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MATH3018 Assignment 2, due on Feb 12

- (1) Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 8 & 6 \\ 8 & -9 \end{pmatrix}$.
- Calculate AA^T and obtain its eigenvalues and eigenvectors.
 - Calculate $A^T A$ and obtain its eigenvalues and eigenvectors.
 - Obtain the singular value decomposition of A .
- (2) Show that every eigenvalue of a $k \times k$ positive definite matrix A is positive.
(Hint: Consider the definition of an eigenvalue, where $Au = \lambda u$. Multiply on the left by u^T .)
- (3) For any positive semi-definite matrix A , let $\lambda_1(A)$ denote its largest eigenvalue. Show that $x^T A x \leq \lambda_1(A)$ for any unit vector x . For which x does equality holds?
- (4) Show that
- $$\text{Cov}(c_{11}X_1 + c_{12}X_2 + \cdots + c_{1p}X_p, c_{21}X_1 + c_{22}X_2 + \cdots + c_{2p}X_p) = \mathbf{c}_1^T \Sigma \mathbf{c}_2$$
- where $\mathbf{c}_1^T = [c_{11}, c_{12}, \dots, c_{1p}]$, $\mathbf{c}_2^T = [c_{21}, c_{22}, \dots, c_{2p}]$ and Σ is the population covariance matrix of $\mathbf{X} = (X_1, X_2, \dots, X_p)^T$.

- (5) Let $X = (X_1, X_2)^T$ be a random vector. We are given $n = 3$ observations:

$$\mathbf{X} = \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 1 \\ 5 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Define $b = (2, 3)^T$ and $c = (-1, 2)^T$. Find the following:

- sample means of $b^T X$ and $c^T X$,
- sample variances of $b^T X$ and $c^T X$, respectively
- sample covariance of $b^T X$ and $c^T X$

- (6) Suppose the random vector $X = (X_1, X_2, X_3)^T$ has covariance matrix

$$\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} 25 & -2 & 4 \\ -2 & 4 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 9 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- Find the population correlation matrix of X .
- Find the covariance matrix of the random vector $(X_2 - 3, 2X_1 - X_2 + X_3 + 1)^T$.

(1) Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 8 & 6 \\ 8 & -9 \end{pmatrix}$.

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- (a) Calculate AA^T and obtain its eigenvalues and eigenvectors.
 (b) Calculate $A^T A$ and obtain its eigenvalues and eigenvectors.
 (c) Obtain the singular value decomposition of A .

Solution: (a):

$$A^T = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 8 & 8 \\ 3 & 6 & -9 \end{pmatrix} \therefore AA^T = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 8 & 6 \\ 8 & -9 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 8 & 8 \\ 3 & 6 & -9 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 25 & 50 & 5 \\ 50 & 100 & 10 \\ 5 & 10 & 145 \end{pmatrix} \therefore AA^T \vec{x} = \lambda \vec{x} \text{ to find } \lambda \text{ and } \vec{x}, \text{ where } \vec{x} \neq 0$$

For solution, if $AA^T - \lambda I$ is invertible, then $\vec{x} = (AA^T - \lambda I)^{-1} \vec{0} = \vec{0}$, contradiction, so $AA^T - \lambda I$ not invertible

$$\therefore |AA^T - \lambda I| = 0 \Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} 25-\lambda & 50 & 5 \\ 50 & 100-\lambda & 10 \\ 5 & 10 & 145-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (25-\lambda) \begin{vmatrix} 100-\lambda & 10 \\ 10 & 145-\lambda \end{vmatrix} - 50 \begin{vmatrix} 50 & 10 \\ 5 & 145-\lambda \end{vmatrix} + 5 \begin{vmatrix} 50 & 100-\lambda \\ 5 & 10 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (25-\lambda) \cdot ((100-\lambda) \cdot (145-\lambda) - 100) - 50(750 - 50\lambda - 50) + 5(500 - 100\lambda + 5\lambda)$$

$$= -\lambda^3 + 270\lambda^2 - 2025\lambda + 360000 - 360000 + 2500\lambda + 25\lambda$$

$$= -\lambda^3 + 270\lambda^2 - 18000\lambda = \lambda(-\lambda^2 + 270\lambda - 18000) = -\lambda(\lambda^2 - 270\lambda + 18000) = 0 \Leftrightarrow -\lambda(\lambda - 120)(\lambda - 150) = 0$$

$$\therefore \lambda_1 = 150, \lambda_2 = 120, \lambda_3 = 0$$

when $\lambda = 150$

$$(AA^T - \lambda I) \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} -125 & 50 & 5 \\ 50 & -50 & 10 \\ 5 & 10 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x} = \vec{0} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} -25x_1 + 10x_2 + x_3 = 0 \\ 5x_1 - 5x_2 + x_3 = 0 \\ -x_1 - 2x_2 + x_3 = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \vec{x} = x_2 \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ 1 \\ \frac{5}{2} \end{bmatrix} \text{ where } x_2 \neq 0 \Rightarrow \vec{x}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{30}}{6} \\ \frac{30}{15} \\ \frac{\sqrt{30}}{6} \end{bmatrix}$$

when $\lambda_2 = 120$

$$(AA^T - \lambda I) \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} -95 & 50 & 5 \\ 50 & -20 & 10 \\ 5 & 10 & 25 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x} = \vec{0} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} -19x_1 + 10x_2 + x_3 = 0 \\ 10x_1 - 4x_2 + 2x_3 = 0 \\ x_1 + 2x_2 + 5x_3 = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \vec{x}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -x_3 \\ -2x_3 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = x_3 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ where } x_3 \neq 0 \Rightarrow \vec{x}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{6}}{6} \\ -\frac{\sqrt{6}}{3} \\ \frac{\sqrt{6}}{6} \end{bmatrix}$$

when $\lambda_3 = 0$

$$(AA^T - \lambda I) \vec{x} = AA^T \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 25 & 50 & 5 \\ 50 & 100 & 10 \\ 5 & 10 & 145 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x} = \vec{0} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 5x_1 + 10x_2 + x_3 = 0 \\ 5x_1 + 10x_2 + x_3 = 0 \\ x_1 + 2x_2 + 29x_3 = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 5x_1 + 10x_2 + x_3 = 0 \\ 5x_1 + 10x_2 + 145x_3 = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} -2x_2 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \vec{x}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \text{for } AA^T, \lambda_1 = 150 \text{ and } \vec{x}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{30}}{6} \\ \frac{30}{15} \\ \frac{\sqrt{30}}{6} \end{bmatrix}, \lambda_2 = 120 \text{ and } \vec{x}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{6}}{6} \\ -\frac{\sqrt{6}}{3} \\ \frac{\sqrt{6}}{6} \end{bmatrix}, \lambda_3 = 0 \text{ and } \vec{x}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$(b) A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 8 & 8 \\ 3 & 6 & -9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 8 & 6 \\ 8 & -9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 144 & -12 \\ -12 & 126 \end{bmatrix} \therefore |A^T A - \lambda I| = 0 \Leftrightarrow \begin{vmatrix} 144-\lambda & -12 \\ -12 & 126-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Leftrightarrow (144-\lambda)(126-\lambda) - 144 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^2 - 270\lambda + 18000 = 0 \therefore \lambda_1 = 150, \lambda_2 = 120 \text{ when } \lambda_1 = 150 (A^T A - \lambda I) \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} -6 & -12 \\ -12 & -24 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x} = \vec{0} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x_1 + 2x_2 = 0 \\ x_1 + 2x_2 = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{x}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -2x_2 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ where } x_2 \neq 0 \therefore \vec{x}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \end{bmatrix}. \text{ when } \lambda_2 = 120: (A^T A - \lambda I) \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 24 & -12 \\ -12 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x} = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} 2x_1 - x_2 = 0 \\ -12x_1 + 6x_2 = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 2x_1 - x_2 = 0 \\ 2x_1 - x_2 = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \vec{x}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ 2x_1 \end{bmatrix} = x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ where } x_1 \neq 0 \therefore \vec{x}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \text{for } A^T A, \lambda_1 = 150 \text{ and } \vec{x}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \end{bmatrix}, \lambda_2 = 120 \text{ and } \vec{x}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \end{bmatrix}.$$

(c):

$A = U S V^T$ where $A \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 2}$, $V \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$, $S \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 2}$, $U \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}$, $V^T \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$

$$\text{here } V = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \end{bmatrix} \therefore V^T = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \end{bmatrix}, U = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{30}}{6} & -\frac{\sqrt{6}}{6} & \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{\sqrt{30}}{6} & -\frac{\sqrt{6}}{3} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{\sqrt{30}}{6} & \frac{\sqrt{6}}{6} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \therefore S = \begin{bmatrix} 150 & 0 \\ 0 & 120 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \text{singular decomposition: } A = U S V^T = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{30}}{6} & -\frac{\sqrt{6}}{6} & \frac{2}{\sqrt{15}} \\ \frac{30}{15} & \frac{\sqrt{30}}{6} & \frac{\sqrt{5}}{5} \\ \frac{\sqrt{30}}{6} & \frac{\sqrt{6}}{6} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 15 & 0 \\ 0 & 120 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{\sqrt{15}} & \frac{\sqrt{5}}{5} \\ \frac{\sqrt{5}}{5} & \frac{2}{\sqrt{15}} \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

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(2) Show that every eigenvalue of a $k \times k$ positive definite matrix A is positive.

(Hint: Consider the definition of an eigenvalue, where $Au = \lambda u$. Multiply on the left by u^T .)

Solution: since A is $k \times k$ positive definite, $x^T A x > 0$ for $\forall x^T \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times 1}$ and equality holds only for $x^T = [0, 0, \dots, 0]$.
By such property we have $u^T A u > 0$ because u is a random eigenvalue, which means $u^T \neq [0, 0, \dots, 0]$.
when u is a random eigenvalue of A , we have: $Au = \lambda u$, multiply on the both sides of u^T on left.

$$u^T \lambda u = u^T A u > 0$$

$$\therefore \lambda \|u\|_2^2 > 0$$

since we have $\|u\|_2^2 = u^T u > 0$ because $u^T \neq [0, 0, \dots, 0]$

Thus finally $\lambda > 0$ for each λ as eigenvalue.

hence shown. \square .

(3) For any positive semi-definite matrix A , let $\lambda_1(A)$ denote its largest eigenvalue.

Show that $x^T A x \leq \lambda_1(A)$ for any unit vector x . For which x does equality hold?

Solution:

$\because A$ is positive semi-definite matrix $\therefore A = U \Lambda U^T$ where $U^T U = I$ and $A = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & 0 \\ & \lambda_2 & \\ 0 & & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}$, $\lambda_1 \geq \lambda_2 \geq \dots \geq \lambda_n$ are eigenvalues
 $U = [u_1 \ u_2 \ \dots \ u_n]$ and u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n are orthogonal

eigenvectors.

$\because x$ is a unit vector $\|x\| = 1$, we expand x in the eigenbasis:

$x = c_1 u_1 + c_2 u_2 + \dots + c_n u_n$ where $c_i = u_i^T x$ and $c_1^2 + c_2^2 + \dots + c_n^2 = 1$ (since $\|x\|^2 = 1$)

$$\therefore x^T A x = x^T U \Lambda U^T x = (U^T x)^T \Lambda (U^T x), \text{ and let } y = U^T x, y = \begin{bmatrix} u_1^T x \\ u_2^T x \\ \vdots \\ u_n^T x \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \\ \vdots \\ c_n \end{bmatrix} = [c_1 \ c_2 \ \dots \ c_n]^T$$

$$\therefore x^T A x = y^T \Lambda y = \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i c_i^2$$

since $\lambda_1 \geq \lambda_i$ for $i \geq 2$

$$\therefore \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i c_i^2 \leq \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_1 c_i^2 = \lambda_1 \sum_{i=1}^n c_i^2 = \lambda_1$$

$$\therefore x^T A x \leq \lambda_1$$

just shown $x^T A x \leq \lambda_1(A)$ for $\forall x$ and $\|x\| = 1$

equality holds when $\sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i c_i^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_1 c_i^2$, just $\sum_{i=1}^n (\lambda_i - \lambda_1) c_i^2 = 0$ or $\sum_{i=1}^n (\lambda_1 - \lambda_i) c_i^2 = 0$

since $\lambda_1 - \lambda_i \geq 0$ and $c_i^2 \geq 0 \therefore (\lambda_1 - \lambda_i) c_i^2 = 0$ for $\forall i$

for $\forall \lambda_i < \lambda_1 \ c_i^2 = 0 \therefore x = \sum_{i \in S} c_i u_i$ where $S = \{i \mid \lambda_i = \lambda_1\}$
 \square .

(4) Show that

$$\text{Cov}(c_{11}X_1 + c_{12}X_2 + \dots + c_{1p}X_p, c_{21}X_1 + c_{22}X_2 + \dots + c_{2p}X_p) = c_1^T \Sigma c_2$$

where $c_1^T = [c_{11}, c_{12}, \dots, c_{1p}]$, $c_2^T = [c_{21}, c_{22}, \dots, c_{2p}]$ and Σ is the population covariance matrix of $X = (X_1, X_2, \dots, X_p)^T$.

Solution:

$$\text{L.H.S.} = \text{Cov}(c_{11}X_1 + c_{12}X_2 + \dots + c_{1p}X_p, c_{21}X_1 + c_{22}X_2 + \dots + c_{2p}X_p) = \sum_{i=1}^p \sum_{j=1}^p c_{1i} c_{2j} \text{Cov}(X_i, X_j)$$

$$\text{R.H.S.} = c_1^T \Sigma c_2 = [c_{11}, c_{12}, \dots, c_{1p}] \begin{bmatrix} \text{Cov}_{11} & \text{Cov}_{12} & \dots & \text{Cov}_{1p} \\ \text{Cov}_{21} & \text{Cov}_{22} & \dots & \text{Cov}_{2p} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \text{Cov}_{p1} & \text{Cov}_{p2} & \dots & \text{Cov}_{pp} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c_{21} \\ c_{22} \\ \vdots \\ c_{2p} \end{bmatrix} = \left[\sum_{i=1}^p c_{1i} \text{Cov}(X_i, X_1) \quad \sum_{i=1}^p c_{1i} \text{Cov}(X_i, X_2) \quad \dots \quad \sum_{i=1}^p c_{1i} \text{Cov}(X_i, X_p) \right] \begin{bmatrix} c_{21} \\ c_{22} \\ \vdots \\ c_{2p} \end{bmatrix} = \sum_{i=1}^p \sum_{j=1}^p c_{1i} c_{2j} \text{Cov}(X_i, X_j)$$

by such computation, it is easy to show that L.H.S. = R.H.S.

Shown. \square .

(5) Let $X = (X_1, X_2)^T$ be a random vector. We are given $n = 3$ observations:

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 1 \\ 5 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Define $b = (2, 3)^T$ and $c = (-1, 2)^T$. Find the following:

- sample means of $b^T X$ and $c^T X$,
- sample variances of $b^T X$ and $c^T X$, respectively
- sample covariance of $b^T X$ and $c^T X$

Solution: (i): 1. For $b^T = (2, 3)$: First observation: $2 \times 9 + 3 \times 1 = 21$, Second observation: $2 \times 5 + 3 \times 3 = 19$, Third observation: $2 \times 1 + 3 \times 2 = 8$

\therefore Value: $[21, 19, 8]$ \therefore Sample Mean of $b^T X = \frac{21+19+8}{3} = \frac{48}{3} = 16$

2. For $c^T = (-1, 2)$: First observation: $-1 \times 9 + 2 \times 1 = -7$, Second observation: $-1 \times 5 + 2 \times 3 = 1$, Third observation: $-1 \times 1 + 2 \times 2 = 3$ \therefore Value: $[-7, 1, 3]$ \therefore Sample Mean: of $c^T X = \frac{-7+1+3}{3} = \frac{-3}{3} = -1$ o.

(ii): Sample Variance = $\frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})(X_i - \bar{X})^T = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^3 (X_i - \bar{X})(X_i - \bar{X})^T$

1: Sample variances of $b^T X = \frac{1}{2} ((21-16)^2 + (19-16)^2 + (8-16)^2) = \frac{1}{2} (25 + 9 + 64) = \frac{1}{2} \times 98 = 49$

2: Sample variances of $c^T X = \frac{1}{2} ((-7-(-1))^2 + (1-(-1))^2 + (3-(-1))^2) = \frac{1}{2} \times (36 + 4 + 16) = \frac{1}{2} \times 56 = 28$ o.

(iii): Sample Covariance = $\frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})(Y_i - \bar{Y})^T = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^3 (X_i - \bar{X})(Y_i - \bar{Y})^T$

\therefore Sample covariance ($b^T X, c^T X$) = $\frac{1}{2} ((21-16)(-7-(-1)) + (19-16)(1-(-1)) + (8-16)(3-(-1))) = \frac{1}{2} (-30 + 6 - 32) = -28$ o.

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(6) Suppose the random vector $X = (X_1, X_2, X_3)^T$ has covariance matrix

$$\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} 25 & -2 & 4 \\ -2 & 4 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 9 \end{pmatrix}.$$

(a) Find the population correlation matrix of X .

(b) Find the covariance matrix of the random vector $(X_2 - 3, 2X_1 - X_2 + X_3 + 1)^T$.

Solution:

(a): $\rho = D_6^{-1/2} \Sigma D_6^{-1/2}$ where $D_6 = \text{diag of } \Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} 25 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 9 \end{pmatrix} \therefore \rho = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{5} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 25 & -2 & 4 \\ -2 & 4 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{5} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{5} & \frac{4}{15} \\ -\frac{1}{5} & 1 & \frac{1}{6} \\ \frac{4}{15} & \frac{1}{6} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

(b): $Y = \begin{bmatrix} X_2 - 3 \\ 2X_1 - X_2 + X_3 + 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \\ X_3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} X + \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$\therefore \Sigma_Y = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Sigma \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 25 & -2 & 4 \\ -2 & 4 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -7 \\ -7 & 13 \end{bmatrix}$

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