

Last time:

Any system of equations is in the form: $A_{p \times q} \overset{x}{q \times 1} = b_{p \times 1}$.

If $p=q$ & A has inverse then the system has a unique soln:

$$x = A^{-1} \cdot b$$

Every square matrix can be written as a product: $A = LU$ $\begin{matrix} \rightarrow \text{upper} \\ \text{triang.} \\ \downarrow \\ \text{lower triang.} \end{matrix}$

after possible a number of row exchanges.

ex: $B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} -R_1 + R_2 \rightarrow R_2 \\ -R_1 + R_3 \rightarrow R_3 \end{matrix}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

The process is stuck! One has to exchange, say, 2nd & 3rd rows.

Observe: $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot B = A$

This "elementary matrix" is responsible of exchanging 2nd & 3rd rows. That & any product of such matrices is called a permutation matrix, so:

THM: Every square matrix A is:

~~permutation~~ $P \cdot A = L \cdot U$
 \swarrow \searrow
 lower upper

ex:

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow[-E_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}]{-R_1 + R_2 \rightarrow R_2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow[-E_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}]{-R_1 + R_3 \rightarrow R_3}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = U : E_2 \cdot E_1 \cdot A = U$$

$$\Rightarrow A = E_1^{-1} E_2^{-1} U = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ +1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ +1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} U$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

L : lower

upper: U

Why do we like the LU-decomposition:

Solve: $Ax = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = b$ with A as above.

$$\Leftrightarrow L(Ux) = b$$

Step I: $L \cdot y = b$ solve this.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} y_1 &= 1 \\ y_2 &= 1 \\ y_3 &= -2 \end{aligned}$$

Step II: Solve $Ux = y = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \boxed{\begin{aligned} x_3 &= -1, x_2 = 2 \\ x_1 &= -1 \end{aligned}}$$

the unique solution for x

If the coeff matrix is triangular, solution becomes very easy.

THM: Any square matrix A satisfies:

shuffle
the
rows
if necessary

$$P \cdot A = L \cdot D \cdot U \rightarrow \text{upper}$$

lower diagonal

with the diagonal entries of L & U are all 1.

ex:

$$C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ \underline{0 & 0 & 2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

So in the prev ex:

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Observe $C^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & \\ & 1 & \\ & & 2 \end{pmatrix}$

Some more observations.

thm 1. Let A, B be invertible matrices.
 $p \times p \quad p \times p$

[Then $A \cdot B$ is invertible too with
inverse $B^{-1} \cdot A^{-1}$.

proof. Just multiply: $(B^{-1} A^{-1})(AB)$
[$= B^{-1}(A^{-1}A)B = B^{-1}I_{p \times p} B = B^{-1}B = I$

thm 2. Diagonal matrices with nonzero
diagonal entries are invertible.

$$[\text{diag}(a_1, \dots, a_n)]^{-1} = \text{diag}(a_1^{-1}, \dots, a_n^{-1})$$

defn: For an $A_{p \times q}$, the transpose
of A , denoted by A^T , is the $q \times p$
matrix with $(A^T)_{ij} = A_{ji}$.

ex: $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \end{pmatrix}^T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$

thm 3. $(AB)^T = B^T A^T$

proof. $((AB)^T)_{ij} = (AB)_{ji} = \sum_{k=1}^q a_{jk} b_{ki}$

Meanwhile:

$$\begin{aligned} (B^T \cdot A^T)_{ij} &= \sum_{k=1}^q (B^T)_{ik} (A^T)_{kj} \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^q b_{ki} \cdot a_{jk} \end{aligned}$$

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thm 4. Let A be invertible. Then A^T is invertible too with $(A^T)^{-1} = (A^{-1})^T$

proof. Try: $A^T \cdot (A^{-1})^T \stackrel{\text{thm 3}}{=} (A^{-1} \cdot A)^T$

$$= I_{p \times p}^T = I$$

thm 5. The product of two upper tri. matrices is upper tri.

proof. Let U, V be upper. Then

$$(U \cdot V)^T = V^T \cdot U^T = \text{lower}$$

$\begin{matrix} p \times p & p \times p \\ \text{nm3} & \text{last week} \end{matrix}$

$\swarrow \text{lower} \quad \searrow \text{lower}$

Hence UV is upper.

How do we find inverses?

Gauss-Jordan algorithm

ex: $\left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow[-R1+R2 \rightarrow R2]{E_1}$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow[-R1+R3 \rightarrow R3]{E_2}$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow[\text{D}_1]{\begin{matrix} R3 \rightarrow R3 \\ 2 \end{matrix}} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right)$$

$$\begin{array}{c} -R_3 + R_2 \rightarrow R_2 \\ \hline F_1 \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & -1/2 & 1 & -1/2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & -1/2 & 0 & 1/2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} -R_2 + R_1 \rightarrow R_1 \\ \hline F_2 \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 3/2 & -1 & 1/2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & -1/2 & 1 & -1/2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & -1/2 & 0 & 1/2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}}_{I_{3 \times 3}} \quad \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 3/2 & -1 & 1/2 \\ -1/2 & 1 & -1/2 \\ -1/2 & 0 & 1/2 \end{pmatrix}}_B$

Claim: $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -2 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$.

Try $AA^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = I_{3 \times 3}$

Getting $I_{3 \times 3}$ here means

$$(F_2 F_1 D_1 E_2 E_1)A = I.$$

The expression in parenthesis is the inverse of A .

Meanwhile what happened in the second block:

$$\rightarrow F_2 F_1 D_1 E_2 E_1 \cdot I_{3 \times 3} = B$$

Hence B is exactly the expression in the parenthesis: the inverse of A .

Gauss-Jordan: If I is obtained at the left block then the right block is the inverse of A .

The algorithm is stuck if there are 0 entries on the diagonal of the row reduced echelon form. (Just at the moment where F_1 starts.)