



Linear Algebra

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Today

- Matrix Multiplication, Revisited
- Composition of vector valued linear functions
- QR factorization

Matrix-Matrix multiplication reminder

$$A_{m \times n}, B_{n \times k}$$

$$C = A \cdot B, \text{ dim} = m \times k$$

$$C_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n A_{ik} B_{kj} \quad *$$



• scalar-vector product $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{a} = \vec{y}_{n \times 1} \quad (a \vec{a})$

• inner product $\langle \vec{a}, \vec{y} \rangle \quad n \times m, m \times 1 = \text{scalar}$

• Matrix-vector $\vec{y} = A \vec{a}$, $A_{m \times n}, \vec{a}_{n \times 1}, \vec{y}_{m \times 1} \text{ dim}$

• outer product m -vector \vec{a} n vector $\vec{b} = \vec{a} \vec{b}^T: m \times n$ matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_1 b_1 & a_1 b_2 & \dots & a_1 b_n \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_m b_1 & a_m b_2 & \dots & a_m b_n \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{a} \vec{b}^T \neq \vec{b} \vec{a}^T$$

Matrix-Matrix multiplication reminder

- In general, $AB \neq BA$
- $(AB)^T = B^T A^T$

Inner product: \vec{y}, \vec{x}, A

$$\langle \vec{y}, A\vec{x} \rangle = \langle A^T \vec{y}, \vec{x} \rangle$$

$$\text{Pf: } \vec{y}^T (A\vec{x}) = (\vec{y}^T A) \cdot \vec{x} = (A^T \vec{y})^T \vec{x}$$

$(C \cdot A) \cdot B$

$$(\langle A^T \vec{y}, \vec{x} \rangle)$$

- Column interpretation:

$$A, B = [\vec{b}_1 \dots \vec{b}_n]$$

$$AB = [A\vec{b}_1 \quad A\vec{b}_n]$$

multiple sets of
Linear equations

$$x: A\vec{x}_i = \vec{b}_i, i = 1 \dots k$$

$$AX = B$$

$$x = [\vec{x}_1 \dots \vec{x}_k], B = [\vec{b}_1 \dots \vec{b}_k]$$

Matrix-Matrix multiplication reminder

- Inner product representation

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{a}_1^T \vec{b}_1 & \vec{a}_1^T \vec{b}_2 & \dots & \vec{a}_1^T \vec{b}_n \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vec{a}_m^T \vec{b}_1 & \vec{a}_m^T \vec{b}_2 & \dots & \vec{a}_m^T \vec{b}_n \end{bmatrix}$$



- Gram matrix $A_{m \times n}$ $A = [\vec{a}_1 \dots \vec{a}_n]$

$$G = A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{a}_1^T \vec{a}_1 & \vec{a}_1^T \vec{a}_2 & \dots & \vec{a}_1^T \vec{a}_n \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vec{a}_m^T \vec{a}_1 & \vec{a}_m^T \vec{a}_2 & \dots & \vec{a}_m^T \vec{a}_n \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{symmetric} \\ \vec{a}_i^T \vec{a}_j = \vec{a}_j^T \vec{a}_i \end{array}$$

e.g. $A_{m \times n}$: $A_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if item } i \text{ in group } j \\ 0 & \text{o.w.} \end{cases}$

$G = A^T A$: $G_{ij} = \text{number of items both in group } i \text{ \& } j$
 $G_{ii} = \text{number of items in group } i.$

Outer Product, Gram Matrix

Outer product interpretation

$$A = [\vec{a}_1 \quad \dots \quad \vec{a}_p] \quad , \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{b}_1^T \\ \vdots \\ \vec{b}_p^T \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A \cdot B = \vec{a}_1 \vec{b}_1^T + \dots + \vec{a}_p \vec{b}_p^T$$

Outer Product, Gram Matrix

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Outer Product, Gram Matrix

Bra/Ket notation

$\langle x, y \rangle$: inner product (scalar)

$|x\rangle\langle y|$: outer product (matrix)

$|x\rangle \stackrel{(\text{ket})}{=} \text{column vector}$

$\langle y| \stackrel{\text{bra}}{=} \text{row vector } (\vec{y}^T)$

$$\vec{b} \cdot \vec{a}^T \cdot \vec{c} \cdot \vec{d}^T = ?$$

$$\underbrace{|b\rangle\langle a|}_{\text{inner product (scalar)}} \cdot \langle a|c\rangle \cdot \underbrace{|c\rangle\langle d|}_{\text{outer product (matrix)}}$$

Matrix products as Composition of Linear Functions

$$f(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x} \quad f: \mathbb{R}^p \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$$

$$g(\vec{x}) = B\vec{x} \quad g: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^p$$

composition of f, g : $h: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$

$$h(\vec{x}) = \underbrace{f}_{\substack{\text{p-dim} \\ \text{m-dim}}}(g(\vec{x})) = A(B\vec{x}) = \underbrace{(AB)}_C \vec{x}$$

e.g. of composition of linear functions: $(n-1) \times n$ difference matrix D_n

$$D_n = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & -1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad D_n \vec{x} = (x_2 - x_1, \dots, x_n - x_{n-1})$$

D_{n-1} : $(n-2) \times (n-1)$ matrix

$D_{n-1} D_n =$ second difference matrix

Matrix products as Composition of Linear Functions

- *Difference matrix.* The $(n - 1) \times n$ matrix

$$D_n = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ & & & \ddots & & & \\ & & & & \ddots & & \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$D_{n-1} D_n \vec{x} = D_{n-1} \underbrace{(x_2 - x_1, \dots, x_n - x_{n-1})}_{\text{red bracket}} = (x_1 - 2x_2 + x_3, \dots, x_{n-2} - 2x_{n-1} + x_n)$$

Matrix products as Composition of Linear Functions

Composition of Affine functions

$$f: \mathbb{R}^p \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m \quad f(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x} + \vec{b}$$

$$g: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^p \quad g(\vec{x}) = C\vec{x} + \vec{d}$$

$$h(\vec{x}) = f(g(\vec{x})) = A(C\vec{x} + \vec{d}) + \vec{b} = \underbrace{(AC)}_{\tilde{A}}\vec{x} + \underbrace{(A\vec{d} + \vec{b})}_{\tilde{b}}$$

$$h(\vec{x}) = \tilde{A}\vec{x} + \tilde{b}$$

Matrix Powers and graphs

$$\underbrace{A \cdot A \cdots A}_k = A^k$$

$$A^{1/2}, A^0 = I$$

$(A^{-1})^k$ inverse

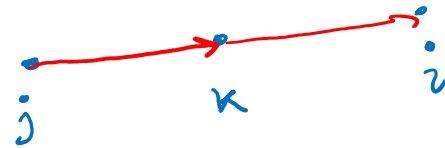
$$A^k \cdot A^l = A^{k+l}$$

$A_{n \times n}$: adjacency matrix

$$(A^k)^l = A^{k \cdot l}$$

$$A_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } j \rightarrow i \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

• path of length l : sequence of $l+1$ vertices



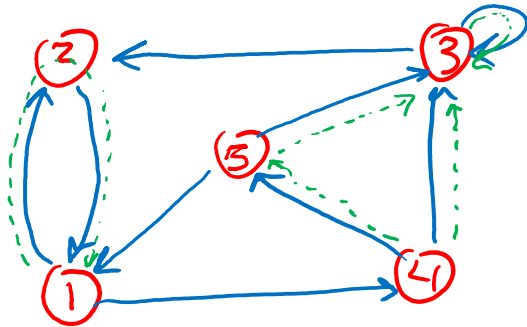
$$(A^2)_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n \underbrace{A_{ik} A_{kj}}_{\neq 0 \text{ iff } \exists \text{ path of length 2 between } j \text{ and } i}$$

= # paths of length
2 from $j \rightarrow i$



Matrix Powers and graphs

Matrix Powers and graphs



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

$$A^2 = A \cdot A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(A^2)_{11} = 1 \quad (\text{1 path } (1, 2, 1))$$

$$(A^2)_{34} = 2 \quad (\text{2 paths } (4, 5, 3) \text{ and } (4, 3, 3))$$

$(A^l)_{ij} = \#$ paths of length l from vertex j to vertex i

Pf by induction: Base case: A^2 ✓

Itl: Assume true that $(A^k)_{ij} = \#$ paths $j \rightarrow i$ $\forall k \leq l$

need to show it holds for $l+1$. $(A^{l+1})_{ij} = (A \cdot A^l)_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n A_{ik} (A^l)_{kj}$

k -th term = $\#$ length l paths $j \rightarrow k$ iff edge $k \rightarrow i$
 = $\#$ length $l+1$ paths $j \rightarrow i$ that end with edge $k \rightarrow i$ } sum over all k ✓

QR factorization

Algorithm 5.1 GRAM-SCHMIDT ALGORITHM

given n -vectors a_1, \dots, a_k

for $i = 1, \dots, k$,

1. *Orthogonalization.* $\tilde{q}_i = a_i - (q_1^T a_i)q_1 - \dots - (q_{i-1}^T a_i)q_{i-1}$
 2. *Test for linear dependence.* if $\tilde{q}_i = 0$, quit.
 3. *Normalization.* $q_i = \tilde{q}_i / \|\tilde{q}_i\|$
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• Matrices with orthonormal columns:

$\{\vec{a}_1, \dots, \vec{a}_k\}$ orthonormal :

$$A = [\vec{a}_1 \ \dots \ \vec{a}_k]$$

$$A^T A = I$$

if A is square
then A is called
orthogonal

ex: $A_{n \times n}$ with orthonormal columns
also has orthonormal rows.

QR factorization

Norm, inner product, angle.

$A_{m \times n}$, orthonormal columns, \vec{x}, \vec{y} n -vectors

$$(1) \|A\vec{x}\| = \|\vec{x}\|$$

$$(2) \langle A\vec{x}, A\vec{y} \rangle = \langle \vec{x}, \vec{y} \rangle$$

$$(3) \angle(A\vec{x}, A\vec{y}) = \angle(\vec{x}, \vec{y})$$

Pf: (2) $(A\vec{x})^T (A\vec{y}) = (\vec{x}^T A^T) (A\vec{y}) = \vec{x}^T \underbrace{(A^T A)}_{\substack{\text{inner} \\ \text{product} \\ \text{property}}} \vec{y} = \vec{x}^T I \vec{y} = \vec{x}^T \vec{y}$

$(AB)^T = B^T A^T$

$$(2) \rightarrow (1) \quad \vec{y} = \vec{x}$$

$$(A\vec{x})^T (A\vec{x}) = \vec{x}^T \vec{x} \quad \text{by (2)}$$

$$\|A\vec{x}\|^2 = \|\vec{x}\|^2 \Rightarrow \|A\vec{x}\| = \|\vec{x}\|$$

$$(1), (2) \rightarrow (3): \quad \angle(A\vec{x}, A\vec{y}) = \arccos \left(\frac{(A\vec{x})^T (A\vec{y})}{\|A\vec{x}\| \|A\vec{y}\|} \right) = \arccos \frac{\vec{x}^T \vec{y}}{\|\vec{x}\| \|\vec{y}\|}$$

Practice Problems

Matrix sizes. Suppose A , B , and C are matrices that satisfy $A + BB^T = C$. Determine which of the following statements are necessarily true. (There may be more than one true statement.)

- (a) A is square.
- (b) A and B have the same dimensions.
- (c) A , B , and C have the same number of rows.
- (d) B is a tall matrix.

Practice Problems

When is the outer product symmetric? Let a and b be n -vectors. The inner product is symmetric, *i.e.*, we have $a^T b = b^T a$. The outer product of the two vectors is generally *not* symmetric; that is, we generally have $ab^T \neq ba^T$. What are the conditions on a and b under which $ab = ba^T$? You can assume that all the entries of a and b are nonzero. (The conclusion you come to will hold even when some entries of a or b are zero.) *Hint.* Show that $ab^T = ba^T$ implies that a_i/b_i is a constant (*i.e.*, independent of i).