

# LECTURE 03

## MATHEMATICAL REVIEW IN R

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# OUTLINE

- 1 MATRIX AND LINEAR ALGEBRA
- 2 REVIEWS OF FUNCTION ANALYSIS & CALCULUS
- 3 REVIEWS OF OPTIMIZATION AND GEOMETRY
- 4 REVIEWS MATERIALS FOR MATHEMATICAL REVIEW
  - Extended Concept of Linear Algebra
  - Extended Concept of Convex
  - Extended Concept of Convergence

source: General references [NC20, CŽ13, Win22, Pat14]

# NOTATION EXPANSION

- **Decision Variable:** single variable  $\Leftrightarrow$  **matrix**
- **Feasible Region:** all points  $\Leftrightarrow$  **convex set, convex set**
- **Visualization:** scatter plot  $\Leftrightarrow$  **level set, gradient**, param. function
- **Unique Opt:**  $f''(\cdot) \Leftrightarrow$  **convex function**  $\equiv$  positive definite ( $\nabla^2 f(\cdot)$ )
- **Efficiency:** # iterations  $\Leftrightarrow$  **convergent rate**
- **Quality of Solution:** reliable solution  $\Leftrightarrow$  in **descent direction**

## KEY CONCEPTS

All iterative algorithms requires 'right' **direction** & 'right' **step size**

$$\mathbf{x}_{k+1} = \mathbf{x}_k + \gamma_k \mathbf{d}_k$$

# WHAT IS MATRIX?

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{1,1} & a_{1,2} & \cdots & a_{1,n} \\ a_{2,1} & a_{2,2} & \cdots & a_{2,n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m,1} & a_{m,2} & \cdots & a_{m,n} \end{bmatrix}$$

- row & column:
- scalar product:  $\mathbf{u}^T \cdot \mathbf{v} = u_1 v_1 + u_2 v_2 + \cdots + u_n v_n$ .
- norm:  $\|\mathbf{v}\| = \sqrt{\mathbf{v}^T \cdot \mathbf{v}}$
- matrix multiplication:  $\mathbf{AB}$

source: [CŽ13]

# SCALAR PRODUCT/ INNER PRODUCT

$$\text{Let,} \quad \mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

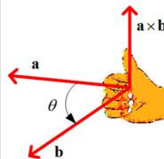
**observe follows**

- $\mathbf{u}^T \cdot \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{u}^T = \|\mathbf{u}^T\| \|\mathbf{v}\| \cos \theta$ , where  $\theta$  is the angle between the vectors
- $\mathbf{u}^T \cdot \mathbf{u} = \|\mathbf{u}\|^2 = \sum_i (u_i)^2$

# CROSS PRODUCT OF MATRIX

- **Meaning:** finding an orthogonal vector to other vectors
- **Use In IE:** constraint optimization

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \end{vmatrix}$$



# MATRIX MULTIPLICATION

$$\text{Let, } \mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 1 \\ 4 & -3 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

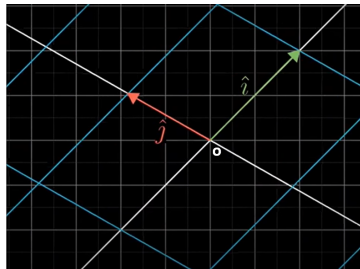
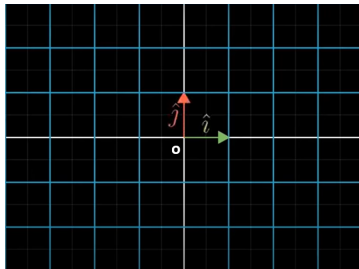
$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 7 \\ 0 & -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{C} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 2 & 2 & 3 \\ -1 & 4 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

Verify these rules

- **Associative law:**  $(\mathbf{AB})\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{BC}) = \mathbf{ABC}$
- **Distributive law:**  $\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{C}) = \mathbf{AB} + \mathbf{AC}$
- **No Commutative law**  $\mathbf{AB} \neq \mathbf{BA}$

# MULTIPLICATION = TRANSFORMATION



Source. 'Matrix multiplication' by [3Blue1Brown](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC8butISFwT-Wl7Ek0UY-q7Q)|youtube.com

- **What** function that take **one** vector and return **another** vector
- **Linear Transformation:** stretch, compress, and rotation at **origin** so the grid is evenly space and parallel

EXAMPLE

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 1/2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2y \\ \frac{1}{2}x \end{bmatrix}$$



# WHAT IS SYSTEM OF LINEAR EQUATIONS?

A system of linear equation:

$$a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + \dots + a_{1n}x_n = b_1$$

$$a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + \dots + a_{2n}x_n = b_2$$

$$\vdots \qquad \qquad \qquad \vdots \qquad \qquad \qquad \vdots$$

$$a_{m1}x_1 + a_{m2}x_2 + \dots + a_{mn}x_n = b_m$$

where  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  are referred to as *variables* and the  $a_{ij}$ 's and  $b_i$ 's are *constants*. There are  $m$  equations in  $n$  variables.

- Above can be represent as  $\mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{b}$  or simply  $\mathbf{A}|\mathbf{b}$
- A solution to SLE  $m$  equations in  $n$  variables is a set of values for the variables that *satisfies all*  $m$  equations.

# MATRIX REPRESENTATION

Find the matrix representation of:

$$2x_1 + 5x_2 = 4$$

$$3x_1 + 7x_2 = 2$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 3 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

# EXAMPLES OF THREE POSSIBLE CASES

CASE 1: NO SOLUTION

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 & 4 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -2 \end{array} \right]$$

CASE 2: UNIQUE SOLUTION

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 2 & 1 & 9 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 & 6 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 & 5 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \end{array} \right]$$

CASE 3: INFINITE NUMBER OF SOLUTIONS

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & 4 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

# DETERMINANT OF MATRIX

## DETERMINANT

- **What:** unique property of **square** matrix, implying scaling of transformation
- **Use:** find **linear dependent** and **eigenvalue**
- **Useful properties:**
  - row operation  $+$  or  $-$  leaves the determinant unchanged (no scaling)
  - $\det \mathbf{AB} = (\det \mathbf{A})(\det \mathbf{B})$
  - $\det \mathbf{A} = \det \mathbf{A}^T$

EXAMPLE Find determinant of

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \det \mathbf{A} &= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -3 & -6 \\ 0 & -6 & -12 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -3 & -6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

# INVERSE OF MATRIX

## INVERSE

- **What:** unique property of **square** matrix, i.e.  $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \mathbf{I}$
- **Compute:** Using row operation to convert  $[\mathbf{A}|\mathbf{I}]$  into  $[\mathbf{I}^{-1}|\mathbf{A}]$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 2 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -5 & 1 & -7 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 2 \end{array} \right]$$

# POSITIVE DEFINITE

- **What:** **general** condition for  $f''(x) \leq 0$
- **Motivation:** If  $(x, y) \neq (0, 0)$ , when does  $f(\cdot) > 0 \forall (x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ , where  $f(x, y) = ax^2 + 2bxy + cy^2$ ?

$$f(x, y) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} x & y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2a & 2b \\ 2b & 2c \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

- **Observation:**
  - Even  $a, b$ , and  $c > 0$ , then  $f(\cdot) \not> 0$
  - At least  $a$  and  $c > 0$
- **Indefinite:**  $ac - b^2 < 0$
- **Positive definite:**  $ac - b^2 > 0$  and  $a > 0$
- **Negative definite:**  $ac - b^2 > 0$  and  $a < 0$  (imply  $c < 0$ )

# DEFINITE THEOREM

## DEFINITION

A real symmetric matrix  $\mathbf{A}$  is **positive definite** if and only if it satisfies one of following conditions:

- $\mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{x} > 0$  for all nonzero vector  $\mathbf{x}$
- All the eigenvalues of  $\mathbf{A}$  satisfy  $\lambda_i > 0$
- All the upper left submatrices  $\mathbf{A}_k$  has positive determinants
- All the pivots (without row exchanges) satisfy  $d_i > 0$

EXAMPLE 1: Is  $\mathbf{A}$  positive definite

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

# EXAMPLES OF POSITIVE DEFINITE

EXAMPLE 2: Show that this matrix is **A** is not positive semi-definite

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

HINT: check determine of  $\mathbf{A}_2$

EXAMPLE 3: For what range of numbers  $b$  and  $c$  are matrices **B** and **C** are positive definite

$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} b & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & b & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & b \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{C} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 4 \\ 2 & c & 8 \\ 4 & 8 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$b \in (-2, 1)$$

$$c = \emptyset$$



# EIGENVALUE AND EIGENVECTOR

- **Eigenvector:** **vector** that preserve **its direction** after linear transformation
- **Definition:** Given matrix  $\mathbf{A}$ , a scalar  $\lambda$  and vector  $\mathbf{v}$  are called **eigenvalue** and **eigenvector** of matrix  $\mathbf{A}$  if and only if  $\mathbf{A} \mathbf{x} = \lambda \mathbf{x}$
- **Properties:**  $\det(\lambda \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}) = 0$  (why?)
- **Theorem:** all eigenvalue of a symmetric matrix are real

FIND ALL EIGENVALUES OF MATRIX  $\mathbf{A}$

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 5 \\ 0 & \frac{3}{4} & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} \lambda - 1 & 4 & 5 \\ 0 & \lambda - \frac{3}{4} & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda - \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

# SUMMARY: GEOMETRY OF MATRIX

- **Vector:** at origin
- **Addition:** result of connecting vectors head to tail
- **Negative:** reverse direction (rotate  $180^\circ$ )
- **Transpose:** reflection of vector (across diagonal)
- **Multiplicative:** linear projection/transformation
- **Inversion:** reversing linear projection/transformation
- **Determinant:** scaling of transformation/ signed 'area' of parallelogram
- **Rank:** minimal necessary dimension to represent collection of vectors
  
- **More Reading:** <https://www.gastonsanchez.com/matrix4sl/>

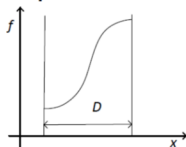
# DIFFERENTIABILITY

- **What:** a function  $f(\cdot)$  that maps  $\mathbb{D} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  to  $\mathbb{R}$

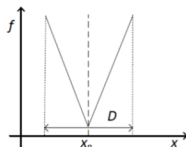
$$f'(\mathbf{x}_0 \in \mathbb{D}) \equiv \lim_{\|\epsilon\| \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(\mathbf{x}_0 + \epsilon) - f(\mathbf{x}_0)}{\|\epsilon\|}$$

- **Meaning:** change of function within  $\mathbf{x}_0$
- **Note:** derivative may not exist!

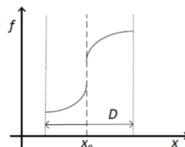
## Examples



continuous  
differentiable



continuous  
not differentiable



discontinuous  
not differentiable

# TAYLOR SERIES

If a function  $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is  $m$  times continuously differentiable (i.e.,  $f \in \mathcal{C}^m$ ) on  $[\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}]$ , then

$$f(\mathbf{b}) = f(\mathbf{a}) + \frac{\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a}}{1!} f^{(1)}(\mathbf{a}) + \frac{(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a})^2}{2!} f^{(2)}(\mathbf{a}) + \dots + \frac{(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a})^{m-1}}{(m-1)!} f^{(m-1)}(\mathbf{a}) + R_m$$

where,

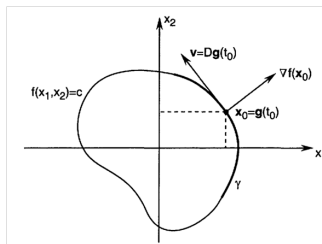
$$f^{(k)}(\cdot) = \nabla^k f(\mathbf{x})$$

$$R_m = \frac{(b-a)^m}{m!} f^{(m)}(a + \lambda(b-a)) \text{ and } \lambda \in [0, 1]$$

NOTE

- Accuracy of series depends on number of terms
- $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} R_m = 0$
- $\nabla f(\mathbf{x})$  is called **Gradient** vector
- $\nabla^2 f(\mathbf{x})$  or  $\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{x})$  is called **Hessian** matrix

# GRADIENT VECTOR



Source. Chong & Zak. 2001 pp 68 [CZ13]

- **What:** first-order partial derivative at a given point
- **Gradient ( $\nabla f(\mathbf{x}_0)$ ):** the direction **maximize increasing rate** of  $f(\cdot)$

$$f(x_1, y_1) = 2x_1 - x_2. \quad \nabla f(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# HESSIAN MATRIX

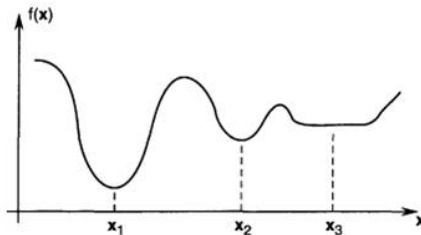
$$\nabla f = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_n} \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \nabla^2 f = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1^2} & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1 \partial x_2} & \cdots & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1 \partial x_n} \\ \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_2 \partial x_1} & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_2^2} & & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_2 \partial x_n} \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_n \partial x_1} & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_n \partial x_2} & \cdots & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_n^2} \end{pmatrix}$$

Source. Chong & Zak. 2001 pp 68 [CZ13]

- **What:** second-order partial derivative; always symmetric matrix
- **Hessian ( $\nabla^2 f(\mathbf{x}_0)$ ):** the local curvature of  $f(\cdot)$

$$f(x_1, y_1) = 2x_1^2 - \sin(x_2). \quad \nabla^2 f(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & -\sin(x_2) \end{bmatrix}$$

# LOCAL AND GLOBAL MINIMIZER



Source. Chong & Zak. 2001 pp 72 [CZ13]

## LOCAL MINIMIZER

Suppose that  $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a function defined on  $\mathcal{F} \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ . A point  $x^* \in \mathcal{F}$  is a *local minimizer* of  $f(\cdot)$  if  $\exists \epsilon > 0$  such that  $f(x) \geq f(x^*)$  for all  $x \in \mathcal{F} \setminus x^*$  and  $\|x - x^*\| < \epsilon$

## GLOBAL MINIMIZER

A point  $x^* \in \mathcal{F}$  is a *global minimizer* of  $f(\cdot)$  if  $f(x) \geq f(x^*)$  for all  $x \in \mathcal{F} \setminus x^*$

# OPTIMAL CONDITION

- **What:** Is this point **local optima**?
- **First Order:**  $\nabla f(\mathbf{x}_*) = 0$
- **Second Order:**  $\nabla^2 f(\mathbf{x}_*)$  is positive definite (for minimization)

EXAMPLE: Check Optimality Conditions:

- $f(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{3}x_1^3 + \frac{1}{2}x_1^2 + 2x_1x_2 + \frac{1}{2}x_2^2 - x_2 + 9$

$$\nabla f(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1^2 + x_1 + 2x_2 \\ 2x_1 + x_2 - 1 \end{bmatrix}$$






$$(x_1 - 2)(x_1 - 1) = 0 \text{ or } \mathbf{x} = \{[2, -3]^T, [1, -1]^T\}$$

$$\nabla^2 f(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} 2x_1 + 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\nabla^2 f(\mathbf{x}_a) = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \nabla^2 f(\mathbf{x}_b) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

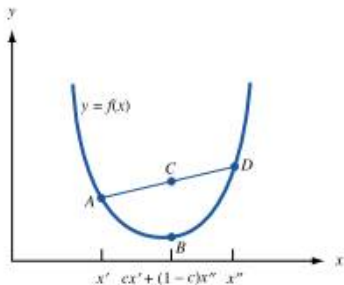


# OPTIMAL VS DEFINITE

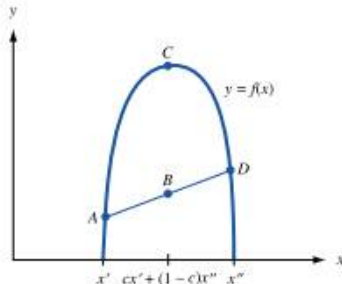
Nature of $x^*$	Definiteness of $H$	$x^T H x$	$\lambda_i$	Illustration
Minimum	positive definite	$> 0$	$> 0$	
Valley	positive semi-definite	$\geq 0$	$\geq 0$	
Saddle point	indefinite	$\neq 0$	$\neq 0$	
Ridge	negative semi-definite	$\leq 0$	$\leq 0$	
Maximum	negative definite	$< 0$	$< 0$	

# CONVEX FUNCTION & CONCAVE FUNCTION

**A Convex Function**



**A Concave Function**



Source. Winston Section 11.3 pp 42 [Win22]

## VERIFY CONVEX &amp; CONCAVE FUNCTIONS

- $f_1(x) = \ln(x)$ , where  $\mathcal{S} \in (0, \infty)$

concave function  $f_1''(x) = -x^{-2}$

- $f_2(x_1, x_2) = x_1^3 + 3x_1x_2 + x_2^2$ , where  $\mathcal{S} \in \mathbb{R}^2$

either convex nor concave

$$f_2''(x_1, x_2) = \begin{bmatrix} 6x_1 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

- $f_3(x_1, x_2) = x_1^2 + x_2^2$ , where  $\mathcal{S} \in \mathbb{R}^2$

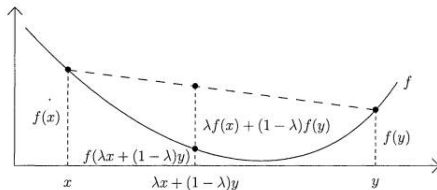
convex function

$$f_3''(x_1, x_2) \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

- $f_4(x_1, x_2, x_3) = -x_1^2 - x_2^2 - 2x_3^2 + \frac{1}{2}x_1x_2$ , where  $\mathcal{S} \in \mathbb{R}^3$

concave function because eigenvalue =  $[-1.5, -2.5, -4]$

# CONVEX FUNCTION



Source. Chong & Zak. 2001 pp 42 [CZ13]

## DEFINITION (CONVEX FUNCTION)

A function  $f(\cdot)$  is *convex* on a convex set  $\mathcal{S}$  if it satisfies

$$f(\lambda \mathbf{u} + (1 - \lambda)\mathbf{v}) \leq \lambda f(\mathbf{u}) + (1 - \lambda)f(\mathbf{v})$$

- **well-known:**  $e^{ax}$  for  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ ;  $x^a$  for  $a \geq 1$ ; sum of convex function

## VERIFY FIRST &amp; SECOND ORDER CONDITIONS

- $f_1(x_1, x_2) = x_1^2 + e^{x_2} - 3x_1 x_2$

$$\nabla f_1(\mathbf{x}) = [2x_1 - 3x_2, e^{x_2} - 3x_1]^T$$

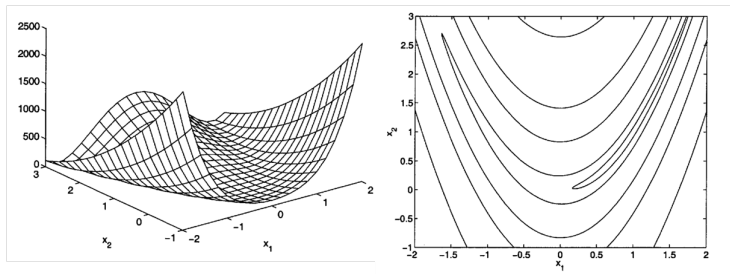
$$\nabla^2 f_1(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ -3 & e^{x_2} \end{bmatrix}$$

- $f_2(x_1, x_2) = (x_1 + x_2) e^{-(x_1 + x_2)}$

$$\nabla f_2(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} -(x_1 + x_2) e^{-(x_1 + x_2)} + e^{-(x_1 + x_2)} \\ -(x_1 + x_2) e^{-(x_1 + x_2)} + e^{-(x_1 + x_2)} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\nabla^2 f_2(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} & \\ & \end{bmatrix}$$

# LEVEL SETS



$$f(x) = 100(x_2 - x_1^2)^2 + (1 - x_1)^2 \text{ or Rosenbrock's function}$$

Source. Chong & Zak. 2001 pp 67 [CZ13]

## DEFINITION (LEVEL SET)

The level set is a function  $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  at level  $c$  is the set of points

$$\mathcal{S} = \{x : f(x) = c\}$$

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# SPECIAL MATRIX

**UNIT VECTOR** A unit vector,  $\mathbf{e}_j$ , is a vector where the 1 appears in the  $j$ th position and 0's elsewhere.

**DIAGONAL MATRIX** A square matrix whose off-diagonal elements are all equal to zero. For example:

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{1,1} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a_{2,2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a_{3,3} \end{bmatrix}$$

**IDENTITY MATRIX** A diagonal matrix in which all diagonal elements are equal to 1. An identity matrix of order  $m$  is designated as either  $\mathbf{I}_m$  or just  $\mathbf{I}$ . For example:

$$\mathbf{I}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**ORTHOGONAL MATRIX** A matrix in which all **unit column** vectors are **perpendicular** to one others



# SPECIAL MATRIX

**NULL OR ZERO MATRIX** A null matrix has all of its elements equal to zero. For

example:  $\mathbf{0} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

**SYMMETRIC MATRIX** A symmetric matrix is one whose transpose and the matrix itself are equal. That is  $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{A}^T$ . For example:

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 6 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & 9 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{A}^T$$

**AUGMENTED MATRIX** An augmented matrix is one in which rows or columns of another matrix, of appropriate order, are appended to the original matrix. For example:

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{A}|\mathbf{b} = \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 5 & 6 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

source: [CŽ13]

# SPECIAL MATRIX

**LOWER/UPPER TRIANGULAR** A special sparse square matrix. For example:

$$\mathbf{L} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & -3 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{U} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & -3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**NULL SPACE (MATRIX)** The set vectors that orthogonal to rows of a given matrix.  $\mathcal{N}(\mathbf{A}) = \{\mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{R}^n : \mathbf{A}\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{0}\}$  For example:

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{A}\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{0}, \quad \mathbf{p} = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_1 \\ v_2 \\ -v_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

source: [CŽ13]

# DIAGONAL FORM OF MATRIX

## DEFINITION

**Diagonal Form of Matrix** If matrix  $\mathbf{A}$  has  $n$  linearly independent eigenvectors, then it can be diagonalize in  $\mathbf{S}\mathbf{\Lambda}\mathbf{S}^{-1}$  where  $\mathbf{S}^{-1}$  is eigenvector matrix and  $\mathbf{\Lambda}$  is eigenvalues matrix.

**EXAMPLE:** Each year  $\frac{1}{10}$  of the people outside BKK move in, and  $\frac{2}{10}$  of the people inside BKK move out. What is the population at year  $k$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} y_{n+1} \\ z_{n+1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.9 & 0.2 \\ 0.1 & 0.8 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_n \\ z_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} y_k \\ z_k \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} 0.9 & 0.2 \\ 0.1 & 0.8 \end{bmatrix}^k \begin{bmatrix} y_0 \\ z_0 \end{bmatrix} = (\mathbf{S}^{-1}\mathbf{\Lambda}\mathbf{S})^k \begin{bmatrix} y_0 \\ z_0 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 0.894 & -0.707 \\ -0.707 & 0.707 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1.0^k & \\ & 0.7^k \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.745 & 0.745 \\ -0.471 & 0.942 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_0 \\ z_0 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

# MATRIX DECOMPOSITION

- **What:** processing original matrix **A** into multiplication of matrix with special properties
- **Popular Decomposition:**
  - **LU DECOMPOSITION** for compute determinant and find inverse

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{L} \mathbf{U} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 6 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1.5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 0 & -1.5 \end{bmatrix}$$

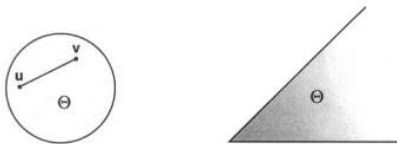
- **QR DECOMPOSITION** for solve SLE and linear regression

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{Q} \mathbf{R} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} & -\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \\ -\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} & +\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -\sqrt{2} & -\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} & \sqrt{2} \\ 0 & \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} & -\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

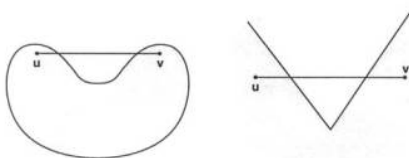
- **SINGLE VALUE DECOMPOSITION** for image transformataion

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{U} \mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{V}^T \quad \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} & \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \\ \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} & -\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} & \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \\ \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} & -\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \end{bmatrix}$$

# CONVEX SETS



(a) convex set



(b) non-convex set

Source. Chong & Zak. 2001 pp 42 [CZ13]

## DEFINITION (CONVEX SET)

Set is *convex set* if, for any elements  $u, v \in \mathcal{S}$   $\lambda u + (1 - \lambda)v \in \mathcal{S}$   $\lambda \in [0, 1]$

# EXAMPLE OF CONVEX SETS

- **Definition:** empty set, line segment, hyperplane,  $\mathbb{R}^n$
- **Properties:**
  - SCALING: If  $\Theta$  is convex set and  $\beta$  is a real number, then  $\beta\Theta$  is convex set
  - INTERSECTION If  $\Theta_1$  and  $\Theta_2$  are convex sets, then  $\Theta_1 \cap \Theta_2$  is also convex
  - ADDITIVE: If  $\Theta_1$  and  $\Theta_2$  are convex sets, then

$$\Theta_1 + \Theta_2 = \{\mathbf{x} : \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{v}_1 + \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_1 \in \Theta_1, \mathbf{v}_2 \in \Theta_2\}$$

is also convex

# RESULTS OF CONVEX FUNCTION

## PROPERTIES

- **Invert:** convex function = - concave function
- **Preserve:**
  - summation of convex functions is convex function
  - maximum value of convex functions is convex function
- **Trivial:** linear function both convex and concave

## DETERMINE CONVEX FUNCTION

- **In 1D:**  $f''(x) > 0$  for all  $x \in \mathcal{S}$
- **In general:**  $\nabla^2 f(\mathbf{x}) > \mathbf{0}$  for all  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{S}$

Hessian matrix must be positive-definite for all  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{S}$

- **Definition:**  $\mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{Q} \mathbf{x} > 0$  for all  $\mathbf{x}$ , where  $\mathbf{Q}$  is symmetric matrix
- **Sylvester'Criteria:** all leading principle minors of  $\mathbf{Q}$  are positive  $\rightarrow$  all eigenvalues are positive

# SUFFICIENT CONDITION

- **What:** Is this point **local optima**?
- **First Order:**  $\nabla f(\mathbf{x}_*) = 0$
- **Second Order:**  $\nabla^2 f(\mathbf{x}_*)$  is positive definite (for minimization)

EXAMPLE: Check Optimality Conditions:

- $f(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{3}x_1^3 + \frac{1}{2}x_1^2 + 2x_1x_2 + \frac{1}{2}x_2^2 - x_2 + 9$

$$\nabla f(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1^2 + x_1 + 2x_2 \\ 2x_1 + x_2 - 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(x_1 - 2)(x_1 - 1) = 0 \text{ or } \mathbf{x} = \{[2, -3]^T, [1, -1]^T\}$$

$$\nabla^2 f(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} 2x_1 + 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\nabla^2 f(\mathbf{x}_a) = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \nabla^2 f(\mathbf{x}_b) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



# VERIFY FIRST & SECOND ORDER CONDITIONS

•  $f_1(x_1, x_2) = x_1^2 + e^{x_2} - 3x_1 x_2$

$$\nabla f_1(\mathbf{x}) = [2x_1 - 3x_2, e^{x_2} - 3x_1]^T$$

$$\nabla^2 f_1(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ -3 & e^{x_2} \end{bmatrix}$$

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expr <- expression(x1^2+exp(x2)-3*x1*x2)
exprD1 <- expression(NA,NA)
exprD1[[1]] <- D(expr,"x1")
exprD1[[2]] <- D(expr,"x2")

exprD2 <- expression(NA,NA,NA,NA)
exprD2[[1]] <- D(D(expr,"x1"),"x1")
exprD2[[2]] <- D(D(expr,"x2"),"x1")
exprD2[[3]] <- D(D(expr,"x1"),"x2")
exprD2[[4]] <- D(D(expr,"x2"),"x2")

expr.all <- function(x1,x2){ }
body(expr.all) <- deriv3(expr,c("x1","x2"))
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# RATE OF CONVERGENCE

- **What:** Does algorithm converge? If so, How fast?
- **Define:**  $e_k \equiv x_k - x_*$
- **Converge:**  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\|e_{k+1}\|}{\|e_k\|^r} = C$

EXAMPLE: Find the converge rate of these sequence:

- **Sq#1** 2, 1.1, 1.01, 1.001, 1.0001,  $\dots$ ,  $1 + 10^{-k}$

$$x_* = 1 \text{ and } e_k = x_k - x_* = 10^{-k}$$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{10^{-k-1}}{10^{-k}} = \frac{1}{10}$$

- **Sq#2** 4, 2.5, 2.05, 2.00060975,  $\dots$ ,  $x_{k+1} = \frac{x_k}{2} + \frac{2}{x_k}$

$$\text{if } x_0 = 4 \text{ then } x_* = 2 \text{ and } e_{k+1} = \frac{x_k}{2} + \frac{2}{x_k} - 2 = \frac{1}{2x_k} e_k^2$$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{2x_k} e_k^2}{\|e_k\|^2} = \frac{1}{4}$$

# GUARANTEEING CONVERGENCE

- **Line Search:** **right** directions & **many** steps

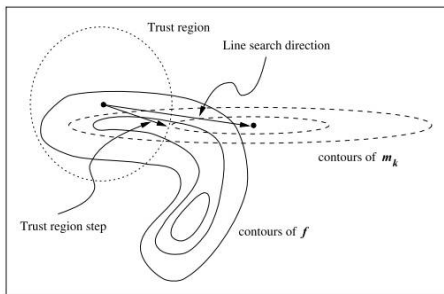
$$\mathbf{x}_{k+1} = \mathbf{x}_k + \gamma_k \mathbf{d}_k \text{ so that } f(\mathbf{x}_k + \gamma_k \mathbf{d}_k) < f(\mathbf{x}_k)$$

**In general:**  $f(\mathbf{x}_0) > \dots > f(\mathbf{x}_k) > \dots > f(\mathbf{x}_*)$

**In other words:**  $\mathbf{d}_k^T \nabla f(\mathbf{x}) < 0, \quad \forall k$

**In addition:**  $\gamma_k > 0, \quad \forall k$  and  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \gamma_k = \infty$

- **Trust Region:** **adjustable** steps depending on **results**



Source. Nocedal & Wright. 1999 pp 66