# STA4724: Big Data Analytics Methods

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### 1 Definitions of Matrices and Vectors

#### Matrix

- a matrix is an arrangement of numbers in rectangular form
- a  $J \times K$  matrix has J rows and k columns
- a Square matrix is of order (2,2) as a special case
- Vectors are subcategories of matrices that have either one row or one column

(1, k) is one rowm, and multiple columns, e.g.  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ 

(k,1) is one column, and multiple rows, e.g.  $\begin{bmatrix} 1\\2\\3 \end{bmatrix}$ 

• a matrix with one row and one column is the same as a scalar.  $a=5 \Leftrightarrow a=\lceil 5 \rceil$ 

### 2 Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication

- $\bullet \ A + B = C$
- $A + B \Leftrightarrow B + A$
- $(A+B)+C \Leftrightarrow A+(B+C)$

**Transposition** An order (j, j) matrix is said to be symmetric if  $A = A^T$ 

- $(A^T)^T \Leftrightarrow A$
- $(kA)^T \Leftrightarrow kA^T$  where k is a scalar
- $(A+B)^T \Leftrightarrow A^T + B^T$
- $kA \Rightarrow k \cdot \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} k \cdot a_1 & k \cdot a_2 & k \cdot a_3 \end{bmatrix}$
- $\bullet\,$  Given matrix A of order (m,n) and matrix B of order (n,r)

 $C = A \cdot B$  is of order  $(m,r) = [C_{mr}]$  where  $C_{mr} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} A_{mi} \cdot B_{ir}$ 

**Example 1.** Given the matrices  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 8 \\ 9 & 10 \\ 11 & 12 \end{bmatrix}$ , find  $C = A \cdot B$ 

$$C_{11} = 1 \cdot 7 + 2 \cdot 9 + 3 \cdot 11 = 58$$

$$C_{12} = 1 \cdot 8 + 2 \cdot 10 + 3 \cdot 12 = 64$$

$$C_{21} = 4 \cdot 7 + 5 \cdot 9 + 6 \cdot 11 = 139$$

$$C_{22} = 4 \cdot 8 + 5 \cdot 10 + 6 \cdot 12 = 154$$

Therefore, 
$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 58 & 64 \\ 139 & 154 \end{bmatrix}$$

#### **Properties**

- $AB \neq BA$
- $A(BC) \Leftrightarrow (AB)C$
- $A(B+C) \Leftrightarrow AB+AC$
- $(AB)^T \Leftrightarrow B^T A^T$
- $A^n \Leftrightarrow A_0 \cdot A_1 \cdot \dots \cdot A_{n-1}$

### 3 Diagonal and Identity Matrices

**Diagonal matrix** A diagonal matrix is a square matrix with zero entries except possible on the main diagonal

**Example 2.**  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  is a diagonal matrix. note that they dont need to be

1s, they can be any number, including zero.

In general, a diagonal matrix is given by 
$$D_{mn} = \begin{bmatrix} d_1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & d_2 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & d_3 & \dots & 0 \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & d_n \end{bmatrix}$$

#### **Echelon Form**

1. row echeleon form (ref)

The first non-zero element in each row is called the leading entry, is always 1

Each leading entry is in a column to the right of the leading entry in the previous row (if any)

Rows with all zero elements are below rows with non-zero elements (if any)

2. reduced row echelon form (rref)

any ref with the leading entry in each row is the only non-zero entry in its column.

#### **Properties of Diagonal Matrices**

• A diagonal matrix *D* is invertible if and only if all the diagonal elements are non zero.

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**Identity Matrix** The identity matrix is a square matrix, consisting of ones along the diagonal and zeros elsewhere. Typically, I is used to denote the identity matrix.

Example 4.

$$I_{nn} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Properties of Identity Matrices** 

 $\bullet$  AI = IA = A

**Zero Matrix** a zero matrix consists of all zero elements.

### 4 Determinant and Eigenstructure

**Determinant** Determinants are defined only for square matrices and scalars.

**Example 5.** let 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$$
, then  $\det(A) = ad - cb$ 

the determinant of a matrix is denoted by |A| or  $\det(A)$  and is a number which encodes a lot of information about the matrix.

In general, we need to first define the cofactor  $Q_{r,s}$  of each element of A,  $a_{r,s}$ . The cofactor of  $a_{r,s}$  is  $Q_{r,s} = -1^{r+s}|A_{r,s}|$  (where  $|A_{r,s}|$  is the determinant of the matrix obtained by deleting the r-th row and s-th column of A).

The last step is to define the determinant of the matrix A as

$$|A| = \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{ij} Q_{ij}$$

or

$$|A| = \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{ij} Q_{ij}$$

#### Properties of Determinants

- |I| = 1
- if exchanging two rows of a matrix, we only need to reverse the sign of its determinant
- If we multiply one row of a matrix by a scalar k, the determinant is also multiplied by k.
- The determinant behaves like a linear function on the rows of the matrix

**Lemma 6.** The geometric multiplicity of an eigenvalue is at most its algebraic multiplicity.

Characteristic equation  $det(A - \lambda I) = 0$ 

#### The Geometric Multiplicity of Eigenvalues

• It is the dimension of the linear space of its associated eigenvectors.

Let A be a  $k \times k$  matrix,  $\lambda_k$  be one of the eigenvalues of A and denote its associated eigenspace by  $E_k$ . Then the dimension of  $E_k$  is called the geometric multiplicity of this eigenvalue  $\lambda_k$ 

*Proof.* Suppose that the geometric multiplicity of  $\lambda_k$  is equal to g, so that there are g linearly independent eigenvectors.  $x_1, ... x_g$  associated to  $\lambda_k$ . Randomly choose k-g factors  $x_{g+1}...x_k$ , all having dimension  $k \times l$  and such that the k column vectors  $x_1, ..., x_k$  are linearly independent.

Define the  $k \times k$  matrix

$$x = [x_1, ..., x_k]$$

for any g, denoted by  $b_g$  the vector that solves  $xb_g = Ax_g = \lambda x_g$ 

Define the  $k \times (k - g)$  matrix

$$B = [b_g + 1, ..., b_k]$$

and denote by C its upper  $g \times (k-g)$  block, and denote by D its lower  $(k-g) \times (k-g)$  block

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} C \\ D \end{bmatrix}$$

Denote by I the  $k \times k$  identity matrix. for any scalar  $\lambda$ , we have that  $(A - \lambda I)X$  (= 0 to find x for  $\lambda_k \times$ )

I dont understand anything she wrote after this so sorry that there isnt anything here

### 5 Inverses and Singularity

Suppose A is a square matrix. we look for an Inverse Matrix,  $A^{-1}$  of the same size, such that  $AA^{-1} \Rightarrow 1$  (does nothing to a vector)

Thus, 
$$AA^{-1}x = x$$

Multiplying Ax = b by  $A^{-1}$  gives  $A^{-1}Ax = A^{-1}b \Rightarrow x = A^{-1}b$ 

If the determinant of A is non-zero, then  $A^{-1}$  exists, thus it is invertible.

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