

Ex 1

Vectorization is done by stacking the columns of a matrix.

$$A = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} | & | & \dots & | \\ a_1 & a_2 & \dots & a_n \\ | & | & \dots & | \end{bmatrix}}_{m \times n} \rightarrow a = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ \vdots \\ a_n \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{mn}$$

Ex 2

To prove linearity, show the two properties listed.

$$f(x+y) = A(x+y) = Ax + Ay = f(x) + f(y)$$

$$f(\alpha x) = A(\alpha x) = \alpha Ax = \alpha f(x)$$

Ex 3

Let $X = \begin{bmatrix} x_1^T \\ x_2^T \\ \vdots \\ x_n^T \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$. Then we have

$$Xw = \begin{bmatrix} x_1^T \\ x_2^T \\ \vdots \\ x_n^T \end{bmatrix} w = \begin{bmatrix} x_1^T w \\ x_2^T w \\ \vdots \\ x_n^T w \end{bmatrix} \approx \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Ex 4

See pages 1.12-1.13.

Ex 5

First notice that

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & & & \\ & a_{22} & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}.$$

Now think of Ax in terms of the inner products between the rows of A and x , as in Ex 3 above

$$Ax = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} \\ -a_{22} \\ \vdots \\ a_{nn} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} | \\ x \\ | \\ | \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} [a_{11} \ 0 \ \dots \ 0] x \\ [0 \ a_{22} \ \dots \ 0] x \\ \vdots \\ [0 \ 0 \ \dots \ a_{nn}] x \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } x.$$

inner product
between vector

For the i^{th} column all but element i will be zero, so we get $a_{ii}x_i$. In general, we get

$$Ax = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}x_1 \\ a_{22}x_2 \\ \vdots \\ a_{nn}x_n \end{bmatrix}.$$

Ex 6

For a diagonal matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & & & \\ & a_{22} & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix},$$

we have

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/a_{11} & & & \\ & 1/a_{22} & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & 1/a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}.$$

Now check AA^{-1} :

$$AA^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & & & \\ & a_{22} & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1/a_{11} & & & \\ & 1/a_{22} & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & 1/a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

Think of A^{-1} as a series of columns. Then by Ex 5, the first column is

$$A \begin{bmatrix} 1/a_{11} \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} \cdot 1/a_{11} \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

By similar reasoning, we get $AA^{-1} = A^{-1}A = I$.

Ex 8

To see the form of A , write out a few values of y .

$$y_1 = x_1$$

$$y_2 = x_1 + x_2$$

$$y_3 = x_1 + x_2 + x_3$$

So we need a matrix that "picks out" the correct elements of x for each element of y . This has the form

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & & & & \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ \vdots \\ x_N \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_1 + x_2 \\ x_1 + x_2 + x_3 \\ \vdots \\ x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_N \end{bmatrix}$$

Ex 9

This problem is most easily derived by iterative substitution. First

let $V_i = (u_2 \ u_3 \ \dots \ u_k)$. Then

$$(u_1 \ u_2 \ \dots \ u_k)^T = (u_1 \ V_i)^T$$

$$= V_i^T u_1^T \quad \text{by transpose property, pg. 1.19}$$

$$= (u_2 \ \dots \ u_k)^T u_1^T$$

Now we need to evaluate $(u_2 \dots u_k)^T$. Let $V_2 = (u_3 \ u_4 \ \dots \ u_k)$.

Then

$$\begin{aligned}(u_2 \dots u_k)^T &= (u_2 \ V_2)^T \\ &= V_2^T u_2^T \\ &= (u_3 \ u_4 \ \dots \ u_k) u_2^T\end{aligned}$$

and therefore

$$(u_1 \ u_2 \ \dots \ u_k)^T = (u_3 \ u_4 \ \dots \ u_k)^T u_2^T u_1^T.$$

Repeating this process $k-3$ more times shows that

$$(u_1 \ u_2 \ \dots \ u_k)^T = u_k^T u_{k-1}^T \dots u_3^T u_2^T u_1^T.$$

The second bullet is then

$$(u_1 \ u_2 \ \dots \ u_k) (u_1 \ u_2 \ \dots \ u_k)^T = u_k^T u_{k-1}^T \dots u_3^T u_2^T u_1^T u_1 \ u_2 \ u_3 \ \dots \ u_{k-1} \ u_k$$

Ex 10

For three matrices, use substitution again. Let $D = B + C$. Then

$$\begin{aligned}(A+B+C)^T &= (A+D)^T \\ &= A^T + D^T \quad \leftarrow \text{by transpose property for 2 matrices} \\ &= A^T + (B+C)^T \\ &= A^T + B^T + C^T\end{aligned}$$

To prove this holds for K matrices via induction, we need to show the base case then prove the inductive hypothesis. The base case is $K=2$, which is given to you. For the inductive hypothesis, assume the statement holds for $K-1$ matrices, i.e., that

$$(A_1 + A_2 + \dots + A_{K-1})^T = A_1^T + A_2^T + \dots + A_{K-1}^T.$$

We wish to show that

$$(A_1 + A_2 + \dots + A_{K-1} + A_K)^T = A_1^T + A_2^T + \dots + A_{K-1}^T + A_K^T.$$

Let $B = A_1 + A_2 + \dots + A_{K-1}$. Then

$$\begin{aligned}(A_1 + A_2 + \dots + A_{K-1} + A_K)^T &= (B + A_K)^T && \text{substitution} \\ &= B^T + A_K^T && \text{using base case} \\ &= A_1^T + \dots + A_{K-1}^T + A_K^T && \text{by inductive hypothesis}\end{aligned}$$