

2.1 Matrix Operations

Suppose A is an $n \times m$ matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} & \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|} \hline & 1 & 2 & 3 & \dots \\ \hline & 4 & 5 & 6 & \dots \\ \hline & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \dots \\ \hline & \vec{a}_1 & \vec{a}_2 & \vec{a}_3 & \vec{a}_m \\ \hline \end{array} \\ \end{bmatrix}$$

lower case of matrix name
is used to denote
individual elements

$a_{11} = 1$
row column

$a_{23} = 6$

is a square matrix
a diagonal matrix has zeros everywhere except possibly
on the main diagonal

e.g. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

a zero matrix has zeros everywhere

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

0 → big zero

a identity matrix has 1's on the main diagonal square

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \dots & & \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots & \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \dots & \\ \vdots & \vdots & 0 & \ddots & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$I \text{ or } I_5 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

two matrices are equal if they have the same size
and the corresponding elements are the same

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

addition and subtraction are done with matrices of
the same size

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1+5 & 2+6 \\ 3+7 & 4+8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 8 \\ 10 & 12 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ is not defined}$$

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

$$= (-4) \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{scalar multiple of matrix } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}$$

$$(2) \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + (3) \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 16 \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrix multiplication:

we already know how to do

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ \downarrow & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ -11 \\ -17 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\underline{3 \times 2}$ $\underline{2 \times 1} =$ 3×1

must
match

very similar if multiplying by a matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 6 \\ -3 & 10 \\ -5 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\underline{3 \times 2}$ $\underline{2 \times 2} =$

$=$ must
match

"row-column rule"

rows of
first matrix
multiplying
each row of
first column
of second
matrix

Same thing
but w/
2nd column
of 2nd
matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \text{ is also}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \vec{b}_1 & \vec{b}_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{where } \vec{b}_1 \text{ is linear combo of columns of first matrix using elements of first of second matrix as weights}$$

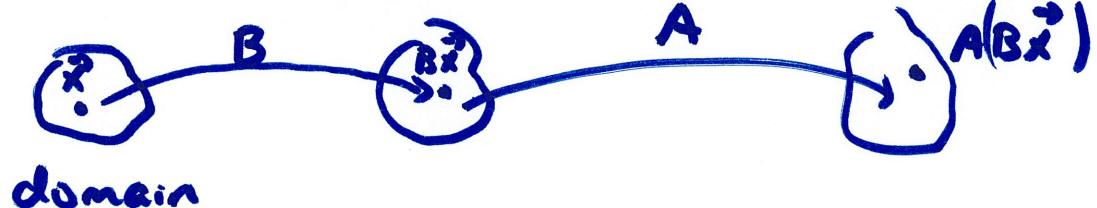
similar idea for \vec{b}_2 (2nd col. of 2nd matrix as weights)

so, AB , if defined, and if $B = [\vec{b}_1 \vec{b}_2 \vec{b}_3 \dots]$
then $AB = [A\vec{b}_1 \ A\vec{b}_2 \ A\vec{b}_3 \ \dots]$

AB is also two linear mappings consecutively

order is VERY important

$$AB\vec{x} = A(B\vec{x})$$



NOTE: in general, $AB \neq BA$

even if both
are defined

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

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 11 & 10 \\ -10 & -11 \end{bmatrix} \quad BA = \begin{bmatrix} -5 & -2 \\ -2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

also, we cannot "cancel" like with numbers

$$(3)(\cancel{z}) = (\cancel{x})(\cancel{z}) \rightarrow x = 3$$

$$\cancel{AB}\vec{x} = \cancel{BC} \quad \text{NO!}$$

matrix power:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad A^2 \neq \begin{bmatrix} 1^2 & 2^2 \\ 3^2 & 4^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

instead, $A^2 = AA$

(so A must be square)

e.g. $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$B^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$2 \times 1 \quad 2 \times 1$

is
NOT
defined

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

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 10 \\ 15 & 22 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^3 = AAA$$

$$A^4 = AAAA \quad \text{and so on.}$$

A^T means the transpose of A

→ swap rows and columns

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$B^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ 2 & 6 \\ 3 & 7 \\ 4 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

properties: $(A^T)^T = A$

$$(A+B)^T = A^T + B^T$$

$$(cA)^T = cA^T$$

$$(AB)^T = B^T A^T$$

why $(AB)^T = B^T A^T$?

let A be 2×3 and B be 3×5

AB is 2×5

$2 \times 3 \quad 3 \times 5$

$\overset{T}{\overbrace{AB}} \quad \overset{T}{\overbrace{B^T A^T}}$ is not defined

$3 \times 2 \quad 5 \times 3$

but $\overset{T}{\overbrace{B^T A^T}}$ is defined (5×2)

$5 \times 3 \quad 3 \times 2$