

Lab Session 10

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1. Write a function program $G = \text{mycholb}(A)$ that executes the *bordered form* of the Cholesky Decomposition for finding the Cholesky factor of an $n \times n$ positive definite matrix A in $\frac{n^3}{3} + O(n^2)$.
2. Compare the output of $G = \text{mycholb}(A)$ with that of the built in Matlab function program chol for several different choices of randomly generated positive definite matrices. The following commands may be used to generate them with arbitrary choices of $0 < a < b$, and positive integers n :

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>> r = a + (b-a).*rand(n,1); D = diag(r)
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(Here r is a length n column vector of values randomly generated from an uniform distribution on the interval $[a, b]$ and D is an $n \times n$ diagonal matrix with the entries of r on the diagonal.)

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>> B = randn(n); [Q,R] = qr(B)
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(Here B is an $n \times n$ matrix containing pseudorandom values drawn from the standard normal distribution and Q is an orthogonal matrix such that $B = QR$ is a QR decomposition of B .)

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>> A = Q'*A*Q.
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(The positive definite matrices are also precisely symmetric matrices with positive diagonal entries and the above commands generate them randomly.)

3. Write a MATLAB function program $[Q,R] = \text{cgs}(V)$ to orthonormalize the columns of an $n \times m$ matrix V , ($n \geq m$) by the Classical Gram Schmidt procedure so that Q is an isometry satisfying

$$\begin{aligned}\text{span}\{Q(:,1)\} &= \text{span}\{V(:,1)\} \\ \text{span}\{Q(:,1), Q(:,2)\} &= \text{span}\{V(:,1), V(:,2)\}, \\ &\vdots\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{span}\{Q(:,1), Q(:,2), \dots, Q(:,m)\} = \text{span}\{V(:,1), V(:,2), \dots, V(:,m)\}$$

and R is an upper triangular matrix such that $R(i,j) = \langle V(:,j), Q(:,i) \rangle$.

4. A slight modification of the above program leads to the Modified Gram Schmidt procedure for orthonormalizing the columns of V . Perform this modification to obtain another function program $[Q,R] = \text{mgs}(V)$.
5. Write a function program $[Q,R] = \text{cgsrep}(V)$ that performs Classified Gram Schmidt with reorthogonalization by making appropriate changes to your function program cgs .

Take care to replace *for loops* by matrix-vector multiplications as far as possible in each of the above programs.