

Theorem: Let  $A$  be a  $m \times n$  matrix,  $A = (a_{ij})_{\substack{1 \leq i \leq m \\ 1 \leq j \leq n}}$ .  $(A : \mathbb{C}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^m)$

Let  $a_j$  denote the  $j^{\text{th}}$  column of  $A$  and  
 $a_i^*$  denote the  $i^{\text{th}}$  row of  $A$ .

$$(i) \|A\|_1 = \max_{1 \leq j \leq n} \|a_j\|_1 = \max_j \sum_{i=1}^m |a_{ij}| \quad (\text{maximum column sum.})$$

$$(ii) \|A\|_\infty = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \|a_i^*\|_\infty = \max_i \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}| \quad (\text{maximum row sum.})$$

$$\text{Proof: } (i) \|Ax\|_1 = \left\| \begin{bmatrix} \sum_i a_{1j} x_j \\ \sum_i a_{2j} x_j \\ \vdots \\ \sum_i a_{nj} x_j \end{bmatrix} \right\|_1 = \sum_{i=1}^m \left| \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j \right|$$

$$[\dots] = [\sum_j a_{ij} x_j] \quad (\Delta \text{ ineq.}) \leq \sum_i \sum_j |a_{ij} x_j|$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}| \cdot |x_j|$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^n |x_j| \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^m |a_{ij}|}_{j^{\text{th}} \text{ column sum}} \quad \therefore \sum_{i=1}^m |a_{ij}| = c_j$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^n c_j |x_j| = c_1 |x_1| + c_2 |x_2| + \dots + c_n |x_n| \leq \max_j c_j |x_1| + \max_j c_j |x_2| + \dots + \max_j c_j |x_n|.$$

$$\leq \left( \max_j c_j \right) \sum_{j=1}^n |x_j|$$

$$= \left( \max_j c_j \right) \cdot \|x\|_1.$$

$$\|A\|_1 \leq \frac{\text{max. column sum}}{\text{Column sum}} \quad \therefore \|Ax\|_1 \leq \|x\|_1 \cdot \left( \max_j c_j \right)$$

$$\text{R} \quad \therefore \|A\|_1 = \sup_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|_1}{\|x\|_1} \leq \max_j \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^m |a_{ij}| \right\}$$

Suppose  $\max_j \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^m |a_{ij}| \right\}$  is attained at  $j = j_0$ , so  $\sum_{i=1}^m |a_{ij_0}|$  is the max.

To show that the bound is attained, we need to demonstrate a vector  $x$  such that  $\|Ax\|_1$  equals the max. element  $\sum_{i=1}^m |a_{ij_0}|$ . supposing that max. column sum occurs at column  $j_0$ .

Let  $u = (0, 0 \dots 0, 1, 0 \dots 0)$ ; then  $\|Au\|_1 = \left\| \begin{bmatrix} \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} u_j = a_{i,i_0} \\ a_{i,i_0} \\ a_{i,j_0} \end{bmatrix} \right\|_1$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^m |a_{i,i_0}| = \max_j \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^m |a_{ij}| \right\}$$

as reqd.

$$(ii) \|Ax\|_\infty = \left\| \begin{bmatrix} \sum_{j=1}^n a_{1j} x_j \\ \vdots \\ \sum_{j=1}^n a_{mj} x_j \end{bmatrix} \right\|_\infty = \max_i \left\{ \left| \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j \right| \right\}$$

$$\max \{ |a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2|, |a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2|, \dots \} \leq \max_i \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}| \right\} \cdot \max_j \{ |x_j| \}$$

$\leq \max_i \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}| \right\} \cdot \|x\|_\infty$

$\leq \max \{ |a_{11} + a_{12}|, |a_{21} + a_{22}|, \dots \}$  can be checked  
 $\cdot \max \{ |x_1|, |x_2|, \dots \}$  based on  $\Delta$  ineq.

$$\therefore \|Ax\|_\infty \leq \|x\|_\infty \cdot \max_i \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}| \right\}$$

$i^{\text{th}}$  row sum.

$$\therefore \|A\|_\infty \leq \max_i \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}| \right\}$$

Suppose  $i = i_0$  is the row at which max. is attained i.e.

$$\max_i \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}| \right\} = \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{i_0 j}|$$

Then we need to find a vector  $u$  such that  $\|Au\|_\infty = \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{i_0 j}|$ .

Let  $u$  be the vector  $u_j = \begin{cases} \bar{a}_{i_0 j} / |a_{i_0 j}| & \text{if } a_{i_0 j} \neq 0 \\ 1 & \text{o.w.} \end{cases}$  (max. row sum is achieved at row  $i_0$ ).

$$\|Au\|_\infty = \left\| \begin{bmatrix} \sum_{j=1}^n a_{1j} \cdot \bar{a}_{i_0 j} / |a_{i_0 j}| \\ \vdots \\ \sum_{j=1}^n a_{mj} \cdot \bar{a}_{i_0 j} / |a_{i_0 j}| \end{bmatrix} \right\|_\infty$$

$$\left( \frac{a_{11} \bar{a}_{i_0 1}}{|a_{i_0 1}|} + a_{12} \cdot \dots + a_{13} \dots + \dots \right)$$

$$\left[ \bar{a}_{i_0 j} = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, u = \begin{pmatrix} \bar{a}/|a| \\ b/|b| \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right]$$

2 cases: ①  $i \neq i_0$ : then

$$\left| \sum a_{ij} \frac{\bar{a}_{i_0 j}}{|a_{i_0 j}|} \right| \leq \sum |a_{ij}| \cdot \frac{|\bar{a}_{i_0 j}|}{|a_{i_0 j}|}$$

$$= \sum_j |a_{ij}| = \text{i}^{\text{th row}} \text{ sum.}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \text{ if } i = i_0 : \left| \sum a_{i_0 j} \cdot \overline{a_{i_0 j}} \right| = \left| \sum |a_{i_0 j}| \right|$$

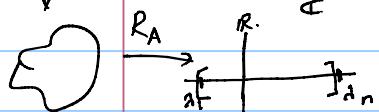
$$= \max \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^m |a_{i_0 j}|, \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{i_0 j}| \right\}$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{i_0 j}|, \text{ which is as reqd.}$$

□.

To find a formula for  $\|A\|_2$ , and for later purposes, let's look at the Rayleigh quotient.

Defn: Let  $A: V \rightarrow V$  be a  $\mathbb{C}$ -linear map. The Rayleigh quotient of a matrix  $A$  is defined by  $R_A: V \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$



$$v \mapsto \frac{\langle Av, v \rangle}{\langle v, v \rangle} = \frac{v^* Av}{v^* v} \quad (v \neq 0).$$

Note that  $R_A(v) = R_A(\alpha v)$ ,  $\forall \alpha \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$ .

$\therefore$  It suffices to consider vectors in the unit sphere  
(i.e.  $v \in V$  such that  $v^* v = 1$ )

Properties of the Rayleigh quotient:

$$(R_A(v))^* = R_A(v)$$

(i) If  $A$  is Hermitian, then  $R_A(v)$  is real  $\forall v \in V$ .

Proof:  $R_A(v) = \frac{v^* Av}{v^* v}$ ,  $(v^* Av)^* = v^* A^* v = v^* Av$ .  $\}$

(ii) Theorem: If  $A$  is a  $n \times n$  Hermitian matrix with

eigenvalues  $\lambda_1 \leq \lambda_2 \leq \dots \leq \lambda_n$  with associated  $S_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & i=j \\ 0 & \text{o.w.} \end{cases}$  eigenvectors  $p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n$  satisfying  $p_i^* p_j = \delta_{ij}$  (Kronecker delta)

Then: (1)  $R_A(p_k) = \lambda_k$ ,  $\forall 1 \leq k \leq n$ . (this is true by the spectral theorem.)

$$(2) \lambda_k = \max_{v \in V_k} R_A(v) \text{ where } V_k = \text{span}\{p_1, \dots, p_k\}.$$

$$(3) \lambda_k = \min_{v \perp V_{k-1}} R_A(v)$$

$$(4) \{R_A(v) / v \in V\} \subset [\lambda_1, \lambda_n] \subset \mathbb{R}.$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{c} \lambda_1 \leq \dots \leq \lambda_k \leq \lambda_{k+1} \dots \leq \lambda_n \\ \underbrace{p_1, \dots, p_k}_{v \in V_k} \end{array} \right]$$

Proof: Let  $U = [p_1 | \dots | p_n]$  then  $U^* A U = \text{diag}(\lambda_i) = D$ .  
( $U$  is unitary)

For any  $v \in V$ ,  $v \neq 0$ , let  $w = U^{-1}v$ , so that  $v = UW$ .

$$\text{Then } R_A(v) = \frac{v^* Av}{v^* v} = w^* U^* A U w = w^* D w = R_D(w).$$

$$\text{Now for any } v \in V_k, \quad v = \sum_{i=1}^k \alpha_i p_i, \quad \therefore w = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1 \\ \vdots \\ \alpha_k \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} v &= u w \\ &= [p_1 | \dots | p_n] \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1 \\ \vdots \\ \alpha_k \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^k \alpha_i p_i \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore R_A(v) = R_A\left(\sum_{i=1}^k \alpha_i p_i\right) = R_D(w)$$

$$= (\bar{\lambda}_1 \dots \bar{\lambda}_k 0 \dots 0) \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1 \\ \vdots \\ \alpha_k \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$w^* w$$



$$R_A(v) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^k \lambda_i |\alpha_i|^2}{\sum_{i=1}^k |\alpha_i|^2} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{(weighted average of)} \\ \text{eigenvalues } \lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_k \end{array}$$

$$(1) \quad R_A(p_k) = R_D(w), \quad w = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ i \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad k$$

$$p_k \in V_k, \quad w = u^* p_k = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(2) \max_{v \in V_k} R_A(v) = \max_{v \in V_k} \left\{ \frac{\sum \lambda_i |\alpha_i|^2}{\sum |\alpha_i|^2} \right\} = \lambda_k.$$

Note that  $\lambda_1 \leq \dots \leq \lambda_k \leq \dots$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_1 |\alpha_1|^2 + \dots + \lambda_k |\alpha_k|^2$$

$$\leq \lambda_k |\alpha_1|^2 + \dots + \lambda_k |\alpha_k|^2$$

$$= \lambda_k \sum_{i=1}^k |\alpha_i|^2$$

$$\therefore \frac{\sum \lambda_i |\alpha_i|^2}{\sum |\alpha_i|^2} \leq \lambda_k \underbrace{\frac{\sum |\alpha_i|^2}{\sum |\alpha_i|^2}}_{= 1} = \lambda_k$$

(3) If  $v \perp V_{k-1}$ , then  $v$  is of the form  $\sum_{i=k}^n \alpha_i p_i$

$\therefore w$  is of the form  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ \alpha_k \\ \vdots \\ \alpha_n \end{pmatrix}$

$$R_A(v) = R_D(w) = \frac{\sum_{i=k}^n \lambda_i |\alpha_i|^2}{\sum_{i=k}^n |\alpha_i|^2}$$

$$\sum_{i=k}^n |\alpha_i|^2$$

$$\text{But } \lambda_k \leq \lambda_{k+1} \leq \dots \leq \lambda_n \Rightarrow \frac{\sum_{i=k}^n \lambda_i |\alpha_i|^2}{\sum_{i=k}^n |\alpha_i|^2} \geq \lambda_k \frac{\sum_{i=k}^n |\alpha_i|^2}{\sum_{i=k}^n |\alpha_i|^2}$$

$$\text{so } \lambda_k = \min_{\substack{v \in V \\ v \perp V_{k-1}}} R_A(v)$$

$$\text{im } R_A = [\lambda_1, \lambda_n]$$

(4) It follows from (2) & (3) that  $\lambda_1 \leq R_A(v) \leq \lambda_n$   
 $v \in V \setminus \{0\}$ .

Since  $R_A$  is a continuous function on the "unit sphere" in  $V$ ,  $\text{im } R_A = [\lambda_1, \lambda_n]$  follows from the intermediate value theorem.

Thus we have for a Hermitian matrix  $A$ :

- $\lambda_1 = \min \{R_A(v) / v \in V\}$
- $\lambda_n = \max \{R_A(v) / v \in V\}$
- The Rayleigh quotient gives a powerful method of calculating/estimating e-values/e-vectors.  
 We will come back to this topic later.

Calculating  $\|A\|_2$ : Let  $A$  be a  $m \times n$  matrix.

$$\|A\|_2 = \sup_{\substack{x \in \mathbb{C}^n \\ x \neq 0}} \frac{\|Ax\|_2}{\|x\|_2} = \sup_{\substack{x \neq 0 \\ x \in \mathbb{C}^n}} \sqrt{\frac{\langle Ax, Ax \rangle}{\langle x, x \rangle}}$$

$$\therefore \|A\|_2^2 = \sup_{\substack{x \neq 0 \\ x \in \mathbb{C}^n}} \frac{\langle Ax, Ax \rangle}{\langle x, x \rangle} \quad (\text{since these are positive quantities})$$

$$= \sup_{\substack{x \neq 0 \\ x \in \mathbb{C}^n}} \left( \frac{x^* A^* A x}{x^* x} \right) = \sup_{\substack{x \neq 0 \\ x \in \mathbb{C}^n}} R_{A^* A}(x)$$

$A^* A$  is Hermitian (always), so  $R_{A^* A}(v) \leq$  largest e-value  
 $v \in \mathbb{C}^n$  of  $A^* A$

$$\therefore \sup R_{A^* A}(x) = \text{largest e-value of } A^* A  
= S(A^* A) \text{ (notation)}$$

$A^* A$  is positive semidefinite ( $x^* A^* A x = \langle Ax, Ax \rangle = \|Ax\|^2 \geq 0$ ).

$\therefore$  all e-values of  $A^* A$  are  $\geq 0$ .

$\therefore \|A\|_2 = \sqrt{\sigma(A^*A)} = \text{largest singular value of } A \cdot = \sigma_1(A) \text{ (notation).}$