

# UBC MATH 307

## LU Decompositions

### Construction

Use Gaussian elimination to produce an upper triangular matrix,  $U$ . The lower triangular matrix  $L$  records the inverse of the row reduction operations. No pivoting of rows allowed. If  $A$  can be reduced by Gaussian elimination to row echelon form only with operations without scaling rows and without interchanging rows, then  $A$  has an LU decomposition of the form:

$$A = LU$$

Where  $L$  records the coefficients  $c_{i,j}$  for each row reduction operation— add  $c_{i,j}$  times row  $j$  to row  $i$ :

$$L = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & & \\ -c_{2,1} & 1 & & & \\ -c_{3,1} & -c_{3,2} & 1 & & \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \\ -c_{m,1} & -c_{m,2} & \cdots & -c_{m,m-1} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

### Back Substitution

To solve  $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ , use the decomposition  $LU\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$

$$\text{Solve: } L\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{b}, \text{ then } U\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{y}$$

### Useful Properties of LU

$$\text{rank}(A) = \text{rank}(U)$$

$$\det(A) = \det(U) = \prod(\text{Diagonal entries } U)$$

$$N(A) = N(U)$$

$$R(A) = \text{span}\{\ell_1, \dots, \ell_r\} \text{ for } r = \text{rank}(A),$$

## Matrix Norms and Error Analysis

### Definitions

$$\|A\| = \max_{\|\mathbf{x}\|=1} \|A\mathbf{x}\| \quad \text{and} \quad \|A^{-1}\| = \frac{1}{\min_{\|\mathbf{x}\|=1} \|A\mathbf{x}\|}$$

Matrix norm generally has properties of vector norm.

$$\text{cond}(A) = \|A\| \|A^{-1}\|$$

### Finding Matrix Norm

Use the SVD decomposition of  $A$ , the singular values of the  $\Sigma$  matrix determine the norm:

$$\sigma_{\max} = \|A\| \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{1}{\sigma_{\min}} = \|A^{-1}\|$$

### Relative Error Formula

$$A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b} \implies \frac{\|\Delta\mathbf{x}\|}{\|\mathbf{x}\|} \leq \text{cond}(A) \frac{\|\Delta\mathbf{b}\|}{\|\mathbf{b}\|}$$

## Subspaces

### Definitions

$U \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  is a **subspace** if:

1.  $U$  contains the zero vector  $\mathbf{0}$
2.  $\mathbf{u}_1 + \mathbf{u}_2 \in U$  for all  $\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2 \in U$
3.  $c\mathbf{u} \in U$  for all  $c \in \mathbb{R}, \mathbf{u} \in U$

$\text{span}\{\mathbf{u}_1, \dots, \mathbf{u}_m\}$  = all possible linear combinations of vectors included in the brackets

**Basis**  $\{\mathbf{u}_1, \dots, \mathbf{u}_m\}$  forms basis of  $U$  if:

1.  $\{\mathbf{u}_1, \dots, \mathbf{u}_m\}$  is a linearly independent set
2.  $\text{span}\{\mathbf{u}_1, \dots, \mathbf{u}_m\} = U$

**Range** of  $A$  is  $R(A) = \text{span}\{\mathbf{a}_1, \dots, \mathbf{a}_n\}$  column vecs

### Rank-Nullity Theorem:

$$A(m \times n \text{ matrix}) \implies \text{rank}(A) + \dim(N(A)) = n$$

### Orthogonality of Fundamental Subspaces

$$R(A) = N(A^T)^\perp$$

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## Interpolation

### Polynomial Interpolation

$$y = p(t) = c_0 + c_1 t + \dots + c_d t^d$$

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & t_0 & \cdots & t_0^d \\ 1 & t_1 & \cdots & t_1^d \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & t_d & \cdots & t_d^d \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{Vandermonde Matrix}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} c_0 \\ c_1 \\ \vdots \\ c_d \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{Coefficients}} = \begin{bmatrix} y_0 \\ y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_d \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det(\text{Vandermonde}) = \prod_{0 \leq i < j \leq d} (t_j - t_i)$$

Determinant is the product of the difference of each unique pair of  $t$

### Cubic Spline Interpolation

For  $N + 1$  points  $p(t)$  is a piecewise cubic function:

$$p_k(t) = a_k(t - t_{k-1})^3 + b_k(t - t_{k-1})^2 + c_k(t - t_{k-1}) + d_k$$

1. **Interpolation at left endpoints:**

$p_k(t_{k-1}) = y_{k-1}$  for  $k = 1, \dots, N$  yields  $N$  equations.

2. **Interpolation at right endpoints:**

$p_k(t_k) = y_k$  for  $k = 1, \dots, N$  yields  $N$  equations.

3. **Continuity of  $p'(t)$ :**

$p'_k(t_k) = p'_{k+1}(t_k)$  for  $k = 1, \dots, N - 1$  yields  $N - 1$  eqns.

4. **Continuity of  $p''(t)$ :**

$p''_k(t_k) = p''_{k+1}(t_k)$  for  $k = 1, \dots, N - 1$  yields  $N - 1$  eqns.

## Fundamental Subspaces

Space	Method of Solving
$R(A)$	LU decomp to find $r = \text{rank}(A)$ , then pick the first $r$ columns of $L$
$N(A)$	LU decomp then solve $U\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$ using parameters $c_1, c_2, \dots, c_n$ for each free variable to get $\mathbf{x} = c_1\mathbf{v}_1 + c_2\mathbf{v}_2 + \dots + c_n\mathbf{v}_n$ and the vectors $\mathbf{v}$ are the basis of $N(A)$
$R(A^T)$	transpose then LU, or take the orthogonal complement of $N(A)$
$N(A^T)$	transpose then LU, or take the orthogonal complement of $R(A)$

## Orthogonality and Projections

### Orthogonal Complement

Vectors  $\mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_m \in \mathbb{R}^n$  are orthogonal if  $\langle \mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}_j \rangle = 0$  for all  $i \neq j$ , **orthonormal** if they are orthogonal and each is a unit vector,  $\|\mathbf{x}_k\| = 1, k = 1, \dots, m$ .

$$U^\perp = \{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n : \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = 0 \text{ for all } \mathbf{y} \in U\}$$

To find  $U^\perp$  place the basis vectors of  $U$  as the columns of matrix  $A$ , then:

$$U^\perp = \{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n : A^T \mathbf{x} = 0\} = N(A^T)$$

### Projections

$$\text{proj}_{\mathbf{u}}(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{u} \rangle}{\langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u} \rangle} \mathbf{u} \quad \text{proj}_{\mathbf{u}}(\mathbf{x}) = P\mathbf{x} \quad P = \frac{1}{\|\mathbf{u}\|^2} \mathbf{u}\mathbf{u}^T$$

Where  $P$  is a projection matrix with properties:

$$P^2 = P \quad P^T = P \quad \text{rank}(P) = 1$$

\*Any\* matrix with the first two properties is an **orthogonal projector**

### Gram-Schmidt Orthogonalization Algorithm

Take a basis of vectors for  $U$ :  $\{\mathbf{u}_1, \dots, \mathbf{u}_m\}$ , then:

$$\mathbf{v}_k = \mathbf{u}_k - \sum_{n=1}^{k-1} \text{proj}_{\mathbf{v}_n}(\mathbf{u}_k)$$

Applied sequentially from  $k = 1$  to  $k = m$  yields  $m$  orthogonal vectors forming a basis of  $U$ . Normalize all of the  $\mathbf{v}$  vectors to form orthonormal basis.

### Subspace Projections

$$\text{proj}_U(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{u}_1 \rangle}{\langle \mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_1 \rangle} \mathbf{u}_1 + \dots + \frac{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{u}_m \rangle}{\langle \mathbf{u}_m, \mathbf{u}_m \rangle} \mathbf{u}_m$$

For an orthonormal basis,  $\text{proj}_U(\mathbf{x}) = P_U = AA^T$ , where  $A$  has columns of  $\mathbf{u}$

$$P_U + P_{U^\perp} = I$$

The projection of  $\mathbf{x}$  onto a subspace  $U$  gives the closest vector to  $\mathbf{x}$  in  $U$

## QR and Orthogonal Matrices

### Orthogonal Matrices

A matrix  $A$  is **orthogonal** if  $A^T A = AA^T = I$ , then:

1.  $\|A\mathbf{x}\| = \|\mathbf{x}\|$  for all  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n$
2. the columns and rows of are orthonormal
3.  $A^T = A^{-1}$

### QR Definition and Construction

$A = QR$  where  $Q$  is an orthogonal matrix and  $R$  is an upper triangular matrix.  $Q$  by definition must be a square matrix, its columns include the orthonormal basis of  $R(A)$  via GS Algorithm for the first column entries,  $Q_1$ . The orthonormal basis of  $R(A)^\perp$  fills the remaining columns  $Q_2$ .

$$\underbrace{A}_{n \times m} = QR = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} Q_1 & Q_2 \end{bmatrix}}_{n \times n} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} R_1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{n \times m}$$

$$R_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \langle \mathbf{w}_1, \mathbf{a}_1 \rangle & \langle \mathbf{w}_1, \mathbf{a}_2 \rangle & \dots & \langle \mathbf{w}_1, \mathbf{a}_m \rangle \\ & \langle \mathbf{w}_2, \mathbf{a}_2 \rangle & \dots & \langle \mathbf{w}_2, \mathbf{a}_m \rangle \\ & & \ddots & \vdots \\ & & & \langle \mathbf{w}_m, \mathbf{a}_m \rangle \end{bmatrix}$$

The entire structure is simply a projection of the columns of  $A$  onto the orthonormal basis of  $A$ . The  $R$  vector contains the information to reverse the GS algorithm process used for  $Q$ :

$$\mathbf{a}_1 = \langle \mathbf{w}_1, \mathbf{a}_1 \rangle \mathbf{w}_1$$

$$\mathbf{a}_2 = \langle \mathbf{w}_1, \mathbf{a}_2 \rangle \mathbf{w}_1 + \langle \mathbf{w}_2, \mathbf{a}_2 \rangle \mathbf{w}_2$$

$$\vdots$$

$$\mathbf{a}_m = \langle \mathbf{w}_1, \mathbf{a}_m \rangle \mathbf{w}_1 + \langle \mathbf{w}_2, \mathbf{a}_m \rangle \mathbf{w}_2 + \dots + \langle \mathbf{w}_m, \mathbf{a}_m \rangle \mathbf{w}_m$$

As with any orthonormal basis:

$$\text{proj}_{R(A)}(\mathbf{x}) = Q_1 Q_1^T \mathbf{x}$$

## Least Squares Methods

### Definition

The least squares method approximates a linear system with no solution by finding the closest vector to  $\mathbf{b}$  in  $R(A)$ :  $A\mathbf{x} = \text{proj}_{R(A)} \mathbf{b}$

$$A\mathbf{x} \cong \mathbf{b}$$

We assume that  $A$  is a  $m \times n$  matrix where  $m > n$  and also  $\text{rank}(A) = n$

### Methods of Solving

$$A^T A \mathbf{x} = A^T \mathbf{b} \quad R_1 \mathbf{x} = Q_1^T \mathbf{b} \quad \mathbf{x} = A^+ \mathbf{b}$$

Note that the QR method is generally preferred as having a lower condition number involved and not being overly computationally expensive.

### Curve Fitting

For  $m$  data points  $(t_i, y_i)$  fitted to the linear combination of  $n$  functions  $f_k$ , the coefficients  $c_k$  can be found by applying least squares to  $A\mathbf{c} \cong \mathbf{y}$

$$\mathbf{y} = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_m \end{bmatrix} \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} f_1(t_1) & f_2(t_1) & \dots & f_n(t_1) \\ f_1(t_2) & f_2(t_2) & \dots & f_n(t_2) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ f_1(t_m) & f_2(t_m) & \dots & f_n(t_m) \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{c} = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \\ \vdots \\ c_n \end{bmatrix}$$

## PDP Decomposition and Power Method

### Definitions

$A$  ( $n \times n$ ) is diagonalizable if and only if  $A$  has  $n$  linearly independent eigenvectors,  $A = PDP^{-1}$ :

$$P = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}_1 & \cdots & \mathbf{v}_n \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{Eigenvectors}} \quad D = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{Eigenvalues}}$$

### Spectral Theorem

If  $A$  is a real symmetric matrix then the eigenvalues of  $A$  are real, the eigenvectors for distinct eigenvalues are orthogonal, and  $A$  has a

$$PDP^{-1}$$

where  $P$  is orthogonal:  $A = PDP^T$ . To make  $P$  orthogonal, make sure to normalize the eigenvectors to length 1.

### Power Method

A dominant eigenvalue is a unique eigenvalue that is the largest for a given matrix  $A$ .

$$\mathbf{x}_{k+1} = \frac{A\mathbf{x}_k}{\|A\mathbf{x}_k\|_\infty} \quad \|\mathbf{x}_k\|_\infty = \max\{\mathbf{x}_k\}$$

Check for convergence to  $A\mathbf{x}_k = \lambda\mathbf{x}_k$  with the Rayleigh quotient:

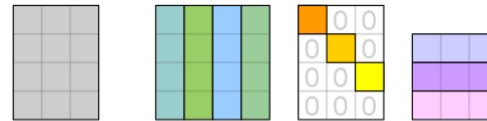
$$\lambda_k = \frac{\mathbf{x}_k^T A \mathbf{x}_k}{\mathbf{x}_k^T \mathbf{x}_k}$$

The smallest eigenvalue can be found by iterating the inverse matrix (use  $LU$  with back substitution for repeated inverse operations).

## SVD Decomposition

### Definitions

Any  $m \times n$  matrix  $A$  has a singular value decomposition  $A = P\Sigma Q^T$  where  $P$  and  $Q$  are orthogonal matrices and  $\Sigma$  is a diagonal matrix ordered high to low ( $\sigma_1 \geq \sigma_2 \geq \dots \geq \sigma_r$ ).



$$\begin{matrix} \mathbf{A} & = & \mathbf{P} & \mathbf{\Sigma} & \mathbf{Q}^T \\ m \times n & & m \times m & m \times n & n \times n \end{matrix}$$

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$$A = P\Sigma Q^T \quad \text{where} \quad \Sigma = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} \sigma_1 & & & & & \\ & \ddots & & & & \\ & & \sigma_r & & & \\ \hline & & & 0 & & \\ 0 & & & & 0 & \end{array} \right]_{m \times n}$$

### Construction

$\sigma$  are known as the singular values of  $A$ . We find them as the  $\sqrt{\lambda}$  of either  $AA^T$  or  $A^T A$ . The columns and rows of  $P$  and  $Q$  are corresponding *normalized* eigenvectors:

$$\begin{aligned} A^T A \mathbf{q}_i &= \sigma_i^2 \mathbf{q}_i & A A^T \mathbf{p}_i &= \sigma_i^2 \mathbf{p}_i \\ \mathbf{p}_i &= \frac{1}{\sigma_i} A \mathbf{q}_i & \mathbf{q}_i &= \frac{1}{\sigma_i} A^T \mathbf{p}_i \end{aligned}$$

Either  $P$  or  $Q$  may not have a full orthonormal basis defined based on the dimension and rank of  $A$ . In these cases simply extend the basis to a full one by finding the remaining orthogonal subspace and applying GS algorithm.

### Important Properties of SVD

$$\begin{aligned} \text{rank}(A) &= r \\ \|A\| &= \sigma_1 \\ \|A^{-1}\| &= 1/\sigma_r \\ \text{cond}(A) &= \sigma_1/\sigma_r \\ \text{null}(A) &= \text{span}\{\mathbf{q}_{r+1}, \dots, \mathbf{q}_n\} \\ \text{range}(A) &= \text{span}\{\mathbf{p}_1, \dots, \mathbf{p}_r\} \end{aligned}$$

## PCA and Applications of SVD

### Principle Component Analysis

Create a data matrix  $X$  composed of row vectors, the same shape as used for least squares fitting. Normalize data so the columns have a mean value of 0. Apply SVD decomposition to the data matrix, the principle weight vectors are the  $q$  vectors. We can project  $X$  onto its principle components to reduce the dimension of the data while keeping the most significant weight vectors of dimensioning.

### Pseudo Inverse

$$A^+ = Q\Sigma^+ P^T$$

$$\Sigma^+ = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} \sigma_1^{-1} & & & & & \\ & \ddots & & & & \\ & & \sigma_r^{-1} & & & \\ \hline & & & 0 & & \\ 0 & & & & 0 & \end{array} \right]_{n \times m}$$

### SVD Expansion

$$A = \sum_{i=1}^r \sigma_i \mathbf{p}_i \mathbf{q}_i^T = \sigma_1 \mathbf{p}_1 \mathbf{q}_1^T + \dots + \sigma_r \mathbf{p}_r \mathbf{q}_r^T$$

## Complex Linear Algebra

### Inner Product

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w} \rangle &= v_0 \overline{w_0} + v_1 \overline{w_1} + \dots + v_n \overline{w_n} \\ \langle c\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w} \rangle &= c \langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w} \rangle & \langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w} \rangle &= \overline{\langle \mathbf{w}, \mathbf{v} \rangle} \\ \langle \mathbf{v}, c\mathbf{w} \rangle &= \bar{c} \langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w} \rangle & \langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{v} \rangle &= \|\mathbf{v}\|^2 \end{aligned}$$

### Complex Analogs

$$\text{Hermitian: } A = \overline{A}^T$$

$$\text{Unitary: } A^{-1} = \overline{A}^T$$

If  $A$  is hermitian then diagonal entries of  $A$  are real

### Roots of Unity

The  $N$ th complex roots of 1:

$$\omega = e^{\frac{2\pi i k}{N}} \text{ for } 0 < k < N, k \in \mathbb{C}^N$$

## Discrete Fourier Transform

### Fourier Basis

The fourier basis of  $\mathbb{C}^N$  is an orthogonal basis defined as  $\mathbf{f}_0, \dots, \mathbf{f}_{N-1}$ :

$$\mathbf{f}_k = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \omega_N^k \\ \omega_N^{2k} \\ \vdots \\ \omega_N^{(N-1)k} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bar{\mathbf{f}}_k = \mathbf{f}_{N-k}$$

### Fourier Transform

DFT( $\mathbf{x}$ ) =  $F_N \mathbf{x}$  and  $F_N =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \bar{\mathbf{f}}_0^T \\ \bar{\mathbf{f}}_1^T \\ \vdots \\ \bar{\mathbf{f}}_{N-1}^T \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ 1 & \bar{\omega}_N & \bar{\omega}_N^2 & \dots & \bar{\omega}_N^{N-1} \\ 1 & \bar{\omega}_N^2 & \bar{\omega}_N^4 & \dots & \bar{\omega}_N^{2(N-1)} \\ 1 & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & \bar{\omega}_N^{N-1} & \bar{\omega}_N^{2(N-1)} & \dots & \bar{\omega}_N^{(N-1)^2} \end{bmatrix}$$

Note that  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}F_N$  is unitary

$$\mathbf{x} = \frac{1}{N} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{f}_0 & \dots & \mathbf{f}_{N-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \bar{\mathbf{f}}_0^T \\ \bar{\mathbf{f}}_1^T \\ \vdots \\ \bar{\mathbf{f}}_{N-1}^T \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}$$

Let  $\mathbf{y} = \text{DFT}(\mathbf{x})$  then:

$$\overline{\mathbf{y}[k]} = \mathbf{y}[N - k]$$

### Inverse Transform

$$\text{IDFT}(\mathbf{y}) = \frac{1}{N} \bar{F}_N^T \mathbf{y}$$

## DFT Analysis

### Sinusoids

For  $N$  number of samples over a time period of 1, we have:

$$\mathbf{n} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ \vdots \\ N-1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{t} = (1/N)\mathbf{n} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1/N \\ 2/N \\ \vdots \\ (N-1)/N \end{bmatrix}$$

A discrete sinusoid signal is  $\mathbf{x} = A \cos(2\pi k \mathbf{t} + \phi)$

The  $k$ th Fourier vector has the following sinusoidal properties:

$$\mathbf{f}_k = \cos(2\pi k \mathbf{t}) + i \sin(2\pi k \mathbf{t})$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{f}_k + \bar{\mathbf{f}}_k) = \cos(2\pi k \mathbf{t})$$

$$\frac{1}{2i} (\mathbf{f}_k - \bar{\mathbf{f}}_k) = \sin(2\pi k \mathbf{t})$$

For  $\mathbf{x} = A \cos(2\pi k \mathbf{t} + \phi)$ :

$$\text{DFT}(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{AN}{2} e^{i\phi} \mathbf{e}_k + \frac{AN}{2} e^{-i\phi} \mathbf{e}_{N-k}$$

### Stemplots