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Note Title

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8.2 Inverse solutions of linear systems.

We want to solve a non singular system of the form $Ax = b$.

Example

$$\begin{aligned} 2x + y &= 3 \\ 5x - 2y &= 7 \end{aligned} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 5 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$A \quad x \quad b$

Vector and Matrix Norms

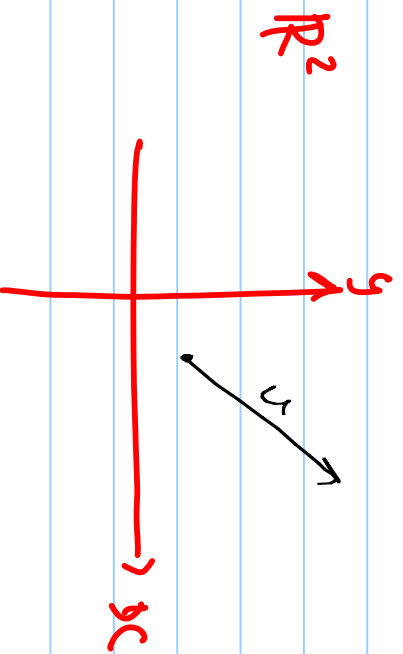
Norms can be defined on any vector space.
but we shall restrict ourselves to \mathbb{R}^n .

$$\mathbb{R}^2: \quad u = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad v = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbb{R}^3: \quad w = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad z = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbb{R}^n: \quad x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}$$

We can think of a vector norm $\|x\|$ as the length or magnitude of a vector $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$.



$$\|v\| = \text{length}$$

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A vector norm is any mapping from \mathbb{R}^n to \mathbb{R} that satisfies the three properties

$$\textcircled{1} \|x\| > 0 \quad \text{if } x \neq 0 \quad \|x\| = 0 \quad \text{if } x = 0$$

$$\textcircled{2} \|\alpha x\| = |\alpha| \|x\|$$

$$\textcircled{3} \|x + y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\| \quad \text{triangle inequality}$$

for any vector $x, y \in \mathbb{R}^n$ and scalar $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$.

$$\|\cdot\| : \mathbb{R}^n \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

vector

numbers

Examples

Euclidean norm (L_2 -vector norm or length)

$$\|x\|_2 = (|x_1|^2 + |x_2|^2 + \dots + |x_n|^2)^{1/2}$$

$$= \left(\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2 \right)^{1/2}$$

$$u = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad u^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$u^T u = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= (x^T x)^{1/2} = (1)(1) + (2)(2)$$

l_1 -vector norm:

$$\|x\|_1 = |x_1| + |x_2| + \dots + |x_n|$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|$$

l_∞ -vector norm:

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

$$\text{In general } L_p\text{-norm } p \geq 1 \quad \|x\|_p = \left(\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^p \right)^{1/p}$$

Examples

$$\text{Let } x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and } y = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Then

$$\|x\|_1 = |1| + |-2| + |3| = 6$$

$$\|x\|_2 = (1^2 + |-2|^2 + 3^2)^{1/2}$$

$$= (1 + 4 + 9)^{1/2}$$

$$= \sqrt{14}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\|x\|_{\infty} &= \max\{|1|, |-2|, |3|\} \\ &= \max\{1, 2, 3\} \\ &= 3\end{aligned}$$

$$\|y\|_1 = 0 + 2 + 3 = 5$$

$$\|y\|_2 = (0^2 + 2^2 + 3^2)^{1/2} = \sqrt{13}$$

$$\|y\|_{\infty} = \max\{0, 2, 3\} = 3$$

Example

$$\text{Let } u = [1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 1]^T \text{ and}$$

$$v = [0.1 \ 0.7 \ 0.3 \ 0.4 \ 0.5]^T$$

$$\|u\|_2 = \sqrt{5} \quad \|v\|_2 = \left(0.1^2 + 0.7^2 + 0.3^2 + 0.4^2 + 0.5^2\right)^{1/2}$$

$$\|u\|_1 = 5$$

$$\|v\|_1 =$$

$$\|u\|_\infty = 1$$

$$\|v\|_\infty = 0.7$$

Two different vectors may have the same norm so

$$\|x\| = \|y\| \not\Rightarrow x = y$$

However

$$\|x - y\| = 0 \Rightarrow x - y = 0 \text{ by property of norms} \\ \Rightarrow x = y$$