

# Math Bootcamp AMPBA

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 ( $2 \times 3$ ),  $\rho(X) \leq 2$

$\Rightarrow a_1 [1 \ 3 \ 5] + a_2 [2 \ 4 \ 6] = 0$  (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)

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

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

$\Rightarrow$  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 ( $2 \times 2$ ),  $\rho(X) \leq 2$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 [4 \quad 6] + a_2 [6 \quad 9] = 0 \quad (\text{Check for row vectors' independence})$$

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

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

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

- ⇒ Solving eq(1), eq(2) gives
- ⇒  $a_1 = -3, a_2 = 2$  ( Not a trivial solution)
- ⇒ Hence, the vectors are **linearly dependent**
- ⇒  $\rho(X) = 1$

## 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 ( $3 \times 4$ ),  $\rho(X) \leq 3$

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

$\Rightarrow$  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,  $p(X) = 2$

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 ( $3 \times 3$ ),  $\rho(X) \leq 3$  &

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

⇒  $a_2 + a_3 = 0$

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

⇒ Hence,  $p(X) = 2$

# Full Rank

- A  $(m \times n)$  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  $2 \times 3$  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.  $\rho(M + N) \leq \rho(M) + \rho(N)$

# 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,  $y = X\beta + \epsilon$
  - 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  $(2 \times 2)$  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  $(3 \times 3)$  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

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

$$\begin{aligned}\det(A) &= 2 * \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -3 \\ 6 & 7 \end{vmatrix} - 2 * \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 4 & 7 \end{vmatrix} + 4 * \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 4 & 6 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= 2 * (3 * 7 - (-3) * 6) - 2 * (1 * 7 - (-3) * 4) + 4 * (1 * 6 - 3 * 4) \\ &= 2 * (39) - 2 * (19) + 4 * (-6) \\ &= 78 - 38 - 24 \\ &= 16\end{aligned}$$

# 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 **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  $1 \leq i \leq n$
- $\det(A) = \sum_j^n (a_{ij} * c_{ij}) = a_{i1} * c_{i1} + a_{i2} * c_{i2} + \dots + a_{in} * c_{in}$

# Properties of Determinants

- In a  $2 \times 2$  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 place,  $\det(A)$  is the area of the parallelogram by  $(a_{11}, a_{21})'$  and  $(a_{12}, a_{22})'$
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  - Volume of the parallelopiped formed by the '3' columns of A

# Properties of Determinants: Row & Column Operations

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

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

# 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

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

# 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 ' $\lambda$ ', 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  $p(A) < n$ , then  $\det(A) = 0$
- Why?

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- If  $A$  is  $n \times n$  matrix and  $p(A) < n$ , 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 ( $2 \times 2$ ),  $\rho(X) \leq 2$

$\Rightarrow a_1 [2 \ 4] + a_2 [3 \ 6] = 0$  (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

- ⇒ Solving eq(1), eq(2) gives
- ⇒  $a_1 = -3, a_2 = 2$  ( Not a trivial solution)
- ⇒ Hence, the vectors are **linearly dependent**
- ⇒  $\rho(X) = 1$

# Properties of Determinants

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

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

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

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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  $(2 \times 2)$  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