

Subject § 1.3 Matrix Algebra

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$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} = (a_{ij})_{m \times n}$$

m-rows
n-columns

a_{ij} - i -th row
 j -th column

each row $(a_{i1}, a_{i2}, \dots, a_{in})$ is a $1 \times n$ matrix, called a row vector.

each column $\begin{bmatrix} a_{1j} \\ a_{2j} \\ \vdots \\ a_{mj} \end{bmatrix}$ is an $m \times 1$ matrix, called a column vector.

An n -tuple can be represented by either a ^{row} column vector $\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}$ something, but different expression.

If $A_i^r = (a_{i1}, a_{i2}, \dots, a_{in})$, then $A = \begin{bmatrix} A_1^r \\ A_2^r \\ \vdots \\ A_m^r \end{bmatrix}$;

If $A_j^c = \begin{bmatrix} a_{1j} \\ a_{2j} \\ \vdots \\ a_{mj} \end{bmatrix}$, then $A = [A_1^c \ A_2^c \ \dots \ A_n^c]$.

Ex: $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$

columns $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$
rows $(1 \ 2 \ 3)$
 $(4 \ 5 \ 6)$

Matrix operations. Let $A = (a_{ij})_{m \times n}$, $B = (b_{ij})_{m \times n}$ $m \times n$ matrices.

Equality: $A = B \Leftrightarrow a_{ij} = b_{ij}$ for all $i = 1, \dots, m$
 $j = 1, \dots, n$.

Scalar multiplication: If α is a scalar, $\alpha A = (\alpha a_{ij})_{m \times n}$

Matrix Addition: $A \pm B = (a_{ij} \pm b_{ij})_{m \times n}$

$$\underline{\text{Ex:}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 6 & 5 & 4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 6 \\ 5 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 6 & 9 \\ 11 & 8 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ -6 & 5 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 4 & -6 \\ 12 & -10 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 6 & 9 \\ 11 & 8 & 5 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 4 & 6 \\ 5 & 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 & 3 \\ 6 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

zero matrix $\theta = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & & \\ 0 & \dots & 0 \end{bmatrix}$; $\theta + A = A + \theta = A$
 $A + (-1)A = A - A = \theta$.

matrix multiplication: $A = (a_{ij})_{m \times n}$ $X = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}_{n \times 1}$

$$AX = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \dots & & & \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + \dots + a_{1n}x_n \\ a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + \dots + a_{2n}x_n \\ \dots \\ a_{m1}x_1 + a_{m2}x_2 + \dots + a_{mn}x_n \end{bmatrix}_{m \times 1}$$

$m \times n$ $n \times 1$

$$\underline{\text{Ex:}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2+8+3 \\ 1+6+2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 13 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

2×3 3×1 2×1 2×1

Now for an $m \times n$ system

$$(*) \begin{cases} a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + \dots + a_{1n}x_n = b_1 \\ a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + \dots + a_{2n}x_n = b_2 \\ \dots \\ a_{m1}x_1 + a_{m2}x_2 + \dots + a_{mn}x_n = b_m \end{cases}; \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \dots & & & \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix}, \quad X = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ \vdots \\ b_m \end{bmatrix}$$

$m \times n$ $n \times 1$ $m \times 1$

$$(*) \Leftrightarrow AX = B.$$

$$\text{If } A_1 = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} \\ a_{21} \\ \vdots \\ a_{m1} \end{bmatrix}, \quad A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} a_{12} \\ a_{22} \\ \vdots \\ a_{m2} \end{bmatrix}, \dots; \quad A_n = \begin{bmatrix} a_{1n} \\ a_{2n} \\ \vdots \\ a_{mn} \end{bmatrix},$$

$$\text{then } (*) \Leftrightarrow x_1 A_1 + x_2 A_2 + \dots + x_n A_n = B.$$

Ex: 2×3 system: $2x_1 + 3x_2 - 2x_3 = 5$
 $5x_1 - 4x_2 + 2x_3 = 6$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & -2 \\ 5 & -4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} \text{ or } x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Def: If v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n are vectors in \mathbb{R}^m and c_1, c_2, \dots, c_n are scalars, then a sum of the form

$$c_1 v_1 + c_2 v_2 + \dots + c_n v_n$$

is called a linear combination of v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n ;

c_1, c_2, \dots, c_n are the coefficients of the linear combination.

The above system is about to say: find coefficients x_1, x_2, x_3 such that the linear combination of

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ is equal to } \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}.$$

* A linear system $Ax = b$ is consistent if and only if b can be written as a linear combination of the column vectors of A .

multiplication: $A = (a_{ij})_{m \times n}$ $B = (b_{jk})_{n \times r}$

$$A_{m \times n} B_{n \times r} = C_{m \times r} = (c_{ik})_{m \times r} \text{ where } c_{ik} = \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} b_{jk}.$$

$$i \begin{bmatrix} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{bmatrix} i$$

$m \times n$ $n \times r$ $m \times r$

$$\text{Ex: } A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}_{2 \times 2}, B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 5 \\ 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 2}$$

AB is not defined.

$$B_{3 \times 2} A_{2 \times 2} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 5 \\ 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 2} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}_{2 \times 2} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 8 \\ 17 & 26 \\ 15 & 24 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 2}$$

Properties of matrix operations

1) $A + B = B + A$,

2) $(A + B) + C = A + (B + C)$,

3) $(AB)C = A(BC)$,

4) $A(B + C) = AB + AC$,

5) $(A + B)C = AC + BC$,

6) $(\alpha\beta)A = \alpha(\beta A)$,

7) $\alpha(AB) = (\alpha A)B = A(\alpha B)$,

8) $(\alpha + \beta)A = \alpha A + \beta A$,

9) $\alpha(A + B) = \alpha A + \alpha B$.

* $A_{m \times n} B_{n \times r}$. AB is defined, BA is not defined if $m \neq r$.

Even when $m = r$, both AB and BA are defined

But $AB \neq BA$ in general.

$$\text{Ex: } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 5 \\ -6 & 11 \end{bmatrix} \neq BA = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 8 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

When $m=n$, $A_{n \times n}$ is called a square matrix. Then

Denote $A^k = \underbrace{A A \cdots A}_{k \text{ copies}}$.

Ex: $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$, $A^3 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 4 \\ 4 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$, ..., $A^k = \begin{bmatrix} 2^{k-1} & 2^{k-1} \\ 2^{k-1} & 2^{k-1} \end{bmatrix}$.

The identity matrix $I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \cdots & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. $A_{m \times n} I_{n \times n} = A_{m \times n}$
 $I_{n \times n} A_{m \times n} = A_{m \times n}$.

Ex: $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 & 8 \\ 7 & 1 & 9 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 3}$. Then $AI = IA = A$.

Define $e_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $e_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$, ..., $e_n = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$, then $I_{n \times n} = [e_1 e_2 \cdots e_n]$.

Transpose $(A^T)_{n \times m}$ of a matrix $A_{m \times n}$.

Columns of A^T are rows of A ,

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$$\underline{\text{Ex:}} \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \end{bmatrix}_{2 \times 3} \quad A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 2}$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \\ -1 & -3 & -5 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 3} \quad B^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 4 & -3 \\ 5 & 6 & -5 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 3}$$

Def: An $n \times n$ matrix A is symmetric if $A^T = A$.

$$\underline{\text{Ex:}} \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 3 & 4 & 6 \\ 5 & 6 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad A^T = A$$

Properties

$$1) (A^T)^T = A,$$

$$2) (\alpha A)^T = \alpha A^T,$$

$$3) (A+B)^T = A^T + B^T,$$

$$* 4) \left(\begin{matrix} A_{m \times n} & B_{n \times r} \end{matrix} \right)^T = \begin{matrix} (B^T)_{r \times n} \\ (A^T)_{n \times m} \end{matrix} \quad \text{a } r \times m \text{ matrix.}$$