
Homework 1

Due on February 20 @ 4:00pm

CS 485/685 – Computer Vision

Problem 1

[20 pts] Self Assessment Questions: In this problem, you will review the lecture from unit 02- Math Review. After studying the topics covered, you will design the following questions. For each of your questions, you will provide the correct answers with the rationale behind each answer.

- a) **[4 pts]** Design and answer four (4) multiple choice questions.
- b) **[6 pts]** Design and answer two (2) fill in the blank questions.
- c) **[10 pts]** Design and answer two (2) mathematical proof questions, mathematical computation questions, or a both.

Answer:

a) Design and answer four (4) multiple choice questions:

- 1. What are two main uses of Vectors?
 - a) Picture, Pixel
 - b) gradient, offsets
 - c) Data, Geometric representation
 - d) gradient, Geometric representation ← **Answer**
- 2. Dot product of two vectors is a
 - a) vector
 - b) integer
 - c) point
 - d) scalar ← **Answer**
- 3. Vectors can be expressed as what combinations of the unit vectors?
 - a) linear ← **Answer**
 - b) non-linear
 - c) Geometric
 - d) Gradient
- 4. When can we say a set of vectors are linearly dependent
 - a) at least one is a non linear combination of the other
 - b) at least one is a linear combination of the other ← **Answer**
 - c) more than one is a Geometric representation of the other
 - d) none of the above

b) Design and answer two (2) fill in the blank questions:

- 2D and 3D offsets can be represented by **vectors**
- Points are from the origin **vectors**

c) Design and answer two (2) mathematical proof questions, mathematical computation questions, or a both:

- prove $\vec{u} \cdot (\vec{v} + \vec{w}) = \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} + \vec{u} \cdot \vec{w}$

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{u} \cdot (\vec{v} + \vec{w}) &= \langle u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n \rangle \cdot (\langle v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n \rangle + \langle w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n \rangle) \\ &= \langle u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n \rangle \cdot \langle v_1 + w_1, v_2 + w_2, \dots, v_n + w_n \rangle \\ &= u_1(v_1 + w_1) + u_2(v_2 + w_2) + \dots + u_n(v_n + w_n) \\ &= u_1v_1 + u_1w_1 + u_2v_2 + u_2w_2 + \dots + u_nv_n + u_nw_n \\ &= (u_1v_1 + u_2v_2 + \dots + u_nv_n) + (u_1w_1 + u_2w_2 + \dots + u_nw_n) \\ &= \langle u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n \rangle \cdot \langle v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n \rangle + \langle u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n \rangle \cdot \langle w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n \rangle \\ &= \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} + \vec{u} \cdot \vec{w}\end{aligned}$$

- prove $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v} = 0 \rightarrow \vec{v} = 0$

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v} &= \langle v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n \rangle \cdot \langle v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n \rangle \\ &= v_1^2 + v_2^2 + \dots + v_n^2 \\ &= 0\end{aligned}$$

Problem 2

[20 pts]

$$\mathbf{A}^T = [1 \ 2 \ 3], \quad \mathbf{B}^T = [2 \ 1 \ 3] \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{C}^T = [1 \ 3 \ 2] \quad (1)$$

Answer the following questions:

- a) [5 pts] Do the vectors A, B , and C span \mathbb{R}^3 ? Why?
- b) [10 pts] If the vectors above span \mathbb{R}^3 , find the orthonormal basis vectors corresponding to each. If they don't span \mathbb{R}^3 , modify one of the vectors and then find the orthonormal basis vectors corresponding to each.
- c) [5 pts] Find the expansion of the vector $V^T = [6 \ 8 \ -4]$ in the orthonormal basis vector above.

Answer:

a) Calculating matrix rank

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -3 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \text{Rank} \rightarrow 3$$

Yes they span over \mathbb{R}^3 it is clear the rank of the matrix is 3, so the vectors span a subspace of dimension 3

b)

$$\mathbf{u}_k = \mathbf{v}_k - \sum_{j=1}^{k-1} \text{proj}_{\mathbf{u}_j}(\mathbf{v}_k) \quad \text{where} \quad \text{proj}_{\mathbf{u}}(\mathbf{v}) = \frac{\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}}{\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{u}} \mathbf{u} \quad \text{Normalized vector is} \quad \mathbf{n}_k = \frac{\mathbf{u}_k}{\sqrt{\mathbf{u}_k \cdot \mathbf{u}_k}}$$

$$\mathbf{u}_1 = \mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{n}_1 = \frac{\mathbf{u}_1}{\sqrt{\mathbf{u}_1 \cdot \mathbf{u}_1}} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{14}}{14} \\ \frac{\sqrt{14}}{7} \\ \frac{3\sqrt{14}}{14} \end{bmatrix} \leftarrow$$

$$\mathbf{u}_2 = \mathbf{v}_2 - \frac{\mathbf{u}_1 \cdot \mathbf{v}_2}{\mathbf{u}_1 \cdot \mathbf{u}_1} \mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{15}{14} \\ -\frac{6}{7} \\ \frac{3}{14} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{n}_2 = \frac{\mathbf{u}_2}{\sqrt{\mathbf{u}_2 \cdot \mathbf{u}_2}} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{5\sqrt{42}}{42} \\ -\frac{2\sqrt{42}}{21} \\ \frac{\sqrt{42}}{42} \end{bmatrix} \leftarrow$$

$$\mathbf{u}_3 = \mathbf{v}_3 - \frac{\mathbf{u}_1 \cdot \mathbf{v}_3}{\mathbf{u}_1 \cdot \mathbf{u}_1} \mathbf{u}_1 - \frac{\mathbf{u}_2 \cdot \mathbf{v}_3}{\mathbf{u}_2 \cdot \mathbf{u}_2} \mathbf{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{3} \\ \frac{2}{3} \\ -\frac{2}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{n}_3 = \frac{\mathbf{u}_3}{\sqrt{\mathbf{u}_3 \cdot \mathbf{u}_3}} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3} \\ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3} \\ -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3} \end{bmatrix} \leftarrow$$

Problem 3

[20 pts] Suppose you have n vectors V_1, V_2, \dots, V_n that form a basis for space \mathbb{R}^n . Any vector V in this space will have a unique expansion of the form below:

$$V = a_1 V_1 + a_2 V_2 + \dots + a_n V_n \quad (2)$$

- [4 pts]** Compute the coefficients a_i of the vector V in the above equation, in terms of the basis vectors.
- [4 pts]** In order to find the expansion of a vector V , how many multiplications are required?
- [4 pts]** In order to find the expansion of a vector V , how many additions are required?
- [4 pts]** Write the number of multiplications and additions in the $O(\cdot)$ notation.
- [2 pts]** How many multiplications and how many additions are required to expand an arbitrary vector V , if the basis vectors were orthogonal? Show why.
- [2 pts]** How many multiplications and how many additions are required to expand an arbitrary vector V , if the basis vectors were orthonormal? Show why

Answer:

a)

$$V = a_1 V_i \cdot V_1 + a_2 V_i \cdot V_1 + \dots + a_n V_i \cdot V_1$$

there dot product is zero hence

$$\vec{V}_i \cdot \vec{V} = \vec{a}_i$$

- Number of multiplication is n^2 (n items)
- Number of addition is $n^2 - n$ (n items)
- $O(n^2 + n^2 - n) = O(n^2)$
- It depends if basis were not considered or were irrelevant then we would have exactly n number of a_i

Problem 4

[20 pts] Find the determinant and rank of the following matrices:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad C = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 & 3 & 6 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 6 & 8 & 6 & 9 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad (3)$$

- a) [3 pts] $\det(A) =$
- b) [2 pts] Rank $A =$
- c) [4 pts] $\det(B) =$
- d) [3 pts] Rank $B =$
- e) [5 pts] $\det(C) =$
- f) [3 pts] Rank $C =$

Answer:

a) $\det(A) =$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (3) \cdot (1) - (4) \cdot (2) = -5$$

b) Rank $A =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{4}{3} \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{4}{3} \\ 2 & -\frac{5}{3} \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{4}{3} \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

so rank is 2

c) $\det(B) =$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (1) \cdot (-1)^{2+1} \cdot \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} + 0 \cdot (-1)^{2+2} \cdot \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} + 0 \cdot (-1)^{2+3} \cdot \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = - \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (1) \cdot (2) - (-1) \cdot (1) = 3 \quad (-1) \cdot (3) = -3$$

hence it is -3

d) Rank $B =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{4}{3} & \frac{2}{3} \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{4}{3} & \frac{2}{3} \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & \frac{2}{3} & \frac{7}{3} \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{4}{3} & \frac{2}{3} \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

3 non zero so rank is 3

e) $\det(C) =$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 4 & 3 & 6 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 6 & 8 & 6 & 9 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = -6$$

the work was not shown since this was so long.

f) Rank $C =$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & \frac{4}{3} & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \rightarrow 4$$

Problem 5

[20 pts] Find the Support Vector Decomposition (SVD) of the following matrix. Show all your work.

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 & 6 \\ 8 & 6 & 9 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad (4)$$

Answer:

This was a long problem and tedious to do on latex.

Handwritten solution for the SVD of matrix C :

Matrix C is given as:

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

Step 1: Calculate $C \cdot C^T$:

$$C \cdot C^T = \begin{bmatrix} 61 & 104 & 28 \\ 104 & 181 & 47 \\ 28 & 47 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 2: Find eigenvalues λ by solving $|C \cdot C^T - \lambda I| = 0$:

$$\begin{vmatrix} 61-\lambda & 104 & 28 \\ 104 & 181-\lambda & 47 \\ 28 & 47 & 14-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Step 3: Solve the characteristic equation:

$$\lambda^3 - 256\lambda^2 + 620\lambda - 225 = 0$$

Step 4: Apply Newton-Raphson method (using Python or R) to find roots:

$$\lambda^3 - 256\lambda^2 + 620\lambda - 225 = 0$$

Step 5: Do the above again we get $\lambda = 253.56$

Step 6: Find eigenvectors V_1, V_2, V_3 corresponding to the eigenvalues:

$$V_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2.19274 \\ 3.79067 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad V_2 = \begin{bmatrix} .48772 \\ -.54593 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad V_3 = \begin{bmatrix} .142377 \\ .55978 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 7: Normalize the eigenvectors:

$$V_1 = (0.4882, 0.8439, 0.223), \quad V_2 = (0.3935, -0.4405, 0.8069), \quad V_3 = (-0.779, 0.3063, 0.5471)$$

Step 8: Calculate $C^T \cdot C$:

$$C^T \cdot C = \begin{bmatrix} 81 & 62 & 99 \\ 62 & 47 & 78 \\ 99 & 78 & 126 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 9: Find eigenvalues λ by solving $|C^T \cdot C - \lambda I| = 0$:

$$\begin{vmatrix} 81-\lambda & 62 & 99 \\ 62 & 47-\lambda & 78 \\ 99 & 78 & 126-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Step 10: Solve the characteristic equation:

$$\lambda^3 - 256\lambda^2 + 620\lambda - 225 = 0$$

Step 11: Find eigenvectors U_1, U_2, U_3 corresponding to the eigenvalues:

$$U_1 = \begin{bmatrix} .4882 \\ .8439 \\ .223 \end{bmatrix}, \quad U_2 = \begin{bmatrix} .3935 \\ -.4405 \\ .8069 \end{bmatrix}, \quad U_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -.779 \\ .3063 \\ .5471 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 12: Calculate the singular values σ_i :

$$\sigma_i = \sqrt{\lambda_i}$$

Step 13: Calculate the matrix V :

$$V = \begin{bmatrix} .56 & -.80 & -.17 \\ .43 & .10 & .89 \\ .70 & .57 & -.414 \end{bmatrix}$$

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[10 pts] Prove that the determinant of a matrix A is the area scaling factor of the geometric transformation represented by A .

Answer:

This was a long problem and tedious to do on latex, and I have no idea how to do the actual graphs on latex.

Extra credit

$$A \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & a & a+b & b \\ 0 & c & c+d & d \end{bmatrix}$$

$O \quad I \quad P \quad J$

$$\text{Area} = (a+b)(c+d) - 2 \left[\frac{bd}{2} + \frac{(a+2b)c}{2} \right]$$

$$= ac + ad + bc + bd - bd - ac - 2bc$$

$$= ad - bc$$

$$= \text{Det}[A]$$

$$\text{Det}[A] = -(ad - bc)$$

$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \leftarrow \text{changes the area by a factor of } |\text{Det}[A]|$