

# Two by Two Matrix Jacobians

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This notebook emphasizes the multiple views of Jacobians with examples of 2x2 matrix functions.

In particular we will see the

- Symbolic "vec" format producing 4x4 matrices (generally  $n^2$  by  $n^2$  or  $mn$  by  $mn$ )
- Numerical formats
- The important Linear Transformation view
- Kronecker notation
- An example using ForwardDiff automatic differentiation

We also emphasize that matrix factorizations are also matrix functions, just as much as the square and the cube.

• using Symbolics , LinearAlgebra , PlutoUI

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## Symbolic Matrices

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$[p, q, r, s]$ 

- `@variables p q r s`

 $X =$ 

$$\begin{bmatrix} p & r \\ q & s \end{bmatrix}$$

- `X = [p r; q s]`

## vec

The `vec` command in Julia and in standard mathematics flattens a matrix column by column.

 $[p, q, r, s]$ 

- `vec(X)`

## 1) The matrix square function

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$$\begin{bmatrix} p^2 + qr & pr + rs \\ pq + qs & qr + s^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

- `X^2`

 $[p^2 + qr, pq + qs, pr + rs, qr + s^2]$ 

- `vec(X^2)`

## Symbolic Jacobian

The Jacobian of the (flattened) matrix function  $X^2$  symbolically

 $J =$ 

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2p & r & q & 0 \\ q & p+s & 0 & q \\ r & 0 & p+s & r \\ 0 & r & q & 2s \end{bmatrix}$$

- `J = Symbolics.jacobian(vec(X^2), vec(X))`

# Numerical Jacobian

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 3 & 5 & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 0 & 5 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 3 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

```
• begin
•   M = [1 2;3 4]
•   E = [.0001 .0002;.0003 .0004]
•   substitute(J,Dict(p=>1,q=>3,r=>2,s=>4))
• end
```

[0.0014, 0.003, 0.002, 0.0044]

```
• substitute(J,Dict(p=>1,q=>3,r=>2,s=>4)) * vec(E)
```

```
2×2 Matrix{Float64}:
0.00140007  0.0020001
0.00300015  0.00440022
```

```
• (M+E)^2 - M^2
```

# Linear Transformation Jacobian

```
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• """
```

linear\_transformation (generic function with 1 method)

```
• linear_transformation(E) = M*E + E*M
```

```
2×2 Matrix{Float64}:
0.0014  0.002
0.003   0.0044
```

```
• linear_transformation(E)
```

# Kronecker product or $\otimes$ notation

[a, b, c, d]

```
• @variables a,b,c,d
```

$$\left( \begin{bmatrix} p & r \\ q & s \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} a & c \\ b & d \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

```
• [p r;q s],[a c;b d]
```

Notice all possible products with the first matrix and the second

$$\begin{bmatrix} ap & cp & ar & cr \\ bp & dp & br & dr \\ aq & cq & as & cs \\ bq & dq & bs & ds \end{bmatrix}$$

```
• kron([p r;q s],[a c;b d] )
```

$$\begin{bmatrix} p & r & 0 & 0 \\ q & s & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & p & r \\ 0 & 0 & q & s \end{bmatrix}$$

```
• kron(I2,X)
```

$$\begin{bmatrix} p & 0 & q & 0 \\ 0 & p & 0 & q \\ r & 0 & s & 0 \\ 0 & r & 0 & s \end{bmatrix}$$

```
• kron(X',I2)
```

$$\left( \begin{bmatrix} 2p & r & q & 0 \\ q & p+s & 0 & q \\ r & 0 & p+s & r \\ 0 & r & q & 2s \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2p & r & q & 0 \\ q & p+s & 0 & q \\ r & 0 & p+s & r \\ 0 & r & q & 2s \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

```
• begin
•   I2 = [1 0; 0 1]
•   kron(I2,X) + kron(X',I2) , J
• end
```

# Key Kronecker identity

$(A \otimes B) * \text{vec}(C) = \text{vec}(BCA')$

true

```
• begin
•   A = rand(2,2)
•   B = rand(2,2)
•   C = rand(2,2)
•   kron(A,B) * vec(C) ≈ vec(B*C*A')
• end
```

## Useful Krockecker identities

- $(A \otimes B)^T = A^T \otimes B^T$
- $(A \otimes B)^{-1} = A^{-1} \otimes B^{-1}$
- $\det(A \otimes B) = \det(A)^m \det(B)^n$   
 $, A \in \Re^{n,n}, B \in \Re^{m,m}$
- $\text{trace}(A \otimes B) = \text{trace}(A)\text{trace}(B)$
- $A \otimes B$   
 is orthogonal if  $A$  and  $B$  are orthogonal
- $(A \otimes B)(C \otimes D) = (AC) \otimes (BD)$
- If  $Au = \lambda u$ , and  $Bv = \mu v$ , then if  $X = vu^T$ , then  $BXA^T = \lambda\mu X$ , and also  $AX^TB^T = \lambda\mu X^T$ . Therefore  $A \otimes B$  and  $B \otimes A$  have the same eigenvalues, and transposed eigenvectors.

(See [Wikipedia](#) for more properties. )

## The Jacobian in Kronecker notation

You see  $(I \otimes X + X' \otimes I) \text{vec}(dX) = \text{vec}(XdX + dX X) = \text{vec}(d(X^2))$   
 showing that  $d(X^2) = (I \otimes X + X' \otimes I)dX$ .

Do look this over.

## Automatic Differentiation (is not finite differences nor symbolic)

It comes in forward and reverse modes. Let's try forward.

```
• using ForwardDiff
```

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2p & r & q & 0 \\ q & p+s & 0 & q \\ r & 0 & p+s & r \\ 0 & r & q & 2s \end{bmatrix}$$

```
• J
```

```
4x4 Matrix{Int64}:  
2 2 3 0  
3 5 0 3  
2 0 5 2  
0 2 3 8
```

```
• ForwardDiff.jacobian(X->X^2,M)
```

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 & 0 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 & 5 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

```
• #Check  
• substitute(J, Dict{X.=>[1 3;2 4] })
```

## 2) The matrix cube Function

$$\begin{bmatrix} p^3 + qrs + 2pqr & r^2q + p^2r + s^2r + prs \\ p^2q + q^2r + s^2q + pqs & s^3 + pqr + 2qrs \end{bmatrix}$$

```
• expand.(X^3)
```

## Symbolic Jacobian

The Jacobian of the (flattened) matrix function X<sup>2</sup> symbolically

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3p^2 + 2qr & rs + 2pr & qs + 2pq & qr \\ qs + 2pq & p^2 + ps + s^2 + 2qr & q^2 & pq + 2qs \\ rs + 2pr & r^2 & p^2 + ps + s^2 + 2qr & pr + 2rs \\ qr & pr + 2rs & pq + 2qs & 3s^2 + 2qr \end{bmatrix}$$

```
• expand.(Symbolics.jacobian(vec(X^3), vec(X)))
```

## LinearTransformation Jacobian

$dX\ X^2 + X\ dX\ X + dX\ X^2$

with numerical data:

#3 (generic function with 1 method)

```
• E -> E*M*M + M*E*M + E*M*M
```

```
2x2 Matrix{Float64}:
0.0111011  0.0162016
0.0243024  0.0354035
```

```
• (E+M)^3 - M^3
```

```
2x2 Matrix{Float64}:
0.0111  0.0162
0.0243  0.0354
```

```
• (E -> E*M*M + M*E*M + E*M*M)(E)
```

check against the symbolic answer

$$\begin{bmatrix} 15 & 12 & 18 & 6 \\ 18 & 33 & 9 & 27 \\ 12 & 4 & 33 & 18 \\ 6 & 18 & 27 & 60 \end{bmatrix}$$

```
• substitute( Symbolics.jacobian(vec(X^3), vec(X)) ,
Dict{p=>M[1,1],q=>M[2,1],r=>M[1,2],s=>M[2,2]})
```

[0.0111000000000000002, 0.0243, 0.0162000000000000003, 0.0354]

```
• substitute( Symbolics.jacobian(vec(X^3), vec(X)) ,
Dict{p=>M[1,1],q=>M[2,1],r=>M[1,2],s=>M[2,2]}) * vec(E)
```

# The Jacobian in Kronecker Notation

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3p^2 + 2qr & rs + 2pr & qs + 2pq & qr \\ qs + 2pq & p^2 + ps + s^2 + 2qr & q^2 & pq + 2qs \\ rs + 2pr & r^2 & p^2 + ps + s^2 + 2qr & pr + 2rs \\ qr & pr + 2rs & pq + 2qs & 3s^2 + 2qr \end{bmatrix}$$

```
• expand.( kron(I2,X^2) + kron(X',X) + kron(X'^2,I2) )
```

## 3) The LU Decomposition

Recall the LU Decomposition factors a matrix into unit lower-triangular and upper triangular:

$$\left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ \frac{q}{p} & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} p & r \\ 0 & s + \frac{-qr}{p} \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

```
• begin
•   L,U = lu(X);
•   L,U
• end
```

$$\begin{bmatrix} p & r \\ q & s \end{bmatrix}$$

• `simplify_fractions.(L*U)`

The four entries of X: p,q,r,s are transformed into these four entries in LU:

$$\left[ \frac{q}{p}, p, r, s + \frac{-qr}{p} \right]$$

• `[L[2,1],U[1,1],U[1,2],U[2,2]]`

$$[p^2 + qr, pq + qs, pr + rs, qr + s^2]$$

• `vec(X^2)`

$$\begin{bmatrix} -\frac{q}{p^2} & \frac{1}{p} & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{-qr}{p^2} & \frac{-r}{p} & \frac{-q}{p} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

• `Symbolics.jacobian([L[2,1],U[1,1],U[1,2],U[2,2]], vec(X))`

Exercise: Relate this to  $d(LU) = dL U + L dU$

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## 4) Traceless symmetric eigenproblem: an example with two parameters not four

S =

$$\begin{bmatrix} p & s \\ s & -p \end{bmatrix}$$

• `S = [p s; s -p]`

$[\theta]$

• `@variables θ`

We know that the eigenvalues add to 0 (from the trace) and the eigenvectors are orthogonal (from being symmetric), so we can represent the eigenvectors and eigenvalues:



Q =

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos\left(\frac{1}{2}\theta\right) & -\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}\theta\right) \\ \sin\left(\frac{1}{2}\theta\right) & \cos\left(\frac{1}{2}\theta\right) \end{bmatrix}$$

• `Q = [cos(θ/2) -sin(θ/2); sin(θ/2) cos(θ/2)] # Eigenvector matrix`

Λ =

$$\begin{bmatrix} r & 0 \\ 0 & -r \end{bmatrix}$$

• `Λ = [r 0; 0 -r] # Eigenvalue matrix`

The relationship between θ, r to p, s:

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$$\begin{pmatrix} p & s \\ s & -p \end{pmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} r \cos(\theta) & r \sin(\theta) \\ r \sin(\theta) & r(-\cos^2(\frac{1}{2}\theta) + \sin^2(\frac{1}{2}\theta)) \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} r \cos(\theta) & r \sin(\theta) \\ r \sin(\theta) & -r \cos(\theta) \end{bmatrix}$$

• `S, simplify.(Q*Λ*Q'), [r*cos(θ) r*sin(θ) ; r*sin(θ) -r*cos(θ)]`

Interesting mathematical observation: these are the formulas you may remember from other classes that relate cartesian coordinates to polar coordinates in the plane.

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -r \sin(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) & r \cos(\theta) \end{pmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -r \sin(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) & r \cos(\theta) \end{bmatrix}$$

• `simplify.(Symbolics.jacobian( (Q*Λ*Q')[1:2] , [r,θ]), [cos(θ) -r*sin(θ); sin(θ) r*cos(θ)])`

Mathematical aside  $\det J = r$ , this is the change of variables from x, y to r, θ that you may have seen in 18.02. This eigenvalue problem is the same as the cartesian coordinates to polar representations of the plane. Often written  $dx dy = r dr d\theta$

## 5) The full 2x2 symmetric eigenproblem

$[\lambda_1, \lambda_2]$

• `@variables λ1 λ2`

We think of

$$\begin{pmatrix} p & s \\ s & r \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) \end{pmatrix}^T$$

as the function from

$$\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \theta \rightarrow p, r, s$$

```

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• We think of
•
• ``\left( \begin{array}{cc}
• p & s \\ s & r
• \end{array} \right) =
• \left( \begin{array}{rr} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta)
• \end{array} \right)
• \left( \begin{array}{cc}
• \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2
• \end{array} \right)
• \left( \begin{array}{rr} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta)
• \end{array} \right)^T
• ``
• $(br)
• as the function from $(br)
• ``\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \theta \rightarrow p, r, s``
•
• """

```

$$S = Q\Lambda Q'$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos^2(\theta) & \sin^2(\theta) & -2\lambda_1 \cos(\theta) \sin(\theta) + 2\lambda_2 \cos(\theta) \sin(\theta) \\ \sin^2(\theta) & \cos^2(\theta) & 2\lambda_1 \cos(\theta) \sin(\theta) - 2\lambda_2 \cos(\theta) \sin(\theta) \\ \cos(\theta) \sin(\theta) & -\cos(\theta) \sin(\theta) & \cos^2(\theta) \lambda_1 + \sin^2(\theta) \lambda_2 - \cos^2(\theta) \lambda_2 - \sin^2(\theta) \lambda_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

```

• let
•   Q = [cos(θ) -sin(θ); sin(θ) cos(θ)]
•   S = Q*[λ₁ 0; 0 λ₂]*Q'
•   [p s; s r], S
•   J = Symbolics.jacobian([S[1,1],S[2,2],S[1,2]] , [λ₁, λ₂, θ])
• end

```

```

• using Pkg

```

The determinant of this transformation simplifies to  $\lambda_1 - \lambda_2$  which some people interpret as a kind of repulsion between the two eigenvalues: that is there is a tendency for the two eigenvalues to not want to be too close together. (If both are equal, when  $n=2$ , the matrix is  $\alpha I$ , one condition takes four parameters down to 1)

