Homework #11

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Problem 1

In this problem, for each proof, the following norms are used for $x \in \mathbb{R}^2$:

$$||x||_2 = \sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2}$$
$$||x||_1 = |x_1| + |x_2|$$
$$||x||_{\infty} = \max(x_1, x_2)$$

STATEMENT

$$||x||_2 \le ||x||_1 \le \sqrt{n}||x||_2$$

PROOF

Starting with the left hand side inequality:

$$||x||_2 \le ||x||_1$$

Since a norm is always positive:

$$||x||_{2}^{2} \le ||x||_{1}^{2}$$

$$x_{1}^{2} + x_{2}^{2} \le (|x_{1}| + |x_{2}|)^{2}$$

$$x_{1}^{2} + x_{2}^{2} \le x_{1}^{2} + x_{2}^{2} + 2|x_{1}x_{2}|$$

The above inequality is true since $2|x_1x_2| \geq 0$. Now for the right hand side:

$$||x||_1 \le \sqrt{n}||x||_2$$

Again. since a norm is always positive:

$$||x||_1^2 \le 2||x||_2^2$$

$$(|x_1| + |x_2|)^2 \le 2(x_1^2 + x_2^2)$$

$$x_1^2 + x_2^2 + 2|x_1x_2| \le 2x_1^2 + 2x_2^2$$

$$0 \le x_1^2 + x_2^2 - 2|x_1x_2|$$

$$0 \le (|x_1| - |x_2|)^2$$

The above inequality is true and thus we have proved the statement.

STATEMENT

$$||x||_{\infty} \le ||x||_2 \le \sqrt{n}||x||_{\infty}$$

PROOF

Starting with the left hand side inequality:

$$||x||_{\infty} \le ||x||_2$$

Considering the case where $x_1 \geq x_2$ and since a norm is always positive:

$$||x||_{\infty}^{2} \le ||x||_{2}^{2}$$

$$x_{1}^{2} \le x_{1}^{2} + x_{2}^{2}$$

$$0 \le x_{2}^{2}$$

Now considering the case where $x_2 \ge x_1$:

$$||x||_{\infty}^{2} \le ||x||_{2}^{2}$$

$$x_{2}^{2} \le x_{1}^{2} + x_{2}^{2}$$

$$0 < x_{1}^{2}$$

The above inequality is true. Now for the right hand side:

$$||x||_2 \le \sqrt{n}||x||_{\infty}$$

Again. considering the case where $x_1 \geq x_2$ and since a norm is always positive:

$$\begin{aligned} ||x||_2^2 & \leq 2||x||_\infty^2 \\ x_1^2 + x_2^2 & \leq 2x_1^2 \\ x_2^2 & \leq x_1^2 \end{aligned}$$

The above inequality is true since $x \in \mathcal{X} \longrightarrow [0, \infty)$. Now for the case where $x_2 \geq x_1$:

$$||x||_2^2 \le 2||x||_{\infty}^2$$

$$x_1^2 + x_2^2 \le 2x_2^2$$

$$x_1^2 \le x_2^2$$

The above inequality is true since $x \in \mathcal{X} \longrightarrow [0, \infty)$ and the statement has been proved.

STATEMENT

$$||x||_{\infty} \le ||x||_1 \le n||x||_{\infty}$$

PROOF

Starting with the left hand side inequality:

$$||x||_{\infty} \le ||x||_1$$

Considering the case where $x_1 \geq x_2$ and since a norm is always positive:

$$||x||_{\infty}^{2} \le ||x||_{1}^{2}$$

$$x_{1}^{2} \le (|x_{1}| + |x_{2}|)^{2}$$

$$x_{1}^{2} \le x_{1}^{2} + x_{2}^{2} + 2|x_{1}x_{2}|$$

$$0 \le x_{2}^{2} + 2|x_{1}x_{2}|$$

Now considering the case where $x_2 \ge x_1$:

$$||x||_{\infty}^{2} \le ||x||_{1}^{2}$$

$$x_{2}^{2} \le (|x_{1}| + |x_{2}|)^{2}$$

$$x_{2}^{2} \le x_{1}^{2} + x_{2}^{2} + 2|x_{1}x_{2}|$$

$$0 \le x_{1}^{2} + 2|x_{1}x_{2}|$$

The above inequality is true. Now for the right hand side:

$$||x||_1 \le n||x||_{\infty}$$

Again. considering the case where $x_1 \ge x_2$ and since a norm is always positive:

$$||x||_1^2 \le 4||x||_{\infty}^2$$

$$(|x_1| + |x_2|)^2 \le 4x_1^2$$

$$x_1^2 + x_2^2 + 2|x_1x_2| \le x_1^2 + x_1^2 + 2x_1^2$$

$$x_2^2 + 2|x_1x_2| \le x_1^2 + 2x_1^2$$

The above inequality is true since $x \in \mathcal{X} \longrightarrow [0, \infty)$, thus $x_1^2 \ge x_2^2$ and $2x_1^2 \ge 2|x_1x_2|$. Now for the case where $x_2 \ge x_1$:

$$||x||_1^2 \le 4||x||_{\infty}^2$$

$$(|x_1| + |x_2|)^2 \le 4x_2^2$$

$$x_1^2 + x_2^2 + 2|x_1x_2| \le x_2^2 + x_2^2 + 2x_2^2$$

$$x_1^2 + 2|x_1x_2| \le x_2^2 + 2x_2^2$$

The above inequality is true since $x \in \mathcal{X} \longrightarrow [0, \infty)$, thus $x_2^2 \ge x_1^2$ and $2x_2^2 \ge 2|x_1x_2|$. The statement is proved true.

Problem 2

Part a

STATEMENT

$$\tilde{B}_{\frac{a}{K_2}}(x_0) \subset B_a(x_0) \subset \tilde{B}_{\frac{a}{K_1}}(x_0)$$

PROOF

We first prove the left hand side inclusion $\tilde{B}_{\frac{a}{K_2}}(x_0) \subset B_a(x_0)$ by showing that $x \in \tilde{B}_{\frac{a}{K_2}}(x_0) \Longrightarrow x \in B_a(x_0)$. Let us first define the definition of each open ball in the above equation:

$$B_a(x_0) := \{ x \in \mathcal{X} \mid ||x - x_0|| < a \}$$
$$\tilde{B}_{\frac{a}{K_2}}(x_0) := \{ x \in \mathcal{X} \mid |||x - x_0||| < \frac{a}{K_2} \}$$

Since ||.|| and |||.||| are equivalent norms and for $x \in \tilde{B}_{\frac{a}{K_2}}(x_0)$, we have:

$$\frac{1}{K_2}||x - x_0|| \le |||x - x_0|||$$
$$||x - x_0|| \le K_2|||x - x_0|||$$

Since $x \in \tilde{B}_{\frac{a}{K_2}}(x_0)$, then:

Thus we have:

$$||x - x_0|| \le K_2 |||x - x_0||| < a \implies ||x - x_0|| < a \implies x \in B_a(x_0)$$

Now proving the right hand side inclusion by showing that $x \in B_a(x_0) \implies x \in \tilde{B}_{\frac{a}{K_1}}(x_0)$, we have:

$$B_a(x_0) := \{ x \in \mathcal{X} \mid ||x - x_0|| < a \}$$
$$\tilde{B}_{\frac{a}{K_1}}(x_0) := \{ x \in \mathcal{X} \mid |||x - x_0||| < \frac{a}{K_1} \}$$

Since ||.|| and |||.||| are equivalent norms and for $x \in \tilde{B}_{\frac{a}{K_1}}(x_0)$, we have:

$$|K_1|||x - x_0||| \le ||x - x_0||$$

 $|||x - x_0||| \le \frac{1}{K_1}||x - x_0||$

Since $x \in B_a(x_0)$, then:

$$||x - x_0|| < a$$

$$\frac{1}{K_1}||x - x_0|| < \frac{a}{K_1}$$

Thus we have:

$$|||x - x_0||| \le \frac{1}{K_1} ||x - x_0|| < \frac{a}{K_1} \implies |||x - x_0||| < \frac{a}{K_1} \implies x \in \tilde{B}_{\frac{a}{K_1}}(x_0)$$

Now since we proved both inclusions, we can deduce that $x \in \tilde{B}_{\frac{a}{K_2}}(x_0) \implies x \in \tilde{B}_{\frac{a}{K_1}}(x_0)$ and we have proved the statement.

Part b

STATEMENT

$$P$$
 is open in $(\mathcal{X}, \mathbb{R}, ||.||) \iff P$ is open in $(\mathcal{X}, \mathbb{R}, |||.|||)$

PROOF

Starting by proving \implies :

$$P \text{ is open } \implies \forall x \in P, \exists \epsilon > 0 \text{ s.t. } B_{\epsilon}(x) \subset P$$

Define the open balls below:

$$B_{\epsilon_1}(x) := \{ y \in X \mid ||x - y|| < \epsilon_1 \}$$

$$\tilde{B}_{\epsilon_2}(x) := \{ y \in X \mid |||x - y||| < \epsilon_2 \}$$

Since ||.|| and |||.||| are equivalent norms, we have:

$$|K_1|||x-y||| \le ||x-y|| \le K_2|||x-y|||$$

Thus:

$$K_1|||x-y||| \le ||x-y|| < \epsilon_1 \implies K_1|||x-y||| < \epsilon_1 \implies |||x-y||| < \frac{\epsilon_1}{K_1}$$

Now defining $\epsilon_2 = \frac{\epsilon_1}{K_1}$, we get:

$$|||x - y||| < \epsilon_2$$

Thus:

$$\forall x \in P, \ y \in B_{\epsilon_1}(x) \implies y \in \tilde{B}_{\epsilon_2}(x)$$

Finally, we can write:

$$\forall x \in P, \ \exists \epsilon_2 > 0 \text{ s.t. } \tilde{B}_{\epsilon_2}(x) \subset P$$

Now proving \iff :

Since ||.|| and |||.||| are equivalent norms, we have:

$$\frac{1}{K_2}||x - y|| \le |||x - y||| \le \frac{1}{K_1}||x - y||$$

Thus:

$$\frac{1}{K_2}||x-y|| \le |||x-y||| < \epsilon_2 \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \frac{1}{K_2}||x-y|| < \epsilon_2 \quad \Longrightarrow \quad ||x-y|| < K_2\epsilon_2$$

Now defining $\epsilon_1 = K_2 \epsilon_2$, we get:

$$||x-y|| < \epsilon_1$$

Thus:

$$\forall x \in P, \ y \in \tilde{B}_{\epsilon_2}(x) \implies y \in B_{\epsilon_1}(x)$$

Finally, we can write:

$$\forall x \in P, \ \exists \epsilon_1 > 0 \text{ s.t. } B_{\epsilon_1}(x) \subset P$$

Part c

STATEMENT

$$(x_n)$$
 is Cauchy in $(\mathcal{X}, \mathbb{R}, ||.||) \iff (x_n)$ is Cauchy in $(\mathcal{X}, \mathbb{R}, |||.|||)$

PROOF

Starting by proving \implies :

 (x_n) is Cauchy in $(\mathcal{X}, \mathbb{R}, ||.||) \implies \forall \epsilon > 0 \ \exists N(\epsilon) < \infty \text{ s.t. } \forall n, m \geq N, \ ||x_n - x_m|| < \epsilon$ Since ||.|| and |||.||| are equivalent norms, we have:

$$|K_1|||x_n - x_m||| \le ||x_n - x_m|| \le |K_2||x_n - x_m|||$$

Thus:

$$|K_1|||x_n - x_m||| \le ||x_n - x_m|| < \epsilon \implies |K_1|||x_n - x_m||| < \epsilon \implies |||x_n - x_m||| < \frac{\epsilon}{K_1}$$

Now defining $\tilde{\epsilon} = \frac{\epsilon}{K_1}$, we get:

$$|||x_n - x_m||| < \tilde{\epsilon}$$

Thus:

$$\forall \tilde{\epsilon} > 0 \ \exists N(\tilde{\epsilon}) < \infty \ \text{s.t.} \ \forall n, m \geq N, \ |||x_n - x_m||| < \tilde{\epsilon}$$

Finally, we can write:

$$\forall \epsilon > 0 \ \exists N(\epsilon) < \infty \text{ s.t. } \forall n, m \geq N, \ ||x_n - x_m|| < \epsilon$$

$$\implies \forall \tilde{\epsilon} > 0 \ \exists N(\tilde{\epsilon}) < \infty \text{ s.t. } \forall n, m \geq N, \ |||x_n - x_m||| < \tilde{\epsilon}$$

Now proving \iff :

 (x_n) is Cauchy in $(\mathcal{X}, \mathbb{R}, |||.|||) \implies \forall \epsilon > 0 \ \exists N(\epsilon) < \infty \text{ s.t. } \forall n, m \geq N, \ |||x_n - x_m||| < \epsilon$ Since ||.|| and |||.||| are equivalent norms, we have:

$$\frac{1}{K_2}||x_n - x_m|| \le |||x_n - x_m||| \le \frac{1}{K_1}||x_n - x_m||$$

Thus:

$$\frac{1}{K_2}||x_n - x_m|| \le |||x_n - x_m||| < \epsilon \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \frac{1}{K_2}||x_n - x_m|| < \epsilon \quad \Longrightarrow \quad ||x_n - x_m|| < K_2\epsilon$$

Now defining $\tilde{\epsilon} = K_2 \epsilon$, we get:

$$||x_n - x_m|| < \tilde{\epsilon}$$

Thus:

$$\forall \tilde{\epsilon} > 0 \ \exists N(\tilde{\epsilon}) < \infty \text{ s.t. } \forall n, m \ge N, \ ||x_n - x_m|| < \tilde{\epsilon}$$

Finally, we can write:

$$\forall \epsilon > 0 \; \exists N(\epsilon) < \infty \text{ s.t. } \forall n, m \geq N, \; |||x_n - x_m||| < \epsilon$$

$$\implies \forall \tilde{\epsilon} > 0 \; \exists N(\tilde{\epsilon}) < \infty \text{ s.t. } \forall n, m \geq N, \; ||x_n - x_m|| < \tilde{\epsilon}$$

Thus, we have proved the statement.

STATEMENT

$$f: \mathbb{R} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}$$
 is continuous at x_0 and $\lim_{n \longrightarrow \infty} x_n = x_0 \iff \lim_{n \longrightarrow \infty} f(x_n) = f(x_0)$

PROOF

First, we prove \implies :

From the definition of a continuous function $f: \mathbb{R} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}$ at x_0 , we have:

$$\forall \epsilon > 0, \ \exists \delta(\epsilon, x_0) > 0 \text{ s.t. } ||x - x_0|| < \delta \implies ||f(x) - f(x_0)|| < \epsilon$$

From the definition of convergence, we have:

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} x_n = x_0 \implies \forall \delta > 0, \ \exists N(\delta) < \infty \text{ s.t. } \forall n \ge N, \ ||x_n - x_0|| < \delta$$

Thus, for $\delta > 0$ and $x = x_n$, $\exists \epsilon > 0$ and $N \ge 0$ s.t. $n \ge N \implies ||x_n - x_0|| < \delta \implies ||f(x_n) - f(x_0)|| < \epsilon$ and $\lim_{n \to \infty} f(x_n) = f(x_0)$.

Now using a proof by contrapositive for \Leftarrow :

From the definition of a discontinuous function $f: \mathbb{R} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}$ at x_0 , we have:

$$\exists \epsilon > 0, \ \forall \delta(\epsilon, x_0) > 0 \text{ s.t. } ||x - x_0|| < \delta \implies ||f(x) - f(x_0)|| \ge \epsilon$$

From the definition of divergence, we have:

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} x_n \neq x_0 \implies \exists \delta > 0, \ \forall N(\delta) < \infty \text{ s.t. } \exists n \geq N, \ ||x_n - x_0|| \geq \delta$$

For $\delta = \frac{1}{n}$, we have from the discontinuity property for $x = x_n$:

$$||x_n - x_0|| < \frac{1}{n}$$

Since a norm is always positive, we have:

$$0 \le ||x_n - x_0|| < \frac{1}{n}$$

And:

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} ||x_n - x_0|| = 0$$

However, from the discontinuity property for $x - x_n$:

$$||f(x_n) - f(x_0)|| \ge \epsilon$$

Thus, $f(x_n)$ does not converge to $f(x_0)$ but x_n converges to x_0 and the statement has been proved.

Given:

$$F(x_1, x_2) = F(x) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} x - xx^T \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

We can apply the Newton-Raphson algorithm to find x_0 such that $F(x_0) = 0$. the governing equation for this algorithm is:

$$x_{k+1} = x_k - \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial x}(x_k)\right)^{-1} (F(x_k) - y)$$

Where:

$$F(x) = \begin{bmatrix} F_1(x) \\ F_2(x) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 + x_1 + 2x_2 - x_1^2 - 2x_1x_2 \\ 4 + 3x_1 + 4x_2 - x_2x_1 - 2x_2^2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad y = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus, we can write $\frac{\partial F(x)}{\partial x}$ as:

$$\frac{\partial F(x)}{\partial x} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial F_1(x)}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial F_1(x)}{\partial x_2} \\ \frac{\partial F_2(x)}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial F_2(x)}{\partial x_2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 - 2x_1 - 2x_2 & 2 - 2x_1 \\ 3 - x_2 & 4 - x_1 - 4x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

We obtain the following solution using MATLAB with an initial condition of $x = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^T$:

$$x_0 = \begin{bmatrix} -1.4295 \\ -2.7774 \end{bmatrix}$$

We notice that when the initial condition $x \leq 0$, the Newton-Raphson alogirhtm always converges to the minima. However, for some initial conditions such as $x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}^T$ or $x = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 9 \end{bmatrix}^T$ or for large positive initial conditions, the Newton-Raphson algorithm diverges.

The MATLAB code used for this part is displayed below:

```
%% HW11 P4
   clear all
   close all
3
   clc
   %% Initialize
   x_0 = [-1;0];
   n = 100;
   x = zeros(2,n);
   x(:,1) = x_0;
   %% Newton Raphson
10
11
        [h,del_h] = hw11p4(x(:,i));
12
        x(:,i+1) = x(:,i) - inv(del_h)*h;
13
   end
14
15
   % x = [-1.4295; -2.7774] with initial condition [0;0]
   % x = [NaN; NaN]  with initial conditions [1; -1] [7; 9]
17
   % We notice that for negative initial conditions, it does not matter how
18
19
   \% far off it is, it will always converge to the minima
   %% Functions
   function [h,del_h] = hw11p4(x)
h = [3;4] - [1 2;3 4]*x-x*x'*[1;2];
   del_h = [1-2*x(1)-2*x(2) 2-2*x(1); 3-x(2) 4-x(1)-4*x(2)];
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Part a: TRUE

$$P(X \le 365) = 1 - e^{-0.001*365} = 0.3058 < 0.31$$

Part b: FALSE

$$E(\hat{x}) = E(Ky)$$

$$= E(KCx + K\epsilon)$$

$$= E(KCx) + E(K\epsilon) \quad \text{(since } x \text{ and } \epsilon \text{ are independent)}$$

$$= E(x) + KE(\epsilon)$$

$$= x + K\mu \neq x$$

Thus, $\hat{x} = Ky$ is an unbiased estimator if and only if $\mu = 0$.

Part c: TRUE

$$\operatorname{cov}(\begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \end{bmatrix}) = \begin{bmatrix} \operatorname{var}(X_1) & \operatorname{cov}(X_1, X_2) \\ \operatorname{cov}(X_2, X_1) & \operatorname{var}(X_2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma^2(X_1) & \sigma(X_1, X_2) \\ \sigma(X_2, X_1) & \sigma^2(X_2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus, $\sigma(X_1, X_2) = \sigma(X_2, X_1) = 0 \implies X_1$ and X_2 are independent.

Problem 6

Part a

To solve the following under determined problem with the ℓ -2 norm, we use the MATLAB command quadprog:

$$\hat{x} = \operatorname*{arg\,min}_{A_{eq}x = b_{eq}, A_{in}x \le b_{in}} ||x||_2$$

Where:

$$A_{eq} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad b_{eq} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_{in} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad b_{in} = \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

Rewriting the cost function, we get:

$$||x||_2 = (x^T x)^{\frac{1}{2}} = (\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

Minimizing the square root of a sum of squares in the same as minimizing the SOS. Thus, the new minimization problem can be written as:

$$\hat{x} = \underset{A_{in}x \le b_{in}}{\operatorname{arg\,min}} \quad \frac{1}{2} x^T H x + f^T x$$

Where:

$$H = 2I$$
 and $f = 0$

We get using MATLAB:

$$\hat{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.4 & 0.8 & 0.2 & -0.4 \end{bmatrix}^T$$

Part b

In this part, we use the MATLAB command quadprog to solve the following minimization problem:

$$\hat{x} = \underset{A_{in} x \le b_{in}}{\operatorname{arg \, min}} \quad (x - x_0)^T Q (x - x_0)$$

Where:

$$Q = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 6 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 8 \end{bmatrix}, \quad x_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}^T$$

$$A_{in} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad b_{in} = \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

Rewriting the cost function, we get:

$$(x-x_0)^T Q(x-x_0) = x^T Q x - 2x_0^T Q x + x_0^T Q x_0^T$$

The last element in the right hand side is considered a constant offset and thus can be ignored when trying to minimize the cost function. Thus, the new minimization problem can be written as:

$$\hat{x} = \underset{A_{in}x \le b_{in}}{\operatorname{arg\,min}} \quad \frac{1}{2}x^T H x + f^T x$$

Where:

$$H = 2Q \quad \text{and} \quad f = -2Q^T x_0$$

We get using MATLAB:

$$\hat{x} = \begin{bmatrix} -3.2957 & 0.4005 & 1.0860 & 2.0591 \end{bmatrix}^T$$

The MATLAB code used for this problem is displayed below:

```
%% HW11 P6
   clear all
3
   close all
   clc
   %% Initialize
   A_eq = ones(1,4);
   b_eq = 2;
   A_{in} = [1 2 3 4; 5 6 7 8];
   b_in = [9;10];
   Q = [2 \ 1 \ 0 \ 0; 1 \ 4 \ 1 \ 0; 0 \ 1 \ 6 \ 1; 0 \ 0 \ 1 \ 8];
   x_0 = [1;2;3;4];
   X_a = quadprog(2*eye(4), zeros(4,1), A_in, b_in, A_eq, b_eq);
13
   %% Part b
14
   X_b = quadprog(2*Q,(-2*x_0'*Q)',A_in,b_in,[],[]);
   %% Solution
   % X_asol = [1.4;0.8;0.2;-0.4];
17
   % X_b_{sol} = [-3.2957; 0.4005; 1.0860; 2.0591];
```

Part a

To solve the following over determined problem with the ℓ -1 norm, we use the MATLAB command linprog:

$$\hat{x} = \arg\min \quad ||Ax - b||_1$$

Where:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -3 & 7 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \quad b = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix}$$

This is equivalent to solving the following minimization problem:

min
$$f^T X$$

s.t. $A_{in} X \leq b_{in}$

Where:

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ s \end{bmatrix}, \quad A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}, \quad b \in \mathbb{R}^m, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n, \quad s \in \mathbb{R}^m$$
$$A_{in} := \begin{bmatrix} A & -I_{m \times m} \\ -A & -I_{m \times m} \end{bmatrix}, \quad b_{in} := \begin{bmatrix} b \\ -b \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad f := \begin{bmatrix} 0_{1 \times n} & 1_{1 \times m} \end{bmatrix}$$

Solving this minimization problem in MATLAB, we get:

$$\hat{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.7209 \\ 1.0233 \end{bmatrix}$$

Part b

Repeating the same procedure but now using the ℓ - ∞ norm, the minimization problem is equivalent to:

$$\min \quad f^T X$$
s.t. $A_{in}X \leq b_{in}$

Where:

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ s \end{bmatrix}, \quad A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}, \quad b \in \mathbb{R}^m, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n, \quad s \in \mathbb{R}$$
$$A_{in} := \begin{bmatrix} A & -1_{m \times 1} \\ -A & -1_{m \times 1} \end{bmatrix}, \quad b_{in} := \begin{bmatrix} b \\ -b \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad f := \begin{bmatrix} 0_{1 \times n} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solving this minimization problem in MATLAB, we get:

$$\hat{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.6949 \\ 0.9322 \end{bmatrix}$$

The MATLAB code used for this problem is displayed below:

```
1 %% HW11 P7
2 clear all
3 close all
   clc
4
   %% Initialize
6 \quad A = [1 \ 2; -3 \ 7; 4 \ 5];
7 \mid b = [3;2;12];
8 [m,n] = size(A);
9
   %% One Norm
    X\_one\_norm = linprog([zeros(1,n) ones(1,m)], [A -eye(m); -A -eye(m)], [b; -b]); \\
10
11 %% Inifinity Norm
12 X_inf_norm = linprog([zeros(1,n) 1],[A -ones(m,1); -A -ones(m,1)],[b;-b]);
13 %% Solution
14 | % X_one_norm_sol = [1.7209;1.0233];
15 | % X_inf_norm_sol = [1.6949;0.9322];
```