

Problem Set #2

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Exercise 1

(i) *Proof:*

$$\begin{aligned}\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle &= \frac{1}{4}(\|\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}\|^2 - \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}\|^2) \\&= \frac{1}{4}(\langle \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} \rangle - \langle \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y} \rangle) \\&= \frac{1}{4}(\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} \rangle - \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y} \rangle) \\&= \frac{1}{4}(\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle - \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \rangle - \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle) \\&= \frac{1}{4}(\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \rangle) \\&= \frac{1}{4}(2\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + 2\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \rangle) \\&= \frac{1}{4}(4\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle) \\&= 4\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle\end{aligned}$$

(ii) *Proof:*

$$\begin{aligned}\|\mathbf{x}\|^2 + \|\mathbf{y}\|^2 &= \frac{1}{2}(\|\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}\|^2 + \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}\|^2) \\&= \frac{1}{2}(\langle \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y} \rangle) \\&= \frac{1}{2}(\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \rangle - \langle \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle) \\&= \frac{1}{2}(\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle - \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \rangle - \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle) \\&= \frac{1}{2}(2\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle + 2\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle) \\&= \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle + 2\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle \\&= \|\mathbf{x}\|^2 + \|\mathbf{y}\|^2\end{aligned}$$

Exercise 2*Proof:*

$$\begin{aligned}
\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle &= \frac{1}{4}(\|\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}\|^2 - \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}\|^2 + i\|\mathbf{x} - i\mathbf{y}\|^2 - i\|\mathbf{x} + i\mathbf{y}\|^2) \\
&= \frac{1}{4}(\|\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}\|^2 - \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}\|^2) + \frac{1}{4}(i\|\mathbf{x} - i\mathbf{y}\|^2 - i\|\mathbf{x} + i\mathbf{y}\|^2) \\
&= \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + \frac{1}{4}(i\|\mathbf{x} - i\mathbf{y}\|^2 - i\|\mathbf{x} + i\mathbf{y}\|^2) \\
&= \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + \frac{1}{4}(i\langle \mathbf{x} - i\mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} - i\mathbf{y} \rangle - i\langle \mathbf{x} + i\mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} + i\mathbf{y} \rangle) \\
&= \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + \frac{1}{4}(i\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} - i\mathbf{y} \rangle + i^2\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} - i\mathbf{y} \rangle - i\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} + i\mathbf{y} \rangle + (-i)^2\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} + i\mathbf{y} \rangle) \\
&= \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + \frac{1}{4}(i\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle + i^2\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + i^2\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \rangle + i^3\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle \\
&\quad - i\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle + (-i)^2\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + (-i)^2\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \rangle + (-i^3)\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle) \\
&= \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + \frac{1}{4}(i^2\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + i^2\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \rangle + (-i)^2\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + (-i)^2\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \rangle) \\
&= \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + \frac{1}{4}(-\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle - \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \rangle) \\
&= \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle
\end{aligned}$$

Exercise 3

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{(i)} \quad \cos \theta &= \frac{\langle x, x^5 \rangle}{\|x\| \cdot \|x^5\|} \\
\langle x, x^5 \rangle &= \int_0^1 x \cdot x^5 dx = \frac{1}{7} \\
\langle x, x \rangle &= \int_0^1 x \cdot x dx = \frac{1}{3} \implies \|x\| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\
\langle x^5, x^5 \rangle &= \int_0^1 x^5 \cdot x^5 dx = \frac{1}{11} \implies \|x^5\| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{11}} \\
\implies \theta &= \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{33}}{7}\right)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{(ii)} \quad \cos \theta &= \frac{\langle x^2, x^4 \rangle}{\|x^2\| \cdot \|x^4\|} \\
\langle x^2, x^4 \rangle &= \int_0^1 x^2 \cdot x^4 dx = \frac{1}{7} \\
\langle x^2, x^2 \rangle &= \int_0^1 x^2 \cdot x^2 dx = \frac{1}{5} \implies \|x^2\| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \\
\langle x^4, x^4 \rangle &= \int_0^1 x^4 \cdot x^4 dx = \frac{1}{9} \implies \|x^4\| = \frac{1}{3} \\
\implies \theta &= \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{3\sqrt{5}}{7}\right)
\end{aligned}$$

Exercise 8

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{(i)} \quad \langle \cos t, \sin t \rangle &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos t \sin t dt = 0 & \langle \cos t, \cos t \rangle &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos t \cos t dt = 1 \\
\langle \cos t, \cos 2t \rangle &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos t \cos 2t dt = 0 & \langle \sin t, \sin t \rangle &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin t \sin t dt = 1 \\
\langle \cos t, \sin 2t \rangle &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos t \sin 2t dt = 0 & \langle \cos 2t, \cos 2t \rangle &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos 2t \cos 2t dt = 1 \\
\langle \sin t, \cos 2t \rangle &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin t \cos 2t dt = 0 & \langle \sin 2t, \sin 2t \rangle &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin 2t \sin 2t dt = 1 \\
\langle \sin t, \sin 2t \rangle &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos t \sin 2t dt = 0 \\
\langle \cos 2t, \sin 2t \rangle &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos 2t \sin 2t dt = 0
\end{aligned}$$

$$(ii) ||t|| = \langle t, t \rangle = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} t^2 dt = \frac{2\pi^2}{3}$$

(iii)

$$\begin{aligned} proj_X(\cos 3t) &= \langle \cos t, \cos 3t \rangle \cdot \cos t + \langle \sin t, \cos 3t \rangle \cdot \sin t \\ &\quad + \langle \cos 2t, \cos 3t \rangle \cdot \cos 2t + \langle \sin 2t, \cos 3t \rangle \cdot \sin 2t \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos t \cos 3t dt \right) \cdot \cos t + \left(\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin t \cos 3t dt \right) \cdot \sin t \\ &\quad + \left(\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos 2t \cos 3t dt \right) \cdot \cos 2t + \left(\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin 2t \cos 3t dt \right) \cdot \sin 2t \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

(iv)

$$\begin{aligned} proj_X(t) &= \langle \cos t, t \rangle \cdot \cos t + \langle \sin t, t \rangle \cdot \sin t \\ &\quad + \langle \cos 2t, t \rangle \cdot \cos 2t + \langle \sin 2t, t \rangle \cdot \sin 2t \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (\cos t) t dt \right) \cdot \cos t + \left(\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (\sin t) t dt \right) \cdot \sin t \\ &\quad + \left(\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (\cos 2t) t dt \right) \cdot \cos 2t + \left(\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (\sin 2t) t dt \right) \cdot \sin 2t \\ &= 2 \sin t - \sin(2t) \end{aligned}$$

Exercise 9

The rotation matrix R_θ is orthonormal since $R_\theta R_\theta^H = I$:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta & \cos \theta \sin \theta - \sin \theta \cos \theta \\ \cos \theta \sin \theta - \sin \theta \cos \theta & \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Exercise 10

(i) $Q \in M_n(\mathbb{F}^n)$ is an orthonormal matrix if and only if $Q^H Q = Q Q^H = I$.

Proof:

Let Q be an orthonormal matrix. Then we have that $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \langle Q\mathbf{x}, Q\mathbf{y} \rangle = (Q\mathbf{x})^H Q\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{x}^H Q^H Q\mathbf{y}$. Since we know that $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \mathbf{x}^H \mathbf{y}$, it must be that $Q^H Q = I$. Also, $Q Q^H = I$ since Q is invertible.

Now suppose that for a matrix Q , we have that $Q^H Q = Q Q^H = I$. Consider the inner product $\langle Q\mathbf{x}, Q\mathbf{y} \rangle = (Q\mathbf{x})^H Q\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{x}^H Q^H Q\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{x}^H \mathbf{y} = \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle$. Therefore, Q must be an orthonormal matrix.

(ii) If $Q \in M_n(\mathbb{F})$ is an orthonormal matrix, then $||Q\mathbf{x}|| = ||\mathbf{x}||$ for all $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{F}^n$.

Proof:

$$||Q\mathbf{x}|| = \sqrt{\langle Q\mathbf{x}, Q\mathbf{x} \rangle} = \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle} = ||\mathbf{x}||.$$

(iii) If $Q \in M_n(\mathbb{F}^n)$ is an orthonormal matrix, then so is Q^{-1} .

Proof:

Assume Q is an orthonormal matrix. Then we know that $Q^H Q = Q Q^H = I$, so $Q^{-1} = Q^H$. To prove that Q^H is orthonormal, we can show that $(Q^H)^H Q^H = Q^H (Q^H)^H = I$.

(iv) The columns of an orthonormal matrix $Q \in M_n(\mathbb{F}^n)$ are orthonormal.

Proof:

Assume that Q is orthonormal. Consider standard basis vectors $e_i, e_j \in \mathbb{F}^n$. The i th column of Q is $Q\mathbf{e}_i$. Since Q is orthonormal, we have that $\langle Q\mathbf{e}_i, Q\mathbf{e}_j \rangle = \langle e_i, e_j \rangle = \delta_{ij}$. Therefore the columns of Q must be orthonormal.

(v) If $Q \in M_n(\mathbb{F}^n)$ is an orthonormal matrix, then $|\det(Q)| = 1$. *Proof:*

Since Q is orthonormal, we know that $Q Q^H = I$. Then $\det(Q Q^H) = \det(I) = 1$. By the properties of determinants, we have that $\det(Q Q^H) = \det(Q) \cdot \det(Q^H) = 1$. Using the fact that Q and Q^H have the same determinants, we conclude that $|\det(Q)| = 1$. No. Consider the matrix

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

(vi) If $Q_1, Q_2 \in M_n(\mathbb{F}^n)$ are orthonormal matrices, then the product $Q_1 Q_2$ is also an orthonormal matrix.

Proof:

$$(Q_1 Q_2)^H Q_1 Q_2 = Q_2^H Q_1^H Q_1 Q_2 = I$$

$$Q_1 Q_2 (Q_1 Q_2)^H = Q_1 Q_2 Q_2^H Q_1^H = I.$$

Therefore $Q_1 Q_2$ is an orthonormal matrix.

Exercise 11

Let $\{\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \dots, \mathbf{x}_n\}$ be a linearly dependent set. Assume that the vector \mathbf{x}_k is linearly dependent on $\{\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \dots, \mathbf{x}_{k-1}\}$, i.e. $\mathbf{x}_k \in X = \text{Span}(\{\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \dots, \mathbf{x}_{k-1}\})$. When we apply the Gram-Schmidt orthonormalization process, we have that $\mathbf{p}_{k-1} = \text{proj}_X(\mathbf{x}_k) = \mathbf{x}_k \implies \mathbf{q}_k = \mathbf{0}$. If we remove all the zero vectors from the set, we have an orthonormal set of linearly dependent vectors.

Exercise 16

(i) Let $Q_1 R_1$ and $Q_2 R_2$ be distinct QR decompositions of a matrix A s.t. $Q_2 = Q_1 D$ and $R_2 = D^{-1} R_1$ where D is a diagonal matrix with all its diagonal entries ± 1 . Then Q_2 is orthonormal since Q_1 is orthonormal. Also, R_2 is upper triangular since R_1 is upper triangular.

(ii) Assume that $A = Q_1 R_1 = Q_2 R_2$ s.t. Q_i is orthonormal and R_i is upper triangular with only positive diagonal entries. Thus R_i is invertible and $Q_i Q_i^H = I$. Then we have that $R_1 R_2^{-1} = Q_1^H Q_2$. Since the R_i are upper triangular with only positive entries on the diagonal, $R_1 R_2^{-1}$ must be upper triangular with only positive entries on the diagonal as well. Also, since the Q_i are orthonormal, $Q_1^H Q_2$ must be orthonormal. Then, $R_1 R_2^{-1} = Q_1^H Q_2 = I$, so $R_1 = R_2$ and $Q_1 = Q_2$.

Exercise 17

Let $A = \hat{Q}\hat{R}$.

$$A^H A \mathbf{x} = A^H \mathbf{b}$$

$$\implies (\hat{Q}\hat{R})^H \hat{Q}\hat{R} \mathbf{x} = (\hat{Q}\hat{R})^H \mathbf{b}$$

$$\implies \hat{R}^H \hat{Q}^H \hat{Q}\hat{R} \mathbf{x} = \hat{R}^H \hat{Q}^H \mathbf{b}$$

$$\implies \hat{Q}\hat{R} \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$$

$$\implies \hat{R} \mathbf{x} = \hat{Q}^H \mathbf{b}$$

Exercise 23

By the triangle inequality,

$$\|\mathbf{x}\| = \|(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}) + \mathbf{y}\| \leq \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}\| + \|\mathbf{y}\| \Leftrightarrow \|\mathbf{x}\| - \|\mathbf{y}\| \leq \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}\|.$$

Similarly and by scale preservation,

$$\begin{aligned} \|\mathbf{y}\| &= |-1| \cdot \|\mathbf{y}\| = \|-\mathbf{y}\| = \|(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}) + \mathbf{x}\| \leq \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}\| + \|\mathbf{x}\| \Leftrightarrow \|\mathbf{y}\| - \|\mathbf{x}\| \leq \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}\| \\ &\implies \left| \|\mathbf{x}\| - \|\mathbf{y}\| \right| \leq \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}\| \end{aligned}$$

Exercise 24

$$(i) \|f\|_{L^1} = \int_a^b |f(t)| dt$$

$$1. \text{ Positivity: } |f(t)| \geq 0 \text{ for all } x \implies \int_a^b |f(t)| dt \geq 0.$$

Also, $\int_a^b |f(t)| dt = 0$ if and only if $|f(t)| = 0$.

$$2. \text{ Scale preservation: } \|af\|_{L^1} = \int_a^b |af(t)| dt = |a| \int_a^b |f(t)| dt = |a| \|f\|_{L^1}$$

3. Triangle inequality: Consider $f, g \in C[a, b]$.

$$\begin{aligned} \|f + g\|_{L^1} &= \int_a^b |f(t) + g(t)| dt \\ &\leq \int_a^b (|f(t)| + |g(t)|) dt \\ &= \int_a^b |f(t)| dt + \int_a^b |g(t)| dt \\ &= \|f\|_{L^1} + \|g\|_{L^1} \end{aligned}$$

$$(ii) \|f\|_{L^2} = \left(\int_a^b |f(t)|^2 dt \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$1. \text{ Positivity: } |f(t)|^2 \geq 0 \text{ for all } x \implies \left(\int_a^b |f(t)|^2 dt \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \geq 0.$$

Also, $\left(\int_a^b |f(t)|^2 dt \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} = 0$ if and only if $|f(t)| = 0$.

$$2. \text{ Scale preservation: } \|af\|_{L^2} = \left(\int_a^b |af(t)|^2 dt \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} = |a| \left(\int_a^b |f(t)|^2 dt \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} = |a| \|f\|_{L^2}$$

3. Triangle inequality: Consider $f, g \in C[a, b]$.

$$\begin{aligned} \|f + g\| &= \left(\int_a^b |f(t) + g(t)|^2 dt \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &\leq \left(\int_a^b |f(t)|^2 dt + \int_a^b |g(t)|^2 dt \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &\leq \|f\|_{L^2} + \|g\|_{L^2} \end{aligned}$$

(iii) $\|f\|_{L^\infty} = \sup_{x \in [a, b]} |f(x)|$

1. Positivity: $|f(x)| \geq 0$ for all $x \implies \sup_{x \in [a, b]} |f(x)| \geq 0$.

Also, $\sup_{x \in [a, b]} |f(x)| = 0$ if and only if $|f(x)| = 0$.

2. Scale preservation: $\|af\|_{L^\infty} = \sup_{x \in [a, b]} |a||f(x)| = |a| \sup_{x \in [a, b]} |f(x)| = |a| \|f\|_{L^\infty}$

3. Triangle inequality: For any $x \in [a, b]$

$$\begin{aligned} |f(x) + g(x)| &\leq |f(x)| + |g(x)| \\ &\leq \sup_{x \in [a, b]} |f(x)| + \sup_{x \in [a, b]} |g(x)| \\ &= \|f\|_{L^\infty} + \|g\|_{L^\infty} \\ \implies \sup_{x \in [a, b]} |f(x) + g(x)| &= \|f + g\|_{L^\infty} \leq \|f\|_{L^\infty} + \|g\|_{L^\infty} \end{aligned}$$

Exercise 26

Prove that topological equivalence is an equivalence relation. We check that it satisfies the three conditions:

1. Reflexivity: $\|\cdot\|_a \sim \|\cdot\|_a$

We see that $m\|\mathbf{x}\|_a \leq \|\mathbf{x}\|_a \leq M\|\mathbf{x}\|_a$ holds for a choice of constants $m = 1$ and $M = 2$.

2. Symmetry: $\|\cdot\|_a \sim \|\cdot\|_b \implies \|\cdot\|_b \sim \|\cdot\|_a$

If $m\|\mathbf{x}\|_a \leq \|\mathbf{x}\|_b \leq M\|\mathbf{x}\|_a$, then the relation holds for $\frac{1}{M}\|\mathbf{x}\|_b \leq \|\mathbf{x}\|_a \leq \frac{1}{m}\|\mathbf{x}\|_b$.

3. Transitivity: $\|\cdot\|_a \sim \|\cdot\|_b$ and $\|\cdot\|_b \sim \|\cdot\|_c \implies \|\cdot\|_a \sim \|\cdot\|_c$

If $m_1\|\mathbf{x}\|_a \leq \|\mathbf{x}\|_b \leq M_1\|\mathbf{x}\|_a$ and $m_2\|\mathbf{x}\|_b \leq \|\mathbf{x}\|_c \leq M_2\|\mathbf{x}\|_b$, then the relation holds for $m_1m_2\|\mathbf{x}\|_a \leq \|\mathbf{x}\|_c \leq M_1M_2\|\mathbf{x}\|_a$.

(i) Show that $\|\mathbf{x}\|_2 \leq \|\mathbf{x}\|_1 \leq \sqrt{n}\|\mathbf{x}\|_2$.

$$\begin{aligned} \|\mathbf{x}\|_1^2 &= (|x_1| + |x_2| + \cdots + |x_n|)^2 \geq |x_1|^2 + |x_2|^2 + \cdots + |x_n|^2 \\ \implies \|\mathbf{x}\|_1 &\geq (|x_1|^2 + |x_2|^2 + \cdots + |x_n|^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 \end{aligned}$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned} \|\mathbf{x}\|_1 &= |\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{1} \rangle| \leq \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 \cdot \|\mathbf{1}\|_2 \text{ where } \|\mathbf{1}\|_2 = \left(\sum_{j=1}^n 1^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \sqrt{n} \\ \implies \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 &\leq \|\mathbf{x}\|_1 \leq \sqrt{n} \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 \end{aligned}$$

(ii) Show that $\|\mathbf{x}\|_\infty \leq \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 \leq \sqrt{n} \|\mathbf{x}\|_\infty$.

$$\|\mathbf{x}\|_\infty = \sup_i |x_i| = \left(\sup_i |x_i|^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \leq (|x_1|^2 + |x_2|^2 + \cdots + |x_n|^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \|\mathbf{x}\|_2$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned} \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 &= (|x_1|^2 + |x_2|^2 + \cdots + |x_n|^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \leq (n|x_n|^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \sqrt{n} \|\mathbf{x}\|_\infty \\ \implies \|\mathbf{x}\|_\infty &\leq \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 \leq \sqrt{n} \|\mathbf{x}\|_\infty \end{aligned}$$

Exercise 28

(i) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \|A\|_2 \leq \|A\|_1 \leq \sqrt{n} \|A\|_2$

Proof:

From Exercise 26(i), we know that

$$\begin{aligned} \|A\mathbf{x}\|_2 &\leq \|A\mathbf{x}\|_1 \leq \sqrt{n} \|A\mathbf{x}\|_2 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 \leq \|\mathbf{x}\|_1 \leq \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 \\ \implies \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \frac{\|A\mathbf{x}\|_2}{\|\mathbf{x}\|_2} &\leq \frac{\|A\mathbf{x}\|_1}{\|\mathbf{x}\|_1} \leq \sqrt{n} \frac{\|A\mathbf{x}\|_2}{\|\mathbf{x}\|_2} \\ \implies \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \|A\|_2 &\leq \|A\|_1 \leq \sqrt{n} \|A\|_2 \end{aligned}$$

(ii) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \|A\|_\infty \leq \|A\|_2 \leq \sqrt{n} \|A\|_\infty$

Proof:

From Exercise 26(ii), we know that

$$\begin{aligned} \|A\mathbf{x}\|_\infty &\leq \|A\mathbf{x}\|_2 \leq \sqrt{n} \|A\mathbf{x}\|_\infty \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \|\mathbf{x}\|_\infty \leq \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 \leq \|\mathbf{x}\|_\infty \\ \implies \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \frac{\|A\mathbf{x}\|_\infty}{\|\mathbf{x}\|_\infty} &\leq \frac{\|A\mathbf{x}\|_2}{\|\mathbf{x}\|_2} \leq \sqrt{n} \frac{\|A\mathbf{x}\|_\infty}{\|\mathbf{x}\|_\infty} \\ \implies \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \|A\|_\infty &\leq \|A\|_2 \leq \sqrt{n} \|A\|_\infty \end{aligned}$$

Exercise 29

Any orthonormal matrix $Q \in M_n(\mathbb{F})$ has $\|Q\| = 1$.

Proof:

$$\|Q\| = \sup_{\mathbf{x} \neq \mathbf{0}} \frac{\|Q\mathbf{x}\|_2}{\|\mathbf{x}\|_2} = \frac{\|\mathbf{x}\|_2}{\|\mathbf{x}\|_2} = 1$$

For any $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{F}^n$, let $R_x : M_n(\mathbb{F}) \rightarrow \mathbb{F}^n$ be the linear transformation $A \mapsto A\mathbf{x}$. The induced norm of the transformation R_x is equal to $\|\mathbf{x}\|_2$.

Proof:

$\|R_x\| = \sup_{\|A\|_2 \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|_2}{\|A\|} = \sup_{\|A\|_2 \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|_2 \|x\|_2}{\|A\| \|x\|_2} \leq \sup_{\|A\|_2 \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|_2 \|x\|_2}{\|Ax\|_2} = \|x\|_2$
 Since A is orthonormal, we have that $\|A\| = 1$ and $\|Ax\|_2 = \|x\|_2 \implies \|R_x\| = \|x\|_2$.

Exercise 30

Let $S \in M_n(\mathbb{F})$ be an invertible matrix. Given any matrix norm $\|\cdot\|$ on M_n , define $\|\cdot\|_S$ by $\|A\|_S = \|SAS^{-1}\|$. Then $\|\cdot\|_S$ is a matrix norm on M_n .

Proof:

1. Positivity: $\|SAS^{-1}\| \geq 0$ by definition.

Also, $\|SAS^{-1}\| = 0$ if and only if $A = 0$.

2. Scale preservation: Let $a \in \mathbb{R}$. Then $\|aA\|_S = \|aSAS^{-1}\| = |a| \|SAS^{-1}\| = |a| \|A\|_S$.

3. Triangle inequality: Let $A_1, A_2 \in M_n$. Then $\|A_1 + A_2\|_S = \|S(A_1 + A_2)S^{-1}\| = \|SA_1S^{-1} + SA_2S^{-1}\| \leq \|SA_1S^{-1}\| + \|SA_2S^{-1}\| = \|A_1\|_S + \|A_2\|_S$.

4. Submultiplicative property: $\|A_1A_2\|_S = \|SA_1A_2S^{-1}\| = \|SA_1S^{-1}SA_2S^{-1}\| \leq \|SA_1S^{-1}\| \cdot \|SA_2S^{-1}\| = \|A_1\|_S \cdot \|A_2\|_S$.

Exercise 37

We define $\mathcal{S} = \{1, x, x^2\}$ to be the basis of the space V . Then we can evaluate L on the basis vectors: $L[1] = 0, L[x] = 1, L[x^2] = 2$. Every function $p \in V$ can be written as a linear combination of the basis vectors:

$$p = a_1 + a_2x + a_3x^2 \implies L[p] = a_1L[1] + a_2L[x] + a_3L[x^2]$$

$$L[p] = \begin{bmatrix} L[1] & L[x] & L[x^2] \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \end{bmatrix} = \langle (0, 1, 2), x \rangle$$

Exercise 38

We again define $\mathcal{S} = \{1, x, x^2\}$ to be the basis of the space V , and we evaluate D on the basis vectors: $D[1](x) = 0, Dx = 1, D[x^2](x) = 2x$. The matrix representation of D with respect to this basis is

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Using integration by parts,

$$\langle q, D[p] \rangle = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} q(x)p'(x)dx = - \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} q'(x)p(x)dx = -\langle D[q], [p] \rangle.$$

Therefore the matrix representation of the adjoint of D with respect to the basis is

$$D^* = -D = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Exercise 39

Let V and W be finite-dimensional inner product spaces. The adjoint has the following properties:

(i) If $S, T \in \mathcal{L}(V; W)$, then $(S + T)^* = S^* + T^*$ and $(\alpha T)^* = \bar{\alpha}T^*$, $\alpha \in \mathbb{F}$.

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \mathbf{w}, (S + T)(\mathbf{v}) \rangle &= \langle \mathbf{w}, S(\mathbf{v}) \rangle + \langle \mathbf{w}, T(\mathbf{v}) \rangle \\ &= \langle S^*(\mathbf{w}), \mathbf{v} \rangle + \langle T^*(\mathbf{w}), \mathbf{v} \rangle \\ &= \langle (S + T)^*(\mathbf{w}), \mathbf{v} \rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle (\alpha T)(\mathbf{w}), \mathbf{v} \rangle &= \alpha \langle T(\mathbf{w}), \mathbf{v} \rangle \\ &= \alpha \langle \mathbf{w}, T^*(\mathbf{v}) \rangle \\ &= \langle \mathbf{w}, \bar{\alpha}T^*(\mathbf{v}) \rangle \end{aligned}$$

(ii) If $S \in \mathcal{L}(V; W)$, then $(S^*)^* = S$.

Proof:

$$\langle \mathbf{w}, (S^*)^*(\mathbf{v}) \rangle = \langle S^*(\mathbf{w}), \mathbf{v} \rangle = \langle \mathbf{w}, S(\mathbf{v}) \rangle$$

(iii) If $S, T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$, then $(ST)^* = T^*S^*$.

Proof:

$$\langle \mathbf{w}, (ST)^*(\mathbf{v}) \rangle = \langle (ST)(\mathbf{w}), \mathbf{v} \rangle = \langle T(\mathbf{w}), S^*(\mathbf{v}) \rangle = \langle \mathbf{w}, T^*S^*(\mathbf{v}) \rangle$$

(iv) If $T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$ and T is invertible, then $(T^*)^{-1} = (T^{-1})^*$.

Proof:

$$\text{By (iii), } T^*(T^*)^{-1} = (TT^{-1})^* = I^* = I.$$

Exercise 40

Let $M_n(\mathbb{F})$ be endowed with the Frobenius inner product. Any $A \in M_n(\mathbb{F})$ defines a linear operator on $M_n(\mathbb{F})$ by left multiplication: $B \mapsto AB$.

(i) Show that $A^* = A^H$.

Proof:

$$\text{Let } B, C \in M_n. \text{ Then the Frobenius inner product is } \langle B, AC \rangle = \text{tr}(B^H AC) = \text{tr}((A^H B)^H C) = \langle A^H B, C \rangle.$$

(ii) Show that for any $A_1, A_2, A_3 \in M_n(\mathbb{F})$ we have $\langle A_2, A_3 A_1 \rangle = \langle A_2 A_1^*, A_3 \rangle$.

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle A_2, A_3 A_1 \rangle &= \text{tr}(A_2^H A_3 A_1) = \text{tr}(A_1 A_2^H A_3) = \text{tr}((A_2 A_1^H)^H A_3) = \langle A_2 A_1^H, A_3 \rangle = \\ &= \langle A_2 A_1^*, A_3 \rangle \text{ by the result of (i).} \end{aligned}$$

Exercise 44

Given $A \in M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{F})$ and $\mathbf{b} \in \mathbb{F}^m$, either $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ has a solution $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{F}^n$ or there exists $\mathbf{y} \in \mathcal{N}(A^H)$ such that $\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{b} \rangle \neq 0$ (Fredholm alternative).

Proof:

First, we must show that if $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ has a solution, then $\forall \mathbf{y} \in \mathcal{N}(A^H)$ we have that $\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{b} \rangle = 0$. We know that $\mathcal{N}(A^H)$ is orthogonal to $\mathcal{R}(A)$ so $\forall \mathbf{y} \in \mathcal{N}(A^H)$ and $\forall \mathbf{b} \in \mathcal{R}(A)$, we have that $\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{b} \rangle = 0$ by definition.

On the other hand, we want to show that if $\exists \mathbf{y} \in \mathcal{N}(A^H)$ s.t. $\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{b} \rangle \neq 0$, then $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ has no solution. This follows similarly to the proof of the first claim; if $\exists \mathbf{y} \in \mathcal{N}(A^H)$ s.t. $\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{b} \rangle \neq 0$ then $\mathbf{b} \notin \mathcal{R}(A)$, so $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ must have no solution.

Exercise 45

Consider the vector space $M_n(\mathbb{R})$ with the Frobenius inner product. Show that $\text{Sym}_n(\mathbb{R})^\perp = \text{Skew}_n(\mathbb{R})$.

Proof:

Exercise 46

Let A be an $m \times n$ matrix.

(i) If $\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{N}(A^H A)$, then $A\mathbf{x}$ is in both $\mathcal{R}(A)$ and $\mathcal{N}(A^H)$.

Proof:

By definition, $A\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{R}(A)$. Additionally, $A^H A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$, so $A\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{N}(A^H)$.

(ii) $\mathcal{N}(A^H A) = \mathcal{N}(A)$.

Proof:

Let $\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{N}(A)$. Then $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0} \implies A^H A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$. Now let $\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{N}(A^H A)$. Then $A^H A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$. To show that $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$, we take its norm $\|A\mathbf{x}\|^2 = \langle A\mathbf{x}, A\mathbf{x} \rangle = \mathbf{x}^H A^H A\mathbf{x} = 0$. Recall that this happens if and only if $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$.

(iii) A and $A^H A$ have the same rank.

Proof:

Let $\text{rank}(A) = r$. Then we know that $\text{rank}(A^H) = r$. Since $\text{rank}(A^H A) \leq \min\{\text{rank}(A), \text{rank}(A^H)\} = r$. By part (ii), we know that $\dim(\mathcal{N}(A^H A)) = \dim(\mathcal{N}(A))$, so $\text{rank}(A) = \text{rank}(A^H A)$.

(iv) If A has linearly independent columns, the $A^H A$ is nonsingular.

Proof:

If A has linearly independent columns, then $\text{rank}(A) = \text{rank}(A^H A) = n$. Since we know that $A^H A$ has full rank, it must be nonsingular.

Exercise 47

Let $P = A(A^H A)^{-1}A^H$

(i) $P^2 = P$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} P^2 &= A(A^H A)^{-1} A^H A(A^H A)^{-1} A^H \\ &= A I_n (A^H A)^{-1} A^H \\ &= A(A^H A)^{-1} A^H \end{aligned}$$

(ii) $P^H = P$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} P^H &= (A(A^H A)^{-1} A^H)^H \\ &= A((A^H A)^{-1})^H A^H \\ &= A((A^H A)^H)^{-1} A^H \\ &= A(A^H A)^{-1} A^H \end{aligned}$$

(iii) $\text{rank}(P) = n$

Proof:

Since P is idempotent, so $\text{tr}(P) = \text{tr}(A(A^H A)^{-1} A^H) = \text{tr}((A^H A)^{-1} A^H A) = \text{tr}(I_n) = n = \text{rank}(P)$

Exercise 48

Consider the vector space $M_n(\mathbb{R})$ with the Frobenius inner product. Let $P(A) = \frac{A+A^T}{2}$ be the map $P : M_n(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow M_n(\mathbb{R})$. Then

(i) P is linear.

Proof:

Let $A, B \in M_n(\mathbb{R}), \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$.

$$\begin{aligned} P(\alpha A + \beta B) &= \frac{(\alpha A + \beta B) + (\alpha A + \beta B)^T}{2} \\ &= \frac{\alpha A + \beta B + \alpha A^T + \beta B^T}{2} \\ &= \alpha \frac{A + A^T}{2} + \beta \frac{B + B^T}{2} \end{aligned}$$

(ii) $P^2 = P$

Proof:

Let $A \in M_n(\mathbb{R})$.

$$P^2 = \frac{\frac{A+A^T}{2} + (\frac{A+A^T}{2})^T}{2} = \frac{A+A^T}{2} = P$$

(iii) $P^* = P$

Proof:

Let $A, B \in M_n(\mathbb{R})$.

$$\begin{aligned}
\langle A, P(B) \rangle &= \text{tr}(A^T P(B)) \\
&= \text{tr}\left(A^T \frac{B + B^T}{2}\right) \\
&= \text{tr}\left(A^T \frac{B}{2} + A^T \frac{B^T}{2}\right) \\
&= \text{tr}\left(\frac{A^T}{2} B + \frac{A^T}{2} B^T\right) \\
&= \text{tr}\left(\frac{A^T}{2} B\right) + \text{tr}\left(\frac{A^T}{2} B^T\right) \\
&= \text{tr}\left(\frac{A}{2} B^T\right) + \text{tr}\left(\frac{A^T}{2} B^T\right) \\
&= \text{tr}\left(\frac{A + A^T}{2} B^T\right) \\
&= \text{tr}\left(\left(\frac{A + A^T}{2}\right)^T B\right) \\
&= \langle P(A), B \rangle
\end{aligned}$$

(iv) $\mathcal{N}(P) = \text{Skew}_n(\mathbb{R})$

Proof:

First suppose that $A \in \mathcal{N}(P)$. Then we know that

$$P(A) = \frac{A + A^T}{2} = 0 \implies A^T = -A. \text{ Therefore } A \in \text{Skew}_n(\mathbb{R}).$$

Now assume that $A \in \text{Skew}_n(\mathbb{R})$. Then $A^T = -A \implies \frac{A + A^T}{2} = \frac{A - A}{2} = 0$. Therefore $A \in \mathcal{N}(P)$, and so $\mathcal{N}(P) = \text{Skew}_n(\mathbb{R})$.

(v) $\mathcal{R}(P) = \text{Sym}_n(\mathbb{R})$

Proof:

First suppose that $A \in \mathcal{R}(P)$. Then $\exists B \in M_n(\mathbb{R})$ s.t. $P(B) = \frac{B + B^T}{2} = A$. We know that $A^T = \left(\frac{B + B^T}{2}\right)^T = \frac{B + B^T}{2} = A$, and therefore, $A \in \text{Sym}_n(\mathbb{R})$.

Now suppose that $A \in \text{Sym}_n(\mathbb{R})$. Then we know that $A = A^T$. Then $P(A) = \frac{A + A^T}{2} = \frac{2A}{2} = A$, so $A \in \mathcal{R}(P)$, and therefore $\mathcal{R}(P) = \text{Sym}_n(\mathbb{R})$.

$$(v) \|A - P(A)\|_F = \sqrt{\frac{\text{tr}(A^T A) - \text{tr}(A^2)}{2}}$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned}
\|A - P(A)\|_F &= \sqrt{\text{tr}((A - P(A))^T(A - P(A)))} \\
&= \sqrt{\text{tr}((A^T - P(A))(A - P(A)))} \\
&= \sqrt{\text{tr}\left(\left(A^T - \frac{A + A^T}{2}\right)\left(A - \frac{A + A^T}{2}\right)\right)} \\
&= \sqrt{\text{tr}\left(\left(\frac{A^T - A}{2}\right)\left(\frac{A - A^T}{2}\right)\right)} \\
&= \sqrt{\text{tr}\left(\left(\frac{A^T A - A^2 + A A^T - (A^T)^2}{4}\right)\right)} \\
&= \sqrt{\frac{\text{tr}(A^T A) - \text{tr}(A^2)}{2}}
\end{aligned}$$

Exercise 50

Let $(x_i, y_i)_{i=1}^n$ be a collection of data points lying roughly on an ellipse of the form $rx^2 + sy^2 = 1$. Find the least squares approximation for r and s . Write A , \mathbf{x} , and \mathbf{b} for the corresponding normal equation in terms of the data x_i and y_i and the unknowns r and s .

Rewriting the ellipse equation, we get $rx^2 + sy^2 = 1 \implies \frac{1}{s} - \frac{r}{s}x^2 = y^2$. We can estimate this system using OLS on the following matrices:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x_1^2 \\ 1 & x_2^2 \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & x_n^2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{s} \\ -\frac{r}{s} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix}$$

The corresponding normal equation for the system is $A^H A \hat{\mathbf{x}} = A^H \mathbf{b}$.