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Lecture 2

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Linear Independence and Rank of a Matrix

Linear Independence

- Two vectors x_1, x_2 are linearly independent, if $ax_1 + bx_2 = 0$
 - a, b are real numbers
 - Vectors $x_1, x_2, x_3 \dots x_n$ are linearly independent if $\sum a_i x_i = 0$ implies $a_i = 0$
 - There are no non-trivial linear combinations which equals to 0

Linear Independence: Example

- Are the vectors $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 6 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ linearly independent?
- Independence if $a_1 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + a_2 \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 6 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} + a_3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$
- If it has **only a trivial solution** $a_1 = a_2 = a_3 = 0$

Rank of a matrix

- For a $(m \times n)$ matrix X ,
 - $(x_1, x_2, x_3 \dots x_n)$ – column vectors of length ‘m’
 - Similarly, it has ‘m’ row vectors with length ‘n’
- For a $(m \times n)$ matrix X ,
 - Rank of a matrix can be defined as maximum number of linearly independent rows (or) maximum number of linearly independent columns, **whichever is lower**
- Rank of the matrix X if $m < n$ is **$\rho(X) \leq m$**

Example 1: Rank of a matrix

- Find the Rank of the following matrix:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Example 1: Rank of a matrix (1/2)

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Rank of this matrix (2 x 3), $\rho(X) \leq 2$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 [1 \quad 3 \quad 5] + a_2 [2 \quad 4 \quad 6] = 0 \quad (\text{Check for row vectors' independence})$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 + 2a_2 = 0 - \text{eq}(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3a_1 + 4a_2 = 0 - \text{eq}(2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 5a_1 + 6a_2 = 0 - \text{eq}(3)$$

Example 1: Rank of a matrix (2/2)

$\Rightarrow \text{eq}(2) - 3 \text{ eq}(1) \text{ gives } a_2 = 0$

$\Rightarrow \text{Substituting } a_2 = 0 \text{ in eq}(1) \text{ gives } a_1 = 0$

$\Rightarrow \text{Hence, the row vectors are linearly independent.}$

$\Rightarrow \rho(X) = 2$

Example 2: Rank of a matrix

- Find the Rank of the following matrix:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 6 \\ 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

Example 2: Rank of a matrix (1/2)

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 6 \\ 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

Rank of this matrix (2 x 2), $\rho(X) \leq 2$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 6 \end{bmatrix} + a_2 \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \quad (\text{Check for row vectors' independence})$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a_1 + 6a_2 = 0 - \text{eq}(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 6a_1 + 9a_2 = 0 - \text{eq}(2)$$

Example 2: Rank of a matrix (2/2)

\Rightarrow Solving eq(1), eq(2) gives

$\Rightarrow a_1 = -3, a_2 = 2$ (Not a trivial solution)

\Rightarrow Hence, the vectors are **linearly dependent**

$\Rightarrow \rho(X) = 1$

Example 3: Rank of a matrix

- Find the Rank of the following matrix:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 2 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 & -1 \\ 5 & 7 & 9 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Example 3: Rank of a matrix (1/2)

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 2 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 & -1 \\ 5 & 7 & 9 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Rank of this matrix (3 x 4), $\rho(X) \leq 3$

$$\Rightarrow \text{But, } [1 \quad 2 \quad 3 \quad 2] + [4 \quad 5 \quad 6 \quad -1] = [5 \quad 7 \quad 9 \quad 1]$$

\Rightarrow These rows are linearly dependant

Example 3: Rank of a matrix (1/2)

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 2 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 & -1 \\ 5 & 7 & 9 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

⇒ Also, R1 and R2 are independent, i.e. cannot be expressed as a real multiple of one another

⇒ Hence, $\rho(X) = 2$

Can you find the Rank of X^T (Transpose of X)?

Example 4: Rank of a matrix

- Find the Rank of the following matrix:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 6 \\ 2 & 6 & 8 \\ 7 & 1 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

Example 4: Rank of a matrix (1/2)

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 6 \\ 2 & 6 & 8 \\ 7 & 1 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

Rank of this matrix (3 x 3), $\rho(X) \leq 3$ &

$\rho(X) \geq 2$ (Column1 & Column2 are independent)

$$\Rightarrow a_1 [1 \quad 5 \quad 6] + a_2 [2 \quad 6 \quad 8] + a_3 [7 \quad 1 \quad 8] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 + 5a_2 + 6a_3 = 0 - \text{eq(1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a_1 + 6a_2 + 8a_3 = 0 - \text{eq(2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow 7a_1 + 1a_2 + 8a_3 = 0 - \text{eq(3)}$$

Example 4: Rank of a matrix (1/2)

\Rightarrow Using $a_1 = -5a_2 - 6a_3$ in eq(2) and eq(3)

$$\Rightarrow a_2 + a_3 = 0$$

$\Rightarrow (a_1, a_2, a_3) = (1, 1, -1)$ (a non-trivial solution)

\Rightarrow Hence, $\rho(X) = 2$

Full Rank

- A (m x n) Matrix X is said to be of **full rank** if
 - $\rho(X) = \min(m, n)$

$X = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 6 & 10 \\ 4 & 8 & 12 \end{bmatrix}$ is a 2x3 matrix and $\rho(X) = 2$

- X is a matrix of Full Rank

Rank of a Diagonal Matrix

- Rank of a diagonal Matrix D
 - Is equal to Number of **non-zero diagonal elements** in D. How?

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 8 \end{bmatrix}; Y = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 7 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ (Special case of Diagonal matrix – Identity Matrix)}$$

Find Ranks of X, Y and I?

Rank of a Square Matrix

- In the case of **square $n \times n$** Matrix Y is said to be full rank if
 - $\det(Y) \neq 0$, i.e. $\rho(Y) = n$
 - Why?

$$N = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 6 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} ; M = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

Rank of a Square Matrix

- $N = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 6 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$; $M = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$
- $\text{Det}(N) = ad - bc = 2*3 - 1*6 = 0$
- $\text{Det}(M) = ad - bc = 2*5 - 1*3 = 7 \neq 0$
- M is a matrix of Full Rank 2

Rank Inequalities: Sum

- $\rho(X + Y) \leq \rho(X) + \rho(Y)$
 - Consider $\rho(X) = r, \rho(Y) = s$
 - X can be expressed as $\sum^r a_i x_i = 0$, x_i – independent columns of X
 - Y can be expressed as $\sum^s b_i y_i = 0$, y_i – independent columns of Y
 - $(X + Y)$ can be written as linear combination of $(r + s)$ vectors x_i & y_i
 - Hence, $\rho(X + Y) \leq \rho(X) + \rho(Y)$

Rank Inequalities : Difference

- Similarly, for $\rho(X - Y)$

- $\rho(X + (-Y))$

- But $\rho(Y) = \rho(-Y)$

$$\Rightarrow \rho(X + (-Y)) \leq \rho(X) + \rho(-Y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho(X + (-Y)) \leq \rho(X) + \rho(Y)$$

Rank Inequalities : Example(1/2)

- $N = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 6 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$; $M = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

- $\rho(N) = 1, \rho(M) = 2$

- $M + N = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 9 \\ 2 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$

Rank Inequalities : Example(2/2)

- $M + N = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 9 \\ 2 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$
- $\rho(M+N) = 2$, as $\text{Det}(M+N) = 4*8 - 2*9 = 14 \neq 0$
- $\rho(M) + \rho(N) = 2 + 1 \leq 2$ i.e. $\rho(M + N)$

Rank Inequalities: Rank Products

- $\rho(XY) \leq \min(\rho(X), \rho(Y))$ and if $\rho(Y) = r$
- Y can be expressed as $\sum^r b_i y_i = 0$, y_i – independent columns of Y
- Let $Z = XY$
- Column $Z_j = Xy_i$

Rank Inequalities: Rank Products(..cont)

- This implies, Z_j can be written as linear combination of $z_1, z_2 \dots z_r$
- $\rho(Z) \leq r = \rho(Y)$
- Similarly, it can be proved that $\rho(X) \leq \rho(Z)$
- Hence, $\rho(XY = Z) \leq \min(\rho(X), \rho(Y))$

Rank Inequalities : Example(1/2)

- $N = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$; $M = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

- $\rho(N) = 2, \rho(M) = 1$

- $N * M = \begin{bmatrix} 19 & 19 \\ 18 & 18 \end{bmatrix}$

Rank Inequalities : Example(2/2)

- Rank of $N * M = \begin{bmatrix} 19 & 19 \\ 18 & 18 \end{bmatrix}$ is 1
- $\rho(NM) \leq \min(\rho(N), \rho(M))$
- $1 \leq \min(2, 1) = 1$

Rank Inequalities

Product with orthogonal matrix:

- If C is an orthogonal matrix then $\rho(AC) = \rho(A)$ because
 - $\rho(A) = \rho(ACC^T) \leq \rho(AC) \leq \rho(A)$

Submatrices:

- If A_{ij} is a submatrix of A , then $\rho(A_{ij}) \leq \rho(A)$

Rank in Statistics

- Rank can be used as a crucial tool in Statistics in the form of analysis
 - In Simple linear Models, $y = X\beta + \varepsilon$
 - In Multivariate analysis, as few statistical techniques depend on the X having a full Rank
 - More details will be on these will be covered as we move along in the course

R Exercise

Summary

Determinant

Determinant of a Matrix

- For every $(n \times n)$ Matrix $A = (a_{ij})$, $\det(A)$ can be calculated using a_{ij}
- It is denoted as $\det(A)$ or $|A|$

Determinant of a matrix – Why?

- To calculate the inverse of a square matrix
- To calculate the eigenanalyses of a matrix
- In multivariate analysis for transformations

Determinant of a matrix – How?

- In a (2 x 2) matrix, for $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix}$
- $\det(A) = a_{11} * a_{22} - a_{12} * a_{21}$

Determinant of a matrix – Example

- Find the determinant of the following matrices

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 1 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 4 \\ 9 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Determinant of a matrix – Example

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 1 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

- $\det(A) = 2*(-3) - 1*4 = -10$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 4 \\ 9 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

- $\det(B) = 6*6 - 4*9 = 0$

Determinant of a matrix – How?

- In a (3 x 3) matrix, for $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$

- $\det(A) = a_{11} * \begin{vmatrix} a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} - a_{12} * \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} + a_{13} * \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix}$

Determinant of a matrix – Example

- Find the determinant of the following matrices

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 3 & -3 \\ 4 & 6 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

Determinant of a matrix – Example

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 3 & -3 \\ 4 & 6 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det(A) = 2 \cdot \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -3 \\ 6 & 7 \end{vmatrix} - 2 \cdot \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 4 & 7 \end{vmatrix} + 4 \cdot \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 4 & 6 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2 \cdot (3 \cdot 7 - (-3) \cdot 6) - 2 \cdot (1 \cdot 7 - (-3) \cdot 4) + 4 \cdot (1 \cdot 6 - 3 \cdot 4)$$

$$= 2 \cdot (39) - 2 \cdot (19) + 4 \cdot (-6)$$

$$= 78 - 38 - 24$$

$$= 16$$

Co-factors in matrix

- Cofactor is a number that you get by eliminating the row and column of a element and finding the determinant of the rest.
- Cofactor is always preceded by a '+' or '-' depending on the position of the element

Co-factors in matrix

- In a $(m \times n)$ matrix A , the co-factor of the element a_{ij}

$$c_{ij} = (-1)^{i+j} * \det(M_{ij})$$

- M_{ij} is the $(m - 1 \times n - 1)$ matrix formed from the rest of the elements after removing the Row 'i', Column 'j'
- M_{ij} is called **Minor** of the element ' a_{ij} '

Co-factor in matrix - Example

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & -2 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Cofactor of } a_{32} = c_{32} &= (-1)^{3+2} * \det(M_{11}) = (-1)^5 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 4 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= -1 * (8 - 0) \\ &= -8 \end{aligned}$$

Adjoint or Adjugate matrix

- Adjoint matrix A is a square matrix formed by the **transpose** of a co-factor matrix of A
- It is denoted as **$\text{Adj } A$**

Adjoint matrix - Example

Find the adjoint of the matrix A.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -2 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Adjoint matrix - Example

Calculating co-factors of A

$$\text{Co-factor of } a_{11} = (-1)^2 \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 2$$

$$\text{Cofactor of } a_{12} = (-1)^3 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 2$$

$$\text{Cofactor of } a_{13} = (-1)^4 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 6$$

Adjoint matrix - Example

Calculating co-factors of A

$$\text{Co-factor of } a_{21} = (-1)^3 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -1$$

$$\text{Cofactor of } a_{22} = (-1)^4 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -2$$

$$\text{Cofactor of } a_{23} = (-1)^5 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = -5$$

Adjoint matrix - Example

Calculating co-factors of A

$$\text{Co-factor of } a_{31} = (-1)^4 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = -2$$

$$\text{Cofactor of } a_{32} = (-1)^5 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = -2$$

$$\text{Cofactor of } a_{33} = (-1)^6 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = -8$$

Adjoint matrix - Example

Cofactor matrix of A, $C_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 6 \\ -1 & -2 & -5 \\ -2 & -2 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$

Adjoint of the matrix A, $\text{Adj } A = (C_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & -2 \\ 2 & -2 & -2 \\ 6 & -5 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$

Determinant of a (n x n) matrix

- Co-factors can be used to find the determinants of a (n x n) matrix
- In a (n x n) matrix, for A, for $1 \leq i \leq n$
- $\det(A) = \sum_{j=1}^n (a_{ij} * c_{ij}) = a_{i1} * c_{i1} + a_{i2} * c_{i2} + \dots + a_{in} * c_{in}$

Properties of Determinants

- In a 2 x 2 matrix, $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix}$
 - If (a_{11}, a_{21}) and (a_{12}, a_{22}) are co-ordinates of point in a plane, $\det(A)$ is the area of the parallelogram by $(a_{11}, a_{21})'$ and $(a_{12}, a_{22})'$
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- Similarly, what will \det of the 3 x 3 matrix will represent?
 - Volume of the parallelepiped formed by the '3' columns of A

Properties of Determinants: Row & Column Operations

- If we multiply a row or a column with a scalar ' λ ', the determinant is also multiplied by λ

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 1 & -3 \end{bmatrix}, \det(A) = -6 - (4) = -10$$

Properties of Determinants: Row & Column Operations

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 1 & -3 \end{bmatrix}, \det(A) = -6 - (4) = -10$$

C1 is multiplied by scalar '2' to form matrix B

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 4 \\ 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}, \det(B) = -12 - 8 = -20 = \mathbf{2*(-10)}$$

Properties of Determinants

- $\det(A) = \det(A^T)$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 3 & -4 \end{bmatrix}, \det(A) = -20 - (6) = -26$$

$$A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 \\ 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix}, \det(A^T) = -20 - (6) = -26$$

Properties of Determinants

- If we multiply a $n \times n$ matrix A with scalar ' λ ', the determinant of the new matrix is $\lambda^n * \det(A)$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}, \det(A) = 12 - 10 = 2$$

$$3*A = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 15 \\ 6 & 12 \end{bmatrix}, \det(A^T) = 108 - 90 = 18 = 3^2 * 2 = 3^2 * \det(A)$$

Properties of Determinants

- If a complete row or column has zero as elements in matrix A,
 $\det(A) = 0$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 5 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}, \det(A) = 0 - 0 = 0$$

Properties of Determinants

- If A has two identical rows or columns, then $\det(A) = 0$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 3 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \det(A) = 6 - 6 = 0$$

Properties of Determinants

- If A is $n \times n$ matrix and $\rho(A) < n$, then $\det(A) = 0$
- Why?

Properties of Determinants

- If A is $n \times n$ matrix and $\rho(A) < n$, then $\det(A) = 0$
- Why?
- A column or row can be written as a linear combination of another column or row

Properties of Determinants

- A column or row can be written as a linear combination of another column or row

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix}, \det(A) = 12 - 12 = 0$$

Properties of Determinants

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Rank of this matrix (2 x 2), $\rho(X) \leq 2$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} + a_2 \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \quad (\text{Check for row vectors' independence})$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a_1 + 3a_2 = 0 - \text{eq}(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a_1 + 6a_2 = 0 - \text{eq}(2)$$

Properties of Determinants

\Rightarrow Solving eq(1), eq(2) gives

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\Rightarrow Hence, the vectors are **linearly dependent**

$\Rightarrow \rho(X) = 1$

Properties of Determinants

- Determinant of the diagonal matrix D with $d_1, d_2, d_3 \dots d_n$
- $\det(D) = d_1 * d_2 * d_3 \dots * d_n$

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} d_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & d_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & d_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det(D) = d_1 * d_2 * d_3$$

Properties of Determinants

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$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \det(A) &= 2 * \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 7 \end{vmatrix} - 0 * \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 7 \end{vmatrix} + 0 * \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= 2 * (3 * 7 - 0 * 0) - 0 * (0 * 7 - 0 * 0) + 0 * (0 * 0 - 3 * 0) \\ &= 2 * 3 * 7 = 42 \end{aligned}$$

Properties of Determinants

- Determinant of the triangular matrix T (upper or lower) with $t_1, t_2, t_3 \dots t_n$ as the diagonal elements

- $\det(T) = t_1 * t_2 * t_3 \dots * t_n$

- $T = \begin{bmatrix} t_1 & a & b \\ 0 & t_2 & c \\ 0 & 0 & t_3 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\det(T) = t_1 * t_2 * t_3$$

Properties of Determinants

- Determinant of the triangular matrix T with $t_1, t_2, t_3 \dots t_n$ are the diagonal elements

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 3 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \det(A) &= 2 * \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 0 & 7 \end{vmatrix} - 3 * \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 5 \\ 0 & 7 \end{vmatrix} + 4 * \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= 2 * (3 * 7 - 5 * 0) - 3 * (0 * 7 - 0 * 5) + 4 * (0 * 0 - 3 * 0) \\ &= 2 * 3 * 7 = 42 \end{aligned}$$

Orthogonal Matrix

- A $n \times n$ matrix A is said to be orthogonal if
 - $AA^T = I_n$
- Since we already know that $\det(A) = \det(A^T)$ and $\det(I_n) = 1$
- $\det(A) = +1$ or -1

Orthogonal Matrix

- $\det(A) = +1$ or -1
- If $\det(A) = 1$, it is called a Rotation matrix
- If $\det(A) = -1$, it is called a Reflection matrix

Block Matrix or Partitioned Matrix

- A block matrix is a matrix that is interpreted as having been broken into sections – Blocks or Submatrices
- It can be visualised as a matrix broken into a collection of Smaller Matrices

Block Matrix - Example

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 & 5 \\ 8 & 1 & 3 & 4 \\ 4 & 6 & 5 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

- It can be broken into four (2 x 2) matrices

Block Matrix - Example

$$P_{11} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad P_{12} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P_{21} = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 1 \\ 4 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \quad P_{22} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} P_{11} & P_{12} \\ P_{21} & P_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

R Exercise

Summary