

Review

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Result from last time the LU
factorization

$$A = LU, A, L, U \ n \times n$$

where $\ell_{ii} = 1$, L lower triangular, $u_{ij} = A^{(i)}_{ij}$
Problems with matrices like

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 8 \\ 4 & 2 & 7 \\ 3 & 5 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 8 \\ 0 & \underline{0} & \sim \\ 0 & \sim & \sim \end{pmatrix}$$

Note also that

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} L_{11} & 0 \\ L_{21} & L_{22} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} U_{11} & U_{12} \\ 0 & U_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A_{11} = L_{11}U_{11}, \text{ etc}$$

Pivoting

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Consider $\Pi_1 A$ where Π_1 is a permutation matrix; we want to fix Π_1 so that $a_{11} \neq 0$

We could permute, then perform the permutation:

$$\begin{aligned} M_1 \Pi_1 A \\ M_2 \Pi_2 M_1 \Pi_1 A \end{aligned}$$

etc

Note that each permutation matrix flips the sign of the determinant

This is still called " LU factorization"; note that the whole thing could be written

$$\Pi A = LU$$

A good procedure for looking for which row to pivot is to choose the row whose diagonal entry has greatest magnitude

Therefore, the multipliers of L look like

$$\frac{a_{i1}}{a_{11}} \leq 1$$

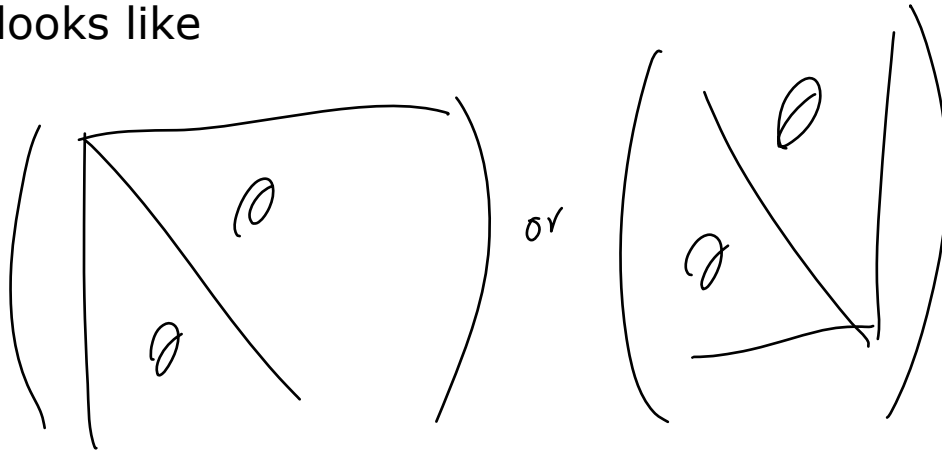
so all the entries of L are ≤ 1 !

This is called "row pivoting" or "partial pivoting"

Example

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say A looks like



called an "Arrow matrix"; the first case requires lots of pivoting, but the second generally does not

Note: Partial pivoting does not give the rank; for that Something fancier is needed

Complete Pivoting

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The difference here is that we do the step

$$\max |a_{ij}| \rightarrow a_{11}$$

i.e. searching over all terms

Note that this could be done in parallel, as the column operations can be performed independently of each other (really?)

Important disclaimer: "In the absence of roundoff"

Say we have

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A_{11}: & p \times p \\ A_{11}: & (n-p) \times (n-p) \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \dots & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u_{11} & u_{12} \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ u_{n1} & u_{n2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} L_{11} \\ L_{21} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} U_{11} & U_{12} \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & E_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A_{11} = L_{11}U_{11}$$

$$A_{12} = L_{11}U_{12}$$

$$A_{21} = L_{21}U_{12}$$

$$A_{22} = L_{21}U_{12} + E_{22}$$

We must have

$$U_{12} = L_{11}^{-1} A_{12}$$

$$L_{21} = A_{21} U_{11}^{-1}$$

$$E_{22} = A_{22} - L_{21} U_{12}$$

$$= A_{22} - (A_{21} U_{11}^{-1}) (L_{11}^{-1} A_{12})$$

note that since $A_{11} = L_{11}U_{11}$, we have

$$= A_{22} - A_{21} A_{11}^{-1} A_{12}$$

Called the "Schur complement"

Could rewrite as

$$\left(\begin{array}{c|c} A & B \\ \hline C & D \end{array} \right)$$

$$D - CA^{-1}B$$

Say after 1 step of Gaussian Elimination we have

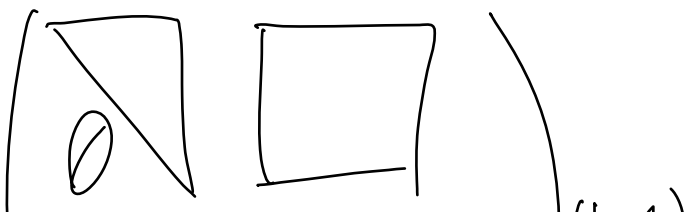
$$\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & - & a_{1n} \\ 0 & a_{22} & - a_{2n} \\ | & | & | \\ 0 & a_{nn} & a_{nn} \end{pmatrix}$$

Next, we would want to eliminate the elements below a_{22} , but instead, we'll eliminate those above a_{22} as well, etc.

Gauss-Jordan gives as a result a diagonal matrix -- but beware, it only works in special cases

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{1n} \\ \cancel{a_{21}} & a_{22} & a_{2n} \\ \cancel{a_{31}} & a_{32} & a_{3n} \\ a_{n1} & & a_{nn} \end{pmatrix}$$

The point is, at each subtraction stage, look at the elements above the $(k+1)^{st}$ row, and make an interchange if necessary



$$\left(\begin{array}{c|c} \text{ONLY} & \\ \hline & \end{array} \right) (k+1)$$

The advantage is that at each step we only need two rows in memory, $(k+1)$ and the row above it that we're dealing with

Say we want $AX = I$ with
 $X = (\mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_n)$, $I = (\mathbf{e}_1, \dots, \mathbf{e}_n)$
 $A\mathbf{x}_j = \mathbf{e}_j$

From LU , we can easily solve for $\mathbf{x}_j$:

$$A = LU \Rightarrow A^{-1} = U^{-1}L^{-1}$$

Important to note that if U is upper triangular, then so is U^{-1} :

$$UZ = I$$

$$\triangleleft (\vec{z}_1, \dots, \vec{z}_n) : (\vec{e}_1, \dots, \vec{e}_n)$$

$$U\vec{z}_1 = \vec{e}_1$$

$$\triangleleft \mid = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \vec{z}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \text{ etc}$$

So if $A = LU$ then $A^{-1} = U^{-1}L^{-1}$

$$= \left(\triangleleft \mid \right) \left(\mid \theta \right)$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \text{triangle with } \theta \text{ at bottom-left} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \text{triangle with } \theta \text{ at top-right} \end{pmatrix}$$

Requires the following # of multiplications:

$$\begin{pmatrix} n & (n-1) & & 1 \\ (n-1) & (n-1) & \text{---} & \\ & & & 1 \\ 1 & \text{---} & & \end{pmatrix}$$

So the product requires $\sim \frac{n^3}{3}$ therefore
 Computing the inverse takes $\frac{4n^3}{3}$

Note that multiplication only takes n^3 multiplications, and inversion isn't much harder!

Say we have $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$, A is $m \times n$, $m \leq n$. We want a nonnegative solution vector, and we want to maximize $\mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x}$. First, choose a set of basis vectors B from A :

$$B = (\vec{a}_{i_1}, \dots, \vec{a}_{i_m})$$

Then solve $B\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$, $B^T \mathbf{w} = \mathbf{c}$ (the dual), and $B\mathbf{t}^{(r)} = -\mathbf{a}_r$

This tells us which of the columns should be thrown out (how to choose which column to put in next? don't worry about it)

$$B_0 = L_0 U_0$$

Throw out column s from B_0 and introduce a new column g :

$$B_1 = (\vec{a}_{i_1}, \vec{a}_{i_2}, \dots, \cancel{\vec{a}_{i_s}}, \vec{a}_{i_{s+1}}, \dots, \vec{g})$$

Where g is a column of A

We had $B_0 = L_0 U_0$

$$L_0^{-1} B_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \text{triangle} & & & \\ & | & & \\ & & | & \\ & & & \ddots & \\ & & & & | \end{pmatrix}$$

$s \text{ elts}$ $(s+1) \text{ elts}$

The effect of throwing out the columns and adding a new one is to put one more element on the diagonal, i.e. a Hessenberg matrix

Hessenberg Matrices

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$$\begin{pmatrix} h_{11} & h_{12} & \dots & h_{1n} \\ h_{21} & h_{22} & & \\ & h_{23} & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & h_{nn} \end{pmatrix} \vec{x} = \vec{b}$$

Converting this into canonical form requires only

$$n + (n+1) + \dots \approx \frac{n^2}{2}$$

operations

$$(H - \lambda I)\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{g}$$

Uniqueness

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Is the LU decomposition unique?

Say $A = L_1 U_1 = L_2 U_2$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} L_2^{-1} L_1 & = & U_2 U_1^{-1} \\ \swarrow & & \searrow \\ \text{Lower triangular} & & \text{Upper triangular} \end{array}$$

So, they're both diagonal -- but
 L_1 and L_2^{-1} both have 1's on the
diagonal, so they're the same, subject
to no interchanges