# Assignment 5

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### 1 **Question**

(loney 13.8) Q. Find the value of k so that the following equation may represent pair of straight lines:

$$12x^2 + kxy + 2y^2 + 11x - 5y + 2 = 0 (1.0.1)$$

## 2 Explanation

Comparing the given equation with the general equation of second degree given as below:

$$ax^2 + 2bxy + cy^2 + +2dx + 2ey + f = 0$$
 (2.0.1)

we will get a = 12,  $b = \frac{k}{2}$ , c = 2,  $d = \frac{11}{2}$ ,  $e = -\frac{5}{2}$ ,

The general equation can be expressed as:

$$\mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{V} \mathbf{x} + 2\mathbf{u}^T \mathbf{x} + f = 0 \tag{2.0.2}$$

where

$$\mathbf{V} = \mathbf{V}^T = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ b & c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 12 & \frac{k}{2} \\ \frac{k}{2} & 2 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.3}$$

$$\mathbf{u} = \begin{pmatrix} d \\ e \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{11}{2} \\ -\frac{5}{2} \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.4}$$

The given equation represents pair of straight lines if

$$\begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{V} & \mathbf{u} \\ \mathbf{u}^T & f \end{vmatrix} = 0 \tag{2.0.5}$$

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$$\implies \begin{vmatrix} 12 & \frac{k}{2} & \frac{11}{2} \\ \frac{k}{2} & 2 & -\frac{5}{2} \\ \frac{11}{2} & -\frac{5}{2} & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \qquad (2.0.6)$$

The matrix in (2.0.6) must be singular matrix and in echelon form of the matrix should consist a row with all zeros.

$$\Longrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 12 & \frac{k}{2} & \frac{11}{2} \\ \frac{k}{2} & 2 & -\frac{5}{2} \\ \frac{11}{2} & -\frac{5}{2} & 2 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.7}$$

$$\implies \begin{pmatrix} 24 & k & 11 \\ k & 4 & -5 \\ 11 & -5 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.8}$$

$$\stackrel{R_2 \leftarrow 24R_2 - kR1}{\longleftrightarrow} \begin{pmatrix} 24 & k & 11 \\ 0 & 96 - k^2 & -120 - 11k \\ 11 & -5 & 4 \end{pmatrix} (2.0.9)$$

$$\stackrel{R_3 \leftarrow 24R_3 - 11R1}{\longleftrightarrow} \begin{pmatrix} 24 & k & 11 \\ 0 & 96 - k^2 & -120 - 11k \\ 0 & -120 - 11k & -25 \end{pmatrix}$$
(2.0.10)

$$R_3 \leftarrow (96-k^2)R_3 - (-120-11k)R_2$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 24 & k & 11 \\ 0 & 96 - k^2 & -120 - 11k \\ 0 & 0 & -96k^2 - 2640k - 16800 \end{pmatrix} (2.0.11)$$

In (2.0.11), the elements in last row must consist all zeros. For this to happen we should find k value.

$$\implies -96k^2 - 2640k - 16800 = 0$$
 (2.0.12)

$$\implies 2k^2 + 55k + 350 = 0 \qquad (2.0.13)$$

$$\implies (10+k)(2k+35) = 0 \qquad (2.0.14)$$

$$\implies k = -10$$

$$k = -\frac{35}{2} \tag{2.0.15}$$

Therefore, for k = -10 and  $k = -\frac{35}{2}$  the given equation represents pair of straight lines.

Now Lets find equation of lines for k = -10.

Substitute k = -10 in (1.0.1). We get equation of (2.0.5) pair of straight lines as:

$$12x^2 - 10xy + 2y^2 + 11x - 5y + 2 = 0 (2.0.16)$$

Comparing above equation with (2.0.1), we will get a = 12, b = -5, c = 2,  $d = \frac{11}{2}$ ,  $e = -\frac{5}{2}$ , f = 2.

From (2.0.2), (2.0.3), (2.0.4) we get

$$\mathbf{V} = \mathbf{V}^T = \begin{pmatrix} 12 & -5 \\ -5 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.17}$$

$$\mathbf{u} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{11}{2} \\ -\frac{5}{2} \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.18}$$

If |V| < 0 then two lines will intersect.

$$\left|\mathbf{V}\right| = \begin{vmatrix} 12 & -5 \\ -5 & 2 \end{vmatrix} \tag{2.0.19}$$

$$\implies |\mathbf{V}| = -1 \tag{2.0.20}$$

$$\implies |\mathbf{V}| < 0 \tag{2.0.21}$$

Therefore the lines will intersect.

The equation of two lines is given by

$$\mathbf{n_1}^T \mathbf{x} = c_1 \tag{2.0.22}$$

$$\mathbf{n_2}^T \mathbf{x} = c_2 \tag{2.0.23}$$

Equating their product with (2.0.2)

$$(\mathbf{n_1}^T \mathbf{x} - c_1)(\mathbf{n_2}^T \mathbf{x} - c_2)$$

$$= \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{V} \mathbf{x} + 2\mathbf{u}^T \mathbf{x} + f = 0 \quad (2.0.24)$$

$$\implies$$
  $\mathbf{n_1} * \mathbf{n_2} = \{a, 2b, c\} = \{12, -10, 2\}$  (2.0.25)

$$c_2 \mathbf{n_1} + c_1 \mathbf{n_2} = -2\mathbf{u} = -2\left(\frac{11}{2}\right)$$
 (2.0.26)

$$c_1 c_2 = f = 2 (2.0.27)$$

The slopes of the lines are given by roots of equation

$$cm^2 + 2bm + a = 0 (2.0.28)$$

$$\implies 2m^2 - 10m + 12 = 0 \tag{2.0.29}$$

$$m_i = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{-|\mathbf{V}|}}{c} \tag{2.0.30}$$

$$\implies m_i = \frac{5 \pm \sqrt{1}}{2} \tag{2.0.31}$$

$$\implies m_1 = 3 \tag{2.0.32}$$

$$m_2 = 2 (2.0.33)$$

The normal vector for two lines is given by

$$\mathbf{n_i} = k_i \begin{pmatrix} -m_i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.34}$$

$$\implies \mathbf{n_1} = k_1 \begin{pmatrix} -3\\1 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.35}$$

$$\mathbf{n_2} = k_2 \begin{pmatrix} -2\\1 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.36}$$

Substituting (2.0.35),(2.0.36) in (2.0.25). we get

$$k_1 k_2 = 2 \tag{2.0.37}$$

The possible combinations of  $(k_1,k_2)$  are (1,2), (2,1), (-1,-2) and (-2,-1).

lets assume  $k_1 = 1, k_2 = 2$  we get

$$\implies \mathbf{n_1} = \begin{pmatrix} -3\\1 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.38}$$

$$\mathbf{n}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -4\\2 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.39}$$

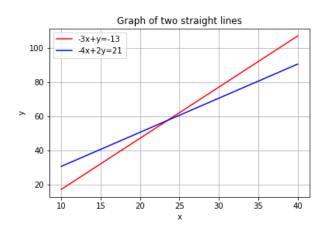


Fig. 1: Pair of straight lines for k = -10

Substitute (2.0.38), (2.0.39) in (2.0.26) we get

$$c_2 \begin{pmatrix} -3\\1 \end{pmatrix} + c_1 \begin{pmatrix} -4\\2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -11\\-5 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.40}$$

$$-4c_1 - 3c_2 = -11 \tag{2.0.41}$$

$$2c_1 + c_2 = -5 \tag{2.0.42}$$

Solving equations (2.0.41), (2.0.42) we get

$$c_1 = -13 \tag{2.0.43}$$

$$c_2 = 21 \tag{2.0.44}$$

Substituting (2.0.38),(2.0.39),(2.0.43),(2.0.44) in (2.0.22) and (2.0.23). We get equation of two

straight lines.

$$(-3 1)\mathbf{x} = -13$$
 (2.0.45)

$$(-4 2)\mathbf{x} = 21 (2.0.46)$$

The plot of these two lines is shown in Fig. 1.

Now Lets find equation of lines for  $k = -\frac{35}{2}$ .

Substitute  $k = -\frac{35}{2}$  in (1.0.1). We get equation of pair of straight lines as:

$$12x^2 - \frac{35}{2}xy + 2y^2 + 11x - 5y + 2 = 0 (2.0.47)$$

Comparing above equation with (2.0.1), we will get a = 12,  $b = -\frac{35}{4}$ , c = 2,  $d = \frac{11}{2}$ ,  $e = -\frac{5}{2}$ , f = 2.

From (2.0.2), (2.0.3), (2.0.4) we get

$$\mathbf{V} = \mathbf{V}^T = \begin{pmatrix} 12 & -\frac{35}{4} \\ -\frac{35}{4} & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (2.0.48)

$$\mathbf{u} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{11}{2} \\ -\frac{5}{2} \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.49}$$

If  $|\mathbf{V}| < 0$  then two lines will intersect.

$$\left| \mathbf{V} \right| = \begin{vmatrix} 12 & -\frac{35}{4} \\ -\frac{35}{4} & 2 \end{vmatrix} \tag{2.0.50}$$

$$\implies |\mathbf{V}| = -\frac{841}{16} \tag{2.0.51}$$

$$\implies |\mathbf{V}| < 0 \tag{2.0.52}$$

Therefore the lines will intersect.

Now from (2.0.25),

$$\implies$$
  $\mathbf{n_1} * \mathbf{n_2} = \{a, 2b, c\} = \{12, -\frac{35}{2}, 2\}$  (2.0.53)

The slopes of the lines are given by roots of equation (2.0.28)

$$\implies 2m^2 - \frac{35}{2}m + 12 = 0 \tag{2.0.54}$$

$$m_i = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{-\left|\mathbf{V}\right|}}{c} \tag{2.0.55}$$

$$\implies m_i = \frac{\frac{35}{4} \pm \sqrt{\frac{841}{16}}}{2} \tag{2.0.56}$$

$$\implies m_1 = 8 \tag{2.0.57}$$

$$m_2 = \frac{3}{4} \tag{2.0.58}$$

The normal vector for two lines is given by

(2.0.34)

$$\implies \mathbf{n_1} = k_1 \begin{pmatrix} -8\\1 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.59}$$

$$\mathbf{n_2} = k_2 \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{3}{4} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.60}$$

Substituting (2.0.59),(2.0.60) in (2.0.53). we get

$$k_1 k_2 = 2 \tag{2.0.61}$$

The possible combinations of  $(k_1,k_2)$  are (1,2), (2,1), (-1,-2) and (-2,-1).

lets assume  $k_1 = 1, k_2 = 2$  we get

$$\implies \mathbf{n_1} = \begin{pmatrix} -8\\1 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.62}$$

$$\mathbf{n_2} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{3}{2} \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.63}$$

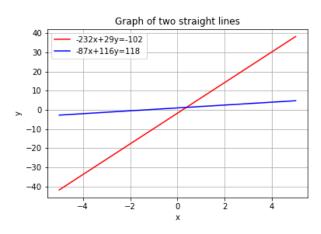


Fig. 2: Pair of straight lines for  $k = -\frac{35}{2}$ 

Substitute (2.0.62), (2.0.63) in (2.0.26) we get

$$c_2 \begin{pmatrix} -8\\1 \end{pmatrix} + c_1 \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{3}{2}\\2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -11\\-5 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (2.0.64)

$$-3c_1 - 16c_2 = -22 \tag{2.0.65}$$

$$2c_1 + c_2 = -5 \tag{2.0.66}$$

Solving equations (2.0.65), (2.0.66) we get

$$c_1 = -\frac{102}{29} \tag{2.0.67}$$

$$c_2 = \frac{59}{29} \tag{2.0.68}$$

Substituting (2.0.62),(2.0.63),(2.0.67),(2.0.68) in (2.0.22) and (2.0.23). we get equation of two

straight lines.

$$(-8 1)\mathbf{x} = -\frac{102}{29}$$
 (2.0.69)  
 $(-\frac{3}{2} 2)\mathbf{x} = \frac{59}{29}$  (2.0.70)

The plot of these two lines is shown in Fig. 2.