

Elimination = Factorization : $A = LU$

$$A \xrightarrow[\text{Steps}]{\text{Elimination}} U$$

$$\text{or } EA = U \Rightarrow A = E^{-1}U = LU$$

$$(A \rightarrow E_{21}A \rightarrow E_{31}E_{21}A \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow U)$$

A 2x2 Ex

$$E_{21}A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 6 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = U$$

$$\Rightarrow A = E_{21}^{-1}U = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_L \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}}_U = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 6 & 8 \end{bmatrix}}_A$$

If no row change, 3x3 Ex

$$(E_{32}E_{31}E_{21})A = U$$

$$\Rightarrow A = (E_{32}E_{31}E_{21})^{-1}U = E_{21}^{-1}E_{31}^{-1}E_{32}^{-1}U$$

$$(= LU) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Note 1:

every inverse matrix E_{21}^{-1} , E_{31}^{-1} , E_{32}^{-1}

is lower triangular with off-diagonal

entry l_{ij} to undo $-l_{ij}$ for E_{ij}

Note 2:

Egn (1) shows

$$(E_{32} E_{31} E_{21}) A = U \Rightarrow A = \underbrace{(E_{21}^{-1} E_{31}^{-1} E_{32}^{-1})}_L U$$

Also lower-triangular

$$L = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ l_{21} & 1 & 0 \\ l_{31} & l_{32} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ (determined exactly by } l_{ij} \text{)}$$

Fact If no row change, U has pivots on its diagonal, L has all 1's on its diagonal & l_{ij} below the diagonal

Ex: $E_{31} = I$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 10 & -5 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$E_{32} \qquad E_{21} \qquad E$

\downarrow (row 2^{new} = row 2 - 2 · row 1)

row 3 - 5 · row 2^{new} (starting from top)

= row 3 - 5 (row 2 - 2 · row 1)

= row 3 - 5 · row 2 + 10 · row 1

But $L = (E_{32} E_{31} E_{21})^{-1} = E_{21}^{-1} E_{31}^{-1} E_{32}^{-1}$

$$= E_{21}^{-1} E_{32}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

\downarrow (row 3^{new} = row 3 + 5 · row 2)

↓ (bottom up)
 $(\text{row } 2 + 2 \cdot \text{row } 1)$ (does NOT involve $\text{row } 3^{\text{new}}$)

More generally, $(\text{row } 3 \text{ of } U = \text{row } 3 \text{ of } A$
 $- l_{31}(\text{row } 1 \text{ of } U)$

$$E_{21}^{-1} E_{31}^{-1} E_{32}^{-1}$$

$$- l_{32}(\text{row } 2 \text{ of } U)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{row } 3 \text{ of } A = (\text{row } 3 + l_{31} \text{row } 1 + l_{32} \cdot \text{row } 2) \text{ of } U$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{row } 3 + l_{32} \cdot \text{row } 2 \\ \text{row } 3 + l_{31} \cdot \text{row } 1 \end{array} \right) \Rightarrow \text{row } 3^{\text{new}} = \text{row } 3 + l_{32} \cdot \text{row } 2 + l_{31} \cdot \text{row } 1$$

$$L = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ l_{21} & 1 & 0 \\ l_{31} & l_{32} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \text{row } 3 + l_{32} \cdot \text{row } 2 + l_{31} \cdot \text{row } 1$$

Factor out diagonal matrix

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} d_1 & & \\ & d_2 & \\ & & \ddots \\ & & & d_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & u_{12}/d_1 & u_{13}/d_1 & \dots \\ & 1 & u_{23}/d_2 & \dots \\ & & \ddots & \ddots \\ & & & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow A = LDU$$

$$\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 8 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

Q: When do we use LU?

Most computer code use LU to

$$\text{solve } A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$$

One square system = Two triangular systems

Step 1: Factor $A = LU$ (get L for free)

Step 2: solve \underline{b} using L

(Solve $L\underline{c} = \underline{b}$, then solve $U\underline{x} = \underline{c}$)

(forward & backward substitution)

$$(L(U\underline{x}) = \underline{b} \Rightarrow A\underline{x} = \underline{b})$$

$$\text{Ex: } \begin{array}{l} u + 2v = 5 \\ 4u + 9v = 21 \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} u + 2v = 5 \\ u = 1 \end{array}$$

$$\text{or } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow U = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, L = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$L\underline{c} = \underline{b} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \underline{c} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 21 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \underline{c} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$U\underline{x} = \underline{c} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \underline{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{back sub.} \Rightarrow \underline{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Cost of Elimination

For a $n \times n$ matrix, To produce zeros below the first pivot

need $\sim n^2$ mul. & n^2 subtraction

(Eg. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & x & x \\ 0 & x & x \end{bmatrix}$)

in fact $n(n-1)$

Next stage clears out 2^{nd} col. below
 2^{nd} pivot $\sim (n-1)^2$ mul & sub.

\vdots

To reach U , need $\sim n^2 + (n-1)^2 + \dots + 1^2$
 $= \frac{1}{3} n(n+1)(n+1) \approx \frac{1}{3} n^3$

Q: How about right side b ?

Step 1: subtract multiples of b_1 from
 b_2, \dots, b_n $(n-1)$ mul & sub

Step 2: subtract multiples of b_2 from
 b_3, \dots, b_n $(n-2)$ mul & sub

\vdots

$$(n-1) + (n-2) + \dots + 1 + 1 + 2 + \dots + n = n^2$$

Back substitution

compute x_n

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x_{n-1}

1

2

\vdots
 n



(small
 compared
 with $\frac{1}{3} n^3$)

Q: What if there are row exchanges?

Use permutation matrix P

Transposes & Permutations

Transpose

$$(A^T)_{ij} = A_{ji} \quad (\text{exchange row \& col.})$$

Ex:

$$\text{If } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \text{ then } A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

(transpose of lower triangular is upper triangular)

Rules

$$\text{sum: } (A+B)^T = A^T + B^T$$

$$\text{product: } (AB)^T = B^T A^T$$

$$\text{inverse: } (A^{-1})^T = (A^T)^{-1}$$

$$\underline{(AB)^T = B^T A^T}$$

$$\text{pf: Start with } A\underline{x} = [\underline{a}_1 \dots \underline{a}_n] \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= x_1 \underline{a}_1 + \dots + x_n \underline{a}_n \quad (\text{combine col. of } A)$$

$$\Rightarrow (A\underline{x})^T = x_1 \underline{a}_1^T + \dots + x_n \underline{a}_n^T$$

$$\underline{x}^T A^T = [\underline{x}_1 \dots \underline{x}_n] \begin{bmatrix} \underline{a}_1^T \\ \vdots \\ \underline{a}_n^T \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} \text{combine row} \\ \text{of } A^T \end{array}$$

$$= \underline{x}_1 \underline{a}_1^T + \dots + \underline{x}_n \underline{a}_n^T$$

$$\Rightarrow (A \underline{x})^T = \underline{x}^T A^T$$

$$\text{For } B = [\underline{x}_1 \ \underline{x}_2 \dots \underline{x}_n]$$

$$(AB)^T = [A \underline{x}_1 \ A \underline{x}_2 \dots A \underline{x}_n]^T = \begin{bmatrix} (A \underline{x}_1)^T \\ \vdots \\ (A \underline{x}_n)^T \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \underline{x}_1^T A^T \\ \vdots \\ \underline{x}_n^T A^T \end{bmatrix} = B^T A^T$$

Can extend to 3 or more factors:

$$(ABC)^T = C^T B^T A^T$$

$$\underline{(A^{-1})^T = (A^T)^{-1}}$$

$$\text{pf: } A \bar{A}^{-1} = I \Rightarrow (A \bar{A}^{-1})^T = I^T = I$$

$$\Rightarrow (\bar{A}^{-1})^T A^T = I \Rightarrow (\bar{A}^{-1})^T = (A^T)^{-1} \text{ (left inverse)}$$

Similarly for right inverse ($A^{-1}A = I$)

$\Rightarrow A^T$ is invertible iff A is invertible

Symmetric matrix

$$A^T = A \quad \text{or} \quad a_{ji} = a_{ij}$$

$$\text{Ex: } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = A^T$$

Note: the inverse of a symmetric matrix is also symmetric

$$(A^{-1})^T = (A^T)^{-1} = A^{-1} \text{ if } A \text{ symmetric}$$

Symmetric product

$R^T R$ is always symmetric for any R

$$(R^T R)^T = R^T (R^T)^T = R^T R$$

$$(\text{For symmetric } A, A = LDU \Rightarrow A = L D L^T)$$

Permutation

Def A permutation matrix P has the rows of the identity I in any order

Ex: 3×3 permutation matrices

$$I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & \\ & 1 & \\ & & 1 \end{bmatrix}, P_{21} = \begin{bmatrix} & 1 & \\ 1 & & \\ & & 1 \end{bmatrix}, P_{32} P_{21} = \begin{bmatrix} & & 1 \\ & 1 & \\ 1 & & \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P_{31} = \begin{bmatrix} & & 1 \\ & 1 & \\ 1 & & \end{bmatrix}, P_{32} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & \\ & 1 & \\ & & 1 \end{bmatrix}, P_{21} P_{32} = \begin{bmatrix} & 1 & \\ 1 & & \\ & & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

there are $n!$ permutation matrices of order n

Fact $P^{-1} = P^T$

$$(P^T P = \begin{bmatrix} \underline{p}_1^T \\ \vdots \\ \underline{p}_n^T \end{bmatrix} [\underline{p}_1 \dots \underline{p}_n] = I \Rightarrow P^{-1} = P^T$$

$$P_i^T P_j = \begin{cases} 1 & i=j \\ 0 & i \neq j \end{cases}$$

Q: What if there are row exchanges?

$$PA = LU$$

put all rows of A in right order

If A is invertible, $PA = LU$ s.t.

U has full sets of pivots

Ex:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 7 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{A} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 7 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{PA} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$A \qquad PA \qquad \ell_{31} = 2$

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow PA = LU$$

$$\ell_{32} = 3 \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$P \qquad L \qquad U$