

Iterative Methods: Produce a sequence x_n of approximations to the solution x^*

Direct methods: Produce the solution x^* (if we had infinite precision) after a finite number of steps.

Convergence of iterative methods (assuming ∞ precision)

Converges if $\|x_n - x^*\| \rightarrow 0$

linear convergence if there exists C such that $0 < C < 1$

and $\|x_{n+1} - x^*\| < C \|x_n - x^*\|$ for $n \geq N$

Convergence of order β if

$$\|X_{n+1} - X^*\| \leq \alpha \|X_n - X^*\|^\beta \quad \text{for } n \geq N$$

Quadratic convergence if $\beta = 2$ $\alpha > 0$

Sometimes convergence depends on the initial guess x_0

Computational complexity of a direct method = number of operations required to get the solution

Linear systems

$\mathbb{R}$ = set of real numbers

$\mathbb{R}^n$ = set of n -vectors

$x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ then $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$ each $x_i \in \mathbb{R}$ or

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}$$

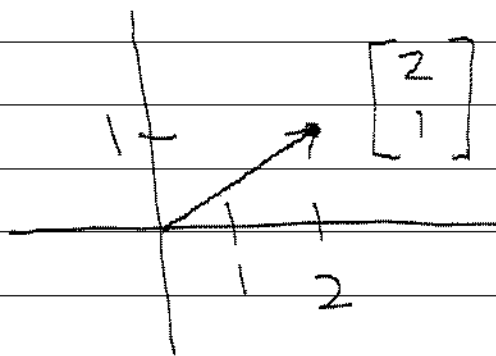
Norm: A norm on $\mathbb{R}^n$ is a real valued function $\|x\|$ such that:

- 1) $\|x\| \geq 0$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ and $\|x\| = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = 0 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$
- 2) $\|\lambda x\| = |\lambda| \|x\|$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ and $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$
- 3) $\|x+y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\|$ for all $x, y \in \mathbb{R}^n$

Examples of norms in $\mathbb{R}^n$

1) $\|x\|_2 = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2}$

Euclidean norm



$$2) \|x\|_{\infty} = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |x_i|$$

$$\left\| \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\|_{\infty} = 4$$

$$3) \|x\|_1 = \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|$$

$$\left\| \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\|_1 = 3 + 4 + 1 = 8$$

Matrices A k by n matrix A is an object of the form

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{k1} & a_{k2} & \dots & a_{kn} \end{bmatrix}$$

Ex $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 5 & 3 & \boxed{1} & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ is a
3 by 4
matrix
or 3×4

Notation: If A is a matrix, a_{ij} is the component of A in the i^{th} row and j^{th} column. In the above example

$a_{23} = 1$. Sometimes we use the notation $[A]_{ij} = a_{ij}$

Norms in $\mathbb{R}^{k \times n}$: Same as with vectors, a norm is a real valued function $\|A\|$ that satisfies

- 1) $\|A\| \geq 0$ for all $A \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times n}$. $\|A\| = 0 \Leftrightarrow A = 0 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
- 2) $\|\lambda A\| = |\lambda| \|A\|$ for all $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ and $A \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times n}$
- 3) $\|A+B\| \leq \|A\| + \|B\|$ for all A and $B \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times n}$

Need to know

- 1) Addition of vectors
- 2) Addition of matrices
- 3) Matrix-vector multiplication
- 4) Scalar-vector multiplication

5) Scalar matrix multiplication 6) Matrix-matrix multiplication

Vector induced norms on matrices

$$A \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times n} \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$Ax \in \mathbb{R}^k$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2(2) + (-1)(-4) + 0(1) \\ 3(2) + 1(-4) + (-1)(1) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\|A\| = \sup_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|} = \max_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|} = \max_{\|x\|=1} \|Ax\|$$

Example: $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. What is $\|A\|_2$?

$$\|A\|_2 = \max_{\|x\|_2=1} \|Ax\|_2$$

$$Ax = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \|Ax\|_2 = \sqrt{4x_1^2 + x_2^2}$$

What $\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$ with $x_1^2 + x_2^2 = 1$ gives $4x_1^2 + x_2^2$ as large as possible?

$$x_1 = \cos t$$

$$x_2 = \sin t$$

$$x_1^2 + x_2^2 = \cos^2 t + \sin^2 t$$

$$f(t) = 4x_1^2 + x_2^2 = 4\cos^2 t + \sin^2 t = 3\cos^2 t + 1 \quad t=0$$

$$f(0) = 4 \quad \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad A \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Then } \boxed{\|A\|_2 = \max_{\|x\|_2=1} \|Ax\|_2 = \|A \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\|_2 = \left\| \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\|_2 = \sqrt{2^2 + 0^2} = 2}$$

$$\text{Example: } \|A\|_\infty = \max_{\|x\|_\infty=1} \|Ax\|_\infty$$

$$Ax = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{k1} & a_{k2} & \dots & a_{kn} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + \dots + a_{1n}x_n \\ a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + \dots + a_{2n}x_n \\ \vdots \\ a_{k1}x_1 + a_{k2}x_2 + \dots + a_{kn}x_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$\|X\|_\infty$ then $|x_i| \leq 1$ then

$$(1) \quad |a_{i1}x_1 + a_{i2}x_2 + \dots + a_{in}x_n| \leq |a_{i1}x_1| + |a_{i2}x_2| + \dots + |a_{in}x_n| \\ \leq |a_{i1}| + |a_{i2}| + \dots + |a_{in}|$$

$$x_j = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } a_{ij} \geq 0 \\ -1 & \text{if } a_{ij} < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$(2) \quad a_{i1}x_1 + a_{i2}x_2 + \dots + a_{in}x_n = |a_{i1}| + |a_{i2}| + \dots + |a_{in}|$$

If $\|X\|_\infty \leq 1$

$$\|Ax\|_\infty = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |[Ax]_i| \leq \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |a_{i1}| + |a_{i2}| + \dots + |a_{in}|$$

$$\|A\|_{\infty} \leq \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |a_{i1}| + |a_{i2}| + \dots + |a_{in}|$$

Let i_0 be such that $|a_{i_0 1}| + \dots + |a_{i_0 n}| = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |a_{i1}| + \dots + |a_{in}|$

$$x_j = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } a_{i_0 j} \geq 0 \\ -1 & \text{if } a_{i_0 j} < 0 \end{cases} \quad \text{then}$$

$$\|A\|_{\infty} \geq \|Ax\|_{\infty} = |a_{i_0 1}| + \dots + |a_{i_0 n}| = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |a_{i1}| + |a_{i2}| + \dots + |a_{in}|$$

$$\|A\|_{\infty} = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |a_{i1}| + |a_{i2}| + \dots + |a_{in}|$$

Obs: $\|A\| \geq \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|}$

$$\begin{aligned} x &\in \mathbb{R}^n \\ A &\in \mathbb{R}^{k \times n} \end{aligned}$$

then

$$\boxed{\|Ax\| \leq \|A\| \|x\|} \quad \text{for all } x \in \mathbb{R}^n \quad A \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times n}$$

things we need to know

- 1) Eigenvalues and eigenvectors
- 2) Invertible matrices.
- 3) Inverse of a matrix

Condition number of a matrix

A is invertible A^{-1} is the inverse of A

$$AA' = I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & 0 \\ & \ddots & \\ 0 & & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$Ax = b$ A & b given
goal find x

$$A(x + \delta x) = b + \delta b$$

A given b given δb error

How big is the error in the output, i.e. δx ?

$$\rightarrow Ax + A\delta x = b + \delta b \quad \text{but } Ax = b \quad \text{then}$$

$$A\delta x = \delta b$$

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

$$(a) \quad \boxed{\|\delta x\| = \|A^{-1} \delta b\| \leq \|A^{-1}\| \|\delta b\|}$$

$$b = Ax \quad \text{then} \quad \|b\| \leq \|A\| \|x\| \quad \text{then}$$

$$(b) \quad \boxed{\frac{1}{\|x\|} \leq \|A\| \frac{1}{\|b\|}}$$

(*) $\frac{\| \delta x \|}{\| x \|} \leq \| A^{-1} \| \| A \| \frac{\| \delta b \|}{\| b \|}$

relative error of output

relative error of input

Def: $\kappa(A) = \| A^{-1} \| \| A \|$ = condition number of the matrix. (*) is a bound. You should expect

$$\frac{\| \delta x \|}{\| x \|} \approx \kappa(A) \frac{\| \delta b \|}{\| b \|}$$

The relative error in the input is amplified by a

factor of $K(A)$