



# Lecture 5 Inverse Matrices

and     LU    Decomposition .

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## Strang Sections 2.5 – Inverse Matrices

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## The Idea of Inverse Matrices

# The idea of Inverse Matrices

• if  $A$  have an inverse matrix  $A^{-1}$

This means  $\text{① } Ax = b$  have a single solution  $x = A^{-1}b$   
 square  $\mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

Suppose  $A$  is an  $n \times n$  matrix (square matrix), then  $A$  is invertible if there exists a matrix  $A^{-1}$  such that

Matrix Eq  $A \bar{x} = B$

$$\begin{array}{c} R^{n \times n} \\ \downarrow \\ R^{n \times p} \\ \downarrow \\ R^{n \times p} \end{array}$$

$$\underline{AA^{-1} = I} \quad \text{and} \quad \underline{A^{-1}A = I}.$$

What is  $\bar{x}$

$$a) A' B$$

$$b) BA^{-1}$$

We can only talk about an inverse of a square matrix, but not all square matrices are invertible. We will discuss such restrictions in future lectures.

using  $AA^{-1} = I$ ,  $A^{-1}A = I$

$$Ax = B$$

$$\underbrace{A^{-1}}_{I}(Ax) = \underbrace{A^{-1}}_{I}(B)$$

$$Ix = A^{-1}B \Rightarrow x = A^{-1}B$$

$$\bar{x} = A^{-1}B, \quad B = [\underbrace{\overrightarrow{b_1}}_{\substack{n \times 1 \\ \text{Column vector}}, \dots, \overrightarrow{b_p}}]$$

$$= [A^{-1}\overrightarrow{b_1}, \dots, A^{-1}\overrightarrow{b_p}]$$

$$A \bar{x} = B$$

$$A \cdot [A^{-1}\overrightarrow{b_1}, \dots, A^{-1}\overrightarrow{b_p}] = [\cancel{AA^{-1}}\overrightarrow{b_1}, \dots, \cancel{AA^{-1}}\overrightarrow{b_p}]$$

$$Ax_1 = b_1$$

$$Ax_p = b_p$$

$$B \\ \parallel$$

$$AAT^{-1} b_p$$

# The idea of Inverse Matrices

**Recall:** The multiplicative inverse (or reciprocal) of a nonzero number  $a$  is the number  $b$  such that  $ab = 1$ . We define the inverse of a matrix in almost the same way.

## Definition

Let  $A$  be an  $n \times n$  square matrix. We say  $A$  is **invertible** (or **nonsingular**) if there is a matrix  $B$  of the same size, such that

$$AB = I_n$$

$$\text{and } BA = I_n.$$

In this case,  $B$  is the **inverse** of  $A$ , and is written  $A^{-1}$ .

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

## Example

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

I claim  $B = A^{-1}$ . Check:



## Properties of Inverses

# Inverse of a Product

Theorem: If  $A$  and  $B$  are invertible, then  $AB$  is invertible, with

$$AB \neq BA \quad (!)$$

$$(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$$

!! order

$$(AB)^{-1} \cdot AB = I$$

$$\underbrace{\quad}_{\uparrow} \quad$$

$$= B^{-1} \underbrace{A^{-1}}_{I} \cdot A \cdot B$$

$$= \underbrace{B^{-1} \cdot B}_{I} = I$$

$$AB \cdot (AB)^{-1} = I$$

$$= AB \underbrace{B^{-1}}_I A^{-1}$$

$$= \underbrace{A \cdot A^{-1}}_I = I$$

Solve the LS

$$ABx = y$$



First Step Solve  $Ax_1 = y$  (!)  $\leftarrow x_1 = A^{-1}y$

Solve (!)

$$\downarrow$$

Second Step Solve  $Bx = x_1$  (2)  $\leftarrow x = B^{-1}x_1$   
 $= B^{-1}(A^{-1}y)$

$$\therefore (AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$$

↑ ↑  
 first step solve  $Ax_1 = y$

Second step solve  $Bx = x_1$

# Inverse of the sum of Matrices

In general, even if both  $\underline{A}$  and  $\underline{B}$  are invertible matrices of the same size, the matrix  $(\underline{A} + \underline{B})$  is not necessarily invertible.

$$1 \neq 0 \quad (-1) \neq 0 \quad 1 + (-1) = 0$$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad A + B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

# Inverse of a Diagonal Matrix

Let  $D = \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & & & \\ & d_{22} & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & d_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$  be an  $n \times n$  diagonal matrix, then

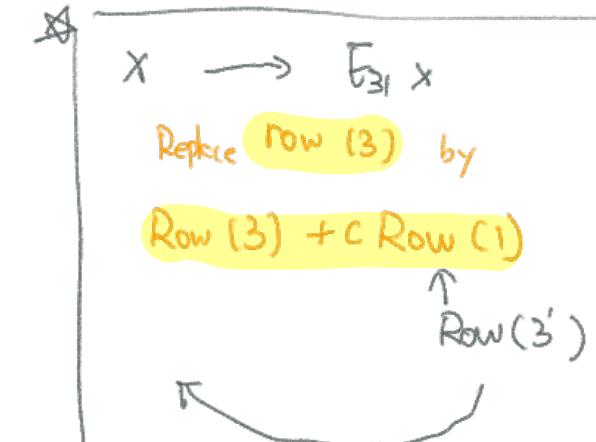
$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbf{x} & \xrightarrow{\hspace{1cm}} & D\mathbf{x} \\ \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} & & \begin{pmatrix} d_{11}x_1 \\ \vdots \\ d_{nn}x_n \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\hspace{1cm}} \begin{pmatrix} 1/d_{11} \\ \vdots \\ 1/d_{nn} \end{pmatrix} & \xrightarrow{\hspace{1cm}} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} \end{array}$$

$$D^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/d_{11} & & & \\ & 1/d_{22} & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & 1/d_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$
 provided that  $d_{ii} \neq 0$ .

# Inverse of an Elimination Matrix

Consider the elimination matrix

$$E_{31} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ c & 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & & & \ddots & \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



which adds  $c$  copies of the first row to the third row. Then,

$$E_{31}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ -c & 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & & & \ddots & \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & & \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & & \\ c & 0 & 1 & & \end{array} \right] \cdot \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc|cc} 1 & 0 & 0 & & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & & 0 \\ -c & 0 & 1 & & 1 \end{array} \right] = \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Row (3)  
= Row (3') - \$c\$ Row (1)  
↑  
another Elimination.

# Goal

$$E_{31} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ lower triangular} \quad E_{31}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ lower triangular.}$$

The inverse of a Lower Triangular Matrix is a Lower Triangular Matrix

Example.

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

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|cc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\substack{R_2 - R_1 \\ R_3 - R_1}}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|cc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_3 - R_2}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|cc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$I_3$$

Lower Triangular Matrix

General

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|cc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\substack{\text{all zero} \\ \text{gray part will not change}}}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|cc} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|cc} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Gives you a Lower Triangular Matrix

# Inverse of a Permutation Matrix

The inverse of a permutation matrix is its transpose.

just switch two rows

$$P_{34} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow P_{34}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = P_{34}^T$$

$x \rightarrow P_{ij} x$  switch Row (i) and Row (j)

$$x \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow P_x \begin{pmatrix} x_4 \\ x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = P^T$$

Now!!

$x$

Row (1)  $\rightarrow$  Row (4)  $a_{41} = 1$   $\rightarrow$  Row (1)  $a_{14} = 1$

Row (2)  $\rightarrow$  Row (2)  $a_{22} = 1$   $\rightarrow$  Row (2)  $a_{22} = 1$

Row (3)  $\rightarrow$  Row (3)  $a_{31} = 1$   $\rightarrow$  Row (3)  $a_{31} = 1$

Row (4)  $\rightarrow$  Row (4)  $a_{43} = 1$   $\rightarrow$  Row (4)  $a_{43} = 1$



## More on the Transpose of a Matrix

# Recall

The transpose of an  $m \times n$  matrix  $A$  is denoted by  $A^T$ , and it has entries  $a_{ij}^T = a_{ji}$ . That is, the columns of  $A^T$  are the rows of  $A$ .

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} \implies A^T = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{21} & \dots & a_{m1} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{m2} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{1n} & a_{2n} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$

The diagram illustrates the transpose operation. On the left, matrix  $A$  is shown as an  $m \times n$  grid of entries  $a_{ij}$ . The first column is highlighted with a blue oval, and the first entry  $a_{11}$  is circled in black. The second column is highlighted with a red oval, and the second entry  $a_{12}$  is circled in black. The last row is highlighted with a blue oval, and the last entry  $a_{m1}$  is circled in black. The last column is highlighted with a red oval, and the last entry  $a_{m2}$  is circled in black. Ellipses indicate the continuation of the pattern. An arrow points to the right, leading to matrix  $A^T$ . In  $A^T$ , the first column is highlighted with a blue oval, and the first entry  $a_{11}$  is circled in black. The second column is highlighted with a red oval, and the second entry  $a_{21}$  is circled in black. The last row is highlighted with a blue oval, and the last entry  $a_{m1}$  is circled in black. The last column is highlighted with a red oval, and the last entry  $a_{m2}$  is circled in black. Ellipses indicate the continuation of the pattern.

# Properties of the Transpose

sum:  $(A + B)^T = A^T + B^T$

product:  $(AB)^T = B^T A^T$  *order!!*

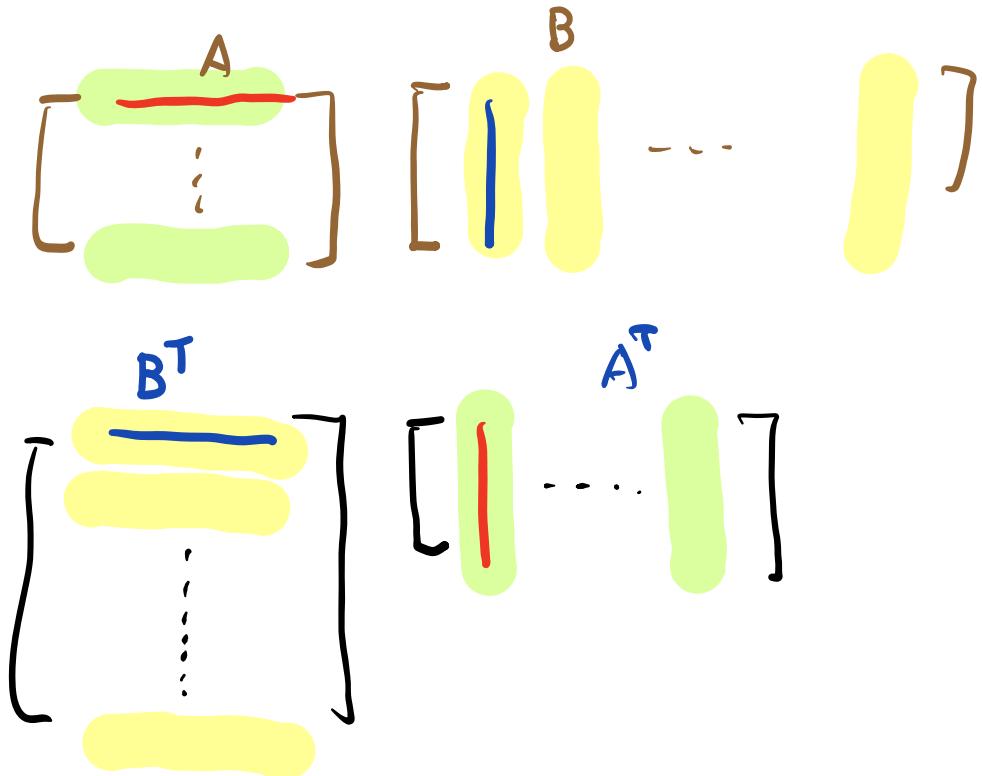
$$\begin{array}{c} (AB)^T = B^T A^T \\ \text{---} \\ \begin{matrix} \text{IR}^{m \times n} & \text{IR}^{n \times p} \\ \downarrow & \downarrow \\ \text{IR}^{m \times p} & \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{IR}^{p \times n} & \text{IR}^{n \times m} \\ \text{IR}^{p \times m} & \end{matrix} \\ \text{---} \\ (\text{IR}^{p \times m}) \end{array}$$

inverse:  $\underline{(A^T)^{-1}} = (A^{-1})^T$

$$(A^T)^{-1} \cdot A^T = I \quad A^T \cdot (A^T)^{-1} = I$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (A^{-1})^T A^T = (AA^{-1})^T \\ &= I^T = I \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\quad \text{||} \\ &= A^T (A^{-1})^T \\ &= (A^{-1} \cdot A)^T = I^T = I \end{aligned}$$





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## Strang Sections 2.6 – Elimination = Factorization: $A = LU$ and 2.7 – Transposes and Permutations

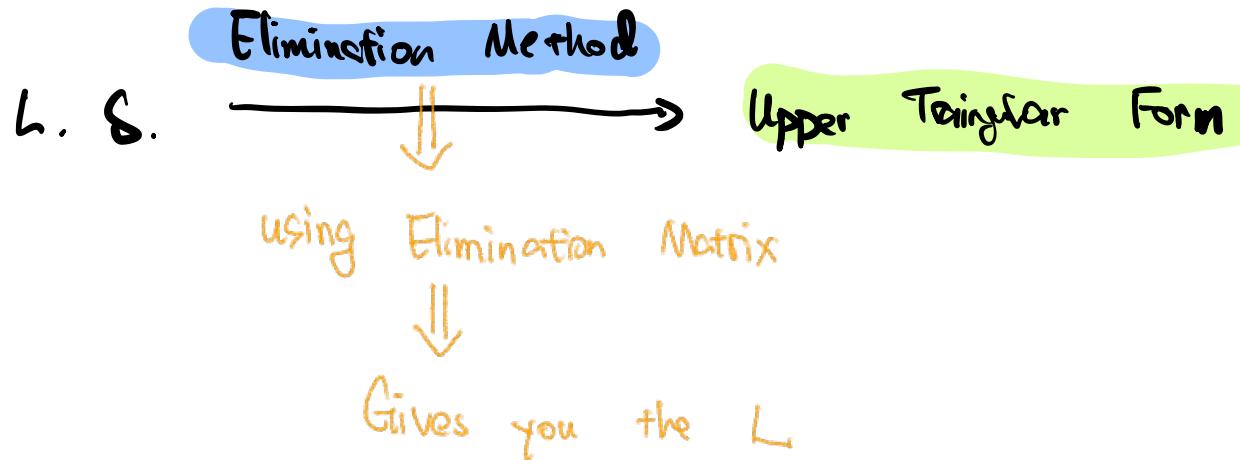
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# Goal

$$A = L \cdot U$$

↓      ↓  
lower triangular matrix      upper triangular matrix

How to calculate LU ?



# Computing U – $2 \times 2$ case

We will start with a  $2 \times 2$  matrix, then a  $3 \times 3$  matrix, and then generalize to the  $n \times n$  case.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{goal}} U = \begin{bmatrix} b & c \\ 0 & d \end{bmatrix}$$

If  $a_{11} \neq 0$ , then it is a pivot and we use it to eliminate  $a_{21}$ .

$$\text{Row (2)} \leftarrow \text{Row (2)} + \left(-\frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}}\right) \cdot \text{Row (1)}$$

$$A \rightarrow \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}} \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{E_{21}} \cdot A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ 0 & a_{22} - \frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}} a_{12} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$E_{21} \cdot A = U$$

$$A = \underbrace{E_{21}^{-1}}_{\sim} \cdot U$$

$$E_{21}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}} \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Computing U – $2 \times 2$ case

We will start with a  $2 \times 2$  matrix, then a  $3 \times 3$  matrix, and then generalize to the  $n \times n$  case.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{goal}} U = \begin{bmatrix} b & c \\ 0 & d \end{bmatrix}$$

If  $a_{11} \neq 0$ , then it is a pivot and we use it to eliminate  $a_{21}$ .

$$E_{21}A = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}} & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{lower triangular Matrix}} \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ 0 & a_{22} - \frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}}a_{12} \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{upper triangular!}}$$

Row(2)  $\leftarrow -\frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}} \cdot \text{Row}(1) + \text{Row}(2)$

$$\underbrace{E_{21}}_{L^{-1}} A = U$$
$$A = \underbrace{E_{21}^{-1}}_{U}$$

# Computing U – $2 \times 2$ case

We will start with a  $2 \times 2$  matrix, then a  $3 \times 3$  matrix, and then generalize to the  $n \times n$  case.

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If  $a_{11} \neq 0$ , then it is a pivot and we use it to eliminate  $a_{21}$ .

$$E_{21}A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ 0 & a_{22} - \frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}}a_{12} \end{bmatrix}$$

$d$

(E<sub>21</sub>)<sup>-1</sup>

# Computing U – 2×2 case

We will start with a  $2 \times 2$  matrix, then a  $3 \times 3$  matrix, and then generalize to the  $n \times n$  case.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{goal}} U = \begin{bmatrix} b & c \\ 0 & d \end{bmatrix}$$

If  $a_{11} \neq 0$ , then it is a pivot and we use it to eliminate  $a_{21}$ .

$$E_{21}A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ 0 & a_{22} - \frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}}a_{12} \end{bmatrix}$$

*d*

If  $a_{11} = 0$ , but  $a_{21} \neq 0$ , we have to permute first. If both  $a_{11}$  and  $a_{21}$  are zero, then the matrix is already upper triangular.

# Computing U – 3×3 case

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{goal}} U = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ 0 & b & c \\ 0 & 0 & f \end{bmatrix}$$

If  $a_{11} \neq 0$ , then we make it first pivot and use it to eliminate  $a_{21}$  and  $a_{31}$ .

$$A \xrightarrow{1} E_{21} A \xrightarrow{2} E_{31} E_{21} A \xrightarrow{3} E_{32} E_{31} E_{21} A = U$$

$$E_{21} = \left[ -\frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}}, 1, \dots \right]$$

$$E_{31} = \left[ 1, -\frac{a_{31}}{a_{11}}, 1, \dots \right]$$

$$E_{32} = \left[ 1, 0, -\frac{b_{31}}{b_{22}}, 1, \dots \right]$$

$$E_4 A = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc} * & * & * \\ 0 & * & * \\ * & * & * \end{array} \right] \underbrace{[-1]}$$

$$E_{31} E_4 A = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc} * & * & * \\ 0 & b_{22} & * \\ 0 & b_{32} & * \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc} * & * & * \\ 0 & * & * \\ 0 & 0 & * \end{array} \right]$$

$$\underbrace{E_{32} E_{31} E_{21}}_{E_{32} E_{31} E_{21}} A = U \quad A = L \cdot U, \quad L = (E_{31} E_{31} E_{21})^{-1}.$$

# Computing U – 3×3 case

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{goal}} U = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ 0 & b & c \\ 0 & 0 & f \end{bmatrix}$$

If  $a_{11} \neq 0$ , then we make it first pivot and use it to eliminate  $a_{21}$  and  $a_{31}$ .

$$E_{21}A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -\frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ 0 & b & c \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

# Computing U – 3×3 case

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{goal}} U = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ 0 & b & c \\ 0 & 0 & f \end{bmatrix}$$

If  $a_{11} \neq 0$ , then we make it first pivot and use it to eliminate  $a_{21}$  and  $a_{31}$ .

$$E_{21}A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -\frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ 0 & b & c \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$E_{31}E_{21}A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{a_{31}}{a_{11}} & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ 0 & b & c \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ 0 & b & c \\ 0 & d & e \end{bmatrix}$$

# Computing U – 3×3 case

If  $a_{11} \neq 0$ , then we make it first pivot and use it to eliminate  $a_{21}$  and  $a_{31}$ .

$$E_{31}E_{21}A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{a_{31}}{a_{11}} & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ 0 & b & c \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ 0 & b & c \\ 0 & d & e \end{bmatrix}$$

If  $b \neq 0$ , then we make it second pivot and use it to eliminate  $d$ .

*Ejemplo.*

$$E_{32}E_{31}E_{21}A = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{d}{b} & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{L-1!}} \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ 0 & b & c \\ 0 & d & e \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ 0 & b & c \\ 0 & 0 & f \end{bmatrix}$$

# Computing U – General Case

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} & \dots & a_{3n} \\ \vdots & & & & \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & a_{n3} & \dots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{goal}} U = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ 0 & b & c & \dots & d \\ 0 & 0 & e & \dots & f \\ \vdots & & & \ddots & \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & g \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ 0 & b & * & * & * \\ 0 & * & - & - & * \\ \vdots & & & & \\ 0 & * & - & - & * \end{array} \right]$$

Step 1

# Computing U – General Case

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} & \dots & a_{3n} \\ \vdots & & & & \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & a_{n3} & \dots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{goal}} U = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ 0 & b & c & \dots & d \\ 0 & 0 & e & \dots & f \\ \vdots & & & \ddots & \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & g \end{bmatrix}$$

$a_{11}$  pivot  $\xrightarrow{\pm} E_{21}A \xrightarrow{\pm} E_{31}E_{21}A \rightarrow E_{41}E_{31}E_{21}A \rightarrow \underbrace{E_{n1} \dots E_{41}E_{31}E_{21}A}_{B}$

$b$  pivot  $\xrightarrow{\pm} E_{32}B \xrightarrow{\pm} E_{42}E_{32}B \rightarrow E_{52}E_{42}E_{32}B \rightarrow \underbrace{E_{n2} \dots E_{52}E_{42}E_{32}B}_{C}$

$e$  pivot  $\xrightarrow{\pm} E_{43}C \xrightarrow{\pm} E_{53}E_{43}C \rightarrow E_{63}E_{53}E_{43}C \rightarrow \underbrace{E_{n3} \dots E_{63}E_{53}E_{43}C}_{\dots}$

$\vdots \quad E_{nn-1} \quad E_{nn-2} \quad E_{n-1,n-2} \quad \dots \quad E_{n1} \quad \dots \quad E_u E_{u-1} E_u \quad A = U$

note that we're assuming we can find a pivot without having to use permutations

$$L^{-1} \quad A = L \cdot U$$

# Computing U – General Case

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} & \dots & a_{3n} \\ \vdots & & & & \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & a_{n3} & \dots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{goal}} U = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ 0 & b & c & \dots & d \\ 0 & 0 & e & \dots & f \\ \vdots & & & \ddots & \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & g \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 1 : (n-1) Elimination Matrix :  $E_{n1} \dots E_{21}$  !! order operate first

$a_{11}$  pivot  $\rightarrow E_{21}A \rightarrow E_{31}E_{21}A \rightarrow E_{41}E_{31}E_{21}A \rightarrow \underbrace{E_{n1} \dots E_{41}E_{31}E_{21}A}_{B}$

Step 2 : (n-2) Elimination Matrix

$b$  pivot  $\rightarrow E_{32}B \rightarrow E_{42}E_{32}B \rightarrow E_{52}E_{42}E_{32}B \rightarrow \underbrace{E_{n2} \dots E_{52}E_{42}E_{32}B}_{C}$

Step 3 : (n-3) Elimination Matrix

$e$  pivot  $\rightarrow E_{43}C \rightarrow E_{53}E_{43}C \rightarrow E_{63}E_{53}E_{43}C \rightarrow \underbrace{E_{n3} \dots E_{63}E_{53}E_{43}C}_{\dots}$

note that we're assuming we can find a pivot without having to use permutations

# Computing L

$2 \times 2$  case:

If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix}$ , then  $U = E_{21}A$ .

$$\implies A = \underbrace{E_{21}^{-1}}_L U$$

$3 \times 3$  case:

If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$ , then  $U = E_{32}E_{31}E_{21}A$ .

$$\implies A = (E_{32}E_{31}E_{21})^{-1}U$$
$$= \underbrace{E_{21}^{-1}E_{31}^{-1}E_{32}^{-1}}_L U$$

# Goal

$$A = L D U$$



$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & \\ * & \ddots & 0 & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Lower Triangular  
but diag are 1

$$\begin{pmatrix} d_{11} & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & d_{nn} \end{pmatrix}$$

diagonal Matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} d_{11} & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & d_{nn} & \\ & & & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} d_{11} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ d_{nn} x_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & \\ * & \ddots & & \\ & & 0 & \\ & & & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Upper Triangular  
but diag are 1

Find LU decomposition first.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & \\ \gamma_2 & 1 & \\ & \gamma_3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 3/2 & 1 & 1 \\ 4/3 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{U}$$

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 3/2 & 1 & 1 \\ 4/3 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{L} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1/2 & 1/2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1/3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{U}$$

LDU decomposition!



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Questions?