

Homework for Linear Algebra

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Exercise 1.

$$A^+ = [1] \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{5}, 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.6 & 0.8 \\ -0.8 & 0.6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{25} & \frac{4}{25} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^+A = [1], AA^+ = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{9}{25} & \frac{12}{25} \\ \frac{12}{25} & \frac{16}{25} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{x}_1^+ = A^+\mathbf{b}_1 = 1, \mathbf{x}_2^+ = A^+\mathbf{b}_2 = 0$$

Exercise 2.

From the definition of \mathbf{u} , we have $\mathbf{u}_i^T \mathbf{u}_j = 1$ when $i=j$, and if $i \neq j$, it equals zero. So

$$A^+A = \sum_{i \in r} \frac{\mathbf{v}_i \mathbf{u}_i^T}{\sigma_i} * \sum_{i \in r} \sigma_i \mathbf{u}_i \mathbf{v}_i^T = \sum_{i \in r} \mathbf{v}_i \mathbf{v}_i^T$$

So does for \mathbf{v}_i , so

$$(A^+A)^2 = \sum_{i \in r} \mathbf{v}_i \mathbf{v}_i^T * \sum_{i \in r} \mathbf{v}_i \mathbf{v}_i^T = \sum_{i \in r} \mathbf{v}_i \mathbf{v}_i^T = A^+A$$

For "projection", we have known that $\mathbf{v}_1 \cdots \mathbf{v}_r$ consists a basis for $C(A^T)$, also we can see from the equation that each column vector of A^+A is a linear combination of $\mathbf{v}_1 \cdots \mathbf{v}_r$. We prove that A^+A is exactly the projection matrix onto the vector space $C(A^T)$. That is to say, for any \mathbf{b} its projection vector on $C(A^T)$ is $A^+A\mathbf{b}$. Proof: Also use the property of \mathbf{v}_i ,

$$A(\mathbf{b} - A^+A\mathbf{b}) = \sum_{i \in r} \sigma_i \mathbf{u}_i \mathbf{v}_i^T \mathbf{b} - \sum_{i \in r} \sigma_i \mathbf{u}_i \mathbf{v}_i^T * \sum_{i \in r} \mathbf{v}_i \mathbf{v}_i^T \mathbf{b} = \sum_{i \in r} \sigma_i \mathbf{u}_i \mathbf{v}_i^T \mathbf{b} - \sum_{i \in r} \sigma_i \mathbf{u}_i \mathbf{v}_i^T \mathbf{b} = 0$$

That is to say, the error vector $\mathbf{b} - A^+A\mathbf{b}$ is perpendicular to all the column vectors of A , which is to say it's perpendicular to $C(A^T)$.

Exercise 3.

For the matrix $A = [\mathbf{v}_1 \cdots \mathbf{v}_n]$, since each column vector of it is orthonormal, we have $A^{-1} = A^T$. So

$$AA^T = [\mathbf{v}_1 \cdots \mathbf{v}_n] \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}_1^T \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{v}_n^T \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{v}_1 \mathbf{v}_1^T + \cdots + \mathbf{v}_n \mathbf{v}_n^T = AA^{-1} = I_n$$

Exercise 4.

4.1

Since $A^+ = V\Sigma^+U^T = \sum_{i \in r} \frac{\mathbf{v}_i \mathbf{u}_i^T}{\sigma_i}$, and from definition, each \mathbf{v}_i is linearly independent to others. So we can see each column of A^+ as a linear combination of $\mathbf{v}_1 \cdots \mathbf{v}_r$, which means $\text{rank}(A^+) = \text{rank}(A) = r$.

4.2

If A is invertible, that means in SVD, the matrix Σ will have the whole n singular values. From the property of orthornormal matrix, we have

$$A^+A = V\Sigma^+U^T U \Sigma V^T = V\Sigma^+ \Sigma V^T = VIV^T = I$$

Also $AA^+ = I$, which means $A^+ = A^{-1}$.

Exercise 5.

5.1 Assume $\mathbf{x} = c_1 \mathbf{v}_1 + \cdots + c_n \mathbf{v}_n$, where $\mathbf{v}_1, \cdots, \mathbf{v}_n$ consists a orthonormal basis for \mathbb{R}^n , and the first r vector of it is exactly the column vectors in V of A 's SVD. From what we known in class, it's possible to build a basis like this. So

$$\frac{\|A\mathbf{x}\|}{\|\mathbf{x}\|} = \frac{\|(\sum_{i \in r} \sigma_i \mathbf{u}_i \mathbf{v}_i^T)(\sum_{i \in n} c_i \mathbf{v}_i)\|}{\sqrt{\sum_{i \in n} c_i^2}} = \frac{\sqrt{\sum_{i \in r} \sigma_i^2 c_i^2}}{\sqrt{\sum_{i \in n} c_i^2}}$$

Also

$$\sum_{i \in r} \sigma_i^2 c_i^2 = \sum_{i \in r} \sigma_i^2 c_i^2 + \sum_{i=r+1}^n 0 * c_i^2 \leq \sigma_1^2 \sum_{i=1}^n c_i^2$$

So

$$\max \frac{\|A\mathbf{x}\|}{\|\mathbf{x}\|} = \sigma_1$$

holds.

5.2 First we prove the fact that there exist a nonzero $\mathbf{x} \in V_{k+1} = \text{span}(\{\mathbf{v}_1 \cdots \mathbf{v}_{k+1}\}) \cap R(B)$

Proof: Since $\dim(V_{k+1}) = k+1 > \text{rank}(B)$, there must exist a vector in $\mathbf{v}_1, \cdots, \mathbf{v}_{k+1}$ that in $V_{k+1} \setminus C(B^T)$, so the error vector of its projection (which is also in V_{k+1} since it can be represented by the vectors consist the basis of $C(B^T)$ and the unique vector). This vector sufficients \mathbf{x} since it is perpendicular to all the row vectors of B . Now we have $\mathbf{x} = \sum_{i=1}^{k+1} c_i \mathbf{v}_i$, then we calculate the fraction.

$$\|(A-B)\mathbf{x}\| = \|A\mathbf{x}\| = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^{k+1} c_i^2 \sigma_i^2} \geq \sqrt{\sigma_{k+1}^2 \sum_{i=1}^{k+1} c_i^2}$$

So $\max \frac{\|(A-B)\mathbf{x}\|}{\|\mathbf{x}\|} \geq \sigma_{k+1}$.

5.3 the equality holds when $c_2 = \cdots = c_n = 0$ which means \mathbf{x} is linearly dependent to \mathbf{v}_1 .