

# MATH426 HW4

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## 1 2.5.4

Multiplication of two matrices  $C = A, B$  is defined by

$$C_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n a_{ik} b_{kj}$$

which can be thought of as saying the element at position (i, j) in the matrix  $C = A, B$  is found by multiplying the  $i^{th}$  row of matrix A with the  $j^{th}$  column of matrix B. That is:  $C_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n a_{ik} b_{kj} = a_{i1}b_{1j} + a_{i2}b_{2j} + \dots a_{in}b_{nj}$ . This comprises n multiplications, thus the computation of  $C_{ij}$  takes  $O(n)$  flops. Now since there are  $n^2$  elements in the matrix  $C_{ij}$ , the computation of  $C = A, B$  takes  $n^2 * O(n) = O(n^3)$

## 2 2.6.1

The expression on the right hand side has no precedence, the expression is simply evaluated left to right. The mathematical notation of the expression  $x = U/L/b$  is equivalent to  $x = (U^{-1}L)^{-1}b = (L^{-1}(U^{-1})^{-1})b = L^{-1}Ub$

## 3 2.6.3.a

$$nT(q_k - q_{k-1}) + nT(q_k - q_{k+1}) = m_k g, k = 1, \dots, n-1$$

$$q_{k+1}(-nT) + q_k(nT + nT) + q_k(-nT) = m_k g \text{ (Equation 1)}$$

From equation 1, for  $k = 1$  we have:

$$q_2(-nT) + q_1(2nT) = m_1 g + 0 : [q_0 = 0] \text{ (Equation 2)}$$

From equation 1, for  $k = 2$  to  $n-2$  we have:

$$q_{k+1}(-nT) + q_k(2nT) + q_{k-1}(-nT) = m_k g \text{ (Equation 3)}$$

From equation 1, for  $k = n-1$  we have:

$$q_n(-nT) + q_{n-1}(2nT) + q_{n-2}(-nT) = m_{n-1}g$$

$$q_{n-1}(2nT) + q_{n-2}(-nT) = m_{n-1}g \text{ (Equation 4)}$$

From equations 1, 2, 3 and 4 we can form a matrix:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2nT & -nT & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ -nT & 2nT & -nT & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -nT & 2nT & -nT & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -nT & 2nT & -nT & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & -nT & 2nT \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} q_1 \\ q_2 \\ q_3 \\ q_4 \\ q_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} m_1g \\ m_2g \\ m_3g \\ m_4g \\ m_{n-1}g \end{bmatrix}$$

2.6.3.b/c are in MatLab

## 4 2.7.5

The norm of the induced matrix  $\|A\|$  is based on any vector norm  $\|x\|$  i.e  $\|A\| = \sup(\|x\| = 1) \|Ax\| = \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|}$

Now we have to show that  $\|cA\| = |C| \cdot \|A\|$  when C is a scalar. From the above,

$$\begin{aligned} \|CA\| &= \sup(\|x\| = 1) \|CAx\| = \\ \|CA\| &= \sup(\|x\| = 1) |C| \cdot \|Ax\| = \\ \|CA\| &= |C| \sup(\|x\| = 1) \|Ax\| = \\ &= |C| \cdot \|A\| \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $\|CA\| = |C| \cdot \|A\|$

## 5 2.7.12

a)

To show that I-A is non singular, we will assume I-A is singular.  
Then  $\det(I-A)=0$ . The rank of I-A is less than n, so the nullity of I-A is greater than 0, i.e the null space is non-trivial. So there exists a non-zero  $x_0$  such that  $(I-A)x_0 = 0$  which implies  $Ix_0 = Ax_0$ , which implies  $Ax_0 = x_0$ .

Using the definition of an induced matrix and plugging in these values we find that:

$$1 \leq \|A\| \text{ which contradicts the given fact that } \|A\| < 1$$

Thus our assumption that  $I-A$  is singular is incorrect, thus they must be non-singular.

b)

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \|A^m - 0\| &= \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \|A^m\| \\ &= \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \|A^{m-1} * A\| \\ &\leq \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \|A^{m-1}\| * \|A\| \\ &\leq \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \|A\|^m \\ &= 0 \text{ Since } \|A\| < 1\end{aligned}$$

c)

$$\sum_{k=0}^m (A^k)(I - A) = I - A^{m+1}$$

Taking the limit of both sides:

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=0}^m (A^k)(I - A) = I - \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} A^{m+1}$$

Multiply both sides by  $(I - A)^{-1}$  and we get:

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (A^k) = (I - A)^{-1}$$

$$\|AB\| = \sup \frac{\|ABx\|_x}{\|x\|_x}$$

$$\|ABx\|_x = \|A(BX)\|_x$$

$$\leq \|A\| * \|BX\|_x$$

$$\leq \|A\| * \|B\| * \|X\|_x$$

$$\text{So } \frac{\|ABx\|_x}{\|x\|_x} \leq \|A\| * \|B\|$$

$$\text{i.e } \|AB\| \leq \|A\| * \|B\|$$

## 6 2.8.1

Code is in MatLab file.

The growth of  $k$  appears to considerably slow down at  $n = 13$  because Hilbert matrices are very poorly conditioned. At  $n = 13$ , the condition number becomes so large ( $6.88\text{e}+17$ ) that we are potentially losing 17 digits of data. As  $k$  approaches  $\frac{1}{\text{eps}}$  MatLab will notice the large condition number and warn us to not expect much from the result. In fact the error could potentially exceed 100%.