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1 Challenge 2

An important aspect of pragmatic vector space methods is the ability to handle vectors and matrices. A large collection of linear algebra functions is available in [SciPy.linalg](#). These functions can be employed in conjunction with the tools available in [NumPy](#). We note that the main object in NumPy is the homogeneous multidimensional array.

1.1 Matrix

We begin by creating a simple matrix. One possible approach to complete this task is to use `scipy.linalg.circulant(c)`.

```
In [1]: from scipy.linalg import circulant
        my_circ_matrix = circulant([1, 2, 3])
        print(my_circ_matrix)
```

```
[[1 3 2]
 [2 1 3]
 [3 2 1]]
```

Alternatively, you can construct the familiar discrete Fourier transform matrix with `scipy.linalg.dft(n)`.

```
In [2]: from scipy.linalg import dft
        my_dft_matrix = dft(3)
        print(my_dft_matrix)
```

```
[[ 1.0+0.j          1.0+0.j          1.0+0.j          ]
 [ 1.0+0.j          -0.5-0.8660254j -0.5+0.8660254j]
 [ 1.0+0.j          -0.5+0.8660254j -0.5-0.8660254j]]
```

The inverse of a matrix can be computed using `scipy.linalg.inv(a)`.

```
In [3]: from scipy.linalg import inv
        my_idft_matrix = inv(my_dft_matrix)
        print(my_idft_matrix)
```

```
[[ 0.33333333 +2.77555756e-17j  0.33333333 +2.77555756e-17j
   0.33333333 -5.55111512e-17j]
 [ 0.33333333 +5.55111512e-17j -0.16666667 +2.88675135e-01j
  -0.16666667 -2.88675135e-01j]
 [ 0.33333333 -1.11022302e-16j -0.16666667 -2.88675135e-01j
  -0.16666667 +2.88675135e-01j]]
```

The operation `numpy.dot(a, b)` computes the dot product of two arrays. For 2-D arrays it is equivalent to matrix multiplication, and for 1-D arrays to inner product of vectors (without complex conjugation).

```
In [4]: import numpy as np
        matrix_prod1 = np.dot(my_dft_matrix, my_circ_matrix)
        matrix_prod2 = np.dot(matrix_prod1, my_idft_matrix)

        np.set_printoptions(suppress=True)
        print(matrix_prod2)

[[ 6.0-0.j           0.0+0.j           -0.0+0.j           ]
 [-0.0-0.j          -1.5+0.8660254j    -0.0-0.j           ]
 [ 0.0-0.j           0.0-0.j          -1.5-0.8660254j]]
```

1.1.1 Questions

These steps and their solutions immediately bring up three questions. * Are circulant matrices always diagonalized by the discrete Fourier transform matrix and its inverse? * Are product of circulant matrices (of a same size) always circulant matrices? * Do all pairs of circulant matrices commute under matrix multiplication?

1.1.2 Solution

- Yes, Suppose the circulant matrix is

$$S = \begin{pmatrix} a & c & b \\ b & a & c \\ c & b & a \end{pmatrix} \quad (1)$$

and $\omega = e^{\frac{2\pi j}{3}}$, so the fourier transform matrix is

$$F = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & \omega & \omega^2 \\ 1 & \omega^2 & \omega^4 \end{pmatrix} \quad (2)$$

So we can get

$$FS = \begin{pmatrix} a+b+c & a+b+c & a+b+c \\ a+b\omega+c\omega^2 & c+a\omega+b\omega^2 & b+c\omega+a\omega^2 \\ a+b\omega^2+c\omega^4 & c+a\omega^2+b\omega^4 & b+c\omega^2+a\omega^4 \end{pmatrix} \quad (3)$$

Suppose $A = a + b + c, B = a + b\omega + c\omega^2, C = a + b\omega^2 + c\omega^4$, we can get

$$FS = \begin{pmatrix} A & A\omega^0 & A\omega^0 \\ B & B\omega^1 & B\omega^2 \\ C & C\omega^2 & C\omega^4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} A & B & C \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & \omega^1 & \omega^2 \\ 1 & \omega^2 & \omega^4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} A & B & C \end{pmatrix} \times F \quad (4)$$

So

$$FSF^{-1} = SFF^{-1} = SI = \begin{pmatrix} A & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & B & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & C \end{pmatrix} \quad (5)$$

Actually, this can be applied to any circulant matrices, because the time shift property of fourier transform.

- Suppose A is a $n \times n$ circulant matrix. It obvious to know that A have three properties as follows.

First, $A_{ij} = A_{(i+1)(j+1)}, (i < n, j < n)$

Second, $A_{nj} = A_{1(j+1)}, (j < n)$

Third, $A_{in} = A_{(i+1)1}, (i < n)$

And any $n \times n$ matrix have these three properties is a circulant matrix.

Suppose A and B is two $n \times n$ circulant matrices, so

$$(AB)_{ij} = \sum_{q=1}^n A_{iq}B_{qj}$$

$$(AB)_{(i+1)(j+1)} = \sum_{q=1}^n A_{(i+1)q}B_{q(j+1)} = \sum_{q=2}^n A_{i(q-1)}B_{(q-1)j} + A_{in}B_{nj} = \sum_{q=1}^n A_{iq}B_{qj} = (AB)_{ij}$$

Follow similar sequence, we can prove other two properties of circulant matrix in AB . So AB is a circulant matrix and product of circulant matrices (of a same size) are always circulant matrices

- Suppose A and B is two $n \times n$ circulant matrices. We already get

$$(AB)_{ij} = \sum_{q=1}^n A_{iq}B_{qj}$$

$$(BA)_{ij} = \sum_{q=1}^n B_{iq}A_{qj}$$

Because AB and BA are circulant matrices, so, if $(BA)_{1j} = (AB)_{1j}$, then $AB = BA$

$$\begin{aligned}
(BA)_{1j} &= \sum_{q=1}^n B_{1q}A_{qj} \\
&= \sum_{q=2}^j A_{1(j-q+1)}B_{(n+2-q)1} + A_{1j}B_{11} + \sum_{q=j+1}^n A_{1(n+j-q+1)}B_{(n+2-q)1} \\
&= \sum_{q=1}^{j-1} A_{1q}B_{(n+1-j+q)1} + A_{1j}B_{11} + \sum_{q=j+1}^n A_{1q}B_{(1-j+q)1} \\
&= \sum_{q=1}^{j-1} A_{1q}B_{qj} + A_{1j}B_{jj} + \sum_{q=j+1}^n A_{1q}B_{qj} \\
&= \sum_{q=1}^n A_{1q}B_{qj} \\
&= (AB)_{1j}
\end{aligned} \tag{6}$$

So we can conclude $AB = BA$ and all pairs of circulant matrices commute under matrix multiplication

1.2 Determinant

The determinant of a square matrix is a value derived arithmetically from the coefficients of the matrix, and it summarizes a multivariable phenomenon with a single number. It can be computed with `scipy.linalg.det(a)`.

```
In [5]: from scipy.linalg import det
        from numpy import random
        my_circ_matrix = random.randint(1,10, size = (3,3))
        det(my_circ_matrix)
```

```
Out[5]: -93.99999999999999
```

The code below demonstrates how to create a function in Python, how to vectorize a function so that it can be applied to the elements of a matrix, and how to use `random`.

```
In [6]: import math

        def my_log(x):
            return math.log(x)

        my_vec_log = np.vectorize(my_log)

        A_step1 = my_vec_log(my_circ_matrix) # Numpy already offers a vectorized na

        print(A_step1)
        # A_step1 = np.log(matrix_prod2)

        max_index = 1000000
```

```

my_identity = np.identity(len(A_step1))
current_value = 0.0
for my_index in range(0, max_index):
    permutation_matrix = random.permutation(my_identity)
    sign_permutation = det(permutation_matrix)
    current_value += sign_permutation*(np.exp(np.trace(np.dot(A_step1, permutation_matrix))))
a_step2 = math.factorial(len(A_step1)) * current_value / max_index
print(a_step2)

```

```

[[ 0.          1.09861229  0.          ]
 [ 2.19722458  0.          1.60943791]
 [ 1.94591015  1.38629436  2.07944154]]
-93.717738

```

```

In [7]: tryIdentity = np.identity(3)
tryRandom = random.permutation(tryIdentity)
print(tryIdentity)
print(tryRandom)
print(det(tryRandom))

```

```

[[ 1.  0.  0.]
 [ 0.  1.  0.]
 [ 0.  0.  1.]]
[[ 0.  1.  0.]
 [ 0.  0.  1.]
 [ 1.  0.  0.]]
1.0

```

```

In [8]: dotTemp = np.dot(A_step1, tryRandom)
print(dotTemp)

```

```

[[ 0.          0.          1.09861229]
 [ 1.60943791  2.19722458  0.          ]
 [ 2.07944154  1.94591015  1.38629436]]

```

Questions It appears that the output of the loop above is close to the determinant of the circulant matrix `my_circ_matrix`. * Go through the code and provide a compelling explain explanation of why these numbers are close. * Is this a property of circulant matrices, or would this finding extend to arbitrary matrices over the real numbers?

Solution

- Because the determinant of matrix is caculated by

$$\det(A) = \sum_{\sigma \in S_n} \text{sgn}(\sigma) \prod_{i=1}^n a_{i,\sigma(i)}$$

And the random process actually produce term of this equation and the produce probability of each term is equal. So it would end up with a value which is very close with $\det(A)$.

1.2.1 Tasks

- Build code to explore the fact that the determinant function is multiplicative: $\det(AB) = \det(A)\det(B)$.

```
In [9]: maxCheckTime = 10000
        trueTime = 0
        for myIndex in range(maxCheckTime):
            sizeMatrix = random.randint(1,3) #size is random within 3
            matrixA = random.randint(100, size = (sizeMatrix, sizeMatrix))
            matrixB = random.randint(100, size = (sizeMatrix, sizeMatrix)) #produce
            # print(matrixA)
            # print(matrixB)
            # print(det(np.dot(matrixA,matrixB)))
            # print(det(matrixA)*det(matrixB))
            if (np.absolute(det(np.dot(matrixA,matrixB))-det(matrixA)*det(matrixB))) > 1:
                trueTime += 1
        print("accuracy rate is %f" % (trueTime/maxCheckTime))

accuracy rate is 1.000000
```

So according to the simulate result above, we can conclude $\det(AB) = \det(A)\det(B)$

In []: