

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 κ_{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 κ_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 κ_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 κ_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:

$$\kappa_r = \frac{\|A\|_p \|x\|_p}{\|Ax\|_p} \quad (2.8)$$

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

Chapter 4

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Chapter 5

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Chapter 6

Blocks

6.1 Equations

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

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6.2 Theorems and proofs

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

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Chapter 7

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7.1 Publishing

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