

Matrix Algebra

• vector (向量)

- An array \mathbf{x} of n real numbers x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n is called a *vector*, and it is written as

$$\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}$$

two basic operations

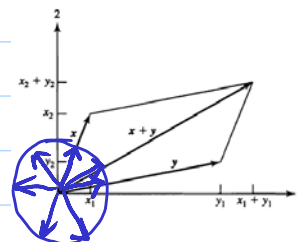
- scalar multiplication

$c\mathbf{x}$ is the vector obtained by multiplying each element of \mathbf{x} by c . $c\mathbf{x} =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} cx_1 \\ cx_2 \\ \vdots \\ cx_n \end{bmatrix}$$

- addition

$$\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 + y_1 \\ x_2 + y_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n + y_n \end{bmatrix}$$



- a vector has both length and direction

$$\blacksquare L_{\mathbf{x}} = \sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \dots + x_n^2} = \sqrt{\mathbf{x}'\mathbf{x}}$$

$$\blacksquare L_{c\mathbf{x}} = |c| L_{\mathbf{x}}$$

- multiplication by c does not change the direction of vector

- unit vectors on the direction of \mathbf{x} : $L_{\mathbf{x}}^{-1}\mathbf{x}$ length of $L_{\mathbf{x}}^{-1}\mathbf{x} = 1$.

- vector space

Definition 2A.4. The space of all real m -tuples, with scalar multiplication and vector addition as just defined, is called a *vector space*.

Definition 2A.5. The vector $\mathbf{y} = a_1\mathbf{x}_1 + a_2\mathbf{x}_2 + \dots + a_k\mathbf{x}_k$ is a *linear combination* of the vectors $\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \dots, \mathbf{x}_k$. The set of all linear combinations of $\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \dots, \mathbf{x}_k$, is called their *linear span*. $\dim(\text{span}(\mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_k)) \leq k$

- linearly dependent and independent

Definition 2A.6. A set of vectors $\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \dots, \mathbf{x}_k$ is said to be *linearly dependent* if there exist k numbers (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_k) , not all zero, such that

matrix explanation = $\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}_1 & \mathbf{x}_2 & \dots & \mathbf{x}_k \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ \vdots \\ a_k \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{0}$ $m \times k$

Otherwise the set of vectors is said to be *linearly independent*.

- basis of vector space

Definition 2A.7. Any set of m linearly independent vectors is called a *basis* for the vector space of all m -tuples of real numbers.

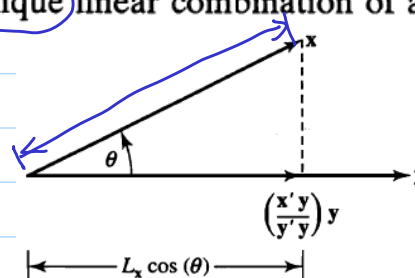
Result 2A.1. Every vector can be expressed as a *unique* linear combination of a fixed basis.

- inner product (內積)

$$\mathbf{x}'\mathbf{y} = x_1y_1 + x_2y_2 + \dots + x_ny_n$$

$$= L_{\mathbf{x}}L_{\mathbf{y}} \cos(\theta)$$

- length: $L_{\mathbf{x}} = \text{length of } \mathbf{x} = \sqrt{\mathbf{x}'\mathbf{x}}$



- angle between 2 vectors:

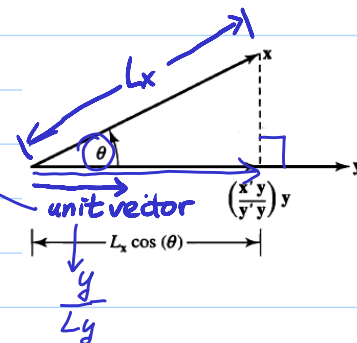
$$\cos(\theta) = \frac{\mathbf{x}'\mathbf{y}}{L_{\mathbf{x}}L_{\mathbf{y}}} = \frac{\mathbf{x}'\mathbf{y}}{\sqrt{\mathbf{x}'\mathbf{x}}\sqrt{\mathbf{y}'\mathbf{y}}}$$

c.f. sample correlation

- projection of \mathbf{x} on \mathbf{y} :

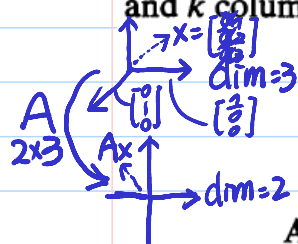
$$\text{Projection of } \mathbf{x} \text{ on } \mathbf{y} = \frac{(\mathbf{x}'\mathbf{y})}{\mathbf{y}'\mathbf{y}} \mathbf{y} = \frac{(\mathbf{x}'\mathbf{y})}{L_{\mathbf{y}}} \frac{1}{L_{\mathbf{y}}} \mathbf{y}$$

$$\text{Length of projection} = \frac{|\mathbf{x}'\mathbf{y}|}{L_{\mathbf{y}}} = L_{\mathbf{x}} \left| \frac{\mathbf{x}'\mathbf{y}}{L_{\mathbf{x}}L_{\mathbf{y}}} \right| = L_{\mathbf{x}} |\cos(\theta)|$$



- matrix

- **Definition 2A.13.** An $m \times k$ matrix, generally denoted by a boldface uppercase letter such as \mathbf{A} , \mathbf{R} , $\mathbf{\Sigma}$, and so forth, is a rectangular array of elements having m rows and k columns.



$$\mathbf{A}_{(m \times k)} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1k} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2k} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \cdots & a_{mk} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A}_{(m \times k)} = \{a_{ij}\}$$

$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} = x_1\mathbf{a}_1 + x_2\mathbf{a}_2 + \cdots + x_k\mathbf{a}_k, \text{ where } \mathbf{a}_i \text{ is the } i\text{th column of } \mathbf{A}.$$

- transpose

Definition 2A.19. Consider the $m \times k$ matrix \mathbf{A} with arbitrary elements a_{ij} , $i = 1, 2, \dots, m$, $j = 1, 2, \dots, k$. The *transpose* of the matrix \mathbf{A} , denoted by \mathbf{A}' , is the $k \times m$ matrix with elements a_{ji} , $j = 1, 2, \dots, k$, $i = 1, 2, \dots, m$. That is, the transpose of the matrix \mathbf{A} is obtained from \mathbf{A} by interchanging the rows and columns.

- addition

Definition 2A.16 (Matrix addition). Let the matrices \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{B} both be of dimension $m \times k$ with arbitrary elements a_{ij} and b_{ij} , $i = 1, 2, \dots, m$, $j = 1, 2, \dots, k$, respectively. The sum of the matrices \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{B} is an $m \times k$ matrix \mathbf{C} , written $\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}$, such that the arbitrary element of \mathbf{C} is given by

$$c_{ij} = a_{ij} + b_{ij} \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, m, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, k$$

- scalar multiplication

Definition 2A.17 (Scalar multiplication). Let c be an arbitrary scalar and $\mathbf{A}_{(m \times k)} = \{a_{ij}\}$. Then $c\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{A}c = \mathbf{B}_{(m \times k)} = \{b_{ij}\}$, where $b_{ij} = ca_{ij} = a_{ij}c$, $i = 1, 2, \dots, m$, $j = 1, 2, \dots, k$.

- matrix multiplication

Definition 2A.23 (Matrix multiplication). The product \mathbf{AB} of an $m \times n$ matrix $\mathbf{A} = \{a_{ij}\}$ and an $n \times k$ matrix $\mathbf{B} = \{b_{ij}\}$ is the $m \times k$ matrix \mathbf{C} whose elements are

$$c_{ij} = \sum_{\ell=1}^n a_{i\ell} b_{\ell j} \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, m \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, k$$

$$\mathbf{A}_{(n \times 4)} \mathbf{B}_{(4 \times p)} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & a_{14} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ a_{i1} & a_{i2} & a_{i3} & a_{i4} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & a_{n3} & a_{n4} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & \cdots & b_{1j} & \cdots & b_{1p} \\ b_{21} & \cdots & b_{2j} & \cdots & b_{2p} \\ b_{31} & \cdots & b_{3j} & \cdots & b_{3p} \\ b_{41} & \cdots & b_{4j} & \cdots & b_{4p} \end{bmatrix} = \text{Row } i \left[\cdots (a_{i1}b_{1j} + a_{i2}b_{2j} + a_{i3}b_{3j} + a_{i4}b_{4j}) \cdots \right]$$

- in general, $\mathbf{AB} \neq \mathbf{BA}$

e.g. $\mathbf{A}: m \times k$ $\mathbf{AB}: m \times m$
 $\mathbf{B}: k \times m$ $\mathbf{BA}: k \times k$ $m \neq k$

➤ some properties of matrix operations

Result 2A.4. For all matrices \mathbf{A} , \mathbf{B} , and \mathbf{C} (of equal dimension) and scalars c and d , the following hold:

(a) $(\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}) + \mathbf{C} = \mathbf{A} + (\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{C})$

(b) $\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{B} + \mathbf{A}$

(c) $c(\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}) = c\mathbf{A} + c\mathbf{B}$

(d) $(c + d)\mathbf{A} = c\mathbf{A} + d\mathbf{A}$

(e) $(\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B})' = \mathbf{A}' + \mathbf{B}'$ (That is, the transpose of the sum is equal to the sum of the transposes.)

(f) $(cd)\mathbf{A} = c(d\mathbf{A})$

(g) $(c\mathbf{A})' = c\mathbf{A}'$

Result 2A.5. For all matrices \mathbf{A} , \mathbf{B} , and \mathbf{C} (of dimensions such that the indicated products are defined) and a scalar c ,

(a) $c(\mathbf{AB}) = (c\mathbf{A})\mathbf{B}$

(b) $\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{BC}) = (\mathbf{AB})\mathbf{C}$

(c) $\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{C}) = \mathbf{AB} + \mathbf{AC}$

(d) $(\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{C})\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{BA} + \mathbf{CA}$

(e) $(\mathbf{AB})' = \mathbf{B}'\mathbf{A}' \neq \mathbf{A}'\mathbf{B}'$

More generally, for any \mathbf{x}_j such that $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}_j$ is defined,

(f) $\sum_{j=1}^n \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}_j = \mathbf{A} \sum_{j=1}^n \mathbf{x}_j$

(g) $\sum_{j=1}^n (\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}_j)(\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}_j)' = \mathbf{A} \left(\sum_{j=1}^n \mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{x}_j' \right) \mathbf{A}'$

➤ rank $\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_{1j} \\ \mathbf{A}_{2j} \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{A}_{pj} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_{1j}' & \mathbf{A}_{2j}' & \dots & \mathbf{A}_{pj}' \end{bmatrix} \longleftrightarrow \text{inner product}$

Definition 2A.25. The row rank of a matrix is the maximum number of linearly independent rows, considered as vectors (that is, row vectors). The column rank of a matrix is the rank of its set of columns, considered as vectors.

Result 2A.6. The row rank and the column rank of a matrix are equal.

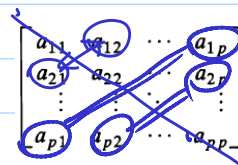
rank of a matrix is either the row rank or the column rank

➤ square matrix: # of rows = # of columns ($m=k$)

■ a square matrix is said to be symmetric if $a_{ij} = a_{ji}$ ($\mathbf{A}' = \mathbf{A}$)

■ identity matrix \mathbf{I} : the square matrix with ones on the diagonal and zero elsewhere

$$\begin{matrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{A} & = & \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{I} & = & \mathbf{A} & \text{for any } \mathbf{A} \\ (k \times k) & (k \times k) & & (k \times k) & (k \times k) & & (k \times k) \end{matrix}$$



$$\mathbf{I} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & 0 \\ & \ddots & \\ 0 & & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

➤ singularity

non singular: columns of A are linearly independent

Definition 2A.26. A square matrix \mathbf{A} is nonsingular if $\mathbf{A} \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$ implies that $\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$.

If a matrix fails to be nonsingular, it is called singular. Equivalently, a square matrix is nonsingular if its rank is equal to the number of rows (or columns) it has.

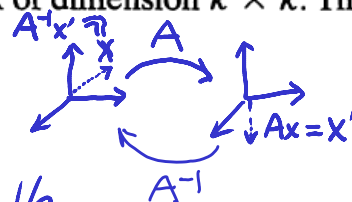
➤ inverse of a square matrix

Result 2A.7. Let \mathbf{A} be a nonsingular square matrix of dimension $k \times k$. Then there is a unique $k \times k$ matrix \mathbf{B} such that

$$\mathbf{AB} = \mathbf{BA} = \mathbf{I}$$

where \mathbf{I} is the $k \times k$ identity matrix.

exchangable



Definition 2A.27. The \mathbf{B} such that $\mathbf{AB} = \mathbf{BA} = \mathbf{I}$ is called the *inverse* of \mathbf{A} and is denoted by \mathbf{A}^{-1} . In fact, if $\mathbf{BA} = \mathbf{I}$ or $\mathbf{AB} = \mathbf{I}$, then $\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{A}^{-1}$, and both products must equal \mathbf{I} .

Result 2A.9. For a square matrix \mathbf{A} of dimension $k \times k$, the following are equivalent:

(a) $\mathbf{A} \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$ implies $\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$ (\mathbf{A} is nonsingular).
 $(k \times k)(k \times 1)$ $(k \times 1)$ $(k \times 1)$ $(k \times 1)$

(b) $|\mathbf{A}| \neq 0$.

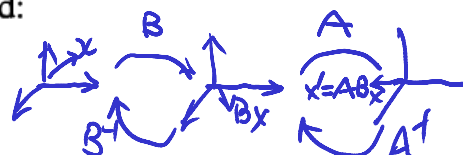
(c) There exists a matrix \mathbf{A}^{-1} such that $\mathbf{AA}^{-1} = \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{I}$.
 $(k \times k)$

Result 2A.10. Let \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{B} be square matrices of the same dimension, and let the indicated inverses exist. Then the following hold:

(a) $(\mathbf{A}^{-1})' = (\mathbf{A}')^{-1}$

(b) $(\mathbf{AB})^{-1} = \mathbf{B}^{-1}\mathbf{A}^{-1}$

\mathbf{ABx}



➤ orthogonal square matrix

Definition 2A.29. A square matrix \mathbf{A} is said to be *orthogonal* if its rows, considered as vectors, are mutually perpendicular and have unit lengths; that is, $\mathbf{AA}' = \mathbf{I}$.

$\hookrightarrow x_i' x_j = 0$ if $i \neq j$.

Result 2A.13. A matrix \mathbf{A} is orthogonal if and only if $\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \mathbf{A}'$. For an orthogonal matrix, $\mathbf{AA}' = \mathbf{A}'\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{I}$, so the columns are also mutually perpendicular and have unit lengths.

inner product between columns.

➤ determinant of a square matrix

Definition 2A.24. The *determinant* of the square $k \times k$ matrix $\mathbf{A} = \{a_{ij}\}$, denoted by $|\mathbf{A}|$, is the scalar

$$|\mathbf{A}| = a_{11} \quad \text{if } k = 1$$

$$|\mathbf{A}| = \sum_{j=1}^k a_{1j} |\mathbf{A}_{1j}| (-1)^{1+j} \quad \text{if } k > 1$$

where \mathbf{A}_{1j} is the $(k-1) \times (k-1)$ matrix obtained by deleting the first row and

j th column of \mathbf{A} . Also, $|\mathbf{A}| = \sum_{j=1}^k a_{ij} |\mathbf{A}_{ij}| (-1)^{i+j}$, with the i th row in place of the first row.

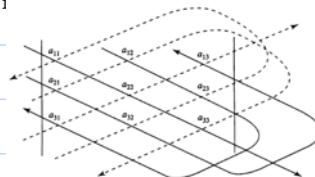
$$\begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= a_{11}a_{22}(-1)^2 + a_{12}a_{21}(-1)^3 = a_{11}a_{22} - a_{12}a_{21}$$

$$= a_{11} \begin{vmatrix} a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} (-1)^2 + a_{12} \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} (-1)^3 + a_{13} \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix} (-1)^4$$

$$= a_{11}a_{22}a_{33} + a_{12}a_{23}a_{31} + a_{13}a_{21}a_{32} - a_{31}a_{22}a_{13} - a_{21}a_{12}a_{33} - a_{32}a_{23}a_{11}$$



Result 2A.11. Let \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{B} be $k \times k$ square matrices.

(a) $|\mathbf{A}| = |\mathbf{A}'|$

(b) If each element of a row (column) of \mathbf{A} is zero, then $|\mathbf{A}| = 0$

(c) If any two rows (columns) of \mathbf{A} are identical, then $|\mathbf{A}| = 0$

(d) If \mathbf{A} is nonsingular, then $|\mathbf{A}| = 1/|\mathbf{A}^{-1}|$; that is, $|\mathbf{A}||\mathbf{A}^{-1}| = 1$.

(e) $|\mathbf{AB}| = |\mathbf{A}||\mathbf{B}|$ $1=1=|\mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}^{-1}|=|\mathbf{A}||\mathbf{A}^{-1}|$

(f) $|c\mathbf{A}| = c^k |\mathbf{A}|$, where c is a scalar.

geometric
interpretation
of determinant
↔ eigensystem

➤ eigenvalues and eigenvectors of a square matrix

Definition 2A.30. Let \mathbf{A} be a $k \times k$ square matrix and \mathbf{I} be the $k \times k$ identity matrix. Then the scalars $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_k$ satisfying the polynomial equation $|\mathbf{A} - \lambda\mathbf{I}| = 0$ are called the *eigenvalues* (or *characteristic roots*) of a matrix \mathbf{A} . The equation $|\mathbf{A} - \lambda\mathbf{I}| = 0$ (as a function of λ) is called the *characteristic equation*.

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 13 & -4 & 2 \\ -4 & 13 & -2 \\ 2 & -2 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

three roots: $\lambda_1 = 9$, $\lambda_2 = 9$, and $\lambda_3 = 18$

$$|\mathbf{A} - \lambda\mathbf{I}| = \begin{vmatrix} 13 - \lambda & -4 & 2 \\ -4 & 13 - \lambda & -2 \\ 2 & -2 & 10 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = -\lambda^3 + 36\lambda^2 - 405\lambda + 1458 = 0$$

■ For general \mathbf{A} , eigenvalues could be real or complex values

◆ every eigenvalue of symmetric matrix is real