

#### Day 3

Mathematical Foundation – I

Linear Algebra & Tensor Concept



# Why Linear Algebra?

- A good understanding of linear algebra is essential for understanding and working with many machine learning algorithms, especially deep learning algorithms
- Many machine learning algorithms require vectorized inputs (and produce vectorized outputs) and uses vectorization for parallelization of computation to achieve massive speed-up of training/inference of machine learning algorithms (especially on a

GPU)



#### An example of linear equation

Rewrite the following linear equation in Matrix Format.

$$2x + 4y = 22$$

$$3x + y = 13$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 22 \\ 13 \end{bmatrix}$$



#### **Linear Algebra**

- Matrices and Vectors
  - Definitions and terminology
  - Addition & Subtraction
  - Scalar multiplication
  - Matrix-vector multiplication
  - Matrix-matrix multiplication
  - Matrix properties



# **Matrices and Vectors – Definitions and Terminology**

# Scalar

Object with a single value

# Vector 2 -8 7 row or column -8 7

n x 1 matrix

# ${ m I\!R}^3$

Usually denoted using small bold letters e.g. x

Rectangular array of numbers

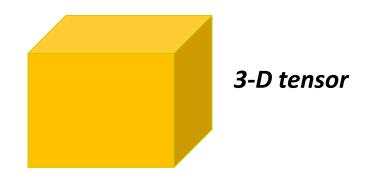
$$\mathbb{R}^{2\times3}$$

Usually denoted using uppercase bold e.g. *A* 



#### **Tensor**

- Tensor is a generalization of matrices to an arbitrary number of dimensions (or axis)
- Tensor is normally denoted as capital non-italicized letter, e.g. A.





#### Real world examples of data tensor

- Vector data 2D tensors of shape (sample, features)
- Timeseries data or sequence data 3D tensors of shape (sample, timesteps, features)
- Images 4D tensors of shape (samples, height, width, channels)
- Video 5D tensors of shape (samples, frames, height, width, channels)



# Matrices and Vectors – Definitions and Terminology

**Vector:** An n x 1 matrix.

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 460 \\ 232 \\ 315 \\ 178 \end{bmatrix}$$

 $y_i = i^{th}$  element

4 dimensional vector

1-indexed vs 0-indexed:

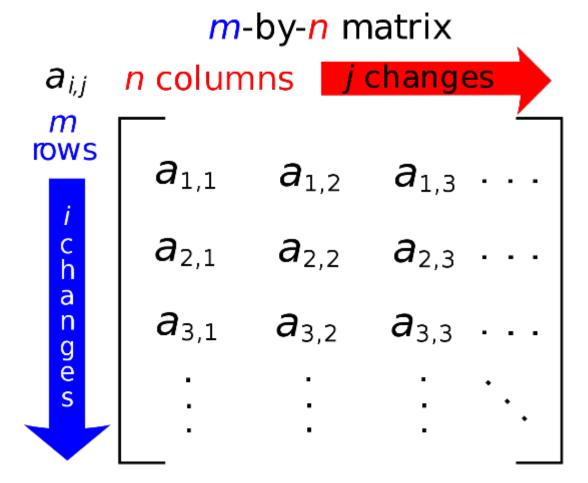
$$y = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \\ y_4 \end{bmatrix} \qquad y = \begin{bmatrix} y_0 \\ y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$y_1 = 460$$
  $y_1 = 232$   
 $y_3 = 315$   $y_3 = 178$ 



#### **Matrices and Vectors – Definitions and Terminology**

#### Matrix elements



$$\begin{bmatrix}
9 & 13 & 5 & 2 \\
1 & 11 & 7 & 6 \\
3 & 7 & 4 & 1 \\
6 & 0 & 7 & 10
\end{bmatrix}$$

$$M_{3,4} = 1$$
  
 $M_{2,2} = 11$ 



#### **Matrix Addition & Subtraction**

Matrix 1 Matrix 2 Matrix 1 + 2
$$\begin{bmatrix}
10 & 0 \\
-4 & 5
\end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix}
-6 & 3 \\
1 & -7
\end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix}
4 & 3 \\
-3 & -2
\end{bmatrix}$$
2 x 2 2 2 2 2 2 2

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 5 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1+4 & 2+3 \\ -3+5 & 4+(-1) \end{bmatrix}$$
addition
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 5 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

We cannot add matrices of different dimensions.

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



#### **Matrix Scalar Multiplication**

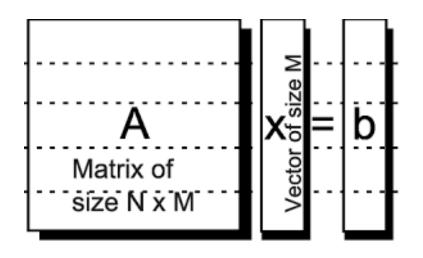
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2.1 & 2.2 & 2.3 \\ 2.4 & 2.5 & 2.6 \\ 2.7 & 2.8 & 2.9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 6 \\ 8 & 10 & 12 \\ 14 & 16 & 18 \end{bmatrix}$$

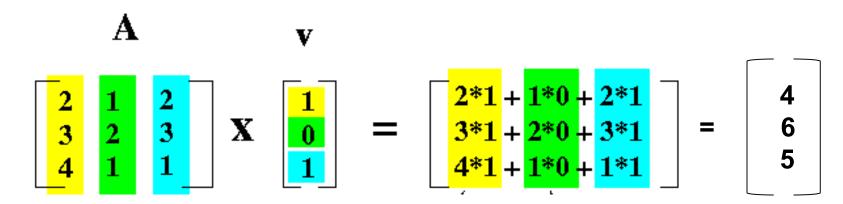
Result is matrix of same dimensions



# Matrix-vector multiplication



Result will be an N-dimensional vector





#### **Matrix-Matrix multiplication**

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 8 \\ 9 & 10 \\ 11 & 12 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 58 \\ \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 8 \\ 9 & 10 \\ 11 & 12 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 58 & 64 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 8 \\ 9 & 10 \\ 11 & 12 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 58 & 64 \\ 139 & 154 \end{bmatrix}$$

In order for this product to be defined, matrix **A** must have the same number of columns as **B** has

rows. If A is of shape  $(m \times n)$  and B is of shape  $(n \times p)$ , then **C** is of shape  $(m \times p)$ .



#### Commutive

- Scalars are commutive
- $3 \times 5$  is the same as  $5 \times 3$
- Matrices are not

For 
$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
 and  $\mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 4 \\ -5 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

**AB** = 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 4 \\ 5 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$



#### Associative

Scalars are associative

3 x 5 x 2 the order this is computed in doesn't matter

$$3 \times 5 = 15 \times 2 = 30$$

$$5 \times 2 = 10$$
  $3 \times 10 = 30$ 

Matrices are associative



#### Identity matrix

1 is identity scalar

 $1 \times z = z$  (true for any value of z), 1 is "identity"

#### Identity Matrices

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}_{2 \times 2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad I_n = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

AI = IA = A I identity matrix



- Inverse
  - Scalars

$$3 \times 3^{-1} = 1$$

number x inverse = identity

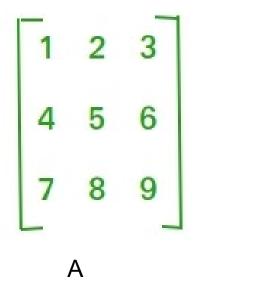
 Only square matrices can have inverses (but not all do, those that don't are known as singular)

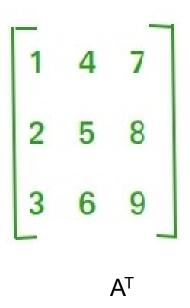
$$A \times A^{-1} = A^{-1} \times A = I$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 16 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 0.4 & -0.1 \\ -0.05 & 0.075 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



#### Transpose





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 A lot of machine learning algorithm requires the computation of weighted sum of the input features (e.g. linear regression, or a linear layer in deep learning network)

$$\hat{y} = \theta_0 + \theta_1 x_1 + \theta_2 x_2 + \dots + \theta_n x_n$$

 $\hat{y}$  is the predicted value.

*n* is the number of features.

 $x_i$  is the i<sup>th</sup> feature value.

 $\theta_j$  is the j<sup>th</sup> model parameter (including the bias term  $\theta_0$  and the feature weights  $\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_n$ ).



• We can compute the value in a traditional *for-loop* way:

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y_hat = 0

for i in range (1..n):
    y_hat += theta[i] * x[i]

y_hat += b
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• Or we express the equation in a more concise way using vectorized form  $\hat{y} = \theta^T \cdot \mathbf{x}$ 

 $\theta$  is the model's *parameter vector*, containing the bias term  $\theta_0$  and the feature weights  $\theta_1$  to  $\theta_n$ .

 $\theta^T$  is the transpose of  $\theta$  (a row vector instead of a column vector).

**x** is the instance's *feature vector*, containing  $x_0$  to  $x_n$ , with  $x_0$  always equal to 1.

 $\theta^T \cdot \mathbf{x}$  is the dot product of  $\theta^T$  and  $\mathbf{x}$ .



 we can compute the value using faster (parallelized) matrix dot product operation:

• The speed-up is especially important in deep learning network typically consist of millions of weights  $\theta$  (image we have write a for loop that loops millions of times !!)



# Let's Practice using Numpy



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