

ICME Refresher Course 2015

9/14-9/15

Numerical Linear Algebra Sections:

- ① Monday 9/14: 1:00 - 2:15 pm
 ② Tuesday 9/15: 9:00 - 10:15 am
 ③ Tuesday 9/15: 10:30 - 11:45 am
 Final 2 sections later:
 ④ Wednesday 9/16: 10:30 - 11:45
 ⑤ Thursday 9/17: 9:00 - 10:15 am

Outline

Monday: ① Review of basic concepts from linear algebra (dim, rank, null space, linear independence, vector space subspace, rank/nullity theorem, invertible matrix theorem)

Monday: ② Determinants/trace

Tuesday: ③ Gaussian elimination - direct solves and factorizations (LU decomp, LDL^T, Cholesky) forward/back substitution for triangular systems $O(n^2)$, positive definite definiteness

Tuesday: ④ Conditioning + perturbation for $Ax=b$ - ill-cond systems, matrix/vector norms, condition norm, consequences of using a small pivot

Tuesday: ⑤ orthogonalization - orthogonal basis / matrix, inner product spaces, Cayley-Schwarz, Gram-Schmidt, QR

Lan's topics

- ① eigenvalues and eigenvectors
- ② $SVD = A = U \Sigma V^T$ (U, V orthogonal)
- ③ iterative methods
- ④ least squares

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- This part of course is intended to prepare you for Fall CME core course CME 302
- survey of which department/degree program everyone is from

① Review of basic concepts from lin alg: d/14

What is a linear transformation/operator?

$$L[\alpha \vec{v}_1 + \beta \vec{v}_2] = \alpha L(\vec{v}_1) + \beta L(\vec{v}_2)$$

② Linear combination of vectors $\{\vec{v}_j\}_{j=1}^n$

$$\alpha_1 \vec{v}_1 + \dots + \alpha_n \vec{v}_n = \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j \vec{v}_j \quad - \alpha_j \in \mathbb{R}$$

(weighted sum)

How can we express this in terms of matrices and vectors?

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} \quad \boxed{n} = \text{number of columns / number of variables}$$
$$\boxed{m} = \text{number of rows / eqns}$$

• What is $A\vec{x}$ a linear combination of?

$$A\vec{x} = \underbrace{[\vec{a}_1 \ \dots \ \vec{a}_n]}_{n \text{ column vectors}} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$= [x_1 \vec{a}_1 + \dots + x_n \vec{a}_n] \Rightarrow$ linear combo of columns of A , with coefficients x_j (vector elements)

• A solution to $Ax=b$ exists \Leftrightarrow

b is a linear combo of columns of A

Ex: $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $b = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$[A \mid b]$ augmented system

$$b_3 = 2a_1 + 2a_2$$

only 1 pivot

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 2 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x_1 = 6 - 2x_2 \\ 0 = 0 + x_2(-2) \end{array} \right\} \quad x_2 = x_2 \text{ (Free variable)}$$

⇒ infinitely many solutions

Example: $x_2 = 1 \quad x_1 = 4 \quad \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Now, take $b_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ (not a linear combo of columns of A)

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow 0 \neq 1$$

no solution exists / inconsistent system

② linear independence of a set of vectors

Definition A set of vectors $\{v_j\}_{j=1}^n$ is linearly independent if none of the vectors can be expressed as linear combos of the others, i.e.

$$\sum_{j=1}^n \beta_j v_j = \vec{0} \Leftrightarrow \beta_j = 0 \quad \forall j$$

On the contrary for linear dependence: 1 or more of the vectors can be expressed as linear combo of the others

$$\exists \{ \beta_j \} \neq 0 \text{ s.t. } \sum_{j=1}^n \beta_j v_j = \vec{0} \quad \beta_j \text{ not}$$

all 0.

$$\exists k \quad v_k = \sum_{\substack{j=1 \\ j \neq k}}^n \beta_j v_j$$

$$\text{Then } \sum_{j=1}^n \beta_j v_j = \sum_{\substack{j=1 \\ j \neq k}}^n \beta_j v_j + \beta_k v_k$$

$$= \sum_{\substack{j=1 \\ 0 \neq j}}^n \beta_j \vec{v}_j + \beta_k \sum_{\substack{j=1 \\ j \neq k}}^n \beta_j \vec{v}_j \quad \boxed{\text{Take } \beta_k = 1}$$

Question Determine if a set of vectors is linearly independent?

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

Dependent $\boxed{\vec{v}_3 = \vec{v}_2 - \vec{v}_1}$

Larger case: $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

How to solve: write as matrix

By definition: $\beta_1 \vec{v}_1 + \beta_2 \vec{v}_2 + \beta_3 \vec{v}_3 = \vec{0}$
 check if all $\beta_i = 0$
 matrix system: $\boxed{A\vec{\beta} = \vec{0}}$ (want only trivial solution)

For $\vec{\beta} = 0$, we need A to be invertible (non-singular)
 check if matrix has 3 pivots (square matrix invertible if pivot in every row)

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} \textcircled{1} & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & \textcircled{1} & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & \textcircled{1} \end{bmatrix}$$

\Rightarrow linearly independent

- ③ Vector Space | Set V that is closed under addition and scalar multiplication that satisfies the following axioms
- 1) Commutativity: $\vec{u} + \vec{v} = \vec{v} + \vec{u}$
 - 2) Associativity: $(\vec{u} + \vec{v}) + \vec{w} = \vec{u} + (\vec{v} + \vec{w})$

3) Additive identity: $\exists \vec{0} \in V$ s.t.

$$v + \vec{0} = v \quad \forall v \in V$$

4) Additive inverse: $\forall v \in V, \exists w \in V$
s.t. $v + w = \vec{0}$

5) Multiplicative identity: $1v = v$

6) Distributivity $\alpha(u+v) = \alpha u + \alpha v$
 $(\alpha + \beta)v = \alpha v + \beta v$

Example: $\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{P}_n, \mathbb{C}^n, C[0,1]$

\uparrow
Euclidean
space

\uparrow
space of
polynomials
deg $\leq n$

\uparrow \uparrow
complex space of
continuous
functions on $[0,1]$

④ Subspace) A subspace U of a vector space V ($U \subseteq V$) is a subset of elements such that

① $\vec{0} \in U$

② U is closed under addition

$$(\forall u, v \in U, u + v \in U)$$

③ U is closed under scalar multiplication

$$\forall v \in U, \alpha v \in U$$

& a subspace is a vector space

Examples) (a) any line in \mathbb{R}^2 of the form $x_2 = \alpha x_1$ is a subspace

• subset of \mathbb{R}^2

1) $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \in U$ $0 = \alpha \cdot 0$ ✓ line through the origin

inherits
other
properties
from
vector
space

2) closed under addition (slope α)

Let $\vec{x}, \vec{y} \in U$ Then $x_2 = \alpha x_1$

$$y_2 = \alpha y_1$$

$$x_2 + y_2 = \alpha x_1 + \alpha y_1 = \alpha(x_1 + y_1) \checkmark$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{x} + \vec{y} \in U$$

3) closed under scalar multiplication

$\vec{x} \in U$. want to show $c\vec{x} \in U$

Since $\vec{x} \in U$ $x_2 = \alpha x_1$

$$\text{So, } \boxed{cx_2 = \alpha(cx_1)} \Rightarrow c\vec{x} \in U \checkmark$$

(b) A line in \mathbb{R}^2 of the form $x_2 = x_1 + b$,
 $b \neq 0$ is not a vector space, since
 $x_1 = x_2 = 0$ is not on the line (doesn't
pass through origin)

(c) Prove that the nullspace is
a subspace of \mathbb{R}^n .

sep formal def later

$$\boxed{\{ \vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid A\vec{x} = \vec{0} \}}$$

1) Clearly $A\vec{0} = \vec{0} \checkmark \vec{0} \in N(A)$

2) Suppose $\vec{x}, \vec{y} \in N(A)$ - $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$
Then $A(\vec{x} + \vec{y}) = \underbrace{A\vec{x}}_{\vec{0}} + \underbrace{A\vec{y}}_{\vec{0}} = \vec{0} \checkmark \vec{x} + \vec{y} \in N(A)$

3) $A(\alpha\vec{x}) = \alpha \underbrace{A\vec{x}}_{\vec{0}} = \vec{0}$ since $\vec{x} \in N(A)$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha\vec{x} \in N(A)$$

(2) + (3) by linearity of A

(d) Prove the range is a subspace
of \mathbb{R}^m

$\exists b \in \mathbb{R}^m$ ($\exists x \rightarrow b$)

- 1) $0 \in \text{Range}(A)$ since $A0 = 0$
- 2) Let w_1, w_2 be in the range of A .
By definition, $\exists v_1, v_2$ such that
 $Av_1 = w_1, Av_2 = w_2$

$\Rightarrow A(v_1 + v_2) = w_1 + w_2$

$\Rightarrow A(v_1 + v_2) = w_1 + w_2 \Rightarrow w_1 + w_2 \in \text{Range}(A)$

3) $A(cv_1) = cAv_1 = \boxed{cw_1} \checkmark$

* Set of vectors x s.t. $Ax=b, b \neq 0$
is not a vector space, since $\rightarrow 0$

(e) space of continuous, real-valued functions on $[0,1]$, $C([0,1])$

$U = \{f \in C([0,1]) \mid f(0) = f(1) = 0\}$

1) $0 \in U$

2) $f, g \in U$ Then $(f+g)(0)$

$= f(0) + g(0) = 0 + 0 = 0$

same for 1

3) $(cf)(0) = cf(0) = 0 \checkmark$

④ Spanning Set A set of vectors $\{v_i\}$

spans a vector space if every vector in the space can be expressed as a linear combination of v_i 's

• It is a subspace of all linear combinations of these vectors:
 $\text{span}(v_1, \dots, v_n) = \{w \mid w = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i v_i\}$

Example: $\text{span}\left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}\right)$
 $= \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1 \\ \alpha_2 \end{pmatrix} \mid \alpha_i \in \mathbb{R} \right\} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$

⑤ Basis (Key Concept)

- spans the space and is linearly independent
- maximal linearly independent set
- minimal spanning set

• Given any vector $v \in V$, we can write v in the basis $u_i, i=1, \dots, n$

$$v = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i u_i \quad \text{for some set of coefficients}$$

(α_i)

⑥ Dimension - number of vectors in a basis

Example: $\{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$ is the standard basis for \mathbb{R}^n

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \dots, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \quad \dim(\mathbb{R}^n) = n$$

\mathbb{R}^2 $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ $\dim(\mathbb{R}^2) = 2$

$$\{ [1], [2], [-1] \} \quad \text{redundant}$$

Find linearly independent subset

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

spans \Rightarrow pick every row
linearly independent take columns

$$Ax=0$$

$$\{ [1], [1] \} \quad \text{basis - we can sep not unique}$$

- But # of vectors in a basis for the same space is always the same

Since $\dim(\mathbb{R}^2) = 2$, need 2 LI vectors in basis

Find coefficients to show dependency:

$$\begin{cases} \alpha_2 = 2\alpha_3 & \alpha_3 = \alpha_3 \\ \alpha_1 = -3\alpha_3 \end{cases} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{take} \\ \alpha_3 = 1 \end{matrix}$$

$$\alpha_1 v_1 + \alpha_2 v_2 + \alpha_3 v_3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -3\vec{v}_1 + 2\vec{v}_2 + \vec{v}_3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{v}_3 = 3\vec{v}_1 - 2\vec{v}_2 \quad \checkmark \quad \text{linearly dependent}$$

Example: $x_2 = \alpha x_1$ is a 1D subspace of \mathbb{R}^2

$$\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ \alpha x_1 \end{bmatrix} = x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \alpha \end{bmatrix} \quad \{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \alpha \end{bmatrix} \}$$

Question: Find a basis for a subspace of \mathbb{R}^4 spanned by vectors

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

• we know it spans the space, so to be a basis we must take the maximal linear independent subset

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\{ \vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_3 \}$ basis

can check that $\vec{v}_4 = \frac{1}{2}\vec{v}_1 + \frac{1}{2}\vec{v}_2$

- $\dim(V) = \#$ vectors in a basis
- Not all vector spaces are finite dimensional, such as $(0, \infty)$

Ex: basis for $\mathbb{P}_n(x) = \{1, x, x^2, \dots, x^n\}$
 $\dim(\mathbb{P}_n(x)) = \boxed{n+1}$ due to scalar term

Ex: Find a basis for a subspace of $\mathbb{R}^3 = \{x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 0\} \cdot U$

1) Show subspace: $0 \in U$

~~$$\alpha(x_1 + x_2 + x_3) + \beta(x_1 + x_2 + x_3) = (\alpha + \beta)(x_1 + x_2 + x_3) = 0$$~~

$$r(x_1 + x_2 + x_3) = (x_1 + x_2 + x_3) + (y_1 + y_2 + y_3) = 0$$

$$2) \alpha x_1 + \alpha x_2 + \alpha x_3 = \alpha(x_1 + x_2 + x_3) = 0 \checkmark$$

To find basis use constraint:

$$\boxed{x_1 = -x_2 - x_3}$$

$$\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} -x_2 - x_3 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

2D subspace of \mathbb{R}^3
is a plane

* Important matrix subspaces

⑧ Column space - range of A

$R(A)$ is space spanned by the columns
Columns of $m \times n$ all live in \mathbb{R}^m

$$\vec{a}_n = \begin{bmatrix} a_{1n} \\ \vdots \\ a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^m$$

If there are m linearly independent columns, then columns = \mathbb{R}^m

$$\begin{aligned} R(A) &= \{ A \times |x\rangle \in \mathbb{R}^n \} \\ &= \{ x_i \vec{a}_i \mid x_i \in \mathbb{R}, 1 \leq i \leq n \} \\ &= \text{span} \{ \vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2, \dots, \vec{a}_n \} \end{aligned}$$

⑨ Row space - space spanned by rows of A .

= $R(A^T)$ - rows of A are columns of A^T .

$$A^T_{ij} = A_{ji} \quad A^H_{ij} = A^*_{ij} = \overline{A_{ji}} \quad (\text{complex})$$

subspace of \mathbb{R}^n

Simple to show that span is a subspace

1) set $\alpha_i = 0$ $0 = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i v_i$ ✓
 2) Let $w, u \in \text{span}\{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$
 Then $w + u = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i v_i + \sum_{i=1}^n \beta_i v_i$
 $= \sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha_i + \beta_i) v_i$ ✓

3) $\alpha w = \alpha \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i v_i = \sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha \alpha_i) v_i$ ✓

In Gaussian elim $A \rightarrow U$ (upper triangular) ~~(is preserved as linear comb)~~

- A and U have the same row space but not column space.
- * all rows of U are linear combos of rows of A

⑩ Rank of a matrix A is dim of column space / $\dim(R(A))$

$\text{rank}(A) = \text{rank}(A^T)$ \Rightarrow column space & row space have same dimension

⑪ Null space $N(A) = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : Ax = \vec{0}\}$
 • subspace in \mathbb{R}^n

Example) Find bases for row space, column space and null space.

$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 2 \\ -1 & -2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ (all involve row reduction)

• column space take the LI columns from A

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 2 \\ -1 & -2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 & -7 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} \textcircled{1} & 2 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & \textcircled{1} & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Basis for Col A: $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

$\text{rank } A = 2$

Row space: can take linearly independent rows from U or A , since span same space

Basis for row A: $\left\{ [1 \ 2 \ 0 \ 2]^T, [0 \ 0 \ 1 \ 3]^T \right\}$
 or
 $\left\{ [1 \ 2 \ 0 \ 2]^T, [-1 \ -2 \ 1 \ 1]^T \right\}$

Nul space: $\begin{cases} x_2 = x_2 \text{ (free)} & x_3 = -3x_4 \\ x_4 = x_4 & x_1 = -2x_2 - 2x_4 \end{cases}$

$$x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_4 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \bullet \text{dim} = \# \text{ free variables}$$

$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

$\text{dim}(\text{Nul}(A)) = 2$

*observe $\text{rank } A + \text{dim Nul}(A) = 4 = n$

This can be formalized in the rank nullity theorem

$$* \text{rank}(A) + \dim(N(A)) = n \text{ (\# columns)}$$

Proof Let $\{u_i\}_{i=1}^k$ be a basis for $N(A)$. We can extend this to a basis for \mathbb{R}^n (dim n) w/ $n-k$ linearly independent vectors, $\{u_i\}_{i=1}^k \cup \{w_j\}_{j=1}^{n-k}$

We must show $R(A)$ is $n-k$. For $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ $x = \sum_{i=1}^k \alpha_i u_i + \sum_{j=k+1}^n \beta_j w_j$

by definition of basis.

Then $\{0\}$ is a subspace

$$Ax = \sum_{i=1}^k \alpha_i Au_i + \sum_{j=k+1}^n \beta_j Aw_j$$

$\Rightarrow \{Aw_j\}_{j=1}^{n-k}$ is a basis for $R(A)$

\Rightarrow 4 Fundamental subspaces

$$\begin{array}{ll} 1) R(A) \subseteq \mathbb{R}^m & 3) R(A^T) \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n \\ 2) N(A) \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n & 4) N(A^T) \subseteq \mathbb{R}^m \end{array}$$

We will formalize orthogonality later, but recall $z \perp v \Leftrightarrow z^T v = 0$ (0 dot product)

Fundamental Theorem of linear algebra

Let $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$

$$\begin{array}{ll} 1) R(A) \perp N(A^T) & \text{and } R(A) \oplus N(A^T) = \mathbb{R}^m \\ 2) R(A^T) \perp N(A) & \text{and } R(A^T) \oplus N(A) = \mathbb{R}^n \end{array}$$

For two subspaces to be orthogonal,
 $\forall v \in V, u \in U \quad v \perp u \Leftrightarrow v^T u = 0$

• Show $R(A) \perp N(A^T)$

Let $v \in N(A^T), w \in R(A)$

$\Rightarrow \exists u \in \mathbb{R}^n$ s.t. $Au = w$

$$v^T w = v^T Au = (Au)^T v \quad (\text{By Symmetry})$$

$$= v^T (A^T v) = \boxed{0}$$

$\forall v \in N(A^T)$

Recall: $(AB)^T = B^T A^T$ (reverse order)
 $(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1} A^{-1}$

Finally, we will summarize these properties:

Invertible Matrix Theorem

Let $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ be a square matrix
then the following statements are
equivalent:

- 1) A is invertible (nonsingular) matrix
- 2) A is row-equivalent to $n \times n$ identity
- 3) A has n pivot positions
- 4) $Ax = 0$ has only trivial solution
 $x = 0$ ($N(A) = \{0\}$)
- 5) Columns of A form a linearly
independent set
- 6) $x \mapsto Ax$ is 1-to-1
- 7) $Ax = b$ has at least 1 solution
for each $b \in \mathbb{R}^n$
- 8) Columns of A span \mathbb{R}^n

pivot
every
column

pivot
every
row

- 9) $x \mapsto Ax$ maps \mathbb{R}^n onto \mathbb{R}^n
- 10) $\exists A^{-1}$ s. t. $AA^{-1} = I_n = A^{-1}A$
- 11) $\det(A) \neq 0$

1-to-1 - if $f(a) = f(b)$ then $a = b$ - no element of B is image of more than 1 element of A

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onto - $\forall b \in B, \exists a \in A$ s. t. $f(a) = b$, every element of B gets hit

Consequences $\} \text{rank}(A) = \text{rank}(A^T) = n \Rightarrow$

A^T invertible

$Ax = b \Leftrightarrow x = A^{-1}b$ (unique)

existence from onto + uniqueness from one-to-one

② Determinants / Traces (Scalar Functions)

* A is invertible $\Leftrightarrow \det(A) \neq 0$

simple 2×2 case

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \quad A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{ad-bc}$$

$\boxed{\det A = ad - bc \neq 0}$

3×3 case

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & k \end{bmatrix}$$

ignore column + row

$$|A| = a \begin{vmatrix} e & f \\ h & k \end{vmatrix} - b \begin{vmatrix} d & f \\ g & k \end{vmatrix} + c \begin{vmatrix} d & e \\ g & h \end{vmatrix}$$

Ex: cross product 2 vectors $\vec{a} \times \vec{b}$

$$\begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \end{vmatrix}$$

• For general $n \times n$ matrices, we follow a similar procedure.

- loop over rows and take each element multiplied by $+1$ or -1 according to checkerboard pattern
- multiply each first row element i by determinant of $(n-1) \times (n-1)$ matrix after deleting row i & column
- continue onto $(n-2) \times (n-2) \dots 2 \times 2$

$$|A| = \sum_{j=1}^n (-1)^{i+j} a_{ij} |M_{ij}|$$

\uparrow minor

a_{ij} - element of A in row i , col j
 M_{ij} - minor matrix from A by deleting row i and col j

Properties

1) If elements of any row or column are multiplied by a constant k , then $\det(A)$ is multiplied by k

\Rightarrow If multiplying A by nonzero k , then $|B| = k|A|$

2) If B is obtained by replacing 1 row of A by itself plus a multiple of another row, then $|B| = |A|$

(preserved under elementary row operations)

3) If B is obtained by interchanging 2 rows of A , $|B| = -|A|$

This implies an easier method to compute the determinant:

Use gaussian elimination to put A in triangular form,

$$|A| = (-1)^r |U|$$

$r = \#$ row interchanges

$U =$ upper triangular matrix

$$= (-1)^r u_{11} \cdots u_{nn}$$

4) \det of triangular matrix is product of diagonal entries

$$\Rightarrow \det A = \pm \prod_{i=1}^n \text{pilots} = \pm u_{11} \cdots u_{nn}$$

$$5) \boxed{\det(A+B) \neq \det(A) + \det(B)} \quad (\text{not a linear operator})$$

$$6) \boxed{\det(AB) = \det(A)\det(B)}$$

$$7) \det(A) = \det(A^T)$$

8) If any row or column $= 0$, then $\det(A) = 0$

$\Rightarrow A$ is singular

$$9) \det(cA) = c^n \det(A)$$

$$10) \boxed{\det(A^{-1}) = \frac{1}{\det(A)}}$$

$$\text{Proof: } \det(A^{-1}A) = \det(I) = 1 \\ = \det(A^{-1})\det(A)$$

Determinants of Special matrices

① orthogonal $P^T P = I$ - $\det(P) = \pm 1$

$$\det(P^T P) = \det(I) = 1 = \det(P^T) \det(P) \\ = \det(P)^2$$

$$(\det(P))^2 = 1 \Leftrightarrow \det(P) = \pm 1 \quad (\text{sign matters})$$

\Rightarrow guaranteed to be invertible $\det \neq 0$

② Projector matrices | A matrix P is a projector if $P^2 = P$

intuition: projects onto range. if $x \in R(P)$ then acts as identity operator.

Proof: $\exists v$ s.t. $Pv = x$

$$\text{Then } Px = P^2 v = Pv = x \quad \checkmark$$

• If P is also symmetric ($P = P^T$)

or Hermitian ($P = P^*$) - then it is

an orthogonal projector (not in general orthogonal matrices)

$$\det(P^2) = \det(P) \det(P) = \det(P)^2 = \det(P)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \det(P)^2 - \det(P) = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \det(P) (\det(P) - 1) = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \det(P) = 0, 1$$

③ Permutation matrices - are formed

by exchanged rows of I , $\det(I) = 1$
 $\Rightarrow \det(P) = \pm 1$ (just swapping rows)

The trace is another function from $\mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ (scalar)

- defined on square matrices.

$$\text{tr}(A) = \sum_{i=1}^n A_{ii} \quad (\text{sum of diagonal})$$

Properties ① $\text{tr}(A+B) = \text{tr}(A) + \text{tr}(B)$

$$\text{tr}(A+B) = \sum_{i=1}^n (A+B)_{ii} = \sum_{i=1}^n A_{ii} + \sum_{i=1}^n B_{ii}$$

$= \text{tr}(A) + \text{tr}(B)$ (linearity) recall - doesn't hold for determinant

② $\text{tr}(AB) = \text{tr}(BA)$

Recall matrix-matrix multiplication

$$(AB)_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n A_{ik} B_{kj}$$

$$\text{Now, } \text{tr}(AB) = \sum_{i=1}^n (AB)_{ii}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n A_{ij} B_{ji} = \sum_{j=1}^n \left(\sum_{i=1}^n B_{ji} A_{ij} \right) = \sum_{j=1}^n (BA)_{jj}$$

Swap order
sums

$$= \text{tr}(BA)$$

③ invariant under cyclic permutation:

$$\text{tr}(ABC) = \text{tr}(BCA) = \text{tr}(CAB)$$

Proof $\text{tr}(A(BC)) = \text{tr}(B(CA)) = \text{tr}(CAB) \checkmark$

• Lan will discuss eigenvalues later and we can define trace/determinants in terms of them

$$\det(A) = \prod_{i=1}^n \lambda_i$$

$$Av = \lambda v$$

$$\text{tr}(A) = \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i$$

$$\text{tr}(A) = \sum_{i=1}^n A_{ii} \quad (\text{sum of diagonal})$$

$$\text{Property 1: } \text{tr}(A+B) = \text{tr}(A) + \text{tr}(B)$$

$$\text{tr}(A+B) = \sum_{i=1}^n (A+B)_{ii} = \sum_{i=1}^n A_{ii} + \sum_{i=1}^n B_{ii}$$

$$= \text{tr}(A) + \text{tr}(B) \quad (\text{linearity})$$

$$\text{Property 2: } \text{tr}(AB) = \text{tr}(BA)$$

Recall matrix-matrix multiplication

$$(AB)_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n A_{ik} B_{kj}$$

$$\text{Now } \text{tr}(AB) = \sum_{i=1}^n (AB)_{ii}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^n A_{ik} B_{ki} = \sum_{k=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^n B_{ki} A_{ik} = \sum_{k=1}^n (BA)_{kk} = \text{tr}(BA)$$

matrix multiplication

$$\text{tr}(BA)$$

important matrix cyclic property

$$\text{tr}(ABC) = \text{tr}(BCA) = \text{tr}(CAB)$$

$$\text{tr}(A(BC)) = \text{tr}(BCA) = \text{tr}(CAB)$$