

AmATH 584

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12.1) We have

$$\begin{aligned} 101 &= \|A\|_F = \sqrt{\sigma_1^2 + \sum_{i=2}^{202} \sigma_i^2} \\ &= \sqrt{\|A\|_2^2 + \sum_{i=2}^{202} \sigma_i^2} \\ &= \sqrt{100^2 + \sum_{i=2}^{202} \sigma_i^2} \quad (1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\iff \sum_{i=2}^{202} \sigma_i^2 = 101^2 - 100^2 = 201$$

suppose $\sigma_i = \sigma_j \quad \forall i, j \geq 2$, then

$$\begin{aligned} 201 \sigma_i^2 &= 201 \\ \iff \sigma_i &= 1 \quad (\text{since singular values are positive}) \end{aligned}$$

If all σ_i with $i \geq 2$ were > 1 the formula

(1) would not hold. So it must be that $\exists i$ with $\sigma_i \leq 1$, so that the RHS of (1) ≤ 101 . However, equality happens by setting $\sigma_i = 1$ as demonstrated above, for all $i \geq 2$. So

$$K(A) = \frac{\sigma_1}{\sigma_{202}} \leq \frac{\sigma_1}{1} = \|A\|_2 = 100$$

and this is the tightest possible bound, because we have shown the smallest singular value of A is at least equal to 1.

21.1)

a) We have

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 3 & 3 & 1 \\ 8 & 7 & 9 & 5 \\ 6 & 7 & 9 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & \\ 2 & 1 & & \\ 4 & 3 & 1 & \\ 3 & 4 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ & & 2 & 2 \\ & & & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

So $\det(A) = \det(L) \cdot \det(U)$, but since both matrices are triangular, their determinants are the products of the diagonals, hence,

$$de + (A) = (1)^4 \cdot (2)^3 \cdot 1 = 8$$

b) we have,

$$P^{-1}A = L^{-1}U$$

we have $\det(P) \cdot \det(A) = \det(L) \cdot \det(U)$.
 $\det(P) = -1$ since it is an odd number of row swaps from I .
 As L and U are triangular, the determinants
 are the products of the diagonals. So
 $\det(L) = 16$ and $\det(U) = -8 \cdot (-1) = +8$

$$\det(A) = -(1)^4 \cdot 8 \cdot \frac{1}{24} \cdot \frac{-16^2}{1} \cdot \frac{1}{3} = -8 \cdot (-1) = +8$$

c) To compute $\det(A)$ from $PA = LU$ we can compute the product of the products of the diagonals of L and U , and multiply it by $(-1)^{\# \text{ of row swaps for } P}$ however, L has 1's on the diagonals which simplifies things further, in general we can write

$$\det(A) = (-1)^{m - \sum_{i=1}^m P_{ii}} \cdot \prod_{i=1}^m \text{diag}(U)_i$$

where $m - \sum_{i=1}^m P_{ii}$ counts how many columns of P are "not in the right place" considering if there were no permutations, P would be the identity I .

A1) If we make $\beta = 7$ with finite precision t , $\frac{8}{7}$ can be represented as 1.1 , which can be verified by noticing that $1 \cdot 7^0 + 1 \cdot 7^{-1} = 1 + \frac{1}{7} = \frac{8}{7}$. There is no base β in which we can represent π with finite precision to exactly since it can be shown that irrational numbers have infinitely long non-repeating decimal representations in any ^{integer} base β . I proved this in combinatorics class once.

A2)

$$a) K = \frac{\|f'(1.2)\|}{\|f(1.2)\|} = (1.2) \frac{|\cos(1.2)|}{|\sin(1.2)|}$$

$$= (1.2) |\cot(1.2)| \approx 0.467 < 10^2$$

Since the ^{relative} condition number of this problem is small, it is well conditioned.

b) The plot does not behave as I expect. The error is large when h is large (as expected), but also large when h is small (not expected), and there seems to be a minimal error on the order of 10^{-10} when $10^{-10} < h < 10^{-5}$.

c) (see next page)

c) Assuming these rounding errors we have that our derivative approximation is

$$\approx \underbrace{\frac{f(x_0+h) - f(x_0)}{h}}_{\text{(1) derivative approximation}} + \underbrace{O\left(\frac{\epsilon_{\text{machine}}}{h}\right)}_{\text{(2) rounding error}}$$

when h is large our error from term (1) is large but the error from term (2) is small, and when h is small the error in term (1) is small but the error from term (2) is large. This implies there should be some value of h where the error is minimized (a value of h where the contribution of errors from both terms is ^{jointly} minimized), which explains our observations from (b).

d) Using this alternate formula, the results are more like what I would expect. The error is small when h is small and large when h is large, it is a linear function on this $\log \log$ scale.

A3)

a) The condition number is $44.8023 < 10^2$, so yeah, the matrix is well-conditioned.

b) we have $\|x - x_{ge}\|_2 \approx 8.05$, this is saying the GE solution is noticeably different from our exact solution, so I don't trust this solution.

c) we have $\|x - x_{qr}\|_2 \approx 2.7e-14$ which is very very small, so I trust this solution.

d) we have $\|x - x_{geop}\|_2 \approx 3.4e-15$ which is very very small, so I trust this solution.