

Problem 1 (Problem 3.1)

We proceed by induction.

Fix column i , when $j = 1$, we have

$$r_{1i}^{CGS} = q_1^T a_i = q_1^T q_i = r_{1i}^{MGS}$$

Since before going into second for loop, $q_i = a_i$. Now suppose $r_{ji}^{CGS} = r_{ji}^{MGS}$ for all $j < k$.

When $j = k$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} r_{ki}^{CGS} &= q_k^T a_i \\ r_{ki}^{MGS} &= q_k^T q_i = q_k^T \left(a_i - \sum_{j=1}^{k-1} r_{ji} q_j \right) = q_k^T a_i \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $r_{ki}^{CGS} = r_{ki}^{MGS}$.

By induction, $r_{ji}^{CGS} = r_{ji}^{MGS}$ for all j .

Since the choice of i is arbitrary, it follows that CGS and MGS gives the same result under exact precision.

Problem 2 (Question 3.3)

1.

Multiplying out the matrix, we have

$$\begin{cases} r + Ax = b \\ A^T r = 0 \end{cases}$$

Let x be the solution of the above system, then

$$A^T(r + Ax) = A^T b \implies A^T Ax = A^T b$$

Since x satisfy the normal equation, it follows that x is a minimizer of $\|Ax - b\|_2$

2.

Since A has full column rank, it has a SVD $A = U\Sigma V^T$. With this, we see that

$$\begin{bmatrix} I & A \\ A^T & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} I & U\Sigma V^T \\ V\Sigma^T U^T & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} U & 0 \\ 0 & V \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_m & \Sigma \\ \Sigma^T & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} U^T & 0 \\ 0 & V^T \end{bmatrix}$$

We compute the eigenvalue by finding the roots of the characteristic polynomial

$$\begin{aligned} \det \begin{bmatrix} (1-\lambda)I_m & \Sigma \\ \Sigma^T & -\lambda I_n \end{bmatrix} &= \det((1-\lambda)I_m) \det(-\lambda I_n - \Sigma^T(1-\lambda)^{-1}I_m\Sigma) \\ &= \det((1-\lambda)I_m) \det(-\lambda I_n - (1-\lambda)^{-1}\Sigma^T\Sigma) \\ &= (1-\lambda)^m \prod_{i=1}^n \left(\lambda - \frac{\sigma_i^2}{1-\lambda}\right) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Where σ_i denote the singular values of A . Hence, $\lambda = 1$ or

$$\lambda^2 - \lambda - \sigma_i^2 = 0 \implies \lambda = \frac{1}{2}(1 \pm \sqrt{1 + 4\sigma_i^2})$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda_{MAX} &= \max_i \left(\frac{1}{2}(1 \pm \sqrt{1 + 4\sigma_i^2}), 1 \right) \\ \lambda_{MIN} &= \min_i \left(\frac{1}{2}(1 \pm \sqrt{1 + 4\sigma_i^2}), 1 \right) \end{aligned}$$

And the condition number is $|\lambda_{MAX}/\lambda_{MIN}|$.

3.

We apply Gaussian elimination to transform the original matrix into an identity. We first

clear the second row

$$\begin{bmatrix} I_m & 0 \\ -A^T & I_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_m & A \\ A^T & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} I_m & A \\ 0 & -AA^T \end{bmatrix}$$

We then clear the 1,2 block

$$\begin{bmatrix} I_m & A(AA^T)^{-1} \\ 0 & I_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_m & A \\ 0 & -AA^T \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} I_m & 0 \\ 0 & -AA^T \end{bmatrix}$$

Finally, we adjust the 2,2 block

$$\begin{bmatrix} I_m & 0 \\ 0 & -(AA^T)^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_m & 0 \\ 0 & -AA^T \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} I_m & 0 \\ 0 & I_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Hence, the inverse is given by

$$\begin{bmatrix} I_m & 0 \\ 0 & -(AA^T)^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_m & A(AA^T)^{-1} \\ 0 & I_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_m & 0 \\ -A^T & I_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} I_m - A(A^T A)^{-1} A^T & A(A^T A)^{-1} \\ (A^T A)^{-1} A^T & -(A^T A)^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

Problem 3 (Question 3.4)

To derive the normal equations, we seek to find x such that the gradient vanishes

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \lim_{e \rightarrow 0} \frac{(A(x+e) - b)^T C (A(x+e) - b) - (Ax - b)^T C (Ax - b)}{e^T C e} \\
 &= \lim_{e \rightarrow 0} \frac{2e(A^T C A x - A^T C b) + e^T A^T C A e}{e^T C e} \\
 &= \lim_{e \rightarrow 0} \frac{2e(A^T C A x - A^T C b)}{e^T C e}
 \end{aligned}$$

In order for the gradient to vanish, we need

$$A^T C A x - A^T C b = 0 \implies A^T C A x = A^T C b$$

This gives the normal equation for weighted least squares.

To derive the formulation corresponding to the previous problem, we write

$$\begin{bmatrix} I & C^{1/2} A \\ A^T C^{1/2} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} r \\ x \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} C^{1/2} b \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Problem 4 (Problem 3.7)

Suppose u, v are non-zero.

Since uv^T is a rank one matrix, we can decompose it easily with Given's rotation.

In particular, we can apply a sequence of Givens rotation that cancels the i th row using the n th row (this is possible each each row is essentially a scalar multiple of another row).

This process requires $n - 1$ Givens rotations

$$\tilde{A} = G_{n-1}G_{n-2}\dots G_2G_1(R + uv^T)$$

Since R is upper triangular, G_iR is again an upper triangular matrix.

After apply a sequence of Givens rotation, uv^T becomes an upper triangular matrix except the last row. To cancel the last row, we use the first row to cancel out the last row (using another Given's rotations). Hence, the product

$$Q^{-1} = G_nG_{n-1}G_{n-2}\dots G_2G_1$$

Is the orthogonal matrix of interest

Problem 5 (Problem 3.15)

1. Normal equations

For every $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$, write x as $x = x_1 + \tilde{x}$, where $x_1 \in \text{Im}(A^T)$, $x_2 \in \text{Null}(A)$. Thus

$$\|Ax - b\|_2 = \|Ax_1 - b\|_2 = \|AA^T y - b\|_2$$

For some y . Since AA^T has full rank,

$$AA^T y = b$$

Has a solution. However, note that every vector of the form $A^T y + \tilde{x}$ minimizes the residual square. Since

$$\dim(\text{Null}(A)) = m - n$$

It follows that the solution space has dimension $m - n$. The one that minimizes the norm is $x = A^T(AA^T)^{-1}b$.

2. QR decomposition

Note that $A^T = QR$ for some orthogonal Q and upper triangular R , then the least squares problem becomes

$$R^T Q^T x = b \implies x = Q(R^T)^{-1}b + \tilde{x}$$

Where $\tilde{x} \in \text{Null}(A)$. The norm of the solution is given by

$$\|x\|_2^2 = \|Q(R^T)^{-1}b + \tilde{x}\|_2^2 \geq \|Q(R^T)^{-1}b\|_2^2$$

Hence, the solution with minimum norm is $Q(R^T)^{-1}b$

3. SVD

Assume $A = V\Sigma U^T$, then the least squares problem becomes

$$U^T x = \Sigma^{-1} V^T b \implies x = U\Sigma^{-1} V^T b + \tilde{x}$$

Where $\tilde{x} \in \text{Null}(A)$. The norm of the solution is given by

$$\|x\|_2^2 = \|U\Sigma^{-1} V^T b + \tilde{x}\|_2^2 \geq \|U\Sigma^{-1} V^T b\|_2^2$$

Hence, the solution with minimum norm is $U\Sigma^{-1} V^T b$

Problem 6 (Problem 3.17)

We proceed by induction. Note that the base case is true:

$$\begin{aligned} P_1 P_2 &= (I - u_2 u_2^T)(I - u_1 u_1^T) \\ &= I - \begin{bmatrix} u_1 & u_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 4u_2^T u_1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1^T \\ u_2^T \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Suppose the claim is true for $n = k - 1$, then for $n = k$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} P_k P_{k-1} \dots P_1 &= (I - u_k u_k^T)(I - U_{k-1} T_{k-1} U_{k-1}^T) \\ &= I - \begin{bmatrix} U_{k-1} & u_k \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} T_{k-1} & 0 \\ 4u_k^T U_{k-1} T_{k-1} & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} U_{k-1}^T \\ u_k^T \end{bmatrix} \\ &= I - U_k T_k U_k^T \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the claim is true by induction. The inductive proof provides us an algorithm for finding T .

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T_1 = 1
for i = 2 to k:
    b_i = 2u_i^T U_{i-1} T_{i-1}
    T_i = [[T_{i-1} 0], [b_i, 2]]
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