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1. a) (12 pts.) Determine the permutation matrix P , unit lower triangular matrix L and the upper triangular matrix U that satisfy $PA = LU$ and are produced when Gaussian elimination with partial pivoting is applied to the matrix A given by $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$.

Answer:

$$P_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad P_1 A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A = P_1 M_1^{-1} P_2 M_2^{-1} U \quad PA = (P_2 P_1) P_1 M_1^{-1} P_2 M_2^{-1} U$$

$$M_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -0.5 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad M_1 P_1 A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad P_2 M_1 P_1 A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$L = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0.5 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad L = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0.5 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0.5 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad M_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -0.5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad M_2 P_2 M_1 P_1 A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = U$$

- b) (7 pts.) Briefly describe how P , L and U could be used to solve a linear system $Ax = b$ if b was given.

$$Ax = b \quad PA = LU \Rightarrow PAx = LUx = Pb$$

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(1) solve $Ly = Pb$

(2) solve $Ux = y$

- c) (3 pts.) How many flops are required to reduce an $n \times n$ matrix to upper triangular form using Gauss transformations?

$$\frac{n^3}{3} \text{ flops}$$

2. a) (10 pts.) Define the singular value decomposition of an $m \times n$ matrix A , and describe how the SVD can be used to determine the rank of A .

For any given $m \times n$ A . $p \triangleq \min(m, n)$.

$\exists$ an orthogonal matrix U ($m \times m$) and an orthogonal matrix V ($n \times n$), and $\Sigma = \text{diag}(\sigma_1, \sigma_2, \dots, \sigma_p)$ where $\sigma_1 \geq \sigma_2 \geq \dots \geq \sigma_p \geq 0$. Such that

$$A = U \Sigma V^T$$

The number of non-zero singular values is the rank of matrix A .

- b) (6 pts.) Show that $\|A\|_2$ is equal to the largest singular value of A .

Suppose A has SVD.

$$A = U \Sigma V^T$$

by properties of orthogonal matrices, we have $\|A\|_2 = \|\Sigma\|_2$

$$\|\Sigma\|_2 = \sup_{\|x\|_2=1} \|\Sigma x\|_2 = \sigma_1 \quad \text{when } x = e_1$$

because $\sigma_1 \geq \sigma_2 \geq \dots \geq \sigma_n$
show

3. a) (4 pts.) Define the condition number for an $n \times n$ matrix.

$$\kappa(A) = \|A\| \cdot \|A^{-1}\|$$

$$\kappa_2(A) = \|A\|_2 \|A^{-1}\|_2 = \sigma_1 / \sigma_n$$

- b) (6 pts.) If $\hat{x}$ is a computed solution to $Ax = b$ when b is exact but A has errors contained in an error matrix E , how can the condition number be used to provide a bound for the relative error in x ?

not in this bound

$$\frac{\|x - \hat{x}\|}{\|x\|} \leq \kappa(A) \cdot c_n \cdot \left(\frac{\|E\|}{\|A\|} + o \right)$$

if b is exact.

where c_n is a function related to n .

4. a) (9 pts.) Define a Gauss transformation M , state why using Gauss transformations can increase errors, and why partial pivoting helps to reduce the possible increase in errors during Gaussian elimination.

Gauss transformation

$$M_k = I - \alpha e_k^T, \text{ where}$$

$$\alpha^T = \{0, 0, \dots, 0, x_{k+1}/x_k, \dots, x_n/x_k\}$$

If x_k is small, this will increase the errors in computing $x_{k+1}/x_k, \dots, x_n/x_k$.

If we apply partial pivoting that is find $x'_k = \max(x_k, \dots, x_n)$, then it may reduce the errors in divisions.

- b) (5 pts.) If M is a Gauss transformation, how can M^{-1} be directly determined?

If M is Gauss transformation: $M = I - \alpha e_k^T$

$$\text{Then } M^{-1} = I + \alpha e_k^T$$

- c) (3 pts.) Why don't orthogonal transformations increase errors in the way that Gauss transformations sometimes do?

Orthogonal transformations are much stable than non-orthogonal transformations.

5. (14 pts.) Write down the general form for i) Householder and ii) Givens transformations and show that both transformations are orthogonal.

Householder transformation:

$$P = I - 2VV^T/V^TV$$

$$P P^T = (I - 2VV^T/V^TV)(I - 2VV^T/V^TV)$$

$$= I - 4VV^T/V^TV + 4V(V^TVV^T)/(V^TV)^2$$

$$= I \Rightarrow P \text{ is orthogonal.}$$

Givens transformation:

$$J(i, k, \theta) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & 0 \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & c & -s \\ & & s & c \\ & & & \ddots & \\ & & & & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} -i \\ \\ k \\ \\ \end{matrix} \quad c^2 + s^2 = 1$$

$$J^T(i, k, \theta) J(i, k, \theta) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & c & -s \\ & & s & c \\ & & & \ddots & \\ & & & & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & c & s \\ & & -s & c \\ & & & \ddots & \\ & & & & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & c^2+s^2 & 0 \\ & & 0 & s^2+c^2 \\ & & & \ddots & \\ & & & & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I$$

Givens is orthogonal.

6. (9 pts.) Determine the Cholesky decomposition for the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

$$G = \begin{bmatrix} g_{11} & 0 & 0 \\ g_{21} & g_{22} & 0 \\ g_{31} & g_{32} & g_{33} \end{bmatrix} \quad G^T = \begin{bmatrix} g_{11} & g_{21} & g_{31} \\ 0 & g_{22} & g_{32} \\ 0 & 0 & g_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$G = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$GG^T = \begin{bmatrix} g_{11}^2 & g_{11}g_{21} & g_{11}g_{31} \\ \times & g_{21}^2 + g_{22}^2 & g_{21}g_{31} + g_{22}g_{32} \\ \times & \times & g_{31}^2 + g_{32}^2 + g_{33}^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$g_{11} = 1, \quad g_{21} = 2, \quad g_{31} = 0$$

$$g_{22} = 1, \quad g_{32} = 1$$

$$g_{33} = 0$$

7. (12 pts.) Assume P is $m \times m$ and $P = I - vv^T$, with the first k components of v equal to zero. If A is $m \times n$, show that number of flops required to compute PA is $2n(m-k)$.

$$PA = A - VV^TA$$

$$V^TA = [0, \dots, 0, v_{k+1}, \dots, v_m] \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{A} \rightarrow VV^TA &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ v_{k+1} \\ \vdots \\ v_m \end{bmatrix} \cdot \left[\underbrace{\sum_{p=k+1}^m v_p \cdot a_{p1}, \dots, \sum_{p=k+1}^m v_p \cdot a_{pn}}_{(m-k) \text{ flops}} \right] \\ &\quad \underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{n(m-k) \text{ flops}} \\ &\quad \underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{(m-k) \cdot n} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Total flops } n(m-k) + n(m-k)$$

$$\approx 2n(m-k) + O(\dots)$$

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