha = 0:0.1:10;
determinant = 154 - 116.*alpha + 20.*(alpha.^2) - (alpha.^3);
% >> 1 mark; -1 mark if no matrix-wise operations and/or -1 if incorrect
% formula <<

% plotting the function
figure;
plot(alpha,determinant);
title("det(A-alphaI)");
xlabel("alpha");
ylabel("function");
% >> 1 mark for correct graph <<

for i=1:length(determinant)-1
    if determinant(i)*determinant(i+1)<=0
        fprintf("The value of alpha is %.2f\n", alpha(i));
    end
end
%>> 3 marks for each correct root; -1 if incorrect formula <<
(5 marks total)

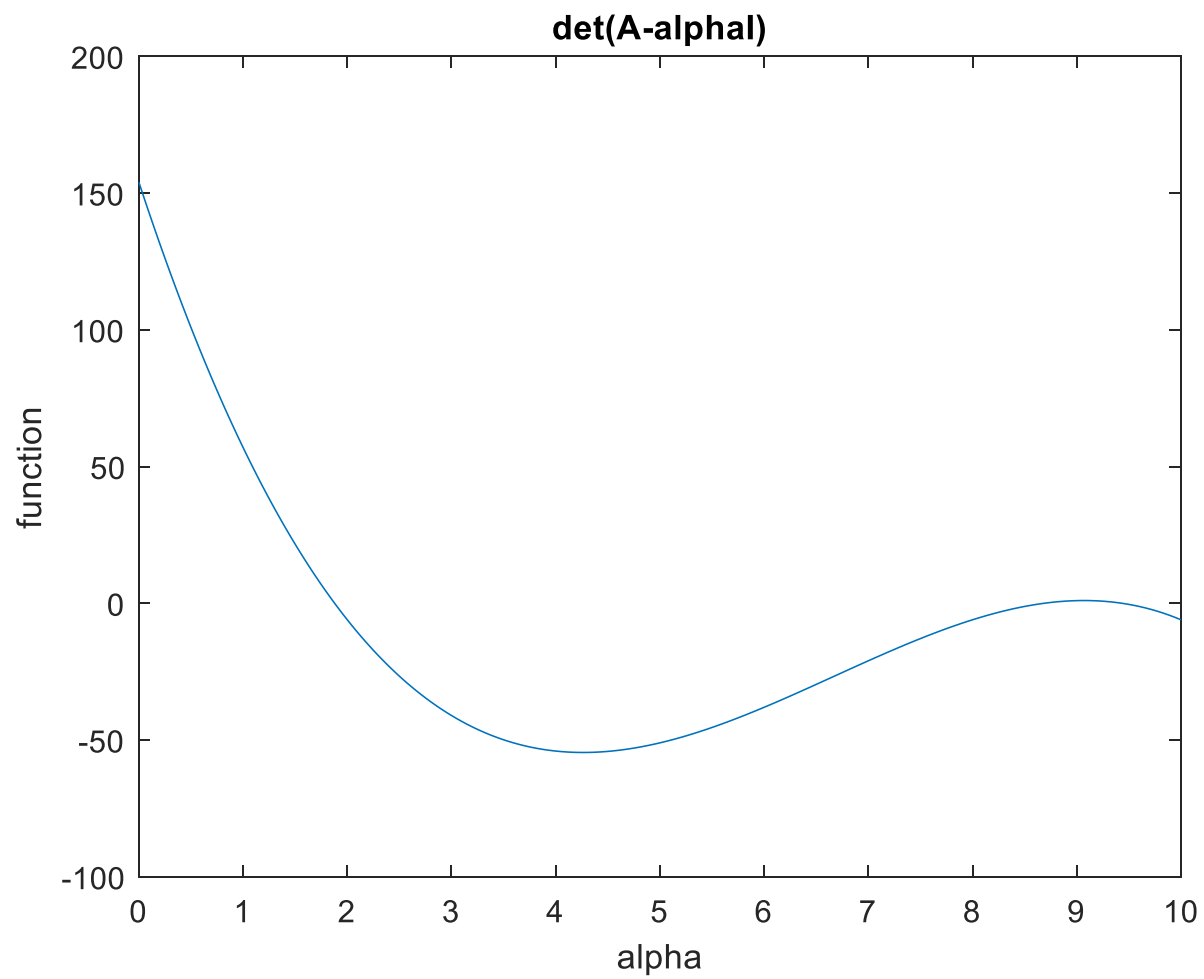
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Output:

The value of alpha is 1.87

The value of alpha is 8.68

The value of alpha is 9.43



4. Write a MATLAB code to perform Gauss elimination for a general system of form $[A]\{x\} = \{b\}$. Assume $[A]$ is a real square matrix and $\{b\}$ is also real. Your code should determine whether the rank of $[A]$ is less than the size of $[A]$ based on the results of Gauss elimination and decide the next step. Use your code to solve Q1(i). (40 marks)

Code:

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%% A4 Q4 - Performing Gauss Elimination for Q1(i)
% Uses the matrix A and columns of C, performs Gauss elimination to produce
% the solutions of Q1(i)

%Test the function
x1 = userGaussElim(A,C(:,1));
x2 = userGaussElim(A,C(:,2));

function x = userGaussElim(A,b)
% x = userGaussElim(A,b): Given an equation of the form Ax=b, with A being
% a real, square matrix and b being a real vector, performs Gauss
% elimination to determine the rank of A and the results of x

%NOTE: This function takes each column b individually, but can also be
%implemented with a matrix containing all the columns to do the elimination
%simultaneously on all of them; the implementation here was done for
%clarity to follow/describe the process, and focuses on the Gauss
%elimination and rank-checking aspects. Do not penalize students for
%implementing to take a full matrix for b if their code performs correctly.

% get number of rows and columns
[r, c] = size(A);

% create augmented matrix
M = [A b];

% PERFORM GAUSS ELIMINATION >> Total 20 marks for their algorithm for Gauss
elimination being logical and performing as expected for any general case (watch out
for accidental zero-division cases!)<<
for i=1:c-1
    % Loop from first to second-last column of A

    for j = r:-1:i+1
        %Constrain the zero elements to lower-left corner of matrix

        % Loop from last element of column (bottom row) to the element prior to
the
        % column number.

        % eg. 3x3, last element of each column is in row 3, so 1st column will
        % have zeros in 3rd and 2nd elements, 2nd column will have zero
        % only in 3rd element, etc.

        %desired value to set to zero
        z = M(j,i);
        %value in the column directly above that element
        nonz = M(j-1,i);
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    %Check the values (if either are already zero or not)
    if z == 0
        % Element already zero, do nothing and continue
        continue;
    elseif nonz == 0
        % Row above current element is zero, swap rows and continue
        swapRow = M(j-1,:);
        M(j-1,:) = M(j,:); %take current row and move it up
        M(j,:) = swapRow; %take previous row above and move it to current
spot
    else
        % Neither z nor nonz are zero, subtract some multiple of
        % the above row from the current row to render z==0.

        %find the scalar needed to set the non-zero equal to the
        %desired zero element (scalar.*nonz = z)
        scalar = z./nonz;

        %Apply that scalar to the row above z
        M(j-1,:) = M(j-1,:).*scalar;
        %subtract the rows
        M(j,:) = M(j,:)-M(j-1,:);
    end

    % end of iteration will have M with any updated row values and
    % a zero element at M(j,i)
end
end

%Separate the augmented matrix back into the components
A2 = M(1:r,1:c);
b2 = M(1:r,c+1);

% CHECK RANK AND PERFORM APPROPRIATE SUBSTITUTION >> Total 20 marks for all of
the rank conditions, performing back-substitution and getting the correct solutions
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if sum(A2(r,:))==0 && b2(r) ~= 0
    % The system is inconsistent (cannot have zero = a non-zero value),
    % there is no solution
    disp("System inconsistent, no solution: ");
    x = NaN;
elseif sum(A2(r,:))==0 && b2(r) == 0
    % The system is under-defined, there are infinite solutions
    disp("System under-defined, infinite solutions: ");
    x = Inf;
else
    % rank is equal to number of equations, one solution
    disp("System consistent, one solution: ");
    % Use back substitution to determine the value of x
    x = zeros(r,1);
    for i = r:-1:1
        % Loop from bottom row upwards

        % the equation for each x(i) is x(i) =
        % (b(i)-x(i+1)A(i+1,i)-...x(r)A(r,i))/A(i,i)
        xA=0;

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        for j=i+1:r
            % Loop down columns

            % compute the sum of x*As
            xA = xA + (x(j).*A2(i,j));
        end
        % compute the value for x(i)
        x(i) = (b2(i)-xA)./A2(i,i);
    end
end
disp(x);

end

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Output:

System consistent, one solution:

-0.9091

1.1364

1.2273

System consistent, one solution:

-2.0000

2.0000

1.0000