

Recall elementary matrices (way to represent row operations as matrix multiplications)

ex) $E = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ 3×3 row exchange
 $R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2$, then $R_2 \leftrightarrow R_3$

$I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ (we can see where identity rows are "sent to")

* Permutation Matrix

- very similar to I
- square
- binary (entries 0 or 1)
- only one 1 per row and column
- rearranged

ex) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 7 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & -4 & 5 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ 3×4

$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$ 2×3

\triangleright vs $E \cdot A$:
 (3×4)

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

rows are exchanged.

\triangleright vs $B \cdot E$:
 2×3

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 7 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

columns are exchanged

\triangleright vs $B \cdot A$:
 (2×3)

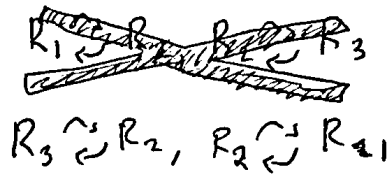
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 7 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & -4 & 5 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & -4 & 5 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

▷ Since row operations are reversible, so is multiplying by an elementary matrix.

ex) undo E with $F = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

compare to $I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$



$R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2, R_2 \leftrightarrow R_3$

ex)

$$F \cdot (EA)$$

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

Can also check entrywise

★ The matrix F "undoes" multiplication by $E \Rightarrow$ so they are like multiplicative inverses. (Product = identity matrix)

Def: A square matrix A in $\mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is called invertible if there exists some other B in $\mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ so that

$$\triangleright B \cdot A = I, \text{ and}$$

$$\triangleright A \cdot B = I$$

Then B is called the inverse of A , denoted A^{-1} .

⊛ Inverses are not defined for rectangular matrices

A is $\mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$

$$\bullet B \cdot A = I$$

$m \times n$

$n \times n$

↓
would need B in $\mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$.

$n \times m$
(to get square matrix)

But then,

$$\bullet A \cdot B = I \quad n \times n$$

$m \times n$ ↓
 $n \times m$

would need a different size of B .

▷ Nevertheless, if $B \cdot A = I$, B is called "left inverse",
and if $A \cdot B = I$, B is called "right inverse".

▷ For A to have an inverse, B must = l. inverse = r inverse

★ Do all square matrices have inverses?

▷ Nope.

ex Any square matrix w/ a row or column of all 0's:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

if A was invertible, $B = \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} \end{bmatrix}$

$$A \cdot B = \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} + b_{21} & b_{12} + b_{22} \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\neq \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \neq I$ bc of row of all 0's.

★ Are inverses unique? Yes!

▷ Proof: let A be $\mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ and B, C be inverses of A

▷ Consider $B(AC) = B \cdot I$

$$(BA)C = I \cdot C$$

also, $B(AC) = (BA)C$

$$B \cdot I = I \cdot C \xrightarrow[\text{I}]{\text{def. of}} B = C \quad \therefore$$

Inverses of Elementary Matrices

▷ row exchange: permutation matrix

→ inverse: another row exchange

ex] $E = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $E' = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
 $R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2$

▷ row scaling:

→ inverse: another row scaling

ex] $E = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $E' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$E = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $E' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

▷ (row) elimination:

→ inverse: another elimination

ex] $E = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $E' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$R_2 \leftarrow R_2 + 2 \cdot R_1$$

▷ what's the point?

— Matrix Factorization!

▷ The main idea of these elementary matrices is

Matrix Factorization:

$$A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \xrightarrow{\text{elimination}} U \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$$

in echelon form

inverses of
elementary
matrices

(Useful for solving $A\underline{x} = \underline{b}$)

▷ To get echelon form,

$$U = E_k \cdots E_2 E_1 A$$

matrix representations of elimination steps

in particular, U is upper triangular

(lower triangular:

These can all be undone:

$$\triangleright E_k^{-1}(U) = E_k^{-1}(E_k \cdots E_2 E_1 A)$$

$$\triangleright E_k^{-1} E_k = I$$

\triangleright keep multiplying by inverses:

$$\{ E_1^{-1} E_2^{-1} \dots E_k^{-1} \} u = A$$

call these L

"LU decomposition"

$$A = L U$$

a product of
two structures
matrices:

\triangleright upper triangular

~~comes from~~ comes
from only elementary
matrices

\triangleright In practice: $A \underline{x} = \underline{b}$

Factor $A = L \cdot U$

Then

$$A \underline{x} = \underline{b} \iff L \underline{y} = \underline{b}$$

$$U \underline{x} = \underline{y}$$

$$L(\underline{u} \underline{x}) = \underline{b}$$

} Two, easier
systems to
solve.

ex of LU decomposition:

$$\triangleright A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 6 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

\triangleright Reduce to echelon form:

$$R_2 \leftarrow R_2 - 3R_1$$

$$E = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{so} \quad EA = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

\uparrow
echelon form
matrix U

\triangleright Apply $E^{-1}U = A$:

$$E^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

\uparrow
matrix L
(note lower
triangular
structure)

\triangleright Check:

$$LU = A$$