

try_frobeniusAndMatrixArgDiff

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[1]: # SOURCE = https://www.kannon.link/free/2019/10/30/
      ↳symbolic-matrix-differentiation-with-sympy/
      from sympy import diff, symbols, MatrixSymbol, Transpose,
      ↳Trace, Matrix, Function

      def squared_frobenius_norm(expr):
          return Trace(expr * Transpose(expr))

      k, m, n = symbols('k m n')

      X = MatrixSymbol('X', m, k)
      W = MatrixSymbol('W', k, n)
      Y = MatrixSymbol('Y', m, n)

      # Matrix(X)
      A = MatrixSymbol('A', 3, 4)
      B = MatrixSymbol('B', 4, 2)
      C = MatrixSymbol('C', 3, 2)
      Matrix(A)
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[1]: 
$$\begin{bmatrix} A_{0,0} & A_{0,1} & A_{0,2} & A_{0,3} \\ A_{1,0} & A_{1,1} & A_{1,2} & A_{1,3} \\ A_{2,0} & A_{2,1} & A_{2,2} & A_{2,3} \end{bmatrix}$$

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[2]: diff(squared_frobenius_norm(X*W - Y), W)
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$$2X^T(XW - Y)$$

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[3]: sq = squared_frobenius_norm(A*B - C); sq
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$$\text{tr}((AB - C)(B^T A^T - C^T))$$

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[4]: diff(squared_frobenius_norm(A*B - C), B)
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$$2A^T(AB - C)$$

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[5]: sq.args[0]
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$$(AB - C)(B^T A^T - C^T)$$

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[6]: from sympy import srepr, expand, simplify, collect, factor, \
      ↪cancel, apart

      #srepr(sq.args[0])
      expand(sq.args[0])
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$$ABB^T A^T - ABC^T - CB^T A^T + CC^T$$

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[7]: #diff(sq.args[0], B)
      #diff(expand(sq.args[0]), B).doit()
      from sympy import Symbol
      Xm = Matrix(3,3, lambda i,j : Symbol("x_{}".format(i+1,j+1), \
      ↪commutative=True))
      Wm = Matrix(3,2, lambda i,j : Symbol("w_{}".format(i+1,j+1), \
      ↪commutative=True))

      X = MatrixSymbol('X',3,3)
      W = MatrixSymbol('W', 3,2);
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[8]: diff(X*W, X)
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$$\frac{\partial}{\partial X} XW$$

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[9]: diff(X*W, X).subs({X:Xm})
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$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \begin{bmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} & x_{13} \\ x_{21} & x_{22} & x_{23} \\ x_{31} & x_{32} & x_{33} \end{bmatrix}} \begin{bmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} & x_{13} \\ x_{21} & x_{22} & x_{23} \\ x_{31} & x_{32} & x_{33} \end{bmatrix} W$$

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[10]: diff(X*W, X).subs({X:Xm}).doit()
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$$\begin{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & W & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & W & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & W \\ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & W & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & W & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & W \\ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & W & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & W & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} & W \end{bmatrix}$$

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[11]: diff(X*W, X).subs({X:Xm}).doit().subs({W:Wm})
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$$\begin{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} w_{11} & w_{12} \\ w_{21} & w_{22} \\ w_{31} & w_{32} \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} w_{11} & w_{12} \\ w_{21} & w_{22} \\ w_{31} & w_{32} \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} w_{11} & w_{12} \\ w_{21} & w_{22} \\ w_{31} & w_{32} \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} w_{11} & w_{12} \\ w_{21} & w_{22} \\ w_{31} & w_{32} \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} w_{11} & w_{12} \\ w_{21} & w_{22} \\ w_{31} & w_{32} \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} w_{11} & w_{12} \\ w_{21} & w_{22} \\ w_{31} & w_{32} \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} w_{11} & w_{12} \\ w_{21} & w_{22} \\ w_{31} & w_{32} \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} w_{11} & w_{12} \\ w_{21} & w_{22} \\ w_{31} & w_{32} \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} w_{11} & w_{12} \\ w_{21} & w_{22} \\ w_{31} & w_{32} \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix}$$

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[12]: # expand(diff(X*W, X).subs({X:Xm}).doit().subs({W:Wm}))# STUCK
      ↪doesn't work to expand out from here
      #diff(X*W, X).replace(X,Xm)# ERROR so I must use subs instead
      ↪(noncommutative scalars in matrix multiplication not
      ↪supported)
      diff(X*W, X).subs({X:Xm, W:Wm}).doit()
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$$\begin{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w_{11} & w_{12} \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} w_{21} & w_{22} \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} w_{31} & w_{32} \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} w_{11} & w_{12} \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} w_{21} & w_{22} \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} w_{31} & w_{32} \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} w_{11} & w_{12} \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} w_{21} & w_{22} \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} w_{31} & w_{32} \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix}$$

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[13]: g,f = symbols('g f', cls = Function)
      f(X).replace(X, X.T).diff(X).replace(X.T, X)
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[13]: $\left. \frac{d}{d\xi_1} f(\xi_1) \right|_{\xi_1=X} \frac{d}{dX} X$

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[14]: g(f(X)).replace(X, X.T).diff(X).replace(X.T, X)
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[14]: $\left. \frac{d}{d\xi_1} f(\xi_1) \right|_{\xi_1=X} \frac{d}{df(X)} g(f(X)) \frac{d}{dX} X$

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[15]: # f(X,W).replace(X,X.T).diff(X)### CRASHES
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[16]: type(sq.args[0])
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[16]: sympy.matrices.expressions.matmul.MatMul
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[17]: from sympy import symbols, Function

      #h,g,f = symbols('h g f', cls=Function)
      f = Function('f')
      g = Function('g')
      h = g(f(sq.args[0]))
      h
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[17]: $g\big(f\big((AB - C)\big(B^T A^T - C^T\big)\big)\big)$

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[18]: diff(h, B)
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$$\left. \frac{d}{d\xi_1} f(\xi_1) \right|_{\xi_1=(AB-C)(B^T A^T - C^T)} \frac{\partial}{\partial f((AB-C)(B^T A^T - C^T))} g(f((AB-C)(B^T A^T - C^T))) \frac{\partial}{\partial B} (AB-C)(B^T A^T - C^T)$$

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[19]: from sympy import Derivative

#h.replace(f, Trace)
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[20]: diff(sq.args[0], B)
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[20]: $\frac{\partial}{\partial B} (AB-C)(B^T A^T - C^T)$

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[21]: from sympy import Trace

h = f(Trace(sq.args[0]))

diff(h, B)
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[21]: $2 \frac{d}{d\xi_1} f(\xi_1) \Big|_{\xi_1=\text{tr}((AB-C)(B^T A^T - C^T))} A^T (AB-C)$

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[22]: h = g(f(A*B))
h
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[22]: $g(f(AB))$

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[23]: diff(h, A)
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[23]: $\left. \frac{d}{d\xi_1} f(\xi_1) \right|_{\xi_1=AB} \frac{\partial}{\partial f(AB)} g(f(AB)) \frac{\partial}{\partial A} AB$

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[24]: from sympy import ZeroMatrix
Z = ZeroMatrix(3,4); Z
Matrix(Z)
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[24]: $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

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[25]: type(A.T)
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[25]: sympy.matrices.expressions.transpose.Transpose

[26]: `type(Z + A)`

[26]: sympy.matrices.expressions.matexpr.MatrixSymbol

[27]: `type(A*1)`

[27]: sympy.matrices.expressions.matexpr.MatrixSymbol

[28]: `type(A)`

[28]: sympy.matrices.expressions.matexpr.MatrixSymbol

[29]: `type(A*B)`

[29]: sympy.matrices.expressions.matmul.MatMul

[30]: `from sympy.matrices.expressions.matexpr import MatrixExpr`
`#Matrix(MatrixExpr(A)) # ERROR`

[31]:

[31]: `# diff(h, A) # WHAT THIS IS STILL BAD`

`# This is why:`
`assert type(A.T) != type(A.T.T)`
`#h = g(f(Z + A))`
`#D = MatrixSymbol('D', 3,4)`

`#ad = A+D`
`from sympy.abc import i,j,x,a,b,c`

`h = g(f(A.T))`

`h`

[31]: $g(f(A^T))$

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[32]: diff(h, A).replace(A.T,A)
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[32]: $\left. \frac{d}{d\xi_1} f(\xi_1) \right|_{\xi_1=A} \frac{d}{df(A)} g(f(A)) \frac{d}{dA} A$

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[33]: diff(A.T, A).replace(A.T, A)
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[33]: $\frac{d}{dA} A$

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[34]: diff(A.T, A).replace(A, Matrix(A)).doit()
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[34]:
$$\frac{d}{d \begin{bmatrix} A_{0,0} & A_{0,1} & A_{0,2} & A_{0,3} \\ A_{1,0} & A_{1,1} & A_{1,2} & A_{1,3} \\ A_{2,0} & A_{2,1} & A_{2,2} & A_{2,3} \end{bmatrix}} \left(\begin{bmatrix} A_{0,0} & A_{0,1} & A_{0,2} & A_{0,3} \\ A_{1,0} & A_{1,1} & A_{1,2} & A_{1,3} \\ A_{2,0} & A_{2,1} & A_{2,2} & A_{2,3} \end{bmatrix} \right)^T$$

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[35]: diff(A.T, A).replace(A, Matrix(A)).doit()
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[35]:
$$\begin{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix}$$

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[36]: from sympy import Symbol
from sympy.abc import b

#A = MatrixSymbol('A', 3,4)
M = Matrix(3,4, lambda i,j : Symbol('x_{}'.format(i+1,j+1)))
Matrix(M)
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[36]:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} & x_{13} & x_{14} \\ x_{21} & x_{22} & x_{23} & x_{24} \\ x_{31} & x_{32} & x_{33} & x_{34} \end{bmatrix}$$

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[37]: Matrix(A)
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[37]: $\begin{bmatrix} A_{0,0} & A_{0,1} & A_{0,2} & A_{0,3} \\ A_{1,0} & A_{1,1} & A_{1,2} & A_{1,3} \\ A_{2,0} & A_{2,1} & A_{2,2} & A_{2,3} \end{bmatrix}$

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[38]: g, f = symbols('g f', cls = Function)

#__ = lambda mat: mat.T # transposes matrix symbol

diff( g(f(M,b)), b)
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[38]:
$$\frac{\partial}{\partial f\left(\begin{bmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} & x_{13} & x_{14} \\ x_{21} & x_{22} & x_{23} & x_{24} \\ x_{31} & x_{32} & x_{33} & x_{34} \end{bmatrix}, b\right)} g\left(f\left(\begin{bmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} & x_{13} & x_{14} \\ x_{21} & x_{22} & x_{23} & x_{24} \\ x_{31} & x_{32} & x_{33} & x_{34} \end{bmatrix}, b\right)\right) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial b} f\left(\begin{bmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} & x_{13} & x_{14} \\ x_{21} & x_{22} & x_{23} & x_{24} \\ x_{31} & x_{32} & x_{33} & x_{34} \end{bmatrix}, b\right) + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}\right)$$

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[39]: diff( g(f(M,b)), b).replace(M, A)
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[39]:
$$\frac{\partial}{\partial f(A,b)} g(f(A,b)) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial b} f(A,b) + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}\right)$$

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[40]: Ms = MatrixSymbol('M',2,2)
Ds = MatrixSymbol('D',2,2)
M = Matrix(2,2, lambda i,j: Symbol("m_{}".format(i+1,j+1)))
D = Matrix(2,2, lambda i,j: Symbol("d_{}".format(i+1,j+1)))

diff( g(f(M, D)), D )
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$$\begin{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial}{\partial \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} \end{bmatrix}} f\left(\begin{bmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} \end{bmatrix}\right) \frac{\partial}{\partial f\left(\begin{bmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} \end{bmatrix}\right)} g\left(f\left(\begin{bmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} \end{bmatrix}\right)\right) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{\partial}{\partial \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} \end{bmatrix}} f\left(\begin{bmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} \end{bmatrix}\right) \frac{\partial}{\partial f\left(\begin{bmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} \end{bmatrix}\right)} g\left(f\left(\begin{bmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} \end{bmatrix}\right)\right) \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial}{\partial \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} \end{bmatrix}} f\left(\begin{bmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} \end{bmatrix}\right) \frac{\partial}{\partial f\left(\begin{bmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} \end{bmatrix}\right)} g\left(f\left(\begin{bmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} \end{bmatrix}\right)\right) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{\partial}{\partial \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} \end{bmatrix}} f\left(\begin{bmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} \end{bmatrix}\right) \frac{\partial}{\partial f\left(\begin{bmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} \end{bmatrix}\right)} g\left(f\left(\begin{bmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} \end{bmatrix}\right)\right) \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix}$$

[41]: diff(g(f(M, D)), D).replace(D, Ds).replace(M, Ms)

$$\begin{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial}{\partial D} f(M, D) \frac{\partial}{\partial f(M, D)} g(f(M, D)) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial D} f(M, D) \frac{\partial}{\partial f(M, D)} g(f(M, D)) & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{\partial}{\partial D} f(M, D) \frac{\partial}{\partial f(M, D)} g(f(M, D)) \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{\partial}{\partial D} f(M, D) \frac{\partial}{\partial f(M, D)} g(f(M, D)) \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix}$$

[42]: diff(Ds,Ds).replace(Ds,D).doit()

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

[43]: #diff(g(f(Ms, Ds.T)), Ds)#.replace(Ds.T, Ds)

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