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Gaussian Elimination

LU Factorization

Cholesky Factorization

QR Factorization

QR Factorization is a factorization to decompose matrix A into an orthonormal matrix Q and an upper-triangular matrix R

$$A = QR$$

where A is a $m \times n$ matrix, Q is a $m \times m$ matrix, and R is a $m \times n$ matrix. ($m \geq n$)

Orthonormal Matrix

Q is an orthonormal matrix if the matrix follows two properties:

- $Q^T Q = I_n$ (column vectors of Q are unit vector)
- Orthonormal **does not** necessarily imply $Q Q^T = I_n$ (for this to be **true**, we need Q to be **symmetric**, which is not a property of orthonormal matrix)
- Q performs **rigid transformation** to the matrix R
- $Q = [\vec{q}_1, \vec{q}_2, \dots, \vec{q}_n]$ where \vec{q}_i is orthogonal to \vec{q}_j if $i \neq j$. This also means that $\vec{q}_i^T \vec{q}_j = 0$

Gram-Schmit Algorithm

Householder Algorithm
