

R Lab 7. Matrix Operations and Multivariate Linear Regression

Define a matrix by entering its elements manually.

```
> B = matrix(c(1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9),3,3)
```

```
> B
```

```
      [,1] [,2] [,3]
[1,]     1     4     7
[2,]     2     5     8
[3,]     3     6     9
```

```
> B^2
```

This is an element-wise operation

```
      [,1] [,2] [,3]
[1,]     1    16    49
[2,]     4    25    64
[3,]     9    36    81
```

```
> B%%B
```

This is matrix multiplication, $B^2 = B*B$

```
      [,1] [,2] [,3]
[1,]    30    66   102
[2,]    36    81   126
[3,]    42    96   150
```

```
> t(B)
```

Transposed matrix

```
      [,1] [,2] [,3]
[1,]     1     2     3
[2,]     4     5     6
[3,]     7     8     9
```

```
> cbind(B,B)
```

Joining two matrices side by side (as columns)

```
      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4] [,5] [,6]
[1,]     1     4     7     1     4     7
[2,]     2     5     8     2     5     8
[3,]     3     6     9     3     6     9
```

```
> rbind(B,B)
```

Joining two matrices below each other (as rows)

```
      [,1] [,2] [,3]
[1,]     1     4     7
[2,]     2     5     8
[3,]     3     6     9
[4,]     1     4     7
[5,]     2     5     8
[6,]     3     6     9
```

```
> B[1:2,1:3]
```

Sub-matrix, a part of matrix B

```
      [,1] [,2] [,3]
[1,]     1     4     7
[2,]     2     5     8
```

Inverting matrices is available in package “matlib”

```
> install.packages("matlib")
```

```
> library(matlib)
```

```
> inv(B)
Error in Inverse(X, tol = sqrt(.Machine$double.eps), ...) :
  X is numerically singular
```

This means there is a linear dependence among columns (and among rows) of matrix B. Such matrices are not invertible, and they have a determinant equal $\det(B)=0$

```
> det(B)
[1] 0
```

```
> B[1,1]=100
> B
```

```
      [,1] [,2] [,3]
[1,] 100    4    7
[2,]    2    5    8
[3,]    3    6    9
```

```
> inv(B)      # We changed the matrix by adding a "ridge", and now the inverse B-1 exists
      [,1]      [,2]      [,3]
[1,] 0.01010101 -0.02020202 0.01010101
[2,] -0.02020202 -2.95959596 2.64646465
[3,] 0.01010101 1.97979798 -1.65656566
```

Define a matrix from the "mtcars" data set and build a regression model that predicts miles per gallon based on the number of cylinders, horsepower, axel ratio, weight, and acceleration time.

```
> head(mtcars)
      mpg cyl disp  hp drat   wt  qsec vs am gear carb
Mazda RX4           21.0   6  160 110 3.90 2.620 16.46 0  1   4   4
Mazda RX4 Wag       21.0   6  160 110 3.90 2.875 17.02 0  1   4   4
Datsun 710           22.8   4  108  93 3.85 2.320 18.61 1  1   4   1
Hornet 4 Drive       21.4   6  258 110 3.08 3.215 19.44 1  0   3   1
Hornet Sportabout   18.7   8  360 175 3.15 3.440 17.02 0  0   3   2
Valiant              18.1   6  225 105 2.76 3.460 20.22 1  0   3   1
```

```
> X = data.matrix(mtcars[,c(2,4:7)])      # X-matrix of predictors
```

```
> head(X)
      cyl  hp drat   wt  qsec
Mazda RX4           6 110 3.90 2.620 16.46
Mazda RX4 Wag       6 110 3.90 2.875 17.02
Datsun 710           4  93 3.85 2.320 18.61
Hornet 4 Drive       6 110 3.08 3.215 19.44
Hornet Sportabout   8 175 3.15 3.440 17.02
Valiant              6 105 2.76 3.460 20.22
```

```
> Y = data.matrix(mtcars[,1])      # Vector of responses
```

```
> n = length(Y)
```

```
> one = matrix(1,n,1)      # We also need a vector of 1s to include the intercept
```

```
> X = cbind(one,X)
```

```
> t(X) %*% X      # This is matrix X'X
              cyl      hp      drat      wt      qsec
cyl  32.000  198.000  4694.00  115.0900  102.9520  571.160
hp   198.000 1324.000 32204.00  691.4000  679.4040 3475.560
drat 4694.000 32204.000 834278.00 16372.2800 16471.7440 81092.160
wt   115.090  691.400 16372.28  422.7907  358.7190 2056.914
qsec 102.952  679.404 16471.74  358.7190  360.9011 1828.095
qsec 571.160 3475.560 81092.16 2056.9140 1828.0946 10293.480
```

```
> slope = inv(t(X) %*% X) %*% t(X) %*% Y      # Slope  $\beta = (X'X)^{-1}X'Y$ 
> slope
      [,1]
[1,] 25.94553598
[2,] -0.48955421
[3,] -0.01505188
[4,]  1.13092435
[5,] -3.38272539
[6,]  0.34985343
```

We can certainly get the same slopes by the usual regression command “lm”

```
> lm( mpg ~ cyl + hp + drat + wt + qsec )
```

Call:

```
lm(formula = mpg ~ cyl + hp + drat + wt + qsec)
```

Coefficients:

```
(Intercept)      cyl      hp      drat      wt
qsec
 25.94521    -0.48967    -0.01539    1.13077   -3.38279
0.35011
```

Our estimated regression equation is

$\text{mpg} = 25.95 - 0.49 \text{ cyl} - 0.015 \text{ hp} + 1.13 \text{ drat} - 3.38 \text{ wt} + 0.35 \text{ qsec} + \varepsilon$