

Assignment 1

DSECLZC416 - Mathematical Foundations for Data Science

Instructions

1. Assignments have to be handwritten and uploaded as a single pdf file with name BITSID.pdf
 2. Assignments sent via email would not be accepted
 3. Submissions beyond 1st of June, 17.00 hrs would not be graded
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Answer all the questions (5 x 2 = 10 marks)

Q1) Let B be a skew symmetric matrix with real entries.

1. Prove that $I - B$ is non singular
2. If $A = (I + B)(I - B)^{-1}$, then prove that $A^{-1} = A^T$

Q2) Let $\mathcal{M} = \{m_1, m_2, \dots, m_r\}$ and $\mathcal{N} = \{m_1, m_2, \dots, m_r, v\}$ be two sets of vectors from the same vector space V over a field F . Prove that $\text{span}\{\mathcal{M}\} = \text{span}\{\mathcal{N}\}$ if and only if $v \in \text{span}\{\mathcal{M}\}$.

Q3) If $T : V \rightarrow W$ is a linear transformation from a vector space V to a vector space W then prove that $\text{Rank } T + \text{Nullity } T = \dim V$.

Q4) Find the eigenvalues and eigenvectors for the matrix $A_{n \times n}$ whose elements are given by $a_{ij} = \begin{cases} \alpha & \text{if } i = j \\ 1 & \text{if } |i - j| = 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$, where α is a constant.

Q5) Find the singular value decomposition of $A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ and determine the angle of rotation induced by U and V . Also, write the rank 1 decomposition of A in terms of the columns of U and rows of V . Can we do dimensionality reduction in this case?