

LARSON—MATH 511—CLASSROOM WORKSHEET 22
Low-Rank and Compressed Sensing

Outer-Product Expansion

1. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$. Check that:

$$AB = \hat{a}_1 \hat{b}_1^T + \hat{a}_2 \hat{b}_2^T,$$

where \hat{a}_i 's are the columns of A and \hat{b}_i^T are the rows of B .

2. **Why** is it true that, for an $m \times n$ matrix A with columns $\hat{a}_1, \dots, \hat{a}_n$, and $n \times t$ matrix B , with rows $\hat{b}_1^T, \dots, \hat{b}_n^T$, that:

$$AB = \hat{a}_1 \hat{b}_1^T + \hat{a}_2 \hat{b}_2^T + \dots + \hat{a}_n \hat{b}_n^T.$$

Changes in A^{-1} from Changes in A

3. (**Rank-1 changes**) Let $\hat{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\hat{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$. Find $M = I - \hat{u}\hat{v}^T$ (where it is implicit that $I = I_2$).
4. Find $I + \frac{\hat{u}\hat{v}^T}{1 - \hat{u}^T \hat{v}}$.
5. Check that $M^{-1} = I + \frac{\hat{u}\hat{v}^T}{1 - \hat{u}^T \hat{v}}$.
6. (**Sherman-Morrison formula**, rank-1 changes). Show that if $M = I - \hat{u}\hat{v}^T$ is invertible then $M^{-1} = I + \frac{\hat{u}\hat{v}^T}{1 - \hat{u}^T \hat{v}}$.
7. (**Rank-k changes**). Let $UV^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ (rank-2). How does subtraction of UV^T change the inverse of I ? (We know the inverse of I is itself. What is the inverse of $I - UV^T$?)
8. Show that if $M = I - UV^T$ (with rank-k U) is invertible then $M^{-1} = I_n + U(I_k - V^T U)^{-1} V^T$.
9. (**Sherman-Morrison-Woodbury formula**, rank-k changes) Show that if $M = A - UV^T$ (with rank-k U) is invertible then $M^{-1} = A^{-1} + A^{-1}U(I - V^T A^{-1}U)^{-1} V^T A^{-1}$.

Sage/CoCalc

10. (a) Start the Chrome browser.
(b) Go to <http://cocalc.com>
(c) Login (likely using **your VCU email address**).
(d) You should see an existing Project for our class. Click on that.
(e) Click “New”, then “Sage Worksheet”, then call it **c22**.
11. (**Rank-1 changes**) Let $\hat{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\hat{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$. Find $M = I - \hat{u}\hat{v}^T$ (where it is implicit that $I = I_2$).
12. Check that $M^{-1} = I + \frac{\hat{u}\hat{v}^T}{1 - \hat{u}^T\hat{v}}$.
13. (**Rank-k changes**). Let $UV^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ (rank-2). How does subtraction of UV^T change the inverse of I ? (We know the inverse of I is itself. What is the inverse of $I - UV^T$?)
14. (**Sherman-Morrison formula**) Check the formula $M^{-1} = I_n + U(I_k - V^TU)^{-1}V^T$ with $M = I - UV^T$ and U, V^T from the previous example.

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