

Exercise 10

Problem 1.

For a matrix $A \in \mathbb{K}^{m \times n}$, we denote by

$$\|A\|_\infty := \max_{x \in \mathbb{K}^n \setminus \{0\}} \frac{\|Ax\|_\infty}{\|x\|_\infty}$$

its ∞ -norm.

Show that

$$\|A\|_\infty = \max_{1 \leq i \leq m} \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}|$$

for all $A \in \mathbb{K}^{m \times n}$.

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \|A\|_\infty &:= \max_{x \in \mathbb{K}^n \setminus \{0\}} \frac{\|Ax\|_\infty}{\|x\|_\infty} \\ &= \max_{\substack{x \in \mathbb{K}^n \\ \|x\|_\infty = 1}} \|Ax\|_\infty \\ &= \max_{\substack{x \in \mathbb{K}^n \\ \|x\|_\infty = 1}} \max_{1 \leq i \leq m} \left| \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j \right| \\ &= \max_{1 \leq i \leq m} \max_{\substack{x \in \mathbb{K}^n \\ \|x\|_\infty = 1}} \left| \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j \right| \\ &= \max_{1 \leq i \leq m} \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}| \end{aligned}$$

Problem 2.

For a matrix $A \in \mathbb{K}^{m \times n}$, we denote by

$$\|A\|_{\infty \rightarrow 1, \mathbb{K}} := \max_{x \in \mathbb{K}^n \setminus \{0\}} \frac{\|Ax\|_1}{\|x\|_\infty}$$

its matrix norm with respect to the ∞ -norm on its domain \mathbb{K}^n and the 1-norm on its codomain \mathbb{K}^m .

Specifically, we consider the matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

which we can interpret either as an element of $\mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$ or of $\mathbb{C}^{2 \times 2}$.

(a) Compute the matrix norm $\|A\|_{\infty \rightarrow 1, \mathbb{R}}$ for the case $\mathbb{K} = \mathbb{R}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \|Ax\|_1 &= \sum_{i=1}^2 |(Ax)_i| \\ &= |x_1 - x_2| + |x_1 + x_2| \\ \|x\|_\infty &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow \|A\|_{\infty \rightarrow 1, \mathbb{R}} &= \max_{\substack{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \\ \|x\|_\infty = 1}} (|x_1 - x_2| + |x_1 + x_2|) \\ &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

(b) Using the vector $x = (1+i, 1-i)^T$ in the definition of the matrix norm, show that, for this particular matrix, we have

$$\|A\|_{\infty \rightarrow 1, \mathbb{C}} > \|A\|_{\infty \rightarrow 1, \mathbb{R}}.$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \|A\|_1 &= \sum_{i=1}^2 \left| \sum_{j=1}^2 a_{ij} x_j \right| \\ &= |1+i-1+i| + |1+i+1-i| \\ &= |0+2i| + |2+0i| \\ &= 2+2 \\ &= 4 \\ \|x\|_\infty &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

Problem 3.

Assume that $(U, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle)$ is an inner product space with induced norm $\|u\| = (\langle u, u \rangle)^{\frac{1}{2}}$.

Assume moreover that $v \in U$ is some fixed vector and define the mapping

$$T: U \rightarrow \mathbb{K},$$

$$u \mapsto Tu := \langle u, v \rangle.$$

Show that T is a bounded linear mapping and compute its norm!

Proof:

Linear:

$$\begin{aligned} T(u+w) &= \langle u+w, v \rangle \\ &= \langle u, v \rangle + \langle w, v \rangle \quad \checkmark \\ &= Tu + Tw \\ T(\alpha u) &= \langle \alpha u, v \rangle \\ &= \alpha \langle u, v \rangle \\ &= \alpha Tu \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

Bounded:

Induced norm

$$\begin{aligned} \|u\| &= (\langle u, u \rangle)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= \left(\sum_{i=1}^n u_i^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ \|Tu\|^2 &= \sum_{i=1}^n (Tu_i)^2 \\ \|Tu\| &= \left(\sum_{i=1}^n (Tu_i)^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &\leq \sum_{i=1}^n (Tu_i) \\ &= T \sum_{i=1}^n u_i \\ &= T\|u\| \end{aligned}$$

Problem 4.

Define the linear operator $T: \ell^1 \rightarrow \ell^1$ by

$$T(x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots) := (x_1, \frac{x_2}{2}, \frac{x_3}{3}, \dots),$$

that is, $Tx = (\frac{x_k}{k})_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$.

(a) Show that T is bounded with $\|T\| = 1$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \|Tx\|_{\ell^1} &= \sum_{k=1}^\infty |Tx|_k \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^\infty \frac{|x_k|}{k} \end{aligned}$$