

ME 760 Homework 2

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1. For the array

$$C = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 6 & 2 \\ 6 & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

calculate:

(a) C^2

(b) $C^T C$

(c) CC^T

(a) Each element in the product can be expressed from equation 1 where i and j are the row and column indices respectively.

$$C_{i,j}^2 = \sum_{n=1}^3 C_{i,n} C_{n,j} \quad (1)$$

The subsequent calculations are seen below:

$$C_{1,1}^2 = 4 * 4 + 6 * 6 + 2 * 2 = 56$$

$$C_{1,2}^2 = 4 * 6 + 6 * 0 + 2 * 3 = 30$$

$$C_{1,3}^2 = 4 * 2 + 6 * 3 + 2 * -1 = 24$$

$$C_{2,1}^2 = 6 * 4 + 0 * 6 + 2 * 2 = 30$$

$$C_{2,2}^2 = 6 * 6 + 0 * 0 + 3 * 3 = 45$$

$$C_{2,3}^2 = 6 * 2 + 0 * 3 + 3 * -1 = 9$$

$$C_{3,1}^2 = 2 * 4 + 3 * 6 + -1 * 2 = 24$$

$$C_{3,2}^2 = 2 * 6 + 3 * 0 + -1 * 3 = 9$$

$$C_{3,3}^2 = 2 * 2 + 3 * 3 + -1 * -1 = 14$$

The resulting matrix therefore is:

$$C^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 56 & 30 & 24 \\ 30 & 45 & 9 \\ 24 & 9 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b) Calculation of the transpose, C^T of C is realized through equation 2.

$$C_{i,j}^T = C_{j,i} \quad (2)$$

Computation of C^T , results in $C^T = C$. Thus the calculation of CC^T is identical to that of (a). Thus the resulting matrix is:

$$C^T C = \begin{bmatrix} 56 & 30 & 24 \\ 30 & 45 & 9 \\ 24 & 9 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$$

(c) Similar to (b), the calculation of CC^T is identical to C^2 . Thus the resulting matrix is:

$$CC^T = \begin{bmatrix} 56 & 30 & 24 \\ 30 & 45 & 9 \\ 24 & 9 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$$

2. Solve $\mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{b}$ for the following set of linear equations:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 8 & 6 \\ -2 & 4 & -6 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ -6 \\ 40 \end{pmatrix}$$

(a) by Gauss Elimination

(b) by using Cramer's Rule

(c) by finding the inverse $\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{b}$

(a) The goal of Gaussian Elimination is to represent the system in reduced row echelon form (RREF), the following steps are used to reduce \mathbf{A} to RREF:

i. Divide row 2 by 8:

$$A = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & -1 & 9 \\ 0 & 1 & 0.75 & -0.75 \\ -2 & 4 & -6 & 40 \end{array} \right)$$

ii. Multiply row 1 by 2 and add to row 3:

$$A = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & -1 & 9 \\ 0 & 1 & 0.75 & -0.75 \\ 0 & 6 & -8 & 58 \end{array} \right)$$

iii. Multiple row 2 by 6 and subtract from row 3

$$A = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & -1 & 9 \\ 0 & 1 & 0.75 & -0.75 \\ 0 & 0 & -12.5 & 62.5 \end{array} \right)$$

iv. Divide row 3 by -12.5:

$$A = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & -1 & 9 \\ 0 & 1 & 0.75 & -0.75 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -5 \end{array} \right)$$

v. Multiply row 3 by 0.75 and subtract from row 2:

$$A = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & -1 & 9 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -5 \end{array} \right)$$

vi. Subtract row 2 and add row 3 to row 1:

$$A = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -5 \end{array} \right)$$

Thus leaving the solution vector to be:

$$\boxed{\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}}$$

- (b) Use of Cramer's Rule requires computation of the determinate of multiple matrices and division to compute the solution:

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\det(\mathbf{A})}{\det(\mathbf{A}_x)} \\ \frac{\det(\mathbf{A})}{\det(\mathbf{A}_y)} \\ \frac{\det(\mathbf{A})}{\det(\mathbf{A}_z)} \end{pmatrix} \quad (3)$$

Where \mathbf{A}_x , \mathbf{A}_y , and \mathbf{A}_z represent a combination of the \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{b} comprised by replacing the associated vector in \mathbf{A} with \mathbf{b} .

$$\mathbf{A}_x = \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 1 & -1 \\ -6 & 8 & 6 \\ 40 & 4 & -6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A}_y = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 9 & -1 \\ 0 & -6 & 6 \\ -2 & 40 & -6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A}_z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 9 \\ 0 & 8 & -6 \\ -2 & 4 & 40 \end{pmatrix}$$

With the determinate being found using equation 4.

$$\det(\mathbf{A}) = a_1 \begin{vmatrix} b_2 & b_3 \\ c_2 & c_3 \end{vmatrix} - a_2 \begin{vmatrix} b_1 & c_1 \\ b_1 & c_3 \end{vmatrix} + a_3 \begin{vmatrix} b_1 & b_2 \\ c_1 & c_2 \end{vmatrix} \quad (4)$$

Evaluation of the four determinates yields:

$$\det(\mathbf{A}) = -100$$

$$\det(\mathbf{A}_x) = -100$$

$$\det(\mathbf{A}_y) = -300$$

$$\det(\mathbf{A}_z) = 500$$

Substituting into equation 3 yields:

$$\boxed{\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}}$$

- (c) Finding the inverse is done by augmenting the identity matrix onto \mathbf{A} and reducing \mathbf{A} to the identity. The augmented matrix is:

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 8 & 6 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -2 & 4 & -6 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

The matrix inverse is found with the following steps:

i. Divide row 2 by 8

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0.75 & 0 & 0.125 & 0 \\ -2 & 4 & -6 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

ii. Add 2 times row 1 to row 3

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0.75 & 0 & 0.125 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 & -8 & 2 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

iii. Subtract 6 times row 2 from row 3, then divide by -12.5

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0.75 & 0 & 0.125 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -0.16 & 0.06 & -0.08 \end{array} \right)$$

iv. Subtract 0.75 times row 3 from row 2

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0.12 & 0.08 & 0.06 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -0.16 & 0.06 & -0.08 \end{array} \right)$$

v. Add row 3 and subtract row 2 from row 1

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0.72 & -0.02 & -0.14 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0.12 & 0.08 & 0.06 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -0.16 & 0.06 & -0.08 \end{array} \right)$$

Thus \mathbf{A}^{-1} is:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0.72 & -0.02 & -0.14 \\ 0.12 & 0.08 & 0.06 \\ -0.16 & 0.06 & -0.08 \end{pmatrix}$$

From this \mathbf{x} can be found by $\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{b}$:

$$\boxed{\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.72 & -0.02 & -0.14 \\ 0.12 & 0.08 & 0.06 \\ -0.16 & 0.06 & -0.08 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ -6 \\ 40 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}}$$

3. For each of the sets below determine if the set constitutes a vector space or not. Give a reason for your answer. If you conclude the set is a vector space, determine its dimension and provide a basis.

- (a) all vectors in R^3 satisfying $v_1 - 3v_2 + 2v_3 = 0$ where v_i are the components of a vector \mathbf{v}
- (b) all functions $y(x) = a \cos x + b \sin x$ with arbitrary real constants a and b
- (c) all skew-symmetric 2x2 matrices
- (d) all 2x2 matrices with $a_{11} + a_{22} = 0$
- (e) all $m \times m$ matrices with positive elements

A vector space is defined by the following parameters:

- $\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{y} + \mathbf{x}$
- $(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}) + \mathbf{z} = \mathbf{x} + (\mathbf{y} + \mathbf{z})$
- $\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{0} = \mathbf{0} + \mathbf{x}$
- $\mathbf{x} + (-\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{0}$
- $r(s\mathbf{x}) = (rs)\mathbf{x}$
- $(r + s)\mathbf{x} = r\mathbf{x} + s\mathbf{x}$
- $r(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}) = r\mathbf{x} + r\mathbf{y}$
- $1\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{x}$

- (a) This set constitutes a vector space as all eight constraints can be shown to be valid. This space has a dimension of 3 and a basis of:

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

- (b) Again, this is a vector space. With dimension of 1 and a basis of:

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \cos x \\ \sin x \end{Bmatrix}$$

- (c) Is a vector space with dimension of 2
- (d) Is a vector space with dimension of 2
- (e) A vector space is defined with dimension of m .

4. Find the spectra and eigenvectors for the two matrixes below. Show you work.

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 5 & 3 \\ 0 & 4 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} a & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & a & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & a \end{pmatrix}$$

The spectra of each matrix is defined as the set of its eigenvalues. Calculation of the eigenvalues is realized through the characteristic equation and found by equation 5.

$$|\mathbf{A} - \lambda \mathbf{I}| = 0 \quad (5)$$

Substituting values in and calculation of the determinate yields the following characteristic equations and spectra:

$$(3 - \lambda)(4 - \lambda)(1 - \lambda) = 0$$

with a spectra of:

$$\lambda(\mathbf{A}) = \{3 \quad 4 \quad 1\}$$

Finding the determinate and expanding the characteristic polynomial yields:

$$(a - \lambda)^3 - 2(a - \lambda) = 0$$

Factoring this yields the following solutions:

$$\lambda(\mathbf{A}) = \{a \quad a \pm \sqrt{2}\}$$

Eigenvector for each of the associated eigenvalues must satisfy:

$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{v} = \lambda\mathbf{v} \quad (6)$$

Rearrangement to solve for \mathbf{v} :

$$(\mathbf{A} - \lambda \mathbf{I}) \cdot \mathbf{v} = 0 \quad (7)$$

Each of the aforementioned eigenvalues are substituted into equation 7 and solve yields the non-unique eigenvectors:

(a) $\lambda = 1$

$$(\mathbf{A} - \lambda \mathbf{I}) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

As can be seen, \mathbf{v} is underdetermined, as such any value for v_3 can be used, 2 is chosen. Using this and substituting into the other equation yields:

$$\mathbf{v}(\lambda = 1) = \begin{Bmatrix} 7 \\ -4 \\ 2 \end{Bmatrix}$$

(b) $\lambda = 3$

$$(\mathbf{A} - \lambda \mathbf{I}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 5 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Again, the system is underdeterminate, thus $\mathbf{v}_1 =$ is chosen for simplicity, resulting in the following eigenvector

$$\mathbf{v}(\lambda = 3) = \begin{Bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix}$$

(c) $\lambda = 4$

$$(\mathbf{A} - \lambda \mathbf{I}) = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 5 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

It can clearly be seen this system is underdeterminate, as such $\mathbf{v}_2 = 1$ is chosen for simplicity. With the resulting eigenvector of:

$$\mathbf{v}(\lambda = 4) = \begin{Bmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix}$$

Similar to the previous problem, each eigenvalue is substituted in the associated eigenvector

(a) $\lambda = a$

$$(\mathbf{A} - \lambda \mathbf{I}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Choosing $\mathbf{v}_1 = 1$, the eigenvector becomes:

$$\mathbf{v}(\lambda = a) = \begin{Bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{Bmatrix}$$

(b) $\lambda = a \pm \sqrt{2}$

$$(\mathbf{A} - \lambda \mathbf{I}) = \begin{pmatrix} \pm\sqrt{2} & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & \pm\sqrt{2} & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & \pm\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

Simplification of both eigenvalue solutions yields a trivial eigenvector of:

$$\mathbf{v}(\lambda = a \pm \sqrt{2}) = \begin{Bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix}$$