

Data 605 Assignment 2

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1. Problem Set 1

(1) Show that $A^T A \neq A A^T$ in general. (Proof and demonstration.)

If A is an $m \times n$ matrix and A^T is its transpose, then the result of matrix multiplication with these two matrices gives two square matrices: $A A^T$ is $m \times m$ and $A^T A$ is $n \times n$. Since an $m \times m$ matrix cannot be equivalent to an $n \times n$ matrix if $m \neq n$, $A^T A \neq A A^T$.

```
A <- matrix(c(1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9),nrow = 3)
A
```

```
##      [,1] [,2] [,3]
## [1,]    1    4    7
## [2,]    2    5    8
## [3,]    3    6    9
```

```
A_T <- t(A)
A_T
```

```
##      [,1] [,2] [,3]
## [1,]    1    2    3
## [2,]    4    5    6
## [3,]    7    8    9
```

```
identical(A, A_T)
```

```
## [1] FALSE
```

```
A %*% A_T == A_T %*% A
```

```
##      [,1] [,2] [,3]
## [1,] FALSE FALSE FALSE
## [2,] FALSE FALSE FALSE
## [3,] FALSE FALSE FALSE
```

(2) For a special type of square matrix A , we get $A^T A = A A^T$. Under what conditions could this be true?

The Identity matrix I is an example of such a matrix.

```
AI <- matrix(c(1,0,0,0,1,0,0,0,1),nrow = 3)
AI
```

```
##      [,1] [,2] [,3]
## [1,]    1    0    0
## [2,]    0    1    0
## [3,]    0    0    1
```

```
AI_T <- t(AI)
AI_T
```

```
##      [,1] [,2] [,3]
## [1,]    1    0    0
## [2,]    0    1    0
## [3,]    0    0    1

identical(AI, AI_T)

## [1] TRUE
AI %*% AI_T == AI_T %*% AI

##      [,1] [,2] [,3]
## [1,] TRUE TRUE TRUE
## [2,] TRUE TRUE TRUE
## [3,] TRUE TRUE TRUE
```

This will also be true whenever $A = A^T$.

```
A2 <- matrix(c(1,3,4,3,2,3,4,3,1), nrow = 3)
A2
```

```
##      [,1] [,2] [,3]
## [1,]    1    3    4
## [2,]    3    2    3
## [3,]    4    3    1
```

```
A2_T <- t(A2)
A2_T
```

```
##      [,1] [,2] [,3]
## [1,]    1    3    4
## [2,]    3    2    3
## [3,]    4    3    1
```

```
identical(A2, A2_T)
```

```
## [1] TRUE
A2 %*% A2_T == A2_T %*% A2

##      [,1] [,2] [,3]
## [1,] TRUE TRUE TRUE
## [2,] TRUE TRUE TRUE
## [3,] TRUE TRUE TRUE
```

2. Problem set 2

Matrix factorization is a very important problem. There are supercomputers built just to do matrix factorizations. Every second you are on an airplane, matrices are being factorized. Radars that track flights use a technique called Kalman filtering. At the heart of Kalman Filtering is a Matrix Factorization operation. Kalman Filters are solving linear systems of equations when they track your flight using radars.

Write an R function to factorize a square matrix A into LU or LDU, whichever you prefer.

Factorize A into a product of two matrices: $A = LU$ where U is the matrix that we get at the end of the elimination procedure, it is the Upper Triangular matrix. L is a Lower Triangular matrix and you'll see that the entries of L are the multipliers that we applied to subtract one row from the other.

LU Decomposition

```
#define a matrix a
a <- matrix(sample (25), 5, 5)
a

##      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4] [,5]
## [1,]    3   20    4   12    6
## [2,]   25   17    2   16   11
## [3,]    9   21    1   22   18
## [4,]   13    5   24    8    7
## [5,]   14   15   19   10   23

#define Gaussian Elimination function to compute matrix with row reductions
Gauss_Elim <- function(a) {
  n <- nrow(a)
  #create an augmented matrix with a and the identity
  a <- cbind(a,diag(n))

  #multiply a row by a constant
  for (i in 1 : n) {
    c <- diag(n)
    c[i, i] <- (1 / a[i, i])
    a <- c %*% a

    #if at the last row, stop
    if (i == n) {
      break ()
    }
    #add a multiple of a row to a different row
    for (j in (i + 1) : n) {
      r <- diag(n)
      r[j, i] <- (- a[j, i])
      a <- r %*% a
    }
  }
  return(a)
}

#call Gauss Elimination function on matrix a
Gauss_Elim(a)

##      [,1]      [,2]      [,3]      [,4]      [,5]      [,6]
## [1,]    1 6.666667 1.333333 4.000000 2.000000 0.333333
## [2,]    0 1.000000 0.209354 0.561247 0.260579 0.055679
## [3,]    0 0.000000 1.000000 -2.782403 -3.584446 0.292223
## [4,]    0 0.000000 0.000000 1.000000 1.287025 -0.099043
## [5,]    0 0.000000 0.000000 0.000000 1.000000 -0.043411
##      [,7]      [,8]      [,9]     [,10]
## [1,] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [2,] -0.00668151 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [3,] 0.09190887 -0.35271013 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [4,] -0.04016969 0.12334119 0.01471540 0.00000000
## [5,] -0.01508377 0.02269085 -0.03621794 0.05528162

#use Gauss_Elim() to compute Upper Triangular Matrix and Lower Triangular Matrix
```

```

#define LU Decomposition function
LU_decomp <- function(a) {
  n <- nrow (a)
  #compute the U matrix (Upper Triangular)
  g <- Gauss_Elim(a)
  #compute the L matrix (Lower Triangular) with multipliers located below the diagonal
  h <- Gauss_Elim(g[, n + 1 : n])
  return(list(L = h[, n + 1 : n], U = g[, 1 : n]))
}

print(LU <- LU_decomp(a))

```

```

## $L
##      [,1]      [,2]      [,3]      [,4]      [,5]
## [1,]    3    0.00000  0.000000  0.00000  0.00000
## [2,]   25 -149.66667  0.000000  0.00000  0.00000
## [3,]    9  -39.00000 -2.835189  0.00000  0.00000
## [4,]   13 -81.66667 23.763920 67.95601  0.00000
## [5,]   14 -78.33333 16.732739 44.52160 18.08919
##
## $U
##      [,1]      [,2]      [,3]      [,4]      [,5]
## [1,]    1 6.666667 1.3333333 4.0000000 2.0000000
## [2,]    0 1.000000 0.2093541 0.5612472 0.2605791
## [3,]    0 0.000000 1.0000000 -2.7824038 -3.5844462
## [4,]    0 0.000000 0.0000000 1.0000000 1.2870255
## [5,]    0 0.000000 0.0000000 0.0000000 1.0000000

```

```

#show that the LU decomp is equal to matrix a
LU $ L %*% LU $ U

```

```

##      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4] [,5]
## [1,]    3   20    4   12    6
## [2,]   25   17    2   16   11
## [3,]    9   21    1   22   18
## [4,]   13    5   24    8    7
## [5,]   14   15   19   10   23

```