# DATA 605: Assignment 3

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## QUESTION 1.1:

• What is the rank of the matrix A?

```
A1 <- matrix(c(1,2,3,4,-1,0,1,3,0,1,-2,1,5,4,-2,-3)), nrow = 4, by row = T)
A1
##
        [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
## [1,]
                 2
           1
                      3
## [2,]
                 0
                            3
          -1
                      1
## [3,]
           0
                 1
                     -2
                            1
## [4,]
           5
                     -2
                           -3
dim(A1)
```

## ## [1] 4 4

Solution: From the above matrix, its known that its dimension is 4x4(a square matrix), therefore it rank is 4 QUESTION 1.2:

• Given an mxn matrix where m > n, what can be the maximum rank? The mini- mum rank, assuming that the matrix is non-zero?

#### Solution:

Since the rank is the number of all non-zero row, the rank has to be no greater than the smaller of the row or column dimension is n.

#### QUESTION 1.3

• What is the rank of Matrix B?

```
B \leftarrow matrix(c(1,2,1,3,6,3,2,4,2), nrow = 3, byrow = T)
В
          [,1] [,2] [,3]
##
## [1,]
             1
                   2
                         1
## [2,]
             3
                   6
                         3
## [3,]
             2
                         2
dim(B)
## [1] 3 3
R1 \leftarrow B[1,]
R2 \leftarrow B[2,]
R3 \leftarrow B[3,]
a <- R1-(1/3)\%*\%R2
b <- R3-(2/3)%*%R2
```

```
Mat <- matrix(c(a,b,R2), nrow = 3, byrow = T)</pre>
Mat
```

Solution:

Since the rank is the number of all non-zero row, therefore the rank is 1.

QUESTION 2:Compute the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of the matrix A.

## [,1] [,2] [,3]  
## [1,] "x" "0" "0"  
## [2,] "0" "x" "0"  
## [3,] "0" "0" "x"  

$$det \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 4 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \lambda & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda \end{bmatrix}\right) = det \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 - \lambda & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 4 - \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 - \lambda \end{bmatrix}\right)$$

$$= (1 - \lambda) [(4 - \lambda)(6 - \lambda) - (0 * 0)] - (2) [(0)(6 - \lambda) - (0 * 0] + (3) [(0 * 0) - (0 * 4 - \lambda)]$$

$$= (1 - \lambda) [(4 - \lambda)(6 - \lambda)] = 0$$

- From the above, we can deduce (solve algebraically) that  $\lambda$  are : 1, 4 and 6

Their respective Eigenvalues are:

For 
$$\lambda_1 = 1$$
, its eigenvectors are 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1.0000 \\ 0.0000 \\ 0.0000 \end{bmatrix}$$
For  $\lambda_2 = 4$ , its eigenvectors are 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1.6000 \\ 2.5000 \\ 1.0000 \end{bmatrix}$$
For  $\lambda_3 = 6$ , its eigenvectors are 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 0.6667 \\ 1.0000 \\ 0.0000 \end{bmatrix}$$

#### $\mathbf{OR}$

```
eigen(A, only.values = FALSE, EISPACK = TRUE)
```

## \$values

```
## [1] 6 4 1
##
## $vectors
## [1,] 0.5108407 0.5547002 1
## [2,] 0.7981886 0.8320503 0
## [3,] 0.3192754 0.0000000 0
```