

Example of finding the QR Factorization of a matrix using the Gram-Schmidt process...

$$A = [b_1 | b_2 | \dots | b_p] \quad Q = [q_1 | q_2 | \dots | q_r] \quad R = \begin{bmatrix} \|z_1\| & q_1 \cdot b_2 & q_1 \cdot b_3 & \dots & q_1 \cdot b_p \\ 0 & \|z_2\| & q_2 \cdot b_3 & \dots & q_2 \cdot b_p \\ \vdots & 0 & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & q_{p-1} \cdot b_p \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & \|z_p\| \end{bmatrix}$$

Algorithm:

$$z_1 = b_1$$

$$z_2 = b_2 - (q_1 \cdot b_2)q_1$$

\vdots

$$z_p = b_p - (q_1 \cdot b_p)q_1 - \dots - (q_{p-1} \cdot b_p)q_{p-1}$$

$$q_1 = \frac{z_1}{\|z_1\|}$$

$$q_2 = \frac{z_2}{\|z_2\|}$$

\vdots

$$q_p = \frac{z_p}{\|z_p\|}$$

Example

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 6 & 6 \\ 3 & -8 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 & 6 \\ 1 & -4 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \quad Q = \begin{bmatrix} -1/\sqrt{12} & 3/\sqrt{12} & -1/\sqrt{12} \\ 3/\sqrt{12} & 1/\sqrt{12} & -1/\sqrt{12} \\ 1/\sqrt{12} & 1/\sqrt{12} & 3/\sqrt{12} \\ 1/\sqrt{12} & -1/\sqrt{12} & -1/\sqrt{12} \end{bmatrix} \quad R = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{12} & -36/\sqrt{12} & 6/\sqrt{12} \\ 0 & \sqrt{12} & 30/\sqrt{12} \\ 0 & 0 & \sqrt{12} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$z_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\|z_1\| = \sqrt{1+9+1+1} = \sqrt{12}$$

$$q_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$z_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -8 \\ -2 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} - \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -8 \\ -2 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} \right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -8 \\ -2 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} - \left(\frac{-36}{\sqrt{12}} \right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-6 - 24 - 2 - 4 = -36$$

$$z_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -8 \\ -2 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} + 3 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \|z_2\| = \sqrt{9+1+1+1} = \sqrt{12} \quad q_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$z_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 3 \\ 6 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 3 \\ 6 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} \right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 3 \\ 6 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} \right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 3 \\ 6 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} (-6 + 9 + 6 - 3) = \frac{6}{\sqrt{12}}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 3 \\ 6 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} (18 + 3 + 6 + 3) = \frac{30}{\sqrt{12}}$$

$$z_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 3 \\ 6 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \left(\frac{6}{\sqrt{12}} \right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - \left(\frac{30}{\sqrt{12}} \right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{2}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 3 \\ 6 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{5}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 12 + 1 - 15 \\ 6 - 3 - 5 \\ 12 - 1 - 5 \\ -6 - 1 + 5 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -2 \\ 6 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\|z_3\| = \sqrt{1 + 1 + 9 + 1} = \sqrt{12}$$

$$q_3 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1/\sqrt{12} \\ -1/\sqrt{12} \\ 3/\sqrt{12} \\ -1/\sqrt{12} \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore the $A=QR$ factorization is:

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 6 & 6 \\ 3 & -8 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 & 6 \\ 1 & -4 & -3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1/\sqrt{12} & 3/\sqrt{12} & -1/\sqrt{12} \\ 3/\sqrt{12} & 1/\sqrt{12} & -1/\sqrt{12} \\ 1/\sqrt{12} & 1/\sqrt{12} & 3/\sqrt{12} \\ 1/\sqrt{12} & -1/\sqrt{12} & -1/\sqrt{12} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{12} & -36/\sqrt{12} & 6/\sqrt{12} \\ 0 & \sqrt{12} & 30/\sqrt{12} \\ 0 & 0 & \sqrt{12} \end{bmatrix}$$

↑
matrix with
orthonormal columns

$$Q^T Q = I$$

↑
upper triangular
matrix

$Q Q^T$ is projection onto $\text{col } A$.

Chapter 7: Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors and Orthogonality.

Symmetric matrix A means $A^T = A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ note A is a real matrix.

recall that $Ax \cdot y = x \cdot A^T y$ (why transpose is useful)

Symmetric means $Ax \cdot y = x \cdot Ay$.

Properties of symmetric matrices:

① Eigenvalues are real. Why?

Checked this using the quadratic formula for 2×2 matrices a couple weeks ago... where in the notes?

Suppose λ is an eigenvalue of A and v is an eigenvector of A corresponding.

Therefore $Av = \lambda v$. Claim is $A = A^T$ implies λ is real or equivalently that $\lambda = \bar{\lambda}$.

Note: if $\lambda \neq \bar{\lambda}$ then v is not a real vector either.

$\|v\| \neq 0$ since v is an eigenvector.

$$\sqrt{|v_1|^2 + |v_2|^2 + \dots + |v_n|^2} = \sqrt{v_1 \bar{v}_1 + v_2 \bar{v}_2 + \dots + v_n \bar{v}_n} = \sqrt{v \cdot \bar{v}}$$

Compute

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda v \cdot \bar{v} &= Av \cdot \bar{v} = v \cdot A \bar{v} = v \cdot \bar{A} \bar{v} = v \cdot \overline{Av} = v \cdot \overline{\lambda v} \\ &= v \cdot \bar{\lambda} \bar{v} = \bar{\lambda} v \cdot \bar{v} \end{aligned}$$

Thus $(\lambda - \bar{\lambda}) v \cdot \bar{v} = 0$ since $v \neq 0$ then $\lambda - \bar{\lambda} = 0$.