

Q12) Find a QR factorization of  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Note: We will do an economy factorization,  
i.e.  $Q \in \mathbb{R}^{4 \times 3}$ .

See: Lecture Notes  
6.3.2 (pg 4). / Lec 5e, pg 359 (Ex 4)  
Lec 5e, pg 356 (Ex 2)

Gram Schmidt process

$$\begin{cases} V_1 = X_1 & ; V_1 \in \mathbb{R}^4 \\ V_2 = X_2 - \frac{X_2 \cdot V_1}{V_1 \cdot V_1} V_1 & ; \text{the rest of } V \text{ spans col}^1 \text{ space of } A \\ V_3 = X_3 - \frac{X_3 \cdot V_1}{V_1 \cdot V_1} V_1 - \frac{X_3 \cdot V_2}{V_2 \cdot V_2} V_2 & ; \end{cases}$$

$$Q = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{V_1}{\|V_1\|} & \frac{V_2}{\|V_2\|} & \frac{V_3}{\|V_3\|} \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{4 \times 3}$$

Remember: col of  $Q$  are orthonormal col<sup>1</sup> spanning the space of  $A$ !

Step 1:  $V_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = X_1$

Step 2:  $V_2 = X_2 - \frac{X_2 \cdot V_1}{V_1 \cdot V_1} V_1$

$$= X_2 - \text{Proj}_{V_1} X_2 \quad // \quad \text{to get residual of } X_2 \text{ being approximated by } V_1$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{3}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\swarrow$   $X_2$        $\nwarrow$   $V_1$   
 $(\frac{X_2 \cdot V_1}{V_1 \cdot V_1})$

$$V_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -3/4 \\ 1/4 \\ 1/4 \\ 1/4 \end{bmatrix} \quad (\text{scaled } \times 4) = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

same direction

Step 3:  $V_3 = X_3 - \text{Proj}_{W_2} X_3$

$$W_2 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -3/4 \\ 1/4 \\ 1/4 \\ 1/4 \end{bmatrix} \right\} = \{V_1, V_2\}$$

Step 3a:

$$\text{Proj}_{W_2} X_3 = \underbrace{\frac{X_3 \cdot V_1}{V_1 \cdot V_1} V_1 + \frac{X_3 \cdot V_2}{V_2 \cdot V_2} V_2}_{\text{This can be used because } V_1, V_2 \text{ are orthogonal.}}$$

→ See Theorem 8 (pg 350) <sup>are</sup> or Theorem 5e  
Lecture 5e

→ See Notes 6.3.1 pg 5

$$\text{Proj}_{W_2} X_3 = \frac{2}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{2}{12} \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\frac{X_3 \cdot V_1}{V_1 \cdot V_1}$        $V_1$        $\frac{X_3 \cdot V_2}{V_2 \cdot V_2}$        $V_2$  (  $V_2$  scaled by  $\times 4$  to remove  $\frac{1}{4}$  )!

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2/3 \\ 2/3 \\ 2/3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore V_3 = X_3 - \text{Proj}_{W_2} X_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2/3 \\ 2/3 \\ 2/3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -2/3 \\ 1/3 \\ 1/3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore Q = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{V_1}{\|V_1\|} & \frac{V_2}{\|V_2\|} & \frac{V_3}{\|V_3\|} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 & -3/\sqrt{12} & 0 \\ 1/2 & 1/\sqrt{12} & -2/\sqrt{6} \\ 1/2 & 1/\sqrt{12} & 1/\sqrt{6} \end{bmatrix};$$

$$\frac{V_1}{\|V_1\|}$$

$$\frac{V_2}{\|V_2\|}$$

$$\frac{V_3}{\|V_3\|}$$

Note:

$$\frac{V_1}{\|V_1\|} \text{ and } -\frac{V_1}{\|V_1\|}$$

$$-\frac{V_1}{\|V_1\|}$$

all pt to same direction!  
so both can be used!

$\frac{V_i}{\|V_i\|}$  is not unique!

To get R, remember

$$Q^T Q = I_{(3 \times 3)}$$

$$\text{then } Q^T A = Q^T (Q R) = \underbrace{Q^T Q}_I R$$

$$Q^T A = I R = R$$

$$\therefore R = \begin{matrix} Q^T & A \\ \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{3}{\sqrt{12}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ 0 & -\frac{2}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

(3x4)                      (4x3)

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & \frac{3}{2} & 1 \\ 0 & \frac{3}{\sqrt{12}} & \frac{2}{\sqrt{12}} \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}} \end{bmatrix} \quad \square$$


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Notes:

1) We performed economy decomposition.

$$Q \in \mathbb{R}^{4 \times 3}$$

The col<sup>n</sup> space  $Q = \text{col space } A$

To verify:

Method 1:

$$[Q \mid a_i] \quad a_i = 1 \dots 3 \text{ col of } A$$

Gaussian elimination  
we can always find sol<sup>n</sup>.

Method 2:

create Projection matrix

$$P = Q Q^T$$

$$(4 \times 3) (3 \times 4) = 4 \times 4$$

$$P a_i = a_i \quad ; \quad a_i = 1 \dots 3$$

showing that  $P$  spans same col space

$$= P A = A \quad \square$$

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Suppose  $A = QR$ ,  
 $Q = m \times n$  matrix with orthogonal col<sup>1</sup> (should be (orthonormal))

$R = n \times n$  matrix

If  $A$  has linearly dependent col<sup>1</sup>  
 then  $R$  is singular (cannot be inverted).

Ans: since  $A$  has dependent col, then

when  $A\underline{x} = \underline{0}$ ,

there is non-trivial (non-zero)  $\underline{x}$

s.t.  $A\underline{x} = \underline{0}$ .

Method 1: sub  $A = QR$ .

and  $(QR)x = \underline{0}$ ;  $x \neq 0$ . since  $A$  has dependent col.  
 pre-multiply by  $Q^T$   
 $Q^T QRx = Q^T \underline{0}$ ;  $Q^T Q = I$

$$Rx = \underline{0}$$

since  $\underline{x} \neq 0$ , but rhs  $= 0$   
 $\Rightarrow R$  must have dependent col (invertible matrix theorem)

$\Rightarrow R$  is singular

$\Rightarrow R$  is not invertible.

Method 2:

(notes: Lecture Notes pg 4)  
 apply Theorem 7 of (pg 345 by 5e.)

$\rightarrow$  if  $U$  is  $m \times n$  orthonormal col<sup>1</sup>

then  $\|Ux\| = \|x\| \Rightarrow$  pre-multiply with  $U$  on  $x$  does not change length of  $x$ .



Example:

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

$$Ax = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix};$$

e.g.  $x = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ , then  $Ax = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .

$$QR = \text{qr}(A, 0)$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -0.5774 & 0.8165 \\ -0.5774 & -0.4082 \\ -0.5774 & -0.4082 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1.7321 & -3.4641 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$q_1$   $q_2$  are orthonormal col.

$R$  is singular!

$$Rx = \begin{bmatrix} -1.7321 & -3.4641 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

any  $N(A)$  will get  $\alpha \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}; \alpha \in \mathbb{R}$

there is  $\underline{x} \neq 0$ , s.t.

$$Ax = \underline{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow \|Ax\| = \|\underline{0}\|$$

norm of zero vector = 0  
scalar.

$$\Rightarrow \|QRx\| = 0$$

since  $Q$  has orthonormal col.  
by Theorem 7.

$$= \|Rx\| = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \|u\| = 0$$

$\underline{0}$  vector

By Theorem 1 (pg 333 by Se)  
 $\|u\| = 0$  if  $u = \underline{0}$   
 $u \cdot u \geq 0$  and  $u \cdot u = 0$  if  $u = \underline{0}$

$\Rightarrow$  to get  $\underline{u} = \underline{0}$ ,  
since  $\underline{x} \neq 0$ ,

then  
 $\rightarrow R$  is singular  
 $\rightarrow$  has dependent col  
 $\rightarrow$  by invertible matrix theorem