
Midyear Exam - 24 octobre 2016

Exercise 1. Give a basis for null space and the column space of the following matrix

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 2 & -3 & -1 & 5 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Exercise 2. Find the eigenvalues of the following matrix

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Exercise 3.

1. Project \mathbf{b} onto the column space of \mathbf{A} by solving the system $\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A} \hat{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{b}$ and then by computing $\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{A} \hat{\mathbf{x}}$ with

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

2. Compute the corresponding projection matrix.
3. What conditions does this matrix have to check?

Exercise 4. We consider the following matrix

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

1. Using the Gram-Schmidt process, write the \mathbf{QR} factorization of the matrix \mathbf{A} .
2. Using this \mathbf{QR} decomposition, find \mathbf{x} such that

$$\mathbf{A} \mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$