

Linear Algebra and its Applications
2021 Fall HW#2

1. Starting from a 3 by 3 matrix A with pivots 2, 7, 6, add a fourth row and column to produce M . What are the first three pivots for M , and why? What fourth row and column are sure to produce 9 as the fourth pivot?
2. True or false; explain your answers.
 - (a) If the first and third columns of B are the same, so are the first and third columns of AB .
 - (b) If the first and third rows of B are the same, so are the first and third rows of AB .
 - (c) $(AB)^2 = A^2B^2$
 - (d) The product of two lower triangular matrices is again lower triangular.

3.

$$A_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{2}{3} & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & -\frac{3}{4} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

For $A_i B$, explain what each A_i does to B and find the inverse of each A_i , $i=1,2..$

4. Perform row exchanges to A to produce A' and find $A' = LU$ factorization for

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (a) What are L and U ?
- (b) What is L^{-1} ?

5.

$$A = \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 5 & 7 & 8 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 6 \end{array} \right]$$

- (1) Describe all the Gauss elimination steps that lead A to an upper triangular matrix.

(2) Will a row exchange be required?

(3) Let $b=[1 \ 2 \ 3]^T$ and solve $Ax=b$ by solving two triangular systems.

6. Find the $PA=LDU$ factorization for

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

7. Compare and discuss the operations (division or multiplication-subtraction) required for solving $Ax=b$ by Gaussian elimination and back substitution and for solving $Ax=b$ by Gauss-Jordan Method and $A^{-1}b$.

8. Find a 3 by 3 permutation matrix with $P^3=I$ (but $P \neq I$). Find a 4 by 4 permutation matrix P with $P^4 \neq I$.

9. Find an A^{-1} formula from $PA=LDU$.