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Math 333 Second Exam (30 Nov 2010)

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Show all work (unless instructed otherwise). Good Luck!

0. Circle **True** or **False** without explanation: Below vectors are in a finite dimensional vector space V , $\langle \cdot | \cdot \rangle$ denotes an inner product, and $\|\cdot\|$ its associated norm.

- (T) or F) $\langle u|v \rangle = \|u\|\|v\|$ only if one of u and v is a scalar multiple of another.
- (T or F) Every norm on V comes from an inner product.
- (T) or F) $\bar{x} := A^+b$ is a **least squares solution** to $Ax = b$.
- (T or F) For any square matrix A , the SVD gives a diagonalization of A .

10 pts

1. Suppose that u, v, w are vectors in an inner product space and

$$\langle u|v \rangle = -3, \quad \langle u|w \rangle = -6, \quad \langle v|w \rangle = 6$$

$$\|u\| = 3, \quad \|v\| = \sqrt{5}, \quad \|w\| = \sqrt{8}.$$

5 pts

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) Evaluate } \|u + w\| &= \sqrt{\langle u + w | u + w \rangle} \\ &= \sqrt{(\langle u|u \rangle + 2\langle u|w \rangle + \langle w|w \rangle)^{1/2}} \\ &= \sqrt{(3^2 + 2 \cdot (-3) + 8)^{1/2}} = \sqrt{5} \end{aligned}$$

5 pts

- b) Determine by computation if $u + v$ is perpendicular to w .

$$\begin{aligned} \langle u + v | w \rangle &= \langle u | w \rangle + \langle v | w \rangle \\ &= -6 + 6 = 0 \quad \text{so yes} \end{aligned}$$

10 pts

2. Derive the **Triangle Inequality** from the **Cauchy-Schwarz Inequality**.
(State both!)

$$\begin{aligned}\|u+v\|^2 &= \langle u+v | u+v \rangle = \|u\|^2 + 2\langle u|v \rangle + \|v\|^2 \\ &\leq \|u\|^2 + 2\|u\|\cdot\|v\| + \|v\|^2 = (\|u\| + \|v\|)^2\end{aligned}$$

\uparrow
 Used C-S : $\langle u|v \rangle \leq \|u\|\cdot\|v\|$

Thus $\|u+v\| \leq \|u\| + \|v\|$, which is the triangle inequality.

10 pts

3. Show that $\langle p(x) | q(x) \rangle := p(0)q(0) + p(1)q(1)$ is not an inner product on \mathcal{P}_2 .

Consider $p(x) = q(x) = x(1-x)$

Then $\langle p(x) | p(x) \rangle = 0 \cdot 0 + 0 \cdot 0 = 0$

even though $p(x) \neq 0$.

(This violates the axiom $\langle v | v \rangle = 0 \Rightarrow v = 0$.)

10 pts

4. Let $\|A\|$ be a matrix norm of a square matrix A compatible with a vector norm $\|x\|$. Show that if λ is an eigenvalue of A then

$$\|A\| \geq |\lambda|.$$

Let $v \neq 0$ be the corresponding eigenvector so that
 $Av = \lambda v$.

Then $\|A\| \cdot \|v\| \geq \|Av\| = \|\lambda v\| = |\lambda| \cdot \|v\|$

Div. by $\|v\|$, yields $\|A\| \geq |\lambda|$.

10 pts

5. Prove (while justifying each step) that the Frobenius norm

$$\|A\|_F := \sqrt{\sum_{i,j=1}^n |a_{ij}|^2}$$

is compatible with the Euclidean norm, i.e., $\|Ax\| \leq \|A\|_F \|x\|$ for all x in \mathbb{R}^n .

$$\|Ax\|^2 = \sum_i \left| \sum_j a_{ij} x_j \right|^2 \leq \sum_i \left(\sqrt{\sum_j a_{ij}^2} \sqrt{\sum_j x_j^2} \right)^2$$

by using
Cauchy-Schwarz

$$= \sum_i \left(\sum_j a_{ij}^2 \sum_j x_j^2 \right)$$

$$= \left(\sum_i \sum_j a_{ij}^2 \right) \sum_j x_j^2$$

$$= \sum_{ij} a_{ij}^2 \sum_j x_j^2 = \|A\|_F^2 \cdot \|x\|^2$$

10 pts

6. Find all least squares solutions to the system

$$\begin{cases} x_1 + x_2 = 1 \\ x_1 + x_2 = 2 \end{cases} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}; \quad A^T b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^T A x = A^T b \text{ is } \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ so}$$

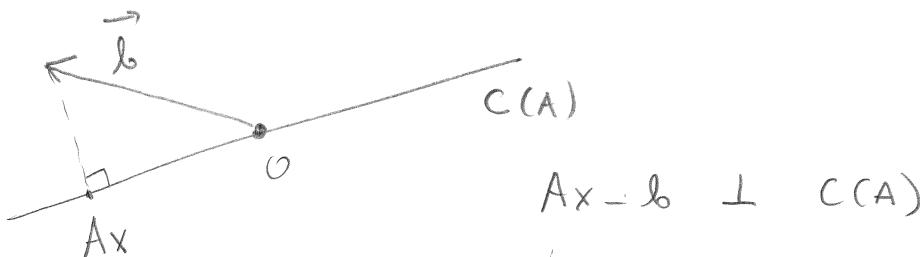
$$2x_1 + 2x_2 = 3 \quad \text{i.e. } x_1 = \frac{3}{2} - x_2 \quad \uparrow \text{free}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3/2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + x_2 \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Or more pleasantly } \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3/4 \\ 3/4 \end{pmatrix} + c \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

10 pts

7. The normal equation $A^T A x = A^T b$ is an expression of perpendicularity of a **certain** vector to a certain subspace. What vector and subspace are involved? Draw a figure and explain how $A^T A x = A^T b$ follows.



so. $\forall i$ i^{th} column of A , call it a_i , is \perp to $Ax - b$

$$\text{i.e. } \forall i \quad a_i^T (Ax - b) = 0$$

$$\text{so } A^T (Ax - b) = 0$$

$$\therefore A^T A x = A^T b$$

6 pts

8. Consider the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. lengths only!

a) Compute the semi-axis of the ellipse that is the image of the unit circle under the linear transformation T_A of the plane \mathbf{R}^2 induced by A .

$$A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ has char. poly}$$

$$\lambda^2 - \text{trace } \lambda + \det = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 3\lambda + 1 = 0 \text{ with roots } \lambda_{1,2} = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{9-4 \cdot 1}}{2}$$

Singular values: $\sigma_1 = \sqrt{\lambda_1} = \sqrt{\frac{3+\sqrt{5}}{2}}$

$$\sigma_2 = \sqrt{\lambda_2} = \sqrt{\frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2}}$$

are the semi-axis lengths

3 pts

b) What is the value of the operator norm $\|A\| := \max_{\|x\|=1} \|Ax\|$? (Here $\|x\|$ is the ordinary Euclidean norm.)

$$\|A\| = \sigma_1 = \sqrt{\frac{3+\sqrt{5}}{2}}$$

1 pt

c)* Sketch the image of the square $\{(x, y) : -1 \leq x \leq 1, -1 \leq y \leq 1\}$ under T_A and guess-sketch the ellipse (from a)). mark the semi-axes

