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Matrix Multiplication

Let $A \in \mathbb{F}^{m \times n}$ and $B \in \mathbb{F}^{n \times p}$, then $AB \in \mathbb{F}^{m \times p}$

$$(AB)_{ik} = \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij}b_{jk}$$

Column Multiplication

$$A = (\mathbf{a}_1 \cdots \mathbf{a}_n)$$

$$(AB)_{:r} = b_{1r}\mathbf{a}_1 + b_{2r}\mathbf{a}_2 + \cdots + b_{nr}\mathbf{a}_n$$

Row Multiplication

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{b}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{b}_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(AB)_{r:} = a_{r1}\mathbf{b}_1 + a_{r2}\mathbf{b}_2 + \cdots + a_{rn}\mathbf{b}_n$$

Uniqueness of Reduced Row Echelon Form

$$A' = EA \Rightarrow \mathbf{row}(A') = \mathbf{row}(A)$$

The row operations are:

1. interchange different rows
2. multiply rows by nonzero scalar
3. add a nonzero multiple of another row

We show A has equivalent row space under row operations.

Type 1 is immediate.

Type 2 replaces \mathbf{a}_i by $r\mathbf{a}_i$, so we just rescale by $1/r$.

$$c_1\mathbf{a}_1 + \cdots + c_n\mathbf{a}_n = \frac{c_1}{r}\mathbf{a}'_1 + \cdots + c_n\mathbf{a}_n$$

Type 3 replaces \mathbf{a}_i by $\mathbf{a}_i + r\mathbf{a}_j$

$$c_1\mathbf{a}_1 + c_2\mathbf{a}_2 + \cdots + c_n\mathbf{a}_n = c_1(\mathbf{a}_1 + r\mathbf{a}_2) + (c_2 - rc_1)\mathbf{a}_2 + \cdots + c_n\mathbf{a}_n$$

$$= c_1\mathbf{a}'_1 + (c_2 - rc_1)\mathbf{a}'_2 + \cdots + c_n\mathbf{a}'_n$$

So A and A' have the same row space.

$$A = B : A, B \in \mathbf{Red} \Leftrightarrow \mathbf{row}(A) = \mathbf{row}(B)$$

$A = B \Rightarrow \mathbf{row}(A) = \mathbf{row}(B)$ is obvious so we prove the reverse direction.

Label the rows of A, B like so starting from the bottom.

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{a}_n \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{a}_1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{b}_n \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{b}_1 \end{pmatrix}$$

We induct on the pivots starting with $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{b}_1$.

1. the pivots for $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{b}_2$ must be the same otherwise $\mathbf{a}_1 \notin \mathbf{row}(B)$.
2. By symmetry, the pivots of \mathbf{a}_1 and \mathbf{b}_1 are in the same component.
3. $\mathbf{b}_1 = r_1 \mathbf{a}_1 + \dots + r_n \mathbf{a}_n$ but the other components don't share pivots $\Rightarrow \mathbf{b}_1 = r_1 \mathbf{a}_1$.
4. $r_1 = 1$

Keep applying the same argument to see $A = B$.

Reduced Form is Unique

If two different sequences of elementary matrices corresponding to row operations yield two different reduced row echelon forms B and C for A , then by the previous propositions we get:

1. $\mathbf{row}(A) = \mathbf{row}(B) = \mathbf{row}(C)$
2. $B = C$

Exercises

Ex 3.1.2

$$\begin{aligned} A &= (a_{ij}), & A^T &= (a_{ij})^T = a_{ji} \\ (A+B)^T &= ((a_{ij}) + (b_{ij}))^T = a_{ji} + b_{ji} = A^T + B^T \end{aligned}$$

Ex 3.1.5

We use these simple rules:

$$\begin{aligned} (XY)^T &= Y^T X^T \\ (X_{k,})^T &= (X^T)_{,k} \end{aligned}$$

and the column notation

$$(XY)_{,k} = Y_{1,k} X_{,1} + \dots + Y_{n,k} X_{,n}$$

Putting this all together

$$\begin{aligned} (AB)_{,k}^T &= (B^T A^T)_{,k} = (A^T)_{1,k} (B^T)_{,1} + \dots + (A^T)_{n,k} (B^T)_{,n} \\ &= A_{k,1} B_{1,} + \dots + A_{k,n} B_{n,} \end{aligned}$$

but $(AB)_{,k}^T = (AB)_{k,}$

Forms of Matrix Multiplication

Column and Row Form

$$\begin{aligned} A &= (\mathbf{a}_1 \cdots \mathbf{a}_n), \mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} \\ A\mathbf{x} &= x_1 \mathbf{a}_1 + \dots + x_n \mathbf{a}_n \end{aligned}$$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{a}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{a}_n \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{x} = (x_1 \cdots x_n)$$

$$\mathbf{x}A = x_1\mathbf{a}_1 + \cdots + x_n\mathbf{a}_n$$

As a Dot Product

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{a}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{a}_n \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A\mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} \langle \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{x} \rangle \\ \vdots \\ \langle \mathbf{a}_n, \mathbf{x} \rangle \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{a}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{a}_n \end{pmatrix}, B = (\mathbf{b}_1 \cdots \mathbf{b}_m)$$

$$AB = \begin{pmatrix} \langle \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{b}_1 \rangle \cdots \langle \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{b}_m \rangle \\ \vdots \\ \langle \mathbf{a}_n, \mathbf{b}_1 \rangle \cdots \langle \mathbf{a}_n, \mathbf{b}_m \rangle \end{pmatrix}$$

A consequence of this is that $A^T A$, where $A = (\mathbf{a}_1 \cdots \mathbf{a}_n)$ is

$$A^T A = \begin{pmatrix} \langle \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_1 \rangle \cdots \langle \mathbf{a}_n, \mathbf{a}_n \rangle \\ \vdots \\ \langle \mathbf{a}_n, \mathbf{a}_1 \rangle \cdots \langle \mathbf{a}_n, \mathbf{a}_n \rangle \end{pmatrix}$$

and likewise for AA^T when $A = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{a}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{a}_n \end{pmatrix}$.

Matrix as Map on Columns and Rows

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{a}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{a}_n \end{pmatrix}, B = (\mathbf{b}_1 \cdots \mathbf{b}_m)$$

$$AB = (A\mathbf{b}_1 \cdots A\mathbf{b}_m)$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{a}_1 B \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{a}_n B \end{pmatrix}$$