

7. Vectors and Matrices Norms

7.1. Vector Norms

DEF: norm is a function $\|\cdot\|: V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined over a vec space (V, \mathbb{F}) that must obey some properties ($\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{C}$ or \mathbb{R})

1) $\|x\| \geq 0$

Non-negative

2) $\|x\| = 0$ iff $x = 0$

positive*

3) $\|c x\| = |c| \|x\| \quad c \in \mathbb{F}$

homogeneous

4) $\|x+y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\|$

Δ -inequality

* In semi-norms, property (2) is not required: some non-zero vecs are allowed to have zero norms.

Remarks 1) A vec space equipped with a norm is called a normed vector space; it has a measure of size, of distance between vectors

2) the selected function $\|\cdot\|$ should reflect the nature of the problem under study, e.g., $\|x\|_1$ versus $\|x\|_2$

3) In engineering & Applied sciences is also paramount how "easy" is to compute the norm.

7.2: Vector norms via inner products

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A very typical norm is that induced (derived) from inner products.

An inner product is a bilinear function of two vectors. Bilinear: linear in each of the two vector arguments.

Def 2: An inner product is a bilinear function

$\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle : V \times V \rightarrow \mathbb{F}$ defined over a vec space (V, \mathbb{F}) .
For all $x, y, z \in V$, the function must obey

$$1) \langle x, x \rangle \geq 0$$

non-negative

$\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{C}$ or \mathbb{R}

$$2) \langle x, x \rangle = 0 \text{ iff } x = 0$$

positive

$$3) \langle x+y, z \rangle = \langle x, z \rangle + \langle y, z \rangle$$

Additive

$$4) \langle cx, y \rangle = c \langle x, y \rangle \quad \forall c \in \mathbb{F}$$

Homogeneous

$$5) \langle x, y \rangle = \overline{\langle y, x \rangle} \quad (\text{conjugate}) \text{ symmetry}$$

Remarks: 1) A vec space equipped with an inner product is called a inner product space. It allows for the introduction of formal definitions of intuitive geometric notions, such as lengths, angles and orthogonality ($\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle = 0$).

2) A norm is a function of one vector argument; an inner product is a function of two vector arguments.

Thm: Cauchy - Schwarz Inequality *proof* *Hom 261*

if $\langle x, y \rangle$ is an inner product over (V, \mathbb{F})

then

$$\boxed{|\langle x, y \rangle|^2 \leq \langle x, x \rangle \langle y, y \rangle} \quad \begin{matrix} \forall x, y \\ \in V \end{matrix}$$

With equality iff x and y are L.D., i.e.,
 $\exists \alpha \in \mathbb{F} \mid y = \alpha x$. ($\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{C}$ or \mathbb{R})

Corollary: if $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ is a vector inner product in V , then

$$\boxed{\|x\| = (\langle x, x \rangle)^{1/2}}$$

is a norm induced by the inner product.

Proof: check all the properties for a norm:

(1) and (2) follow from the definition of inner prod.

(3) $\|cX\| = |c| \|X\| \quad c \in \mathbb{F}$

$$\begin{aligned} \|X\| &= (\langle X, X \rangle)^{1/2} \Rightarrow \|cX\| = (\langle cX, cX \rangle)^{1/2} = (c \langle X, cX \rangle)^{1/2} \\ &= (c \overline{c \langle X, X \rangle})^{1/2} = (c \overline{c} \langle X, X \rangle)^{1/2} = (|c|^2 \langle X, X \rangle)^{1/2} = |c| \|X\| \end{aligned}$$

(4) $\|x+y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\|$ (calculate $\|x+y\|^2$ then apply Cauchy-Schwarz)

$$\begin{aligned} \|x+y\|^2 &= \langle x+y, x+y \rangle = \langle x, x+y \rangle + \langle y, x+y \rangle = \overline{\langle x+y, x \rangle} + \overline{\langle x+y, y \rangle} \\ &= \overline{\langle x, x \rangle} + \overline{\langle y, x \rangle} + \overline{\langle x, y \rangle} + \overline{\langle y, y \rangle} = \langle x, x \rangle + \overline{\langle x, y \rangle} + \langle x, y \rangle + \langle y, y \rangle \\ &= \langle x, x \rangle + 2 \operatorname{Re}(\langle x, y \rangle) + \langle y, y \rangle = \|x\|^2 + 2 \operatorname{Re}(z) + \|y\|^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |\|x+y\|^2| &= |\|x\|^2 + 2 \operatorname{Re}(z) + \|y\|^2| \leq \|x\|^2 + \|y\|^2 + |2 \operatorname{Re}(z)| \\ &\leq \|x\|^2 + \|y\|^2 + 2|\langle x, y \rangle| \leq \|x\|^2 + \|y\|^2 + 2\langle x, x \rangle \langle y, y \rangle \end{aligned}$$

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$$|\|x+y\|^2| \leq \|x\|^2 + |2\operatorname{Re}(\cdot)| + \|y\|^2.$$

but the result of $\langle x, y \rangle$ is a complex number
 $\langle x, y \rangle = a + jb \Rightarrow |\langle x, y \rangle| = (a^2 + b^2)^{1/2}$; and

$$|\operatorname{Re}(\langle x, y \rangle)| = |\operatorname{Re}(a + jb)| = |a| = (a^2)^{1/2}, \text{ thus}$$

$|\langle x, y \rangle| \geq |\operatorname{Re}(\langle x, y \rangle)|$, so it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \|x\|^2 + |2\operatorname{Re}(\cdot)| + \|y\|^2 &\leq \|x\|^2 + 2|\langle x, y \rangle| + \|y\|^2 \\ &\leq \|x\|^2 + 2(\langle x, x \rangle \langle y, y \rangle)^{1/2} + \|y\|^2 = \|x\|^2 + 2\|x\|\|y\| + \|y\|^2 \\ &= (\|x\| + \|y\|)^2. \text{ then} \end{aligned}$$

$$|\|x+y\|^2| = \|x+y\|^2 \leq (\|x\| + \|y\|)^2 \Rightarrow (\|x+y\|)^{1/2} \leq \left[(\|x\| + \|y\|)^2 \right]^{1/2}$$

$$\|x+y\| \leq \sqrt{\|x\| + \|y\|} = \|x\| + \|y\|$$

$$\therefore \|x\| = \langle x, x \rangle^{1/2}$$

is a vector norm.

$$\boxed{\|x+y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\|}$$

Examples

1) $\|x\| = (x^T x)^{1/2}$ \mathbb{R} euclidean product

2) $\|x\| = (x^* x)^{1/2}$ \mathbb{C} euclidean product

3) $\|x\|_Q \triangleq (x^* Q x)^{1/2}$, $Q = Q^*$, $Q > 0$ Weighted Norm

a) $Q = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix}$

b) $Q = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -1/2 \end{bmatrix}$

c) $Q = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

ok, obeys the properties for norms

if $p = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}$ then

$\|p\|_Q < 0$ for $|a| < \frac{|b|}{2}$

Not a norm for

this Q (Q is indefinite)

Q is rank deficient:
 $N(Q)$ non-trivial

$\exists x \neq 0 \mid Qx = 0$

For $x \in N(Q)$

and $x \neq 0$,

$\|x\| = 0$ for $x \neq 0$

Not a norm.

7.3 Vector p -norms (lp norms)

they are a family of norms that calculate the value of the norm directly from the vector entries, in terms of a free to choose parameter p that is application dependent

$$\|x\|_p \triangleq \left(\sum_{k=1}^N |x(k)|^p \right)^{1/p}$$

$p \sim$ weighting

$x \in \mathbb{C}$

typical cases

1) ||X||_1 = sum_{k=1}^N |X(k)|

Manhattan norm (l1) used in compressive sensing

2) ||X||_2 = (sum_{k=1}^N |X(k)|^2)^{1/2} euclidean norm (l2) minimizes energy (math tractability)

3) ||X||_inf = lim_{p -> inf} ||X||_p = lim_{p -> inf} (sum_k |X(k)|^p)^{1/p} = max_k |X(k)|

l_inf norm: outliers removal, robust estimation/control Chebyshev criterion

proof of (3): a) reorder X -> X_bar, X_bar_1 = max_k |X(k)|, X_bar_N = min_k |X(k)| note that ||X||_p = ||X_bar||_p

b) ||X_bar||_p = (|X_bar_1|^p + |X_bar_2|^p + ... + |X_bar_N|^p)^{1/p}

Assume l largest are equal

= (|X_bar_1|^p)^{1/p} (l + |X_bar_{k+1}/X_bar_1|^p + ... + |X_bar_N/X_bar_1|^p)^{1/p}

= |X_bar_1| (.)^{1/p} Now

lim_{p -> inf} ||X||_p = |X_bar_1| lim_{p -> inf} (l + |X_bar_{k+1}/X_bar_1|^p + ... + |X_bar_N/X_bar_1|^p)^{1/p}

= |X_bar_1| lim_{p -> inf} (l)^{1/p} = |X_bar_1| = max_k |X(k)| l^{1/p} -> l

Geometric Interpretation

~~Note~~ $z = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$

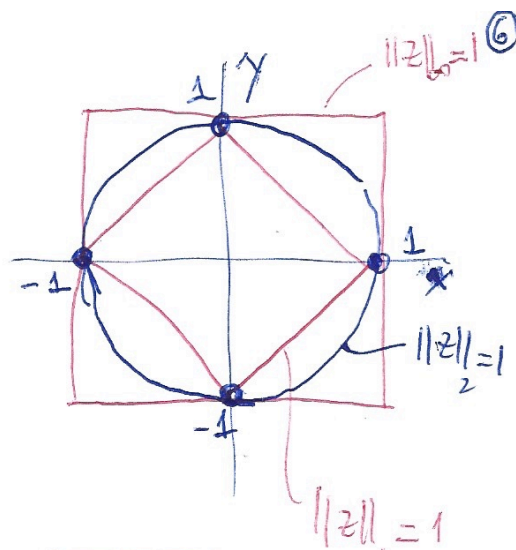
Note $\|z\|_p$ increases monotonically with $|x|$ and $|y|$

root loci

$$\|z\|_1 = 1 \Leftrightarrow |x| + |y| = 1$$

$$\|z\|_2 = 1 \Leftrightarrow (|x|^2 + |y|^2)^{1/2} = 1$$

$$\|z\|_\infty = 1 \Leftrightarrow \max\{|x|, |y|\} = 1$$



Hölder's Inequality

Let $x, y \in \mathbb{C}^n (\mathbb{R}^n)$ then

$$|\langle x, y \rangle| \leq \|x\|_p \|y\|_q \quad \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$$

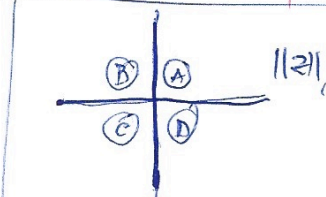
ex: signal scaling in (fixed point)
cascading digital filters (bi-quads)

Minkowski's inequality

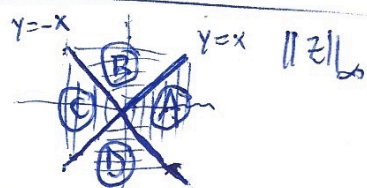
for $p \geq 1$, $x, y \in \mathbb{C}^n (\mathbb{R}^n)$

$$\left[\sum_{i=1}^n |x(i) + y(i)|^p \right]^{1/p} \leq \left(\sum_{i=1}^n |x(i)|^p \right)^{1/p} + \left(\sum_{i=1}^n |y(i)|^p \right)^{1/p}$$

$$\|x + y\|_p \leq \|x\|_p + \|y\|_p$$



- Ⓐ: ~~x~~ $x + y = 1$
- Ⓑ: $-x + y = 1$
- Ⓒ: $-x - y = 1$
- Ⓓ: $x - y = 1$



- Ⓐ: $\max\{|x|, |y|\} = |x| = x = 1$
- Ⓑ: $\max\{|x|, |y|\} = |y| = y = 1$
- Ⓒ: " " $= |x| = -x = 1$
- Ⓓ: " " $= |y| = -y = 1$

Generalization of Δ -ineq.

7.4. CONVERGENCE OF Sequences

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Vectors (and matrix) norms are useful to study iterative procedures which generate a sequence of vectors $\{x_i\}$ as

$$x_i = x_{i-1} + z_i$$

Example: iterative lin sys solutions, Adaptive filters, etc.

Def: A sequence $\{x_i\}$ is said to converge to a vector $x^0 \in V$ with respect to a norm $\|\cdot\|$ iff $\|x_i - x^0\| \rightarrow 0$ as $i \rightarrow \infty$.

Question: How to choose / construct a proper norm (among so many)?

Thm: All norms on \mathbb{C}^N (\mathbb{R}^N) are equivalent, that is, for any two arbitrary norms $\|\cdot\|_\alpha$ and $\|\cdot\|_\beta$ there exist constants C_m and C_M (possibly N -dependent) such that

$$C_m \|x\|_\alpha \leq \|x\|_\beta \leq C_M \|x\|_\alpha \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{C}^N$$

If we choose $\|\cdot\|_a$ and $\|\cdot\|_a$ diverges for the sequence of vecs at hand, this inequality says that picking another norm $\|\cdot\|_b$ does not lead to a different conclusion: $C_m \|\cdot\|_a$ will push $\|\cdot\|_b$ from below to infinity, together with $C_M \|\cdot\|_a$, i.e., $\|\cdot\|_b$ is sandwiched by norm $\|\cdot\|_a$. Another point: if $\|\cdot\|_b$ converges, then the ineq says that $C_m \|\cdot\|_a$ also converges since it is smaller; therefore, $C_M \|\cdot\|_a$ will converge together with $C_m \|\cdot\|_a$ with norm $\|\cdot\|_b$ in between (again the sandwich). We can find inequalities for $\|\cdot\|_a$ in between a sandwich made with other constants and norm $\|\cdot\|_b$.

Examples

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$$1) \quad \|X\|_2 \leq \|X\|_1 \leq \sqrt{N} \|X\|_2$$

$$a) \quad \begin{aligned} \|X\|_2^2 &= \sum_e |x_e|^2 = |x_1|^2 + \dots + |x_N|^2 \\ \|X\|_1^2 &= \left(\sum_e |x_e| \right)^2 = (|x_1| + \dots + |x_N|)^2 \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \|X\|_2^2 \leq \|X\|_1^2 \\ \text{or} \\ \|X\|_2 \leq \|X\|_1 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$b) \quad \text{Let } z_e = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x_e \geq 0 \\ -1 & \text{if } x_e < 0 \end{cases}, \text{ then } \|X\|_1 = \sum_e |x_e| = \sum_e z_e x_e = z^* X$$

Hölder's inequality: $|z^* X| \leq \|z\|_2 \|X\|_2$.

$$\|z\|_2^2 = \sum_{e=1}^N (\pm 1)^2 = N \therefore \|z\|_2 = \sqrt{N}. \text{ Thus}$$

$$\|X\|_1 = |z^* X| \leq \|z\|_2 \|X\|_2 = \sqrt{N} \|X\|_2$$

$$\text{or } \|X\|_1 \leq \sqrt{N} \|X\|_2.$$

From (a) and (b) follows (1).

$$2) \|x\|_\infty \leq \|x\|_1 \leq N \|x\|_\infty$$

a) For some l we have $|x(l)| \geq |x(k)| \forall k \neq l$
 then $\|x\|_1 = \cancel{|x_1|} + |x_2| + \dots + |x_l| + \dots + |x_N|$

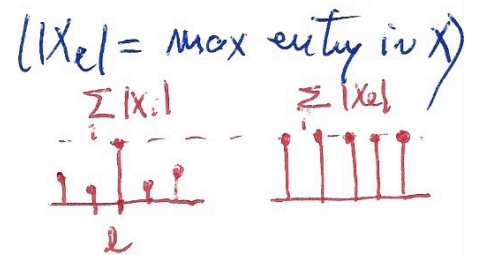
$$= \underbrace{|x_l|}_{>0} + \underbrace{|x_1| + \dots + |x_N|}_{\geq 0} \geq |x_l| = \max_l |x_l| = \|x\|_\infty$$

$\therefore \|x\|_1 \geq \|x\|_\infty$

$$b) \|x\|_1 = |x_1| + \dots + |x_l| + \dots + |x_N|$$

$$\leq |x_l| + \dots + |x_l| + \dots + |x_l|$$

$$= N \cdot |x_l| = N \max_i |x_i|$$



$$= N \|x\|_\infty$$

$$\therefore \|x\|_1 \leq N \|x\|_\infty$$

From (a) and (b) follows (2).

in general, for l_p vector norms

$$\|x\|_p \leq \|x\|_r \leq N^{(\frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{p})} \|x\|_p$$

7.5. Matrix Norms

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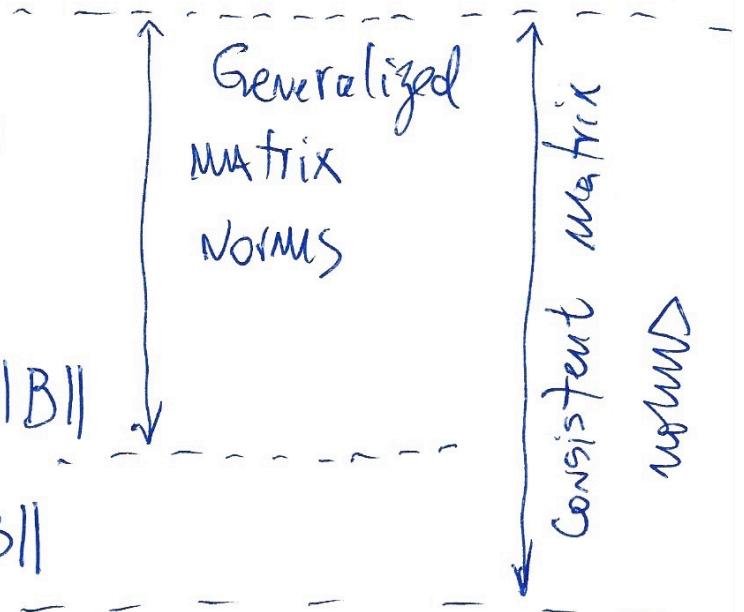
~~we can view a matrix~~

One possibility to construct a matrix norm $\|\cdot\|$ is by using what is already known: vector norms. For instance, by seeing a matrix A_{MN} as an abstract vector in the $M \cdot N \times 1$ vector space via $a = \text{vec}(A)$, then applying any of the previous vec norms, i.e. $\|A\| = \|a\|$. One such an example is the Frobenius norm $\|A\|_F = \|a\|_2$, or the l_2 norm for matrices. In this approach we see a matrix, in a sense, as a "fat vector".

However, matrix products are common place so it is instrumental to include a rule specifically conceived to account for the "size" of AB in terms of the individual "sizes" of A and B (the sub multiplicative axiom)

Def: A function $\|\cdot\| : \mathbb{F}^{M \times N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a ¹² matrix norm if it satisfies the following properties

1. $\|A\| \geq 0$
2. $\|A\| = 0$ iff $A = 0$
3. $\|cA\| = |c| \|A\|$
4. $\|A+B\| \leq \|A\| + \|B\|$
5. $\|AB\| \leq \|A\| \|B\|$



Remarks: 1) Some authors ~~consider~~ consider only (1-4) as a matrix norm, and include (5) as an "extra" feature that makes the extended norm a Consistent norm; consistent w.r.t. the matrix product;

$$2) \|A^2\| = \|AA\| \leq \|A\| \|A\| = \|A\|^2$$

$$3) \|I\| = \|AA^{-1}\| \leq \|A\| \|A^{-1}\| \text{ or } \|A^{-1}\| \geq \frac{\|I\|}{\|A\|}$$

$$4) \|I\| = \|Ix\| \leq \|I\| \|x\|, \text{ then } \|I\| \geq 1$$

E.g., $\|I_2\|_F = \|[1 \ 0; 0 \ 1]\|_F = \|a\|_F = \sqrt{2} > 1$
 where $a = \text{vec}(I_2) = [1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1]^T$

Frobenius Norm (matrix Euclidean Norm)

$$\|A\|_F \triangleq \left(\sum_{i,j} |a_{ij}|^2 \right)^{1/2} = \left[\text{Tr}(A^*A) \right]^{1/2} = \left[\text{Tr}(AA^*) \right]^{1/2}$$

or, as before, $\|A\|_F = \|a\|_2$, with $a = \text{vec}(A)$.

a) Important for theoretical and practical reasons: it is easy to compute (entry wise)

b) Unitarily invariant. Let $Q: Q^*Q=I$ ($Q^T Q=I$)

$$\begin{aligned} \|QA\|_F^2 &= \text{Tr}((QA)^*(QA)) = \text{Tr}(A^*Q^*QA) = \\ &= \text{Tr}(A^*A) = \|A\|_F^2 \end{aligned}$$

c) Proof that $\|A\|_F$ is a (consistent) matrix norm: check properties (1)-(5) from the definition

7.6: INDUCED MATRIX NORMS

(Also called "operator norms")

Def: A matrix norm $\|\cdot\|$ induced by a vec norm $\|\cdot\|$ is defined as

$$\|A\| = \max_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|} \quad (\text{I})$$

or, similarly

$$\|A\| = \max_{\|x\|=1} \|Ax\| \quad (\text{II})$$

thm: the function (I) (or (II)) is a matrix norm in $\mathbb{F}^{N \times N}$ satisfying

- $\|Ax\| \leq \|A\| \|x\|$ (subordinated to vec norm $\|\cdot\|$)
- $\|I\| = 1$

Remark: some authors say that norms following (a) above are compatible, or vec norm $\|\cdot\|$ is compatible with matrix norm $\|\cdot\|$

Proof: check properties (1)-(5).

(1-3): exercise

$$(4): \|A+B\| \leq \|A\| + \|B\|$$

$$\begin{aligned} \|A+B\| &= \max_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|(A+B)x\|}{\|x\|} = \max_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax + Bx\|}{\|x\|} \\ &= \max_{x \neq 0} \left(\frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|} + \frac{\|Bx\|}{\|x\|} \right) \leq \underbrace{\max_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|}}_{\|A\|} + \underbrace{\max_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Bx\|}{\|x\|}}_{\|B\|} \\ &= \|A\| + \|B\|. \end{aligned}$$

separate maximizations

$$(5) \|AB\| \leq \|A\| \|B\|$$

$$\begin{aligned} \max_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|ABx\|}{\|x\|} &= \max_{\substack{x \neq 0 \\ Bx \neq 0}} \frac{\|ABx\|}{\|x\|} = \max_{\substack{x \neq 0 \\ Bx \neq 0}} \frac{\|ABx\|}{\|x\|} \frac{\|Bx\|}{\|Bx\|} \\ &= \max_{\substack{x \neq 0 \\ Bx \neq 0}} \frac{\|ABx\|}{\|Bx\|} \frac{\|Bx\|}{\|x\|} \leq \max_{\substack{Bx \neq 0 \\ z}} \frac{\|A(Bx)\|}{\|Bx\|} \max_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Bx\|}{\|x\|} \\ &= \|A\| \|B\|. \end{aligned}$$

a) $\|A\| = \max_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|} = \frac{\|Ax^0\|}{\|x^0\|}$, for some x^0 that maximizes $\frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|}$.

then, for all other x , $\|A\| \leq \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|}$, or $\|Ax\| \leq \|A\| \|x\|$

b) $\|I\| = 1$. $\|I\| = \max_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ix\|}{\|x\|} = \max_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|x\|}{\|x\|} = 1$.

7.7. INDUCED Matrix p -norms

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there are a family of matrix norms induced by the $\|\cdot\|_p$ vector norms,

$$\|A\|_p \triangleq \max_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|_p}{\|x\|_p}$$

Depending on the selected p , the resulting norm $\|A\|$ may be easily calculated directly from the entries of A .

Examples

$$1) \|A\|_1 = \max_{j=1, N} \left(\sum_{i=1}^M |a_{ij}| \right) \quad \text{max col sum}$$

$$2) \|A\|_\infty = \max_{i=1, M} \left(\sum_{j=1}^N |a_{ij}| \right) \quad \text{max row sum}$$

$$3) \|A\|_2 = \max_k \left(\lambda_k(A^*A) \right)^{1/2} = \max_k \left(\lambda_k(AA^*) \right)^{1/2}$$

$\triangleq \sigma_{\max}(A)$, the maximum singular value of A ($\neq \rho(A)$)

a) it is the "spectral norm", and it is anomalous, in the sense it is not directly extracted from entries of A , as $\|A\|_1$ and $\|A\|_\infty$. Not so easy to calculate

$$b) \text{ Unitarily invariant: } \|QA\|_2 = \max_k \left[\lambda_k((QA)^*(QA)) \right] \\ = \max_k \left[\lambda_k(A^*Q^*QA) \right] = \|A\|_2. \quad Q^*Q = I$$

Example

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ -9 & 1 & 8 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

max row sum $\|A\|_{\infty} = 18$

max col sum $\|A\|_1 = 17$

7.8. Matrix Convergence

As with vectors, we can think of a matrix sequence $\{A_k\}$ and explore matrix norms to study the sequence convergence. Recall that the spectral radius of a matrix A is given by

$$\rho(A) = \max_k \{ |\lambda_k|, \lambda_k \in \lambda(A) \}.$$

thm: If $\|\cdot\|$ is any matrix norm, then

$$\rho(A) \leq \|A\|, \text{ for all } A \in \mathbb{F}^{n \times n}.$$

proof: if $Ax_i = \lambda_i x_i$, then form $X = [x_i \ x_i \ \dots \ x_i]$, so

that $|\lambda_i| \|X\| =$ (next page)

$$\|\lambda_i\| \|X\| = \| \|\lambda_i\| X \| = \| \lambda_i X \|$$

$$= \| \lambda_i [x_i \ x_i \ \dots \ x_i] \| = \| [\lambda_i x_i \ \lambda_i x_i \ \dots \ \lambda_i x_i] \|$$

$$= \| [Ax_i \ Ax_i \ \dots \ Ax_i] \| = \| AX \| \leq \|A\| \|X\|,$$

$\|\lambda_i\| \|X\| \leq \|A\| \|X\|$, since X groups the ~~row~~ i^{th} row of A , which is never zero.
 $(\|X\| \neq 0)$

then

$$\|\lambda_i\| \leq \|A\| \quad \forall i$$

~~and~~ so that it must hold for ~~that~~ ^{the} i that returns the $\max_i \|\lambda_i\|$, that is $\rho(A)$:

$$\rho(A) \leq \|A\|$$

thm: Let $A \in \mathbb{F}^{n \times n}$. If there is a norm $\|\cdot\|$ such that $\|A\| < 1$, then

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} A^k = 0$$

that is, all entries of A^k go to zero as $k \rightarrow \infty$.

proof: $\|A^k\| = \|A^{k-1}A\| \leq \|A^{k-1}\| \|A\|$
 $\leq \|A^{k-2}\| \|A\|^2 \leq \|A^{k-3}\| \|A\|^3$
 \vdots
 $\leq \|A\|^k, \text{ or } \|A^k\| \leq \|A\|^k.$

Since $\|A\| < 1$, $\|A\|^k \rightarrow 0$ as $k \rightarrow \infty$.

~~From the definition of matrix norms, this implies that~~. If $\|A\|^k \rightarrow 0$, then $\|A^k\| \rightarrow 0$.

from the definition of matrix norms,

if $\|A^k\| \rightarrow 0$ as $k \rightarrow \infty$, then

$$A^k \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } k \rightarrow \infty.$$

~~Example: Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$~~

or $f(A) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} c_k A^k$, for a scalar analytic function $f(\cdot)$.

We can quickly test if this matrix series converges by checking how

$\|A^k\|$ evolves with k .

that is, $\|A\| < 1$ provides a necessary condition for convergence.

~~Example~~ $e^A = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{A^k}{k!}$ is well defined only if $\|A\| < 1$. that is,

$$\|A^k\| \leq \|A\|^k \rightarrow$$

For instance, if we can find $A = PAP^{-1}$, then it is easy to check for convergence. What if A is defective? We can resort to matrix norms to study convergence, or use the Jordan form (previous lecture).

7.7. CONDITION NUMBER $K(A)$ (SQUARE MATRICES)

Consider a consistent lin sys $Ax=b$ and assume $\exists A^{-1}$. Then consider a perturbed version of b (finite precision, noise) $b \rightarrow b + \delta b$

Question: How is the ~~exact~~ ^{exact} (unknown) solution $x = A^{-1}b$ affected by δb ?

Since $b \rightarrow b + \delta b$ then $x \rightarrow x + \delta x \triangleq \hat{x}$
error vector another error vector

then, the perturbed lin sys is

$$A\hat{x} = b + \delta b \Leftrightarrow A(x + \delta x) = b + \delta b$$

$$\cancel{Ax} + A\delta x = \cancel{b} + \delta b \quad \therefore \quad A\delta x = \delta b$$

= due to consistency

$$\delta x = A^{-1}\delta b$$

Similar procedure for $A \rightarrow A + \delta A$ are covered by

So that $\|\delta x\| \leq \|A^{-1}\| \|\delta b\|$ (1)

From the original system $\|b\| \leq \|A\| \|x\|$ (2)

or $\frac{1}{\|x\|} \leq \frac{\|A\|}{\|b\|}$ (2) $\Rightarrow \frac{\|\delta x\|}{\|x\|} \leq \frac{\|\delta x\| \|A\|}{\|b\|}$ relative error on b

$$\frac{\|\delta x\|}{\|x\|} \leq \frac{\|A^{-1}\| \|\delta b\| \|A\|}{\|b\|} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{\|\delta x\|}{\|x\|} \leq \underbrace{\|A\| \|A^{-1}\|}_{\triangleq K(A)} \frac{\|\delta b\|}{\|b\|}$$

relative error on x

$K(A) \triangleq \|A\| \|A^{-1}\|$ is the condition number.

$K(A) \geq 1$ and it quantifies how sensitive a lin sys is with respect to perturbations (in b , in A , both).
 if $K(A)$ is small, then the lin sys can be solved reliably. Large $K(A)$: problems (ill-conditioning)