

Assignment 1

RRC summer sessions 2019

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1 Instructions

- Programming questions in this assignment will provide base for other assignments during the sessions.
- Python or MATLAB are preferable languages.
- Try each question. Discuss with other group-mates or mentors in case of doubts.
- Set a reasonable deadline (2days) to finish the assignment.

2 Linear Algebra

1. Consider the vector space of set of all $n \times n$ matrices:

$$V = \{A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}\}$$

Show that

$$\text{trace}(A) = \sum_{i=1}^n A_{ii}$$

defines an inner product

$$\langle A, B \rangle = \text{trace}(B^T A)$$

on V . Here A_{ii} denote the entries on the diagonal of A .

2. Implement RQ decomposition using given's rotation for a matrix A ,
Where

$$A = RQ$$

R is a upper triangular matrix and Q is a orthogonal matrix.

3 Calculus and Optimization

1. Find the gradient and hessian of the following functions.

(a)

$$f\left(\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}\right) = x^3 + 2y$$

(b)

$$f\left(\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}\right) = \sin(x) + y \log(x)$$

2. In machine learning, we come across different cost functions while training classifiers. In this question we will look at a commonly used classifier known as logistic regression. In logistic regression, the cost is

$$J(\theta) = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m [-y^{(i)} \log(h_{\theta}(x^{(i)})) - (1 - y^{(i)}) \log(1 - h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}))],$$

Where,

$$h_{\theta}(x) = g(\theta^T x), g(z) = \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-z)}, z = \theta^T x \quad (1)$$

also, here $x^{(i)}$ is the i^{th} row of a $m \times n$ matrix, and $y^{(i)}$ is the label for i^{th} entry of label vector y , which is of length m . Here X is called the data, and y is called the label. Here θ is an unknown vector, and it is of length n . Now our goal is to compute the gradient of J with respect to θ .

3. Using contour, plot at least 10 level curves of the function $x^2 - y^2$ on the rectangle region $R = \{(x, y) | -3 \leq x \leq 3, -3 \leq y \leq 3\}$. Add a plot of the gradient vectors to the plot of the level curves.

4. Write down $E = ||Ax - b||^2$ as a sum of four squares. Find the derivative equations $\frac{\partial E}{\partial C} = 0$ and $\frac{\partial E}{\partial D} = 0$. Now derive the normal equations $A^T Ax = A^T b$. What do you notice from former equations and normal equations.

$$C = 0$$

$$C + D = 8$$

$$C + 3D = 8$$

$$C + 4D = 20$$

5. Solve the unconstrained and constrained problems given below.

(a)

$$\min_{x,y} 3x^2 + 2y^2 + x + 4y \quad (2)$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned} \min_{x,y} \quad & 3x^2 + 2y^2 + x + 4y \\ \text{subject to} \quad & x^2 + y^2 = 1 \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

4 Rigid body transformations

1. A frame $\{B\}$ is located initially coincident with a frame $\{A\}$. We rotate $\{B\}$ about \hat{Z}_B by 30 degrees, and then we rotate the resulting frame about \hat{X}_B by 45 degrees. Give the rotation matrix that will change the description from ${}^B P$ to ${}^A P$.
2. A vector must be mapped through three rotation matrices:

$${}^A P = {}^A R {}^B R {}^C R {}^D P$$

One choice is to first multiply the three rotation matrices together, to form ${}^A R$ in the expression

$${}^A P = {}^A R {}^D P$$

Another choice is to transform the vector through the matrices one at a time—that is,

$$\begin{aligned} {}^A P &= {}^A_B R {}^B_C R {}^C_D R {}^D P \\ {}^A P &= {}^A_B R {}^B_C R {}^C P \\ {}^A P &= {}^A_B R {}^B P \\ {}^A P &= {}^A P \end{aligned}$$

If ${}^D P$ is changing at 100 Hz, we would have to recalculate ${}^D P$ at the same rate. However, the three rotation matrices are also changing, as reported by a vision system that gives us new values for ${}^A_B R$, ${}^B_C R$ and ${}^C_D R$ at 30 Hz. What is the best way to organize the computation to minimize the calculation effort (multiplications and additions)?

3. A 3D frame $\{B\}$ located initially coincident with another 3D frame $\{A\}$. Compute the rotation matrix ${}^B R_A$ that converts a vector ${}^A P$ to ${}^B P$ for the following sequence of rotations, i.e, ${}^B P = {}^B R_A {}^A P$
 - (a) Rotate $\{B\}$ by 30 degrees about its \hat{X}_A axis, and then rotate the resulting frame by 20 degrees about the resulting frame's Z axis.
 - (b) Rotate $\{B\}$ by 20 degrees about its \hat{Y}_A axis, and then rotate the resulting frame by 20 degrees about \hat{Z}_A .
4. We are interested in plotting a camera $\{C\}$, as a translucent pyramid (fig: 1) with a square base. The pyramid's origin is located at apex with z-axis pointing towards the base. The x and y axis of pyramid are parallel to base sides following right hand coordinate system. Our world coordinate system $\{W\}$ coincides with camera coordinate system $\{C\}$ initially,
 - (a) Now, given a rotation matrix ${}^C R_W$, Plot the rotated camera pyramid at world origin.
 - (b) As seen in previous questions, we often give angle of rotation around a particular axis about which a camera is rotated. So, write a function that takes angles mentioned in Q3 (a),(b) and plot respective camera pyramids.

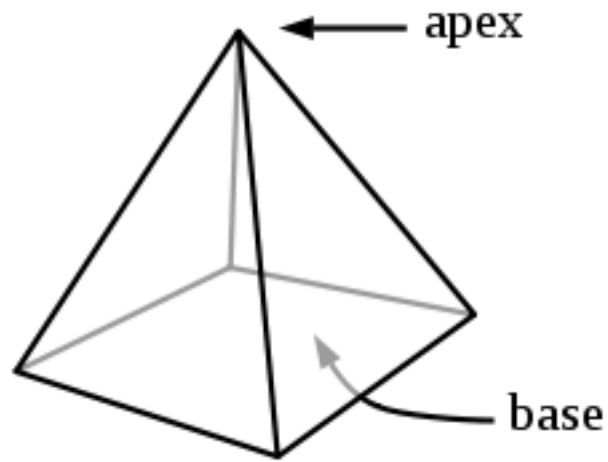


Figure 1: Pyramid

- (c) Now generalize the above function to take in $(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, i)$, Where $i \in \{0, 1\}$ indicates fixed or relative rotations performed respectively and α, β and γ are rotations around x, y and z axis in fixed/relative frames.