## Statistical Machine Learning (STAT W4400)

## Homework 0

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Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}, x = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- 1.  $B_{2,1}$  is 3
- $2. \ A + B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 5 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$
- 3.  $AB = \begin{bmatrix} 1*1+2*3 & 1*2+2*4 \\ 2*1+4*3 & 2*2+4*4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 10 \\ 14 & 20 \end{bmatrix}$
- 4. rank(A) = 1

$$Av = \lambda v$$

$$(A - \lambda I)v = 0$$

$$det(A - \lambda I) = 0$$

$$= (1 - \lambda)(4 - \lambda) - 4$$

$$= \lambda^2 - 5\lambda$$

$$= \lambda(\lambda - 5)$$

5. Largest eigenvalue of A is 5

$$(A - \lambda I)v = 0$$
$$(A - 5I)v = 0$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 - 5 & 2\\ 2 & 4 - 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v_1\\ v_2 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

Then,

$$-4v_1 + 2v_2 = 0$$
$$2v_1 - 1v_2 = 0$$

Then, let  $v_2 = t$ ,  $v_1 = -2t$ . Then, the eigenspace corresponding to  $\lambda = 5$  is given by the span of  $\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

- 6. Eigenvector associated is the span of  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$
- 7. |B| = 1 \* 4 2 \* 3 = -2
- 8.  $x^T A x = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 16$
- 9.  $x^T x = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 5$
- 10.  $xx^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
- 11.  $||x||_2 = \sqrt{2^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{5}$

$$\nabla_x x^T A x = x^T A^T + x^T A = x^T (A^T + A)$$

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$$\nabla_x^2 x^T A x = \nabla_x \left( x^T A^T + x^T A \right) = A + A^T$$

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14. n = 2

$$Var(y) = E(y)^{2} - E(y^{2})$$
$$E(y^{2}) = E(y)^{2} - Var(y)$$
$$= \mu^{2} - \sigma^{2}$$

- 15.  $E(y^2) = \mu^2 \sigma^2$
- 16.  $y + w \sim N(2.7 + 3.1, \sqrt{8^2 + 15^2}) = N(5.8, 17)$
- 17. The normalizing constant is  $(2\pi)^{\frac{p}{2}}|\Sigma|^{\frac{1}{2}}$  where p=2 and  $|\Sigma|$  is the determinant of the  $\Sigma$  given.
- 18. The support of a Bernoulli random variable is  $\{0,1\}$
- 19. Define the Bernoulli process as N(k,n). Then  $N(k,n) = \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$

$$h(x_1) = \frac{1}{3}x_1^3 - \frac{1}{2}x_1^2 - 6x_1 + \frac{27}{2}$$
$$h'(x_1) = x_1^2 - x_1 - 6$$
$$h''(x_1) = 2x_1 - 1$$

Minima/maxima is at

$$h'(x_1) = x_1^2 - x_1 - 6 = 0$$
$$(x_1 - 3)(x_1 + 2) = 0$$

 $x_1 = 3$  is a minima since h''(3) > 0.  $x_1 = -2$  is a maxima since h''(-2) < 0. To compare with boundary values,

$$h(3) = 0$$

$$h(-2) = 20.83$$

$$h(-4) = 8.17$$

$$h(4) = 2.83$$

- 20.  $x_1 = -2$
- 21.  $x_1 = 3$

The indefinite integral

$$\int \frac{1}{Z} \left( \frac{1}{3} x_1^3 - \frac{1}{2} x_1^2 - 6x_1 + \frac{27}{2} \right) = \frac{1}{Z} \left( \frac{1}{12} x^4 - \frac{1}{6} x^3 - 3x^2 + \frac{27}{2} x + C \right)$$

Set C and Z such that

$$\int_0^1 \frac{1}{Z} \left( \frac{1}{3} x_1^3 - \frac{1}{2} x_1^2 - 6x_1 + \frac{27}{2} \right) = 1$$
$$\frac{1}{Z} \left( \frac{1}{12} - \frac{1}{6} - 3 + \frac{27}{2} \right) = 1$$
$$Z = \frac{1}{12} - \frac{1}{6} - 3 + \frac{27}{2}$$

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$$\int_{A} b(x) = \int_{0}^{3} \int_{0}^{2} x_{1} x_{2}^{3} dx_{2} dx_{1}$$

$$= \int_{0}^{3} \left[ x_{1} \frac{1}{4} x_{2}^{4} \right]_{0}^{2} dx_{1}$$

$$= \int_{0}^{3} 4x_{1} dx_{1}$$

$$= \left[ 2x_{1}^{2} \right]_{0}^{3}$$

$$= 18$$

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$$L(x_1, x_2; \lambda) = x_1 + \sqrt{3}x_2 + \lambda(x_1^2 + x_2^2 - 1)$$

$$\frac{\delta L}{\delta x_1} = 1 + \lambda 2x_1$$

$$\frac{\delta L}{\delta x_2} = \sqrt{3} + \lambda 2x_2$$

$$\frac{\delta L}{\delta \lambda} = x_1^2 + x_2^2 - 1$$

Using first 2 equations,  $x_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}x_2$ . Solving trivially, we have

$$x_1 = \pm \frac{1}{2}$$
$$x_2 = \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

24. The x that maximizes c(x) subject to the constraints specified is  $x = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{bmatrix}$ 

$$L(x_1, x_2; \lambda) = -x_1 \log x_1 - x_2 \log x_2 + \lambda (x_1 + x_2 - 1)$$

$$\frac{\delta L}{\delta x_1} = -1 - \log x_1 + \lambda$$

$$\frac{\delta L}{\delta x_2} = -1 - \log x_2 + \lambda$$

$$\frac{\delta L}{\delta \lambda} = x_1 + x_2 - 1$$

By visual inspection, if  $\log x_1 = \log x_2$ , then  $x_1 = x_2 = 0.5$ 

$$25. \ x = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 \\ 0.5 \end{bmatrix}$$