

MS-E1651 - Numerical Matrix Computations

Exercise 4

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1. (P48)

Solution:

$$\|A\|_2 = \sigma_{\max}(A) \quad (1)$$

$$\|A\|_F = \sqrt{\sum_{i,j} |a_{ij}|^2} = \sqrt{\text{trace}(A^*A)} = \sqrt{\sum_i \sigma_i^2} \quad (2)$$

Since $\sigma_{\max}(A)$ is among the eigenvalues, we can conclude

$$\|A\|_2 \leq \|A\|_F$$

and if since all of eigenvalues are less than $\sigma_{\max}(A)$, we can conclude

$$\|A\|_F \leq \sqrt{n} \|A\|_2$$

2. (P49)

Solution:

(a) Let's write down the equation of each norm:

$$\|\delta A\|_F = \sqrt{\sum_{i,j} |\delta a_{ij}|^2} \leq \sqrt{\sum_{i,j} \epsilon_{ij}^2 |a_{ij}|^2} \leq \sqrt{\sum_{i,j} \epsilon^2 |a_{ij}|^2} = \epsilon \sqrt{\sum_{i,j} |a_{ij}|^2} = \epsilon \|A\|_F \quad (3)$$

(b) Let's write down the equation of each norm:

$$\|\delta A\|_1 = \max_j \sum_i |\delta a_{ij}| \leq \max_j \sum_i \epsilon_{ij} |a_{ij}| \leq \max_j \sum_i \epsilon |a_{ij}| = \epsilon \|A\|_1 \quad (4)$$

(c) Let's write down the equation of each norm:

$$\|\delta A\|_\infty = \max_i \sum_j |\delta a_{ij}| \leq \max_i \sum_j \epsilon_{ij} |a_{ij}| \leq \max_i \sum_j \epsilon |a_{ij}| = \epsilon \|A\|_\infty \quad (5)$$

3. (P53)

Solution:

(a) We want to compute the 2-norm of the vector **a21** and add 1 to it.

The vector **a21** is defined as:

$$\mathbf{a21} = \left[\sqrt{\pi+1}, \sqrt{\pi+2}, \dots, \sqrt{\pi+(n-1)} \right]^T$$

To calculate the 2-norm (Euclidean norm) of a vector, we square each element, sum the squares, and then take the square root of the sum:

$$\begin{aligned} \|\mathbf{a21}\|_2 &= \sqrt{\left(\sqrt{\pi+1}\right)^2 + \left(\sqrt{\pi+2}\right)^2 + \dots + \left(\sqrt{\pi+(n-1)}\right)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{(\pi+1) + (\pi+2) + \dots + (\pi+(n-1))} \end{aligned}$$

Simplifying the sum inside the square root, we get:

$$\|\mathbf{a}_{21}\|_2 = \sqrt{(n-1)\pi + 1 + 2 + \dots + (n-1)}$$

So, the sum simplifies to:

$$\|\mathbf{a}_{21}\|_2 = \sqrt{(n-1)\pi + \frac{n(n-1)}{2}}$$

Finally, we can compute a_{11} by adding 1 to this value:

$$a_{11} = \|\mathbf{a}_{21}\|_2 + 1 = \sqrt{(n-1)\pi + \frac{n(n-1)}{2}} + 1$$

4. (P54)

Solution:

(a) According to P53, we have

$$(a_{11} - a_{21}^T a_{21})x_1 = 1 \quad (6)$$

$$(a_{11} - (a_{11} - 1))x_1 = 1 \quad (7)$$

$$x_1 = 1 \quad (8)$$

and also for x_2 , we have

$$x_2 = -a_{21}x_1 \quad (9)$$

$$x_2 = -a_{21} \quad (10)$$

$$x_2 = \left[-\sqrt{\pi+1}, -\sqrt{\pi+2}, \dots, -\sqrt{\pi+(n-1)} \right]^T \quad (11)$$

5. (P55) **Solution:**

(a) Let $U \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$ be such that $U^T U = I$. Consider the mapping $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ such that

$$[y_i, y_j]^T = U[x_i, x_j]^T$$

and $y_k = x_k$ for $k \neq i, k \neq j$. That is, the matrix U operates on rows i and j of vector x , while all other rows are left untouched.

To prove that f is a linear mapping, we need to show that it satisfies the properties of additivity and homogeneity.

- **Additivity:**

We need to show that for any two vectors x and z , the mapping f applied to their sum equals the sum of the mappings of each vector:

$$f(x+z) = f(x) + f(z)$$

Let's calculate $f(x+z)$ and $f(x) + f(z)$ and check if they are equal.

For $f(x+z)$:

$$[y_i, y_j]^T = U[x_i + z_i, x_j + z_j]^T \quad (12)$$

$$= U[x_i, x_j]^T + U[z_i, z_j]^T \quad (13)$$

Moreover note that for all $t \neq i, j$, we have $f(x+z)_t = (x+z)_t = x_t + z_t$.

Now, for $f(x) + f(z)$:

$$[y_i, y_j]^T = U[x_i, x_j]^T + U[z_i, z_j]^T \quad (14)$$

Moreover note that for all $t \neq i, j$, we have $f(x)_t + f(z)_t = x_t + z_t$, and since $U[x_i, x_j]^T + U[z_i, z_j]^T = U[x_i + z_i, x_j + z_j]^T$, we have shown that f satisfies additivity.

- **Homogeneity:**

We need to show that for any scalar α and vector x , the mapping f applied to the scaled vector αx equals the scaled mapping of the vector:

$$f(\alpha x) = \alpha f(x)$$

Let's calculate $f(\alpha x)$ and $\alpha f(x)$ and check if they are equal.

For $f(\alpha x)$:

$$\begin{aligned} [y_i, y_j]^T &= U[\alpha x_i, \alpha x_j]^T \\ &= \alpha U[x_i, x_j]^T \end{aligned}$$

Moreover note that for all $t \neq i, j$, we have $f(\alpha x)_t = (\alpha x)_t = \alpha x_t$.

Now, for $\alpha f(x)$:

$$[y_i, y_j]^T = \alpha U[x_i, x_j]^T$$

Moreover note that for all $t \neq i, j$, we have $\alpha f(x)_t = \alpha x_t$, and since $\alpha U[x_i, x_j]^T = \alpha U[x_i, x_j]^T$, we have shown that f satisfies homogeneity.

Therefore, we have demonstrated that the mapping f is linear because it satisfies both additivity and homogeneity properties.

(b) The right side of the equation is given by:

$$x^T y = \sum_t x_t y_t$$

For the left side of the equation, we note that the elements of $f(x)$ and $f(y)$ are the same as x and y except in coordinates i and j . Therefore, we have:

$$\begin{aligned} f(x)^T f(y) &= \left(U[x_i, x_j]^T \right)^T \left(U[y_i, y_j]^T \right) + \sum_{t \neq i, j} x_t y_t \\ &= \left([x_i, x_j] U^T U [y_i, y_j]^T \right) + \sum_{t \neq i, j} x_t y_t \\ &= \left([x_i, x_j] I [y_i, y_j]^T \right) + \sum_{t \neq i, j} x_t y_t \\ &= x_i y_i + x_j y_j + \sum_{t \neq i, j} x_t y_t \\ &= \sum_t x_t y_t \end{aligned}$$

Hence, we have demonstrated that both sides of the equation are equal.

(c) Let's consider the mapping $f(x) = Gx$. Since it satisfies equation (1.95), we have:

$$\begin{aligned} f(x)^T f(y) &= x^T y \\ (Gx)^T Gy &= x^T G^T Gy = x^T y \end{aligned}$$

Now, let's consider $A = G^T G$, and we want to obtain A_{ij} for all $1 \leq i, j \leq n$. Since the above equation holds for all x and y , we can define x and y in such a way that the left side of the equation becomes equal to A_{ij} .

Define x as follows:

$$x_t = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } t = i \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Define y as follows:

$$y_t = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } t = j \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Now, $x^T A$ will only keep row i of A , and similarly, $x^T A y$ will only keep row i and column j .

Note that if $i \neq j$, the left side of the equation is equal to zero, and if $i = j$, the left side of the equation is equal to one.

Thus, we find that $A_{ii} = 1$ and $A_{ij} = 0$ for $i \neq j$. Therefore, we conclude that $A = G^T G = I$.

Hence, G is unitary.

6. (P56)

Solution:

(a) We know that

$$UA = \begin{bmatrix} r_1 & r_2 \\ 0 & r_3 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow A = U^T \begin{bmatrix} r_1 & r_2 \\ 0 & r_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now we need to find QR-decomposition of A .

Consider the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$.

Step 1: Initialize Q and R : Set Q as an empty matrix and R as a matrix of zeros.

Step 2: Orthogonalize the first column of the matrix: For the first column of A , $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$, normalize it to obtain the first column of Q :

$$v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$q_1 = \frac{v_1}{\|v_1\|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1^2 + 3^2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now, set the first column of Q to be q_1 and update R :

$$Q = [q_1], \quad R = [\langle v_1, q_1 \rangle]$$

Step 3: Orthogonalize the second column of the matrix: For the second column of A , $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$, subtract its projection onto q_1 from itself:

$$\begin{aligned} v_2 &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} - \left\langle \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}, q_1 \right\rangle q_1 \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{14}{\sqrt{10}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{14}{10} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \frac{14}{10} \\ \frac{42}{10} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 - \frac{14}{10} \\ 4 - \frac{42}{10} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-6}{10} \\ \frac{-2}{10} \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Now, normalize v_2 to obtain q_2 :

$$q_2 = \frac{v_2}{\|v_2\|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\left(\frac{-6}{10}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{-2}{10}\right)^2}} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-6}{10} \\ \frac{-2}{10} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{2}{5}}} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-6}{10} \\ \frac{-2}{10} \end{bmatrix}$$

Now, update Q :

$$Q = \begin{bmatrix} q_1 & q_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Moreover we define U , transpose of obtained Q .

(b) Since the second row remains unchanged after the multiplication, and only the first and third rows are affected, we can consider U as a similar linear map to the previous problem. Assuming that the matrix U can be represented as:

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & b \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ c & 0 & d \end{bmatrix}$$

To determine the values of a , b , c , and d , we can perform the following calculations:

$$c + 3d = 0 \quad (\text{from the original problem})$$

$$d = \frac{-c}{3}$$

On the other hand, since U is unitary, we have:

$$U^T U = U U^T = I$$

This implies:

$$a^2 + b^2 = 1$$

$$c^2 + d^2 = 1$$

$$a^2 + c^2 = 1$$

$$b^2 + d^2 = 1$$

So we have either $c = \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}$ or $c = \frac{-3}{\sqrt{10}}$. Assuming the first case, we find $d = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{10}}$. Then, by computation, we conclude that a is either $\frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}$ or $\frac{-1}{\sqrt{10}}$, and b is either $\frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}$ or $\frac{-3}{\sqrt{10}}$.

A possible matrix representation for U is:

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} & 0 & \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} & 0 & \frac{-1}{\sqrt{10}} \end{bmatrix}$$