

# Theory Assignment for Module 1 & 2

MA423 : Matrix Computations

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Total Marks: 20

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## Important instructions:

1. Only pdf files neatly typed in LaTeX will be accepted. File name should be M12GyT.pdf where y is group number. For example for Group 11 it will be M12G11T.pdf
2. Write the Group number and names of all group members on the top of the file.

1. Prove that running Gaussian elimination with complete pivoting on a square matrix  $A$  produces permutation matrices  $P$  and  $Q$ , a unit lower triangular matrix  $L$  and an upper triangular matrix  $U$  such that  $PAQ = LU$ . (8 marks)
2. From the backward error analysis it is well known that given floating point numbers  $u_i, w_i$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, n$ , there exist  $\gamma_i, i = 1, \dots, n$ , satisfying  $|\gamma_i| \leq nu + O(u^2)$ , such that in the presence of rounding errors,

$$\text{fl} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n u_i w_i \right) = \sum_{i=1}^n u_i w_i (1 + \gamma_i). \quad (1)$$

*irrespective of the order of summation.* Answer the following question using (1). You may assume basic inequalities like  $|AB| \leq |A||B|$ ,  $|Ax| \leq |A||x|$  for matrices  $A$  and  $B$  and vectors  $x$  such that the products are defined.

Let  $V$  be any  $n \times n$  invertible matrix. Prove that given any  $n \times n$  matrix  $A$ , there exists an  $n \times n$  matrix  $\delta A$ , such that  $\text{fl}(VA) = V(A + \delta A)$  with  $|\delta A_j| \leq \gamma |V^{-1}| |V| |A_j|$ , for a scalar  $\gamma$  (which does not depend on  $j$ ) such that  $|\gamma| \leq nu + O(u^2)$  for all  $j = 1, \dots, n$ ,  $A_j$  and  $\delta A_j$  being the  $j^{\text{th}}$  columns of  $A$  and  $\delta A$  respectively. (6 marks)

3. Given  $A = [a_{ij}]_{n \times n}$  let  $A^{(k)} = [a_{ij}^{(k)}]_{n \times n}$  be the matrix obtained at the end of step  $k$  of Gaussian elimination in theory. The pivotal growth factor of the process is defined as

$$\rho(A) = \left( \max_{\substack{1 \leq i, j \leq n \\ 1 \leq k \leq n-1}} |a_{ij}^{(k)}| \right) / \left( \max_{1 \leq i, j \leq n} |a_{ij}| \right).$$

Prove that for GEPP,  $\frac{\|U\|_\infty}{\|A\|_\infty} \leq n\rho(A) \leq n2^{n-1}$ . (6 marks)