

# Homework 3

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## Problem 1.

This problem asks for a script that modifies the `backsub` and `forelim` function that we were given in pp 36 of Module 2 Lectures Slides. It also asks us to formulate a new function called `ltinverse` that provides the inverse of a lower triangular matrix.

```
format rat %necessary in order to get fractions

L1 = [2 0 0; 8 -7 0; 4 9 -27];
X1 = ltinverse(L1);
fprintf('The inverse of the first matrix is: \n')
```

The inverse of the first matrix is:

```
disp(X1)
```

1/2	0	0
4/7	-1/7	0
50/189	-1/21	-1/27

```
L2 = [1 0 0 0; 1/3 1 0 0; 0 1/3 1 0; 0 0 1/3 1];
X2 = ltinverse(L2);
fprintf('The inverse of the second matrix is: \n')
```

The inverse of the second matrix is:

```
disp(X2)
```

1	0	0	0
-1/3	1	0	0
1/9	-1/3	1	0
-1/27	1/9	-1/3	1

## Problem 2.

This problem asks for a script that completes the function `myplu` on pp 56 of Module 2 Lecture Slides. Mathworks Section 2.7 was accessed for the creation of this function. It also asks us to create a random integer matrix of size 500 by 50 and find the Upper and Lower Triangular matrices as well as the permutation matrix.

```
A=randi(500,500)
```

```
A =
    107      150      382      477      246      128      59      265
    427      271       17      163      447      483      390      149
    454      373      476      310      287      96      414      181
    178       12      464      272      171      305      476      401
     2        60      448       33      327      394      381       26
     50       21      474      304      224      331      340      304
    485      243      380      307      351       23      419      192
     ⋮
     ⋮
     ⋮
```

```
[L,U,P] = myplu(A)
```

```
L =
     1         0         0         0         0         0         0         0
    64/497         1         0         0         0         0         0         0
    18/497      144/1777         1         0         0         0         0         0
    33/497      277/5994      127/321         1         0         0         0         0
   487/497   -1345/1777   -694/2447      497/1000         1         0         0         0
    99/497      394/419      479/575     1735/6206    -711/1678         1         0         0
    37/71      234/419      769/2511     533/3194     1114/5877   -384/5167         1         0
     ⋮
     ⋮
     ⋮

U =
   497         351         350         158         140         449         488         417
      0    112398/251      -218/71      4177/26     14831/36     7516/127     14527/44     7701/53
      0         0     53633/110    -4325/444     89689/486     14628/35      2888/7     16480/53
      0         0         0     23762/49    -6208/95     6123/673    -95241/676    -3470/67
      0         0         0         0     39244/53    -4654/25     16934/67     32617/20
      0         0         0         0         0    -19783/37     -3463/8     -2895/10
      0         0         0         0         0         0    -25811/44    -13283/10
     ⋮
     ⋮
     ⋮

P =
      0         0         0         0         0         0         0         0
      0         0         0         0         0         0         0         0
      0         0         0         0         0         0         0         0
      0         0         0         0         0         0         0         0
      0         0         0         0         0         0         0         0
      0         0         0         0         0         0         0         0
      0         0         0         0         0         0         0         0
     ⋮
     ⋮
     ⋮
```

### Problem 3.

This problem asks for a script that computes the determinant of a matrix A by calling a function called 'determinant.' Then, it asks us to find the relative error between our function and the built-in MATLAB function 'det' for a series of magic matrices for  $n = 3, 4, \dots, 7$ .

```
% Part A
```

if  $A=LU$

then  $\det(A) = \det(L) = \det(L)\det(U)$

but we know  $\det(L) = \prod_{i=1}^n l_{ii}$

$\det(U) = \prod_{i=1}^n u_{ii}$

and since the diagonal of  $L$  is always just 1's

then

$$\det(A) = 1 \cdot \prod_{i=1}^n u_{ii}$$

% Part B

A=randi(10,3,3)

A =

7	2	2
5	5	9
4	1	1

X=determinant(A); %test to make sure function works

fprintf('The determinant is: %d \n',X)

The determinant is: 4.000000e+00

fprintf('n      my value      relative error')

n	my value	relative error
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```
for n=3:7
    magic(n);
    Y=det(magic(n)); %actual MATLAB function to get det.
    X=determinant(magic(n)); %my function to get det.
    rel_err=abs((X-Y)/Y); %calculates relative error
    fprintf('%d      %5.2e      %f\n',n,X,rel_err)
end
```

3	-3.60e+02	0.000000
4	3.62e-13	0.294118
5	5.07e+06	0.000000
6	0.00e+00	1.000000
7	-3.48e+11	0.000000

## Problem 4.

This problem asks us to find the most efficient (and correct) way to code a variety of problems and count the corresponding flops that each one requires.

% a)  $x = A*(B*(C*(D*b)))$  and it takes  $8n^2$  flops  
% because a matrix times vector is  $2n^2$  and

```
% we are doing that 4 times.
```

```
% b) x = B*(A\b) and it takes  $2n^3$  for large n  
% because A\b takes  $2n^3$  and B times a vector is  
% again  $2n^2$  so for large values of n the number  
% of flops is approx  $2n^3$ .
```

```
% d) x = (B)\(C+A)*b and it takes  $2n^3$  for large n  
% because B\((C+A) takes  $2n^3$  flops and that answer  
% times a vector only takes  $2n^2$  flops so for large  
% values of n the number of flops is approx  $2n^3$ .
```

## Problem 5.

This problem asks us to perform a variety of tasks that are centered around the norm and condition number of matrices.

a) No, b/c the norm is zero only when  $A$  is the zero matrix.

For example, consider  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

which is singular but has positive norm.

$$A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 4 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2-2 & 4 \\ 4 & 8-2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(2-\lambda)(8-\lambda) - 16 = 0$$

$$16 - 10\lambda + \lambda^2 - 16 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 10\lambda$$

$$\lambda(\lambda - 10) = 0$$

$$\lambda = 10$$

$$\sqrt{10} \text{ and is nonzero}$$

b) is cond. # of sing. matrix nec.  $\infty$ ?

yes since  $\frac{\max_{\|y\|_p=1} \|A^{-1}y\|_p}{\min_{\|y\|_p=1} \|A^{-1}y\|_p} = \text{cond. \#}$

and the  $\max_{\|y\|_p=1} \|A^{-1}y\|_p$  of a singular matrix is  $\infty$  but the ratio will always be  $\frac{\infty}{x}$  where  $x$  is any number. This gives a condition number that is always infinite.

c) is  $K_p(A) = K_p(A^{-1})$  for nonsingular TRUE

yes, since  $\text{cond}(A) = \|A\| \cdot \|A^{-1}\|$

then  $\text{cond}(A^{-1}) = \|A^{-1}\| \cdot \|A\|$

which means that  $K_p(A) = K_p(A^{-1})$ .

d) any matrices that yield  $K(A) < 1$

No, since we know it's  $\frac{\max}{\min}$  the condition number will always be  $\geq 1$ .

e) find  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{10 \times 10}$  s.t.  $\det(A) = 10^{-20}$  and  $K_2(A) \geq 1$ .

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} .01 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & .01 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & .01 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & .01 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & .01 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & .01 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & .01 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & .01 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & .01 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & .01 \end{bmatrix}$$

```
function X = backsub(U,B) % MODIFIED BACKSUB
% BACKSUB X = backsub(U,b)
% Solve an upper triangular linear system.
% Input:
% U upper triangular square matrix (n by n)
% B right-hand side matrix (n by p)
% Output:
% X solution of UX=B (n by p matrix)
```

```

[n,p] = size(B);
X = zeros(n,p); % preallocate
    for j=1:p
        for i = n:-1:1 %since backward its n back to 1
            X(i,j) = ( B(i,j) - U(i,i+1:n)*X(i+1:n,j) ) / U(i,i);
        end
    end
end

% MODIFIED FORELIM
function X = forelim(L,B)
% FORELIM X = forelim(L,B)
% Solve a lower triangular linear system.
% Input:
% L lower triangular square matrix (n by n)
% B right-hand side matrix (n by p)
% Output:
% X solution of LX=B (n by p matrix)
[n,p]=size(B);
X=zeros(n,p); %preallocate
    for j=1:p
        for i=1:n %since forward its 1 to n
            X(i,j) = ( B(i,j) - L(i,1:i-1)*X(1:i-1,j) ) / L(i,i);
        end
    end
end

function X = ltinverse(L)
% LTINVERSE I = ltinverse(L)
% Solves the inverse of a lower triangular linear system.
% Input:
% L lower triangular square matrix (n by n)
% Output:
% I solution of the inverse of L (n by n matrix)
n=length(L);
I=eye(n); %grabs identity matrix
X = forelim(L,I); %calls modified forelim to get inverse
end

function [L,U,P] = myplu(A)
% MYPLU [L,U,P] = myplu(A)
% Solves the PLU factorization for a given n by n matrix A.
% Input:
% A starting matrix (n by n)
% Output:
% L lower triangular matrix (n by n)
% U upper triangular matrix (n by n)
% P permutation matrix (n by n)

```

```

[n,n] = size(A);
P=eye(n);
    for k = 1:n-1
        % Find largest element below diagonal in k-th column
        [r,m] = max(abs(A(k:n,k)));
        m = m+k-1;
        % Skip elimination if column is zero
        if (A(m,k) ~= 0)
            % Swap pivot row
            if (m ~= k)
                A([k m],:) = A([m k],:);
                P([k m],:) = P([m k],:);
            end
            % Compute multipliers
            i = k+1:n;
            A(i,k) = A(i,k)/A(k,k);
            % Update the remainder of the matrix
            j = k+1:n;
            A(i,j) = A(i,j) - A(i,k)*A(k,j);
        end
    end
% Separate result
L = tril(A,-1) + eye(n,n);
U = triu(A);
end

function X = determinant(A)
    n = length(A);
    L = eye(n); % grabs identity matrix
    % Gaussian elimination
    for j = 1:n-1
        for i = j+1:n
            L(i,j) = A(i,j) / A(j,j); % row multiplier
            A(i,j:n) = A(i,j:n) - L(i,j)*A(j,j:n);
        end
    end
    U = triu(A);
    V = diag(U); %grabs diagonal values of U
    X = prod(V); %multiplies the diagonal values of U to get det.
end

```