

Math 511

Q's Solving systems of linear equations

- Terms:
- Square $n \times n$ ^{eqn's} unknowns
 - non-square $m \times n$
 - $m > n$ over determined
 - $m < n$ under determined

Homogeneous

$$\begin{cases} \text{expression \#1} = 0 \\ \text{expression \#2} = 0 \\ \vdots \\ \text{expression \#M} = 0 \end{cases}$$

a) always has $x_1=0, x_2=0, \dots, x_n=0$ trivial Soln

b) may have ∞ solns (non-trivial solns)

(ex)

$$\begin{cases} 3x_1 + x_2 - x_3 = 0 \\ x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 3 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 & 0 \end{array} \right] \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} r_1 \text{ swap } r_2 \\ \underline{r_1} \\ -3r_1 + r_2 = 0 \end{array} \right)$$

lead coef (1st non zero)

$$\rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} \boxed{1} & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & \boxed{4} & -7 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} \boxed{1} & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & \boxed{4} & -7 & 0 \end{array} \right] \leftarrow 4x_2 - 7x_3 = 0$$

x_1 x_2

x_3 no lead $\rightarrow x_3$ is free to be any number!

Say $x_3 = 2$

$$x_2 = \frac{7}{4} \alpha$$

and

$$x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 = 0$$

$$\underline{\underline{\text{Sol}}} \left(-\frac{1}{4}\alpha, \frac{7}{4}\alpha, \alpha \right)$$

$$x_1 - \frac{7}{4}\alpha + 2\alpha = 0$$

$$x_1 + \frac{1}{4}\alpha = 0$$

$$x_1 = -\frac{1}{4}\alpha$$

Matrices - rectangular block of numbers

(ex) $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ 2x3

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
 3x3

"Variable" Matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} = [a_{ij}]$$

m x n

Special Matrices

Use bold font

① Vectors $\begin{cases} \rightarrow \text{row vector } 1 \times n \text{ size} \\ \rightarrow \text{column vector } m \times 1 \text{ size} \end{cases}$

② $I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & 0 \\ & \ddots & \\ 0 & & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ (ex) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ or $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ or ...

③ $O = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ (all zero matrix)
m x n $\wedge a_{ij} = 0$

Math
= toys + rules

Now toys = Matrices / Vectors

Rules?

① Equality $A = B$ ① both $m \times n$

② $a_{ij} = b_{ij}$ for all i, j

② Addition $A + B = [a_{ij} + b_{ij}]$ but both $m \times n$

back to sys. & linear eqn's

$$(2x + y) + (-x + 3y) = x + 4y$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \left[\begin{array}{c} 2 \\ 1 \end{array} \right] & + & \left[\begin{array}{c} -1 \\ 3 \end{array} \right] & = & \left[\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 4 \end{array} \right] \\ a_{11} & & b_{11} & & a_{11} + b_{11} \end{array}$$

③ Scalar multiplication

$$\alpha A = [\alpha a_{ij}] \quad \text{ex } 3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = ?$$

sys. & linear eqn's

$$3(x + 2y) = 3x + 6y$$

$$3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \cdot 1 & 3 \cdot 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Sub: $A - B = A + (-1)B = [a_{ij}] + [-b_{ij}]$
 $= [a_{ij} - b_{ij}]$

Multiplication?

Matrix (times?) Matrix

Matrix multiplication

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

2×2 2×3 2×3

to build to $AB = ?$ need ...

Definition

① (row vector) \times (col vector) = scalar

$$\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w} = c = v_1 w_1 + v_2 w_2 + \dots + v_n w_n$$

$$\text{(ex)} \quad [1 \ 2 \ 3] \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = 1 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 2 + 3 \cdot 3 = 14$$

from $2x - y + z = [2 \ -1 \ 1] \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$