

Mathematics for Machine Learning: Homework 3

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1. Check that $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ defined by

$$\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle := 17x_1y_1 - 4(x_2y_1 + x_1y_2) + x_2y_2$$

for $\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^2$ is an inner product. Moreover, find a matrix $A \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$ so that

$$\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{y}.$$

2. Which of the following matrices is positive definite?

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -2 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -3 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

3. Compute the norm of the vector $[3 \ 2 \ 1]^T$ w.r.t. the following inner products:

a) $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{y}$,

b) $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \mathbf{x}^T \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 0 \\ -2 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{y}.$

4. Find the angle between $\mathbf{x} = [2, 3]^T$ and $\mathbf{y} = [-3, 2]^T$ w.r.t. the inner products given by

a) $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{y}$

b) $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \mathbf{x}^T \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{y}$

5. Check that the following matrix (the rotation matrix) is orthogonal for any φ

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \varphi & 0 & -\sin \varphi \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \sin \varphi & 0 & \cos \varphi \end{bmatrix}.$$

Using orthogonality of the matrix A compute the Euclidean norm $\|A\mathbf{x}\|$ for $\mathbf{x} = [-4, 3, 12]^T$.

6. Check that the vectors

$$\mathbf{b}_1 = \frac{1}{13} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{b}_2 = \frac{1}{13} \begin{bmatrix} 12 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

form an orthonormal basis for \mathbb{R}^2 .

7. Find the projection matrix P_π onto the line through the origin spanned by $\mathbf{b} = [1, 2, -4]^T$. Find also the projection of the vector $\mathbf{x} = [2, 3, 1]^T$.

8. Find the eigenvalues and eigenspaces of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$.