#### ECEn 671: Mathematics of Signals and Systems

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#### Section 1

**QR** Factorization

## Unitary and Orthogonal Matrices

#### Definition

 $Q \in \mathbb{C}^{m imes m}$  is unitary if

$$Q^HQ=QQ^H=I$$

Equivalently  $Q^{-1} = Q^H$ .

Equivalently, the rows of Q form an orthonormal set.

Equivalently, the columns of Q form an orthonormal set.

#### Definition

 $Q \in \mathbb{R}^{m imes m}$  is orthogonal if

$$Q^TQ = QQ^T = I.$$

Rotation matrices are examples of orthogonal matrices.



#### Hermitian Matrices

#### Definition

$$Q \in \mathbb{C}^{m \times m}$$
 is Hermitian if  $Q^H = Q$ 

Hermitian matrices are like real numbers, i.e.,  $\bar{z}=z$ . Unitary matrices correspond to the unit circle

$$|z|^2 = \bar{z}z = 1$$

Bilinear transformation

$$z = \frac{1+jr}{1-jr}$$
 maps the real line to the unit circle

For matrices this becomes Cayley's formula

$$U = (I + jR)(I - jR)^{-1}$$

which maps Hermitian (analagous to real #'s) to unitary matrices (analagous to complex unit circle).

#### Unitary Matrices, cont

#### Lemma (Moon Lemma 5.1)

Let  $Q \in \mathbb{C}^{m \times m}$  then  $\|Qx\|_2 = \|x\|_2$ ,  $\forall x \in \mathbb{C}^m$  iff Q is unitary.

#### Proof.

If Q is unitary then

$$\|Qx\|_{2} = \langle Qx, Qx \rangle^{\frac{1}{2}} = (x^{H}Q^{H}Qx)^{\frac{1}{2}} = (x^{H}x)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \|x\|_{2}$$

Conversely if  $\left\| \mathbf{Q} \mathbf{x} \right\|_2 = \left\| \mathbf{x} \right\|_2, \quad \forall \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{C}^m$  then

$$x^{H}Q^{H}Qx = x^{H}x \qquad \forall x \in \mathbb{C}^{m}$$
  
$$\iff x^{H}(Q^{H}Q - I)x = 0 \qquad \forall x \in \mathbb{C}^{m}$$
  
$$\iff Q^{H}Q = I.$$

Therefore Q is unitary.

### Unitary Matrices, cont

Lemma (Moon Lemma 5.2) If Y = QX where Q-unitary then  $\|Y\|_F = \|X\|_F$ 

#### Unitary Matrices, cont.

#### Lemma

If  $Q_1$  and  $Q_2$  are unitary then  $Q_2Q_1$  is unitary.

Proof.

$$(Q_2Q_1)^H(Q_2Q_1) = Q_1^HQ_2^HQ_2Q_1 = Q_1^HQ_1 = I.$$



#### **QR** - Factorization

#### Definition

Let  $A \in \mathbb{C}^{m \times n}$ . The QR factorization of A is given by

$$A = QR$$

where  $Q \in \mathbb{C}^{m \times m}$  is unitary and  $R \in \mathbb{C}^{m \times n}$  is upper triangular.

#### Lemma

Every matrix  $A \in \mathbb{C}^{m \times n}$  has a QR factorization.

### QR - Factorization, cont.

#### Example

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} -0.1961 & -0.9806 \\ -0.9806 & 0.1961 \end{pmatrix}}_{Q} \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} -5.0090 & -6.2757 & -7.4524 & -8.6291 \\ 0 & -0.7845 & -1.5689 & -2.3534 \end{pmatrix}}_{R}$$

In Python:

### QR - Factorization, cont.

#### Example

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ 2 & 6 \\ 3 & 7 \\ 4 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -0.1826 & -0.8165 & -0.4001 & -0.3741 \\ -0.3651 & -0.4082 & 0.2546 & 0.797 \\ -0.5477 & 0 & 0.6910 & -0.4717 \\ -0.7303 & 0.4082 & -0.5455 & 0.0488 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -5.4772 & -12.7 \\ 0 & -3.266 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

## Application: Full rank least squares

If  $A \in \mathbb{C}^{m \times n}$  is full rank and m > n, find

$$\hat{x} = \arg\min \|Ax - b\|_2$$

Recall that the solution is  $\hat{x} = (A^H A)^{-1} A^H b$  but

$$\mathcal{K}(A^H A) = (\mathcal{K}(A))^2$$

Therefore computing the inverse of  $A^HA$  with LU or Cholesky factorization may be ill-advised.

Use QR factorization instead.

## Application: Full rank least squares, cont.

Let  $A=QR=Q\begin{bmatrix}R_1\\0\end{bmatrix}$  where  $Q\in\mathbb{C}^{m\times m}$  and  $R_1\in\mathbb{C}^{n\times n}$  is upper triangular.

Let 
$$Q^H \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{c} \\ \mathbf{d} \end{pmatrix}$$
 where  $\mathbf{c} \in \mathbb{C}^n$  and  $\mathbf{d} \in \mathbb{C}^{m-n}$ .  
Then

$$\begin{aligned} \|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_{2}^{2} &= \|QR\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_{2}^{2} \\ &= \left\|Q(R\mathbf{x} - Q^{H}\mathbf{b})\right\|_{2}^{2} \qquad \text{( since } QQ^{H} = I\text{)} \\ &= \left\|\begin{bmatrix}R_{1}\\0\end{bmatrix}\mathbf{x} - \begin{pmatrix}\mathbf{c}\\\mathbf{d}\end{pmatrix}\right\|_{2}^{2} \qquad \text{(by lemma 5.1)} \\ &= \|R_{1}\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{c}\|_{2}^{2} + \|\mathbf{d}\|_{2}^{2} \qquad \text{(by definition of 2-norm)} \end{aligned}$$

so  $\hat{\mathbf{x}} = \arg\min \|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^2$  satisfies  $R_1 \hat{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{c}$  where  $\hat{\mathbf{x}}$  is easily found by forward-substitution.

## Application: Full rank least squares, cont.

Note that we don't actually need to compute all of Q since

$$Q^H \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{c} \\ \mathbf{d} \end{pmatrix}.$$

Let

$$Q = \begin{pmatrix} Q_1 & Q_2 \\ m \times n & m \times (m-n) \end{pmatrix}$$

then

$$Q^{H}b = \begin{pmatrix} Q_{1}^{H} \\ Q_{2}^{H} \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} Q_{1}^{H}\mathbf{b} \\ Q_{2}^{H}\mathbf{b} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{c} \\ \mathbf{d} \end{pmatrix}$$

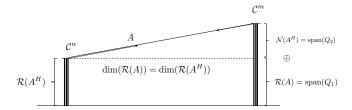
so  $\mathbf{c} = Q_1^H \mathbf{b}$ .

Therefore, we only need the first n columns of Q.

### QR Factorization and Fundamental Subspaces

#### If A is tall then

$$A = QR$$
$$= \begin{pmatrix} Q_1 & Q_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} R_1 \\ \mathbf{0} \end{pmatrix}$$



### Computational Methods for QR Factorization

We will discuss two methods for computing the QR Factorization:

- Given rotation.
- Householder transformation.

The basic idea is to diagonalize A one element at at time: So find

$$Q_1$$
 such that  $Q_1A = \begin{pmatrix} x & x \\ 0 & x \\ x & x \end{pmatrix}$ 

Then find 
$$Q_2$$
 such that  $Q_2Q_1A=\begin{pmatrix} x & x \\ 0 & x \\ 0 & x \end{pmatrix}$ 

Then find 
$$Q_3$$
 such that  $Q_3Q_2Q_1A = \begin{pmatrix} x & x \\ 0 & x \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ 

Then

$$A = (Q_3 Q_2 Q_1)^{-1} R$$

$$= (Q_3 Q_2 Q_1)^H R \qquad \text{(since } (Q_3 Q_2 Q_1) \text{ is unitary)}$$

$$= \underbrace{Q_1^H Q_2^H Q_3^H}_{\hat{=} Q} R$$

$$= QR.$$

Consider the  $2 \times 2$  rotation matrix

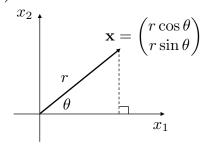
$$G(\theta) = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$$

Note that

$$G^{-1}(\theta) = G^{T}(\theta) = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ +\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$$

Therefore,  $G(\theta)$  is orthogonal and hence unitary.

Let 
$$x = \begin{pmatrix} r\cos\theta\\r\sin\theta \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2$$
:



Then

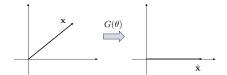
$$G(\theta)x = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta & \sin\theta \\ -\sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} r\cos\theta \\ r\sin\theta \end{pmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{pmatrix} r\cos^2(\theta) + r\sin^2(\theta) \\ -r\sin\theta\cos\theta + r\cos\theta\sin\theta \end{pmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{pmatrix} r \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Therefore  $G(\theta)$  rotated

$$x = \begin{pmatrix} r\cos\theta\\r\sin\theta \end{pmatrix}$$

to

$$\hat{x} = \begin{pmatrix} r \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$
.



Note that if 
$$x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$$
 then  $\theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{x_2}{x_1} \right)$  and 
$$\cos \theta = \cos \left( \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{x_2}{x_1} \right) \right) = \frac{x_1}{\sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2}}$$
 
$$\sin \theta = \sin \left( \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{x_2}{x_1} \right) \right) = \frac{x_2}{\sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2}}$$

Therefore

$$G_{x}(\theta) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{x_{1}}{\sqrt{x_{1}^{2} + x_{2}^{2}}} & \frac{x_{2}}{\sqrt{x_{1}^{2} + x_{2}^{2}}} \\ -\frac{x_{2}}{\sqrt{x_{1}^{2} + x_{2}^{2}}} & \frac{x_{1}}{\sqrt{x_{1}^{2} + x_{2}^{2}}} \end{pmatrix}.$$

Note that each term in  $G_{x}(\theta)$  decreases as a result of dividing by  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{x_{1}^{2}+x_{2}^{2}}}$  so even if  $x_{1}$  and  $x_{2}$  are small, this is numerically stable.



Let

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 6 & 7 & 12 \\ 2 & 5 & 8 & 11 \\ 13 & 4 & 9 & 10 \end{pmatrix}$$

Letting  $x_1 = 1$  and  $x_2 = 2$  and

$$Q_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{x_1}{\sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2}} & \frac{x_2}{\sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2}} & 0\\ -\frac{x_2}{\sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2}} & \frac{x_1}{\sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2}} & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.4472 & 0.8944 & 0.\\ -0.8944 & 0.4472 & 0.\\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

gives

$$Q_1 A = \begin{pmatrix} 2.2360 & 7.1554 & 10.2859 & 15.2052 \\ 0 & -3.1304 & -2.6832 & -5.8137 \\ 13 & 4 & 9 & 10 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$Q_1A = \begin{pmatrix} 2.2360 & 7.1554 & 10.2859 & 15.2052 \\ 0 & -3.1304 & -2.6832 & -5.8137 \\ 13 & 4 & 9 & 10 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Letting  $x_1 = 2.2360$  and  $x_2 = 13$  and

$$Q_2 = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{x_1}{\sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2}} & 0 & \frac{x_2}{\sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2}} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{x_2}{\sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2}} & 0 & \frac{x_1}{\sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2}} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.1695 & 0 & 0.9855 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -0.9855 & 0 & 0.1695 \end{pmatrix}$$

gives

$$Q_2 Q_1 A = \begin{pmatrix} 13.1909 & 5.1550 & 10.6133 & 12.4328 \\ 0 & -3.1304 & -2.6832 & -5.8137 \\ 0 & -6.3737 & -8.6114 & -13.2900 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$Q_2Q_1A = \begin{pmatrix} 13.1909 & 5.1550 & 10.6133 & 12.4328 \\ 0 & -3.1304 & -2.6832 & -5.8137 \\ 0 & -6.3737 & -8.6114 & -13.2900 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Letting  $x_1 = -3.1304$  and  $x_2 = -6.3737$  and

$$Q_{3} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{x_{1}}{\sqrt{x_{1}^{2} + x_{2}^{2}}} & \frac{x_{2}}{\sqrt{x_{1}^{2} + x_{2}^{2}}} \\ 0 & -\frac{x_{2}}{\sqrt{x_{1}^{2} + x_{2}^{2}}} & \frac{x_{1}}{\sqrt{x_{1}^{2} + x_{2}^{2}}} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -0.44084797 & -0.8975 \\ 0 & 0.89758179 & -0.4408 \end{pmatrix}$$

gives

$$Q_3 Q_2 Q_1 A = \begin{pmatrix} 13.1909 & 5.1550 & 10.6133 & 12.4328 \\ 0 & 7.101 & 8.912 & 14.4918 \\ 0 & 0 & 1.3878 & 0.6405 \end{pmatrix}.$$

#### Therefore

$$\underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 6 & 7 & 12 \\ 2 & 5 & 8 & 11 \\ 13 & 4 & 9 & 10 \end{pmatrix}}_{A}$$
 
$$= \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 0.0967 & 0.9077 & -0.4082 \\ 0.4834 & 0.3157 & 0.816 \\ 0.8701 & -0.2763 & 0.4082 \end{pmatrix}}_{Q} \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 13.1909 & 5.1550 & 10.6133 & 12.4328 \\ 0 & 7.101 & 8.912 & 14.4918 \\ 0 & 0 & 1.3878 & 0.6405 \end{pmatrix}}_{R}$$

where

$$Q = Q_1^H Q_2^H Q_3^H$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 0.0758 & 0.7899 & -0.6085 \\ 0.1516 & 0.5940 & 0.7900 \\ 0.9855 & -0.1521 & -0.0747 \end{pmatrix}.$$

```
import numpy as np
def Q_{givens}(x1, x2, size, m, n):
    Q = np.eve(size)
    cos\_theta = x1 / np.sqrt(x1**2 + x2**2)
    sin_{theta} = x2 / np. sqrt(x1**2 + x2**2)
    Q[n-1, n-1] = cos_theta
    Q[m-1, m-1] = cos_theta
    Q[m-1, n-1] = -\sin_t theta
    Q[n-1, m-1] = sin_theta
    return Q
A = np.array([[1, 6, 7, 12],
               [2, 5, 8, 11],
               [13, 4, 9, 10]])
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Q1 = Q_{givens}(x1=1, x2=2, size=3, m=2, n=1)
R1 = Q1 @ A
Q2 = Q_{givens}(x1=R1[0,0], x2=R1[2,0], size=3,
              m=3, n=1
R2 = Q2 @ Q1 @ A
Q3 = Q_{givens}(x1=R2[1,1], x2=R2[2,1], size=3,
              m=3, n=2
R3 = Q3 @ Q2 @ Q1 @ A
Q = Q1.conj().T @ Q2.conj().T @ Q3.conj().T
print("Q=", Q)
print("R=", R3)
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The basic idea is to diagonalize A one column at a time using unitary matrices.

#### Lemma

If  $Q_1$  and  $Q_2$  are unitary then  $Q_2Q_1$  is unitary.

Proof.

$$(Q_2Q_1)^H(Q_2Q_1) = Q_1^HQ_2^HQ_2Q_1 = Q_1^HQ_1 = I.$$



So find 
$$Q_1$$
 such that  $Q_1A = \begin{pmatrix} x & x & x \\ 0 & x & x \\ 0 & x & x \\ 0 & x & x \end{pmatrix}$ 

Then find 
$$Q_2$$
 such that  $Q_2Q_1A = \begin{pmatrix} x & x & x \\ 0 & x & x \\ 0 & 0 & x \\ 0 & 0 & x \end{pmatrix}$ 

Then find 
$$Q_3$$
 such that  $Q_3Q_2Q_1A=\begin{pmatrix}x&x&x\\0&x&x\\0&0&x\\0&0&0\end{pmatrix}$ 

Then

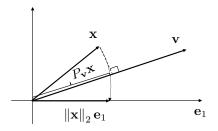
$$A = (Q_3 Q_2 Q_1)^{-1} R$$

$$= (Q_3 Q_2 Q_1)^H R \qquad \text{(since } (Q_3 Q_2 Q_1) \text{ is unitary)}$$

$$= \underbrace{Q_1^H Q_2^H Q_3^H}_{Q_2} R$$



Geometrically what do we want?



We would like to rotate x down to  $e_1$ . This can be thought of as a reflection of x about some vector v

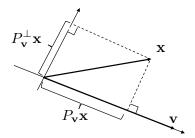
We need an operator that transforms x to  $y = ||x||_2 e_1$ 

Let

$$P_{v} = \frac{vv^{H}}{v^{H}v}$$

be the projection matrix that projects onto the vector v and let

$$P_{v}^{\perp} = I - P_{v}$$



The Householder transformation is

$$H_{\mathbf{v}} = I - 2P_{\mathbf{v}}$$

$$H_{\mathbf{v}} \mathbf{x}$$

$$-P_{\mathbf{v}} \mathbf{x}$$

$$P_{\mathbf{v}} \mathbf{x}$$

 $H_{\mathbf{v}}\mathbf{x}$  reflects  $\mathbf{x}$  about the vector that is orthogonal to  $\mathbf{v}$ , and in the same hyperplane as both  $\mathbf{x}$  and  $\mathbf{v}$ .

#### Lemma

 $H_{v}$  is unitary.

Proof.

$$H_{v}^{H}H_{v} = (I - 2P_{v}^{H})^{H}(I - 2P_{v})$$

$$= I - 2P_{v} - 2P_{v} + 4P_{v}^{2}$$

$$= I - 4P_{v} + 4P_{v} \quad \text{(since } P_{v}^{2} = P_{v}\text{)}$$

$$= I$$

#### Lemma

$$H_{\nu}v = -v$$

Proof.

$$H_{v}v = v - 2P_{v}v = v - 2v = -v$$

#### Lemma

If 
$$z \perp v$$
 then  $H_v z = z$ .

Proof.

$$H_v z = z - z P_v z = z$$

Find v so that

$$H_{\mathbf{v}}\mathbf{x} = egin{pmatrix} \pm \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \pm \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 \, \mathbf{e}_1$$

i.e. the Householder transformation compresses all of the energy in  ${\bf x}$  into the first component.

$$H_{\mathbf{v}}\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{x} - \frac{2\mathbf{v}\mathbf{v}^H}{\mathbf{v}^H\mathbf{v}}\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{x} - 2\frac{\mathbf{v}^H\mathbf{x}}{\mathbf{v}^H\mathbf{v}}\mathbf{v} = \pm \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 e_1$$

Therefore

$$\left(2\frac{\mathbf{v}^H\mathbf{x}}{\mathbf{v}^H\mathbf{v}}\right)\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{x} \pm \left\|\mathbf{x}\right\|_2 e_1$$

which implies that  $\mathbf{v}$  is a scalar multiple of  $\mathbf{x} \pm \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 e_1$ .



- ▶ Let  $\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{x} \pm \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 e_1$ .
- Numerically we would like **v** to be large so that dividing by  $\frac{1}{v^H v}$  does not cause problems.
- ▶ Selecting  $\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{x} + sign(x_1) \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 e_1$  implies that

$$\|\mathbf{v}\| = \|\mathbf{x} + sign(x_1) \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 e_1 \| \ge \|\mathbf{x}\|$$

(Since we only change the first element and the magnitude of that element always increases we can use  $\geq$ ).

▶ Therefore, if 
$$\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{x} + sign(x_1) \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 e_1$$
 then  $H_{\mathbf{v}}\mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $H_{\mathbf{v}}$  is numerically well conditioned, i.e. we are not

dividing by small numbers.



Suppose that  $A = (a_1 \cdots a_n)$ .

Letting  $Q_1 = H_{v_1}$  where  $v_1 = a_1 + sign(a_{11}) ||a_1||_2 e_1$  implies that

$$Q_1 A = egin{pmatrix} \|a_1\|_2 & * & \cdots & * \ 0 & & & \ dots & ilde{a}_2 & \cdots & ilde{a}_n \ 0 & & & \end{pmatrix}.$$

#### Lemma

If S is unitary then

$$Q = \begin{pmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & S \end{pmatrix}$$

is unitary.

Proof.

$$QQ^{H} = \begin{pmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & S^{H} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & S \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & S^{H}S \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & I \end{pmatrix} = I.$$

Let 
$$Q_2 = \begin{pmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & H_{v_2} \end{pmatrix}$$
 where  $v_2 = \tilde{a}_2 + sign(\tilde{a}_{21}) \|\tilde{a}_2\|_2 e_2$   
Could also write as:

$$Q_2 = I - 2 rac{ ilde{v}_2 ilde{v}_2^H}{ ilde{v}_2^H ilde{v}_2} \qquad ext{where } ilde{v}_2 = egin{pmatrix} 0 \\ v_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Then

$$Q_2Q_1A = egin{pmatrix} \|a_1\|_2 & * & * & \cdots & * \ 0 & \| ilde{a}_2\| & * & \cdots & * \ 0 & 0 & & & \ dots & dots & ilde{a}_3 & \cdots & ilde{a}_n \ 0 & 0 & & & \end{pmatrix}$$

The process is repeated until an upper triangular matrix is obtained on the right.

$$\text{Let } A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 13 \\ -6 & 5 & -4 \\ 7 & -8 & 9 \\ -12 & 11 & -10 \end{pmatrix}$$
 
$$\text{Let } v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -6 \\ 7 \\ -12 \end{pmatrix} + sign(1) \left\| \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -6 \\ 7 \\ -12 \end{pmatrix} \right\| e_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 6.1657 \\ -6 \\ 7 \\ -12 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and }$$
 
$$Q_1 = I - 2 \frac{v_1 v_1^H}{v_1^H v_1}. \text{ Then }$$
 
$$Q_1 A = \begin{pmatrix} -15.1657 & 14.5063 & -14.5063 \\ 0 & -1.1264 & 6.2091 \\ 0 & -0.8525 & -2.9106 \\ 0 & -1.2528 & 10.4182 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$Q_1 A = \begin{pmatrix} -15.1657 & 14.5063 & -14.5063 \\ 0 & -1.1264 & 6.2091 \\ 0 & -0.8525 & -2.9106 \\ 0 & -1.2528 & 10.4182 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Let

$$v_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1.1264 \\ -0.8525 \\ -1.2528 \end{pmatrix} + sign(-1.1264) \left\| \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1.1264 \\ -0.8525 \\ -1.2528 \end{pmatrix} \right\| e_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -3.0146 \\ -0.8525 \\ -1.2528 \end{pmatrix}$$

which implies that

$$Q_2 = I - 2 \frac{v_2 v_2^H}{v_2^H v_2} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -0.5965 & -0.4514 & -0.6635 \\ 0 & -0.4514 & 0.8723 & -0.1876 \\ 0 & -0.6635 & -0.1876 & 0.72424585 \end{pmatrix}.$$



Then

$$Q_2Q_1A = \begin{pmatrix} -15.1657 & 14.5063 & -14.5063 \\ 0 & 1.88810 & -9.30270 \\ 0 & 0 & -7.29720 \\ 0 & 0 & 3.97160 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$v_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -7.29720 \\ 3.97160 \end{pmatrix} + sign(-7.29720) \left\| \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -7.29720 \\ 3.97160 \end{pmatrix} \right\| e_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -15.6053 \\ 3.971 \end{pmatrix}$$

which implies that

$$Q_3 = I - 2 \frac{v_3 v_3^H}{v_3^H v_3} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -0.8783 & 0.47804 \\ 0 & 0 & 0.4780 & 0.8783 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Then

$$Q_3Q_2Q_1A = \begin{pmatrix} -15.1657 & 14.5063 & -14.5063 \\ 0 & 1.888 & -9.3027 \\ 0 & 0 & 8.3080 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$Q = Q_1^H Q_2^H Q_3^H$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -0.0659 & -0.5526 & 0.8308 & 0\\ 0.3956 & -0.3914 & -0.2289 & -0.79862957\\ -0.4615 & -0.6907 & -0.4961 & 0.25219881\\ 0.7912 & -0.2532 & -0.1056 & 0.54643076 \end{pmatrix}$$

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import numpy as np
def Q_householder(A, column):
    (m,n) = A.shape
    x = A[column - 1:m, column - 1:column]
    e = np.zeros(x.shape)
    e[0.0] = 1
    v = x + np.sign(x[0, 0])
        * np.linalg.norm(x) * e
    H = np.eve(m)
    H[(column-1):m, (column-1):m]
        = np.eye(m-(column-1))
           -2 * v @ v.T / (v.T @ v)
    return H
```

```
A = np. array([[1, -2, 13],
             [-6, 5, -4]
              [7, -8, 9],
              [-12, 11, -10]
Q1 = Q_householder(A, column=1)
R1 = Q1 @ A
Q2 = Q_householder(R1, column=2)
R2 = Q2 @ Q1 @ A
Q3 = Q_householder(R2, column=3)
R3 = Q3 @ Q2 @ Q1 @ A
Q = Q1.conj().T @ Q2.conj().T @ Q3.conj().T
print("Q=", Q)
print("R=", R3)
```