行列式的计算方法总结

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1. 利用定义计算

2. 利用行列式性质把行列式化为上、下三角形行列式.

有时也可化成斜上、斜下三角形行列式

$$\begin{vmatrix} b & \cdots & b & b & a \\ b & \cdots & b & a & b \\ b & \cdots & a & b & b \\ \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ a & \cdots & b & b & b \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} b & \cdots & b & b & a+(n-1)b \\ b & \cdots & b & a & a+(n-1)b \\ b & \cdots & a & b & a+(n-1)b \\ \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ a & \cdots & b & b & a+(n-1)b \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (a + (n-1)b) \begin{vmatrix} b & \cdots & b & b & 1 \\ b & \cdots & b & a & 1 \\ b & \cdots & a & b & 1 \\ \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ a & \cdots & b & b & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (a + (n-1)b) \begin{vmatrix} b & \cdots & b & b & 1 \\ 0 & \cdots & 0 & a-b & 0 \\ 0 & \cdots & a-b & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ a-b & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}} (a + (n-1)b)(a-b)^{n-1}$$

3. 行列式按一行 (一列) 展开, 或按多行 (多列) 展开 (Laplace 定理)

$$D_{2n} = \begin{vmatrix} a_n & & & & & b_n \\ & \ddots & & & \ddots & \\ & & a_1 & b_1 & & \\ & & c_1 & d_1 & & \\ & & \ddots & & \ddots & \\ c_n & & & & d_n \end{vmatrix} = \prod_{i=1}^n (a_i d_i - b_i c_i).$$

4. 箭头形行列式或者可以化为箭头形的行列式

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_0 & 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 \\ 1 & a_1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & a_2 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & a_n \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} a_0 - \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{a_i} & 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 \\ 0 & a_1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a_2 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & a_n \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \left(a_0 - \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{a_i}\right) a_1 a_2 \cdots a_n$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} x_1 - m & x_2 & x_3 & \cdots & x_n \\ x_1 & x_2 - m & x_3 & \cdots & x_n \\ x_1 & x_2 & x_3 - m & \cdots & x_n \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ x_1 & x_2 & x_3 & \cdots & x_n - m \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} x_1 - m & x_2 & x_3 & \cdots & x_n \\ m & -m & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ m & 0 & -m & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ m & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 - m \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i - m & x_2 & x_3 & \cdots & x_n \\ 0 & -m & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -m & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 - m \end{vmatrix} = \left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i - m\right) (-m)^{n-1}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 & a_0 \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & a_1 & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & a_{n-1} & \cdots & 0 & 1 \\ a_n & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 & a_0 - 2 \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & a_1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \end{vmatrix}$$

 $= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 & a_0 - \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{a_i} \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & a_1 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & a_{n-1} & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ a_n & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$

$$= (-1)^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}} a_1 a_2 \cdots a_n \left(a_0 - \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{a_i} \right)$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} b & \cdots & b & b & a \\ b & \cdots & b & a & b \\ b & \cdots & a & b & b \\ \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ a & \cdots & b & b & b \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} b & b & \cdots & b & a \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & a-b & b-a \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & a-b & \cdots & 0 & b-a \\ a-b & 0 & \cdots & 0 & b-a \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} b & b & \cdots & b & a + (n-1)b \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & a-b & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & a-b & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ a-b & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$=(-1)^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}}(a+(n-1)b)(a-b)^{n-1}$$

5. 逐行逐列相加减

行列式特点是每相邻两行 (列) 之间有许多元素相同. 用逐行 (列) 相减可以化出零.

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 & \cdots & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & \cdots & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 3 & \cdots & 2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & \cdots & n \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & \cdots & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & n-2 \end{vmatrix} = (-2)(n-2)!$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & \cdots & n-1 & n \\ 2 & 2 & 3 & \cdots & n-1 & n \\ 3 & 3 & 3 & \cdots & n-1 & n \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots \\ n-1 & n-1 & n-1 & \cdots & n-1 & n \\ n & n & n & \cdots & n & n \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 & -1 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots \\ -1 & -1 & -1 & \cdots & -1 & 0 \\ n & n & n & \cdots & n & n \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^{n-1}n.$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & \cdots & n-1 & n \\ 2 & 3 & 4 & \cdots & n & 1 \\ 3 & 4 & 5 & \cdots & 1 & 2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots \\ n-1 & n & 1 & \cdots & n-3 & n-2 \\ n & 1 & 2 & \cdots & n-2 & n-1 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & \cdots & n-1 & n \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 & 1-n \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1-n & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & 1 & 1-n & \cdots & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1-n & 1 & \cdots & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

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6. 加边法 (添加一行一列, 利于计算, 但同时保持行列式

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a & a & a & \cdots & a \\ 0 & a + x_1 & a & a & \cdots & a \\ 0 & a & a + x_2 & a & \cdots & a \\ 0 & a & a & a + x_3 & \cdots & a \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & a & a & a & \cdots & a + x_n \end{vmatrix}$$

7. 利用数学归纳法证明行列式

$$\begin{vmatrix} \alpha + \beta & \alpha \beta & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & \alpha + \beta & \alpha \beta & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \alpha + \beta & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & \alpha + \beta & \alpha \beta \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 1 & \alpha + \beta \end{vmatrix} = \frac{\alpha^{n+1} - \beta^{n+1}}{\alpha - \beta}$$

证明: 利用第二数学归纳法: 若 n=1, 则 $D_1=\alpha+\beta=\frac{\alpha^2-\beta^2}{\alpha-\beta}$, 成立. 假设结论对所有小于 n 的都成立.

将 D_n 按第一行 (或第一列) 展开得 $D_n = (\alpha + \beta)D_{n-1} - \alpha\beta D_{n-2}$,

利用归纳假设可得

$$D_n = (\alpha + \beta)D_{n-1} - \alpha\beta D_{n-2} = (\alpha + \beta)\frac{\alpha^n - \beta^n}{\alpha - \beta} - \alpha\beta\frac{\alpha^{n-1} - \beta^{n-1}}{\alpha - \beta} = \frac{\alpha^{n+1} - \beta^{n+1}}{\alpha - \beta}.$$

8. 利用递推公式

解: 按第一行展开得 $D_n = (\alpha + \beta)D_{n-1} - \alpha\beta D_{n-2}$, 将此式化为:

$$D_{n} - \alpha D_{n-1} = \beta \left(D_{n-1} - \alpha D_{n-2} \right)$$
(1)
$$D_{n} - \beta D_{n-1} = \alpha \left(D_{n-1} - \beta D_{n-2} \right)$$
(2)

利用公式 (1) 得
$$D_n - \alpha D_{n-1} = \beta (D_{n-1} - \alpha D_{n-2}) = \beta^2 (D_{n-2} - \alpha D_{n-3}) = \dots = \beta^{n-2} (D_2 - \alpha D_1) = \beta^n,$$
即 $D_n = \alpha D_{n-1} + \beta^n$ (3)
利用公式 (2) 得 $D_n - \beta D_{n-1} = \alpha (D_{n-1} - \beta D_{n-2}) = \alpha^2 (D_{n-2} - \beta D_{n-3}) = \dots = \alpha^{n-2} (D_2 - \beta D_1) = \alpha^n,$
即 $D_n = \beta D_{n-1} + \alpha^n$ (4)
由 (3)(4) 解得: $D_n = \begin{cases} \frac{\alpha^{n+1} - \beta^{n+1}}{\alpha - \beta}, & \alpha \neq \beta \\ (n+1)\alpha^n, & \alpha = \beta \end{cases}$

9. 拆项法: 将行列式的其中一行 (列) 拆成两个数的和

要点: 分解成两个容易求的行列式的和.

$$D_{n} = \begin{vmatrix} a & b & b & \cdots & b & b \\ c & a & b & \cdots & b & b \\ c & c & a & \cdots & b & b \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots \\ c & c & c & \cdots & a & b \\ c & c & c & \cdots & c & a \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} c + a - c & b & b & \cdots & b & b \\ c & a & b & \cdots & b & b \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots \\ c & c & c & \cdots & c & a \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} c + a - c & b & b & \cdots & b & b \\ c & a & b & \cdots & b & b \\ c & c & c & \cdots & c & a \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} c & b & b & \cdots & b & b \\ c & a & b & \cdots & b & b \\ c & c & a & \cdots & b & b \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ c & c & c & \cdots & a & b \\ c & c & c & \cdots & c & a \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} a - c & b & b & \cdots & b & b \\ 0 & a & b & \cdots & b & b \\ 0 & c & a & \cdots & b & b \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & c & c & \cdots & c & a \end{vmatrix}$$