

Question 6

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6. In class we mentioned that $\langle A, B \rangle_1 = \text{tr}(AB^T)$ defines an inner product on $M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{R})$ and in studio covered that $\langle A, B \rangle_2 = \text{tr}(A^T B)$ is an inner product. Is there a typo in terms of where the transpose operation is on?

$$\langle A, B \rangle_1 : M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$AB \mapsto \text{tr}(AB^T)$$

$$(AB)_{ij} = \sum_{j=1}^n A_{ij} B_{jn}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}b_{11} + a_{12}b_{21} & a_{11}b_{12} + a_{12}b_{22} \\ a_{21}b_{11} + a_{22}b_{21} & a_{21}b_{12} + a_{22}b_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \langle x, y \rangle = \langle y, x \rangle \quad \forall x, y \in V$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \langle x, ky \rangle = k\langle x, y \rangle \quad \forall x, y \in V \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \langle x, y+z \rangle = \langle x, y \rangle + \langle x, z \rangle \quad \forall x, y, z \in V$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad \langle x, x \rangle \geq 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \langle x, x \rangle = 0 \quad \text{iff} \quad x = 0$$

$$(AB^T)_{i,j} = \sum_{k=1}^n A_{ik} B_{jk}$$

$$\text{tr}(AB^T) = \sum_{p=1}^m \sum_{k=1}^n A_{pk} B_{pk}$$

$$\text{tr}(A^T B) = \sum_{k=1}^n \sum_{p=1}^m A_{kp} B_{kp}$$

Consider the
definitions of
 $\text{tr}(AB^T)$ and $\text{tr}(A^T B)$

The ips $\langle A, B \rangle_1 : M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$A, B \longmapsto \text{tr}(AB^T)$$

is an inner product space since

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \langle A, B \rangle = \text{tr}(AB^T) = \sum_{P=1}^n \sum_{K=1}^n A_{PK} B_{PK}$$

$$BA^T = \sum_{P=1}^n \sum_{K=1}^n B_{PK} A_{PK}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{tr}(BA^T) = \langle B, A \rangle$$

$$\text{if } A, B \in M_{n \times n}(\mathbb{R})$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \langle A, \alpha B \rangle = \text{tr}(A(\alpha B)^T)$$

$$= \alpha \text{tr}(AB^T)$$

$$= \alpha \langle A, B \rangle \quad \forall \alpha \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \langle A, B+C \rangle = \text{tr}(A(B+C)^T)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{P=1}^n \sum_{K=1}^n A_{PK} (B_{PK} + C_{PK})$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{P=1}^n \sum_{K=1}^n A_{PK} B_{PK} + A_{PK} C_{PK}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{P=1}^n \sum_{K=1}^n A_{PK} B_{PK} + \sum_{P=1}^n \sum_{K=1}^n A_{PK} C_{PK}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{tr}(AB^T) + \text{tr}(AC^T)$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle A, B \rangle + \langle A, C \rangle \quad \checkmark$$

④ $\langle A, A \rangle > 0$ & $\langle A, A \rangle = 0$ iff $A=0$

$$\langle A, A \rangle = \text{tr}(AA^T) = \sum_{p=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^m A_{pk} A_{pk} = 0$$

when $A @ p_k = 0$

and $p \in \{1, \dots, m\}$, $k \in \{1, \dots, n\}$

every element in A is

zero ✓

Similarly $\langle A, B \rangle_2 : M_{n \times n}(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$AB \mapsto \text{tr}(A^T B)$$

is an inner product space as it satisfies

- ① Symmetry ② Homogeneity ③ Distributivity ④ Pos. Def.

∴ NOT a Typo