

克拉默法则的证明

(The proof of Cramer's Rule)

1.知识储备：

1.1 行列式的完全展开式及代数余子式

对于 n 阶行列式：

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \cdots & \cdots & \cdots & \cdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{vmatrix}$$

其完全展开式 D 及代数余子式 A_{ij} 分别为

$$D = \sum_{j_1 j_2 \cdots j_n} (-1)^{\tau(j_1 j_2 \cdots j_n)} a_{1j_1} a_{2j_2} \cdots a_{nj_n}$$

$A_{ij} = (-1)^{i+j} M_{ij}$ ，其中 M_{ij} 为原行列式将元素 a_{ij} 所在的第 i 行、第 j 列划去后形成的新的行列式

1.2 线性代数之行列式及其性质

①经转置行列式的值不变，即 $|A^T| = |A|$

②某行有公因数 k ，可把 k 提到公因式外，特别地，某行元素全为 0，则其行列式的值为 0

③某行互换行列式变号，特别地，若两行相等，行列式值为 0；两行成比例，行列式值为 0

④某行所有元素都是两个数的和，则可携程两个行列式之和

⑤某行的 k 倍加至另一行，行列式的值不变

2. 证明内容及证明方法：

如果线性方程组

$$\begin{cases} a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + \cdots + a_{1n}x_n = b_1, \\ a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + \cdots + a_{2n}x_n = b_2, \\ \dots\dots\dots \\ a_{n1}x_1 + a_{n2}x_2 + \cdots + a_{nn}x_n = b_n \end{cases}$$

的系数矩阵 \mathbf{A} 的行列式 $d = |\mathbf{A}| \neq 0$, 那么这一个方程组有且仅有一个解

$$x_1 = \frac{d_1}{d}, x_2 = \frac{d_2}{d}, \dots, x_n = \frac{d_n}{d},$$

其中 d_i 是把矩阵 \mathbf{A} 中第 i 列换成方程组的常数项所成的矩阵的行列式.

2.1 快速证明法：

(1) 解的正确性

$$x_1 = \frac{d_1}{d}, x_2 = \frac{d_2}{d}, \dots, x_n = \frac{d_n}{d} \text{ 是解} \quad \text{即 } a_{i1} \frac{d_1}{d} + a_{i2} \frac{d_2}{d} + \cdots + a_{in} \frac{d_n}{d} = b_i, i = 1, \dots, n$$

$$0 = \begin{vmatrix} b_i & a_{i1} & a_{i2} & \cdots & a_{in} \\ b_1 & a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ b_2 & a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ b_n & a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{vmatrix} = b_i d - a_{i1} d_1 - a_{i2} d_2 - \cdots - a_{in} d_n$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} b_1 & a_{11} & a_{13} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ b_2 & a_{21} & a_{23} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ b_n & a_{n1} & a_{n3} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{vmatrix} = - \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & b_1 & a_{13} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & b_2 & a_{23} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & b_n & a_{n3} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow a_{i1} d_1 + a_{i2} d_2 + \cdots + a_{in} d_n = b_i d$$

$$\Rightarrow a_{i1} \frac{d_1}{d} + a_{i2} \frac{d_2}{d} + \cdots + a_{in} \frac{d_n}{d} = b_i$$

$$i = 1, \dots, n$$

(2) 解的唯一性

若有 $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n$ 是方程组的解

$$\begin{aligned}
 d\alpha_1 &= \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{vmatrix} \alpha_1 = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11}\alpha_1 & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21}\alpha_1 & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{n1}\alpha_1 & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{vmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{vmatrix} a_{11}\alpha_1 + a_{12}\alpha_2 + \cdots + a_{1n}\alpha_n & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21}\alpha_1 + a_{22}\alpha_2 + \cdots + a_{2n}\alpha_n & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{n1}\alpha_1 + a_{n2}\alpha_2 + \cdots + a_{nn}\alpha_n & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{vmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{vmatrix} b_1 & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ b_2 & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ b_n & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{vmatrix} = d_1 \Rightarrow \alpha_1 = \frac{d_1}{d}
 \end{aligned}$$

其它类似可证

2.2 传统证明法:

(1) 解的正确性:

$x_1 = \frac{d_1}{d}, x_2 = \frac{d_2}{d}, \dots, x_n = \frac{d_n}{d}$ 是解 即 $a_{i1}\frac{d_1}{d} + a_{i2}\frac{d_2}{d} + \cdots + a_{in}\frac{d_n}{d} = b_i, i = 1, \dots, n$

$$\begin{aligned}
 a_{i1}\frac{d_1}{d} + a_{i2}\frac{d_2}{d} + \cdots + a_{in}\frac{d_n}{d} &= \frac{1}{d}(a_{i1}d_1 + a_{i2}d_2 + \cdots + a_{in}d_n) = \frac{1}{d} \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij}d_j \\
 d_j &= \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & \cdots & a_{1,j-1} & b_1 & a_{1,j+1} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & \cdots & a_{2,j-1} & b_2 & a_{2,j+1} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & \cdots & a_{n,j-1} & b_n & a_{n,j+1} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{vmatrix} = b_1A_{1j} + b_2A_{2j} + \cdots + b_nA_{nj} = \sum_{s=1}^n b_sA_{sj} \\
 \frac{1}{d} \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij}d_j &= \frac{1}{d} \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} \left(\sum_{s=1}^n b_sA_{sj} \right) = \frac{1}{d} \sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{s=1}^n a_{ij}A_{sj}b_s = \frac{1}{d} \sum_{s=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij}A_{sj}b_s \\
 &= \frac{1}{d} \sum_{s=1}^n \left(\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij}A_{sj} \right) b_s = \frac{1}{d} \left(\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij}A_{ij} \right) b_i = \frac{1}{d} db_i = b_i \quad i = 1, \dots, n
 \end{aligned}$$

(2) 解的唯一性:

若有 c_1, c_2, \dots, c_n 是方程组的解 则 $a_{i1}c_1 + a_{i2}c_2 + \dots + a_{in}c_n = \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij}c_j = b_i$

$$\begin{aligned}
 A_{1k} \sum_{j=1}^n a_{1j}c_j + A_{2k} \sum_{j=1}^n a_{2j}c_j + \dots + A_{nk} \sum_{j=1}^n a_{nj}c_j &= \sum_{i=1}^n A_{ik} \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij}c_j = \sum_{i=1}^n b_i A_{ik} = d_k \\
 c_k &= \frac{d_k}{d} \\
 k &= 1, \dots, n
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} A_{ik} c_j \\
 &= \sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^n a_{ij} A_{ik} c_j \\
 &= \sum_{j=1}^n \left(\sum_{i=1}^n a_{ij} A_{ik} \right) c_j \\
 &= \left(\sum_{i=1}^n a_{ik} A_{ik} \right) c_k = d c_k
 \end{aligned}$$

3.证明来源及参考资料:

[1] 《线性代数》同济教材第五版

[2] *Linear Algebra and Its Applications (Subscription), 6th Edition*
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