

# Numerical Analysis

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# Chapter 1

## Introduction

### 1.1 Why Numerical Analysis?

### 1.2 Representing Numbers on a Machine

### 1.3 Condition Number of a Problem

Consider a function in one variable  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ . Condition number for a function  $f(x)$  tells about the error amplification of a function  $f(x)$  i.e., for a given error in input  $x$ , how much is the error in the output  $f(x)$ .

Absolute Condition Number  $\kappa_{\text{abs}}$  of the function  $f(x)$  is defined as:

$$\kappa_{\text{abs}} = \frac{\text{Absolute Change in Output}}{\text{Absolute Change in Input}} = \lim_{\delta x \rightarrow 0} \left| \frac{f(x + \delta x) - f(x)}{x + \delta x - x} \right| = |f'(x)| \quad (1.1)$$

Relative Condition Number  $\kappa_r$  of the function  $f(x)$  is defined as:

$$\kappa_r = \frac{\text{Relative Change in Output}}{\text{Relative Change in Input}} = \lim_{\delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\left| \frac{f(x + \delta x) - f(x)}{f(x)} \right|}{\left| \frac{x + \delta x - x}{x} \right|} = \left| \frac{x}{f(x)} f'(x) \right| \quad (1.2)$$

Now what if the function has multiple inputs? Or What if the function has multiple outputs?

Examples:-

1. Input 2 numbers  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$  and then find  $f(a, b) = a + b$ ?. This problem takes 2 inputs-  $a, b$  and one output  $f(a, b)$ .

2. Find the roots of a polynomial  $a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots + a_nx^n$ . We are inputting the vector  $[a_0 \ a_1 \ a_2 \ \dots \ a_n]^T$  and the output is  $x$  in this case.
3. Given a matrix  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ . Input a vector  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times 1}$  and then find  $f(\mathbf{x}) = A\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times 1}$ ?
4. Solve the linear system  $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$  where  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ ,  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times 1}$  and  $\mathbf{b} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times 1}$ . Inputs are  $A, \mathbf{b}$  and output is a vector  $\mathbf{x}$ .

To accommodate these cases, a generalized definition of a (relative) condition number  $\kappa_r$  for a function  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  where  $X \subset \mathbb{R}^{m \times 1}$  and  $Y \subset \mathbb{R}^{n \times 1}$  is shown below:

$$\kappa_r = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \sup_{\|x\|_q \leq r} \frac{\frac{\|f(x+\delta x) - f(x)\|_p}{\|f(x)\|_p}}{\frac{\|\delta x\|_q}{\|x\|_q}} \quad (1.3)$$

where  $p, q \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $\|\cdot\|_p$  denotes the vector  $p$ -norm.

### 1.3.1 Vector Norms(Recap)

For a vector  $x$  in the vector space  $X$  over a field  $F$ ,  $\|\cdot\| : F \rightarrow R$  is defined such that:

1.  $\|x\| \geq 0 \quad \forall x \in X$ .
2.  $\|\alpha x\| = |\alpha|, \quad \forall x \in X, \quad \alpha \in F$
3.  $\|x + y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\|, \quad \forall x, y \in X$ .
4.  $\|x\| = 0 \iff x = 0$

Let  $x = [x_1 \ x_2 \ \dots \ x_n]^T$ . Different possible vector norms which satisfy the above conditions are:

1. Euclidean norm (2-norm)

$$\|x\|_2 = \sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \dots + x_n^2} \quad (1.4)$$

2. Supremum norm(max. norm)

$$\|x\|_{\max} = \|x\|_{\infty} = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |x_i| \quad (1.5)$$

3. 1-norm

$$\|x\|_1 = \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i| \quad (1.6)$$

4.  $p$ -norm

$$\|x\|_p = \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \quad (1.7)$$

**NOTE:-** Supremum norm of  $x$  is  $p$ -norm of  $x$  as  $p \rightarrow \infty$

Proof:- From the definition,

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{p \rightarrow \infty} \|x\|_p &= \lim_{p \rightarrow \infty} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} &\leq \left( n \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |x_i|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = n^{\frac{1}{p}} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |x_i| \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} &\geq \left( \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |x_i|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |x_i| \end{aligned}$$

From the above 2 inequalities, we can say that:

$$\max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |x_i| \leq \|x\|_p \leq n^{\frac{1}{p}} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |x_i|$$

As  $p \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $n^{\frac{1}{p}} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |x_i| \rightarrow \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |x_i|$ . Therefore, by using sandwich theorem, we can say that

$$\|x\|_p = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |x_i|$$

### 1.3.2 Examples on finding Condition number

1. Let  $f(a, b) = a + b$ . Find the condition number of this problem?

The inputs are  $a, b$ . Let the inputs have an error  $\delta a, \delta b$  respectively.

$$\text{Relative error in input} = \frac{\left\| \begin{bmatrix} a + \delta a \\ b + \delta b \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} \right\|_p}{\left\| \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} \right\|_p}$$

For simplicity, let us consider 2-norm. Any norm can be used in fact. Therefore,

$$\text{Relative error in input} = \frac{\sqrt{\delta a^2 + \delta b^2}}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}$$

The output  $f(a + \delta a, b + \delta b) = a + b + \delta a + \delta b$ . Therefore,

$$\text{Relative Error in output} = \frac{|(a + b + \delta a + \delta b) - (a + b)|}{|a + b|} = \frac{|\delta a + \delta b|}{|a + b|}$$

The relative condition number is:

$$\begin{aligned} \kappa_r &= \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \sup_{\left\| \begin{bmatrix} \delta a \\ \delta b \end{bmatrix} \right\|_2 \leq r} \frac{\frac{|\delta a + \delta b|}{|a + b|}}{\frac{\sqrt{\delta a^2 + \delta b^2}}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}} \\ \Rightarrow \kappa_r &= \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \sup_{\left\| \begin{bmatrix} \delta a \\ \delta b \end{bmatrix} \right\|_2 \leq r} \frac{|\delta a + \delta b|}{\sqrt{\delta a^2 + \delta b^2}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}{|a + b|} \end{aligned}$$

To calculate

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \sup_{\left\| \begin{bmatrix} \delta a \\ \delta b \end{bmatrix} \right\|_2 \leq r} \frac{|\delta a + \delta b|}{\sqrt{\delta a^2 + \delta b^2}}$$

we assume that  $\delta a = \alpha \cos \theta$  and  $\delta b = \alpha \sin \theta$  where  $\alpha > 0$  and  $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$ .

Therefore, we have:

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \sup_{\left\| \begin{bmatrix} \delta a \\ \delta b \end{bmatrix} \right\|_2 \leq r} \frac{|\delta a + \delta b|}{\sqrt{\delta a^2 + \delta b^2}} = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \sup_{\alpha < r} \frac{|\alpha \cos \theta + \alpha \sin \theta|}{\alpha} = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \sup_{\alpha < r} |\cos \theta + \sin \theta| = \sqrt{2}$$

Thus, the condition number for adding 2 numbers is:

$$\kappa_r = \frac{\sqrt{2(a^2 + b^2)}}{|a + b|} \leq \sqrt{2} \text{ (if } a, b > 0\text{)}$$

(as  $|a + b| \geq \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$  for  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}^+$ )

For  $a, b > 0$ , we can clearly see that the condition number is bounded above by  $\sqrt{2}$ . In other words, **addition is well-conditioned**.

By performing a similar exercise, we can show that the **subtraction is ill-conditioned** as for  $\frac{a}{b} \rightarrow 1$ ,  $\kappa_r \rightarrow \infty$ .

Multiplication and division operations are also ill-conditioned.

## 2. Condition number on finding roots of the polynomial $x^2 - 2x + 1$ .



## Chapter 2

# Numerical Linear Algebra

### 2.1 Columnspace, Nullspace and all

Consider a matrix  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$  defined as:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} - & r_1^T & - \\ - & r_2^T & - \\ & \vdots & \\ - & r_m^T & - \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & & | \\ a_1 & a_2 & \cdots & a_n \\ | & | & & | \end{bmatrix}$$

where  $r_i \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times 1}$  for  $1 \leq i \leq m$  are the rows and  $a_i \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times 1}$  for  $1 \leq i \leq n$  are the columns of  $A$ .

Columnspace of a matrix  $A$  is the span(linear combination) of columns of  $A$ . Also called as Range of  $A$ .

$$\text{Range}(A) = \text{Columnspace}(A) = \{Ax : x \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times 1}\} \quad (2.1)$$

$$Ax = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & & | \\ a_1 & a_2 & \cdots & a_n \\ | & | & & | \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i x_i$$

Rowspace of a matrix  $A$  is the span(linear combination) of rows of  $A$ .

$$\text{Rowspace}(A) = \{A^T y : y \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times 1}\} \quad (2.2)$$

$$A^T y = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & & | \\ r_1 & r_2 & \cdots & r_n \\ | & | & & | \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix} = \sum_{i=1}^n r_i y_i$$

Nullspace of a matrix  $A$  is defined as follows:

$$\text{Nullspace}(A) = \{z \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times 1} : Az = 0\} \quad (2.3)$$

NOTE:-

1. A linear system  $Ax = b$  has a solution ONLY IF  $b \in \text{Range}(A)$ .
2. Dimension of  $\text{Range}(A)$  is the number of linearly independent columns of  $A$  or the column rank of  $A$ . Similarly, the dimension of  $\text{Rowspace}(A)$  is the row rank or the number of independent rows of  $A$ .
3. For a matrix  $A$ , row rank = column rank = rank  $\leq \min(m, n)$ .
4. Nullspace of a matrix is orthogonal to row space of a matrix.i.e, Given any vector  $z \in \text{Nullspace}(A)$  and  $w \in \text{Rowspace}(A)$ ,  $z$  is orthogonal to  $w$ .

Proof:- Let  $w \in \text{Rowspace}(A)$ , then  $\exists y \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times 1}$  such that  $w = A^T y$ .

Also as  $z \in \text{Nullspace}(A)$ , we have  $Az = 0$ .

Therefore,

$$\langle w, z \rangle = w^T z = y^T A z = 0$$

Thus, nullspace of a matrix is orthogonal to row space of a matrix.

5. **Rank-Nullity Theorem:** Dimension of  $\text{Nullspace}(A) + \text{Rank}(A) = n =$   
No. of columns of  $A$

## 2.2 Matrix Norms

Consider a matrix  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ . Just like how we have defined a vector norm, we could have defined an “element wise matrix norm” as follows:

$$\|A\|_p^* = \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |A_{ij}|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \quad (2.4)$$

But this definition of norm does not satisfy the **submultiplicative property**. We are interested in this property as this dictates the convergence of iterative schemes.

A matrix norm is said to be submultiplicative if for any matrices  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times k}$  and  $B \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times n}$ , we have

$$\|AB\| \leq \|A\| \|B\| \quad (2.5)$$

Consider the case

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

and  $p \rightarrow \infty$ , Therefore we have

$$\|A\|_{\infty}^* = \max_{1 \leq i \leq m, 1 \leq j \leq n} |A_{ij}| = 2$$

.

$$A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 8 \\ 8 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore,

$$\|A^2\|_{\infty}^* = 8$$

We can clearly see that:

$$\|A^2\|_{\infty}^* = 8 \geq \|A\|_{\infty}^* \cdot \|A\|_{\infty}^* = 2 \times 2 = 4$$

which violates the submultiplicative property.

Hence, we define a p-norm of matrix which satisfies submultiplicative property as follows.

$$\|A\|_p = \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}} \frac{\|Ax\|_p}{\|x\|_p} = \sup_{\|y\|_p=1} \|Ay\|_p \quad (2.6)$$

p-norms are submultiplicative.

PROOF:- From the definition of p-norm,

$$\begin{aligned} \|AB\|_p &= \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}} \frac{\|ABx\|_p}{\|x\|_p} \\ &= \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}} \frac{\|ABx\|_p}{\|Bx\|_p} \frac{\|Bx\|_p}{\|x\|_p} \\ &\leq \left[ \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}} \frac{\|ABx\|_p}{\|Bx\|_p} \right] \cdot \left[ \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}} \frac{\|Bx\|_p}{\|x\|_p} \right] \\ &= \|A\|_p \cdot \|B\|_p \\ \therefore \|AB\|_p &\leq \|A\|_p \cdot \|B\|_p \end{aligned}$$

Using this property, we can say that

$$\|A^n\|_p \leq \|A\|_p^n \quad (2.7)$$

$\|A\|_1$  = Maximum of column sum of absolute values.

$\|A\|_{\infty}$  = Maximum of row sum of absolute values.

### 2.3 Condition number of Matrix vector products

Consider a matrix  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$  and a vector  $x \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times 1}$ . Assume that there is no error in representing  $A$ . We are interested in finding the condition number of the Matrix-Vector product  $f(x; A) = Ax$ .

From the definition of condition number, we can write the condition number  $\kappa_r$  of the matrix vector product as:

$$\kappa_r = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \sup_{\|\delta x\|_q \leq r} \frac{\frac{\|A(x+\delta x) - Ax\|_p}{\|Ax\|_p}}{\frac{\|x+\delta x - x\|_q}{\|x\|_q}}$$

For simplicity let us choose  $p = q$ . Therefore,

$$\kappa_r = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \sup_{\|\delta x\|_p \leq r} \frac{\|A\delta x\|_p}{\|\delta x\|_p} \frac{\|x\|_p}{\|Ax\|_p}$$

From the definition of matrix p-norm, we can say that:

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \sup_{\|\delta x\|_p \leq r} \frac{\|A\delta x\|_p}{\|\delta x\|_p} = \|A\|_p$$

Therefore the condition number of the matrix vector product is:

$$\kappa_r = \frac{\|A\|_p \|x\|_p}{\|Ax\|_p} \tag{2.8}$$

From Sub-multiplicative property, as  $\|Ax\|_p \geq \|A\|_p \|x\|_p$ , we can show that  $\kappa_r \geq 1$ .

### 2.4 Solving Linear Systems

## Chapter 3

# Interpolation

### 3.1 Motivation - Interpolation vs. Approximation

### 3.2 Lagrange Interpolation

#### 3.2.1 Motivation

#### 3.2.2 Lagrange Interpolant

### 3.3 Choice of Nodes

#### 3.3.1 Motivation

#### 3.3.2 Fundamental Theorem of Polynomial Interpolation

#### 3.3.3 Different Possible types of nodes

### 3.4 Wierstrass Approximation theorem



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## Chapter 6

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$$f(k) = \binom{n}{k} p^k (1-p)^{n-k} \quad (6.1)$$

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$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

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## Chapter 7

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