

Homework 4
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1. Firstly, we can get U first, which is

$$\begin{aligned}
 A &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 4 & 4 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \\
 \xrightarrow{R_3 - R_1 \rightarrow R_3} & \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \\
 \xrightarrow{R_3 - 2R_2 \rightarrow R_3} & \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \\
 \xrightarrow{R_4 - R_2 \rightarrow R_4} & \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = U
 \end{aligned}$$

From the operations above, we can observe that

$$\begin{aligned}
 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} A = U \\
 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} A = U \\
 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} A = U
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore L = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

We can check by matlab that $A = LU$

Listing 1: Check1

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L=[1,0,0,0;0,1,0,0;1,2,1,0;0,1,0,1];
U =[1,-1,1,2;0,2,1,0;0,0,1,2;0,0,0,-1];
A= L*U
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A =
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1   -1   1   2
0    2   1   0
1    3   4   4
0    2   1  -1
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diary off
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Now, we can solve $Ly = b$ by forward substitution that

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} y = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 11 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$y_1 = 3$$

$$y_2 = 2$$

$$y_1 + 2y_2 + y_3 = 11$$

$$3 + 4 + y_3 = 11$$

$$y_3 = 4$$

$$y_2 + y_4 = 1$$

$$2 + y_4 = 1$$

$$y_4 = -1$$

$$\therefore y = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Next, we can solve the system that $Ux = y$, which is

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} x = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-x_4 = -1$$

$$x_4 = 1$$

$$x_3 + 2x_4 = 4$$

$$x_3 + 2 = 4$$

$$x_3 = 2$$

$$2x_2 + x_3 = 2$$

$$2x_2 + 2 = 2$$

$$x_2 = 0$$

$$x_1 - x_2 + x_3 + 2x_4 = 3$$

$$x_1 + 4 = 3$$

$$x_1 = -1$$

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

And we can check the answer by Matlab:

Listing 2: Check2

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x=[-1;0;2;1];
b=A*x
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b =
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    3
    2
   11
    1
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diary off
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2. • To change row 1 and row 4 and negate row 2, we can multiply B by $P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, and
- PB is the answer we deserved.

- To get C, we need multiply B by the matrix $Q = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, which means $C = QB$

3. •

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore A &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1+\delta & 2 \end{bmatrix} \\ \therefore A^{-1} &= \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{\delta} & \frac{1}{\delta} \\ \frac{1+\delta}{2\delta} & -\frac{1}{2\delta} \end{bmatrix} \\ \text{cond}(A, \infty) &= \|A\|_{\infty} \|A^{-1}\|_{\infty} \\ &= |3+\delta| \cdot \left| \frac{2}{\delta} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{2(3+\delta)}{\delta} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{6+2\delta}{\delta} \right| \end{aligned}$$

When $\delta = 10^{-2}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{cond}(A, \infty) &= \left| \frac{6.02}{0.01} \right| \\ &= 602 \end{aligned}$$

When $\delta = 10^{-6}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{cond}(A, \infty) &= \left| \frac{6+2 \cdot 10^{-6}}{10^{-6}} \right| \\ &= 6000002 \end{aligned}$$

When $\delta = 10^{-8}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{cond}(A, \infty) &= \left| \frac{6+2 \cdot 10^{-8}}{10^{-8}} \right| \\ &= 600000002 \end{aligned}$$

- We can write a code to calculate x_c and relative error:

Listing 3: compare.m

```
%% Function: Compare the relationship between relationship of computed error and
condition number of matrix A
del_vec =[10^(-2), 10^(-6), 10^(-8)];
relationship_error(del_vec);

function relationship_error(del)
x =[7;3];
for delta = del
    %Create A
    A=[1,2;1+delta,2];
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%Compute b
b=A*x;

%Give the computed root
xc = A\b;

%Compute the relative error
err = norm(x-xc,inf)/norm(x,inf);

%Compute the condition number
condition = cond(A,inf);
fprintf('delta = %10.8f solution = %15.10f %15.10f relative error = %e cond(A) =
      %5.4e\n', delta,xc,err,condition);
end
end

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and the output follows:

Listing 4: Output

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compare
delta = 0.01000000 solution = 7.00000000000 3.00000000000 relative error = 3.172066e-15
      cond(A) = 6.0200e+02
delta = 0.00000100 solution = 7.00000000005 2.99999999997 relative error = 7.404046e-11
      cond(A) = 6.0000e+06
delta = 0.00000001 solution = 6.9999999189 3.0000000406 relative error = 1.158603e-08
      cond(A) = 6.0000e+08
diary off

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so by comparing the exponential part of the relative error and condition number of A, we can observe that relative error is approximately equals to $\alpha \cdot \text{cond}(A)$, where $\alpha \approx 10^{-16}$. Since

Listing 5: Epsilon

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eps

ans =

      2.220446049250313e-16

diary off

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so we can conclude that $\frac{\|\vec{x} - \vec{x}_c\|}{\|\vec{x}\|} \approx \epsilon_{mach} \cdot \text{cond}(A)$

4. • Firstly, we need to show that A is symmetric, which is

$$A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 10 \end{bmatrix} = A$$

So that A is symmetric.

Second, we need to show that A is positive definite that

$$\begin{aligned}
 x^T Ax &= \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 10 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} x_1 + 3x_2 & 3x_1 + 10x_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= x_1^2 + 6x_1x_2 + 10x_2^2 \\
 &= x_1^2 + 6x_1x_2 + 9x_2^2 + x_2^2 \\
 &= (x_1 + 3x_2)^2 + x_2^2
 \end{aligned}$$

Since $(x_1 + 3x_2)^2 + x_2^2 \geq 0$, and $(x_1 + 3x_2)^2 + x_2^2 = 0 \iff x_1 = x_2 = 0$, which means $x = \vec{0}$, so that A is positive definite.

- Firstly, we need to show that A is symmetric, which is

$$A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = A$$

So that A is symmetric.

But we can observe that $|a_{12}| = 1$, $|a_{22}| = 0$, and $|a_{12}| > |a_{22}|$ follows, so the greatest element is off diagonal, so A is not positive definite.

- Firstly, we need to show that A is symmetric, which is

$$A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = A$$

So that A is symmetric.

But we can observe that $\det(A) = 2 \cdot 3 - 4 \cdot 4 = 12 - 16 = -4 < 0$, so A is not positive definite.

5.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

We can firstly check whether it is positive definite:

$$\begin{aligned}
x^T A x &= \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 & x_4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= \begin{bmatrix} 2x_1 - x_2 & -x_1 + 2x_2 - x_3 & -x_2 + 2x_3 - x_4 & -x_3 + 2x_4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= 2x_1^2 - x_1x_2 - x_1x_2 + 2x_2^2 - x_2x_3 - x_2x_3 + 2x_3^2 - x_3x_4 - x_3x_4 + 2x_4^2 \\
&= x_1^2 + (x_1^2 - 2x_1x_2 + x_2^2) + (x_2^2 - 2x_2x_3 + x_3^2) + (x_3^2 - 2x_3x_4 + x_4^2) + x_4^2 \\
&= x_1^2 + (x_1 - x_2)^2 + (x_2 - x_3)^2 + (x_3 - x_4)^2 + x_4^2 > 0
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore, A is positive definite, and we can easily observe that A is symmetric, so A is a spd matrix.

$$\begin{aligned}
A &= \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ r_{12} & r_{22} & 0 & 0 \\ r_{13} & r_{23} & r_{33} & 0 \\ r_{14} & r_{24} & r_{34} & r_{44} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} & r_{14} \\ 0 & r_{22} & r_{23} & r_{24} \\ 0 & 0 & r_{33} & r_{34} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & r_{44} \end{bmatrix} \\
&= \begin{bmatrix} r_{11}^2 & r_{11}r_{12} & r_{11}r_{13} & r_{11}r_{14} \\ r_{11}r_{12} & r_{12}^2 + r_{22}^2 & r_{12}r_{13} + r_{22}r_{23} & r_{12}r_{14} + r_{22}r_{24} \\ r_{11}r_{13} & r_{12}r_{13} + r_{22}r_{23} & r_{13}^2 + r_{23}^2 + r_{33}^2 & r_{13}r_{14} + r_{23}r_{24} + r_{33}r_{34} \\ r_{11}r_{14} & r_{12}r_{14} + r_{22}r_{24} & r_{13}r_{14} + r_{23}r_{24} + r_{33}r_{34} & r_{14}^2 + r_{24}^2 + r_{34}^2 + r_{44}^2 \end{bmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore r_{11}^2 = 2$$

$$r_{11} = \sqrt{2}$$

$$r_{11}r_{12} = -1$$

$$\therefore r_{12} = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$r_{11}r_{13} = r_{11}r_{14} = 0$$

$$r_{13} = r_{14} = 0$$

$$r_{12}^2 + r_{22}^2 = 2$$

$$r_{22} = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{2}$$

$$r_{12}r_{13} + r_{22}r_{23} = -1$$

$$r_{23} = -\frac{\sqrt{6}}{3}$$

$$r_{12}r_{14} + r_{22}r_{24} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}
r_{24} &= 0 \\
r_{13}^2 + r_{23}^2 + r_{33}^2 &= 2 \\
r_{33}^2 &= \frac{4}{3} \\
r_{33} &= \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3} \\
r_{13}r_{14} + r_{23}r_{24} + r_{33}r_{34} &= -1 \\
r_{34} &= -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\
r_{14}^2 + r_{24}^2 + r_{34}^2 + r_{44}^2 &= 2 \\
r_{44}^2 &= \frac{5}{4} \\
r_{44} &= \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2} \\
\therefore A &= \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ r_{12} & r_{22} & 0 & 0 \\ r_{13} & r_{23} & r_{33} & 0 \\ r_{14} & r_{24} & r_{34} & r_{44} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} & r_{14} \\ 0 & r_{22} & r_{23} & r_{24} \\ 0 & 0 & r_{33} & r_{34} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & r_{44} \end{bmatrix} \\
&= \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{6}}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{\sqrt{6}}{3} & \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{6}}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{6}}{3} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2} \end{bmatrix} \\
\therefore R &= \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{6}}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{6}}{3} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2} \end{bmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

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