

Vector norms: A special function with  
(i) - (iii) properties.

$$\|x\|_p = \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$$

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

$$p > 0, \|x\|_2 = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2}$$

Ex:  $\|x\|_p, p=1, 2, \infty$

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

Can you prove it?

$$\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$\|x\|_1 = 8$$

$$\|x\|_2 = \sqrt{30} = 5.477 \dots$$

$$\|x\|_\infty = 5$$

$$\|x\|_\infty \leq \|x\|_2 \leq \|x\|_1$$

$$f(x) \in L^2(a, b), \quad \|f\|_p = \left( \int_a^b |f|^p dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}, \quad p > 0$$

1, 2, are called average norms

$f(x) = |x|$ , non-differentiable at  $x=0$

$\|x\|_2$  is differentiable, used the most

$\|E\|_\infty$  is the strongest norm is measuring errors.

Finite difference  $\rightarrow \| \|_\infty$   
 Finite element methods

In optimization, minimize  $\| \|_1$   $\rightarrow \underline{LP} \quad p=2$   
 $\rightarrow H^1(\Omega)$

sharp corners etc.  $\| \|_\infty$  Research topic

$$\|x\|_\infty \leq \|x\|_2 \leq \|x\|_1 \quad \text{in } \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$\|x\|_2 = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2} = \sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \dots + x_n^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{x_1^2 + \dots + \underbrace{\|x\|_\infty^2}_{\text{max}} + \dots + x_n^2}$$

$$\|x\|_2 = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2} \leq \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n \|x\|_\infty^2} \geq \|x\|_\infty$$

$$= \sqrt{n} \|x\|_\infty$$

$$\|x\|_\infty \leq \|x\|_2 \leq \sqrt{n} \|x\|_\infty \quad \text{is finite dimension}$$

Thm: In a finite dimensional space, all vector norms are equivalent, that is, there are two positive constants  $c, C$  such that

$$c \|x\|_I \leq \|x\|_II \leq C \|x\|_I$$

Hint of proof:

$$\frac{1}{C} \leq \|x\|_I \leq \|x\|_II \leq \frac{1}{c} \|x\|_I \quad \checkmark$$

$$\|x\|_2 \quad \|x\|_1 \leq ? \|x\|_2$$

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

$$\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} |x_1| \\ |x_2| \\ \vdots \\ |x_n| \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{y} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Euclidian

$$(a, b) \leq \|a\|_2 \|b\|_2$$

$$= (\vec{x}, \vec{y}) = \vec{x}^T \vec{y}$$

$$\leq \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2} \cdot \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n 1}$$

$$= \sqrt{n} \|x\|_2$$

$$\|x\|_1 \leq \sqrt{n} \|x\|_2$$

$$C = \sqrt{n}$$

Key: Cauchy-Schwartz

$$(a+b+c)^2$$

$$= a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab + 2ac + 2bc$$

$$\|x\|_1 \geq \|x\|_2$$

$$\|x\|_1^2 = \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i| \right)^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2 + 2 \sum_{i < j} |x_i| |x_j|$$

$$\Rightarrow \|x\|_2^2$$

$$\geq 0$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \|x\|_1 \leq \|x\|_2 \leq \|x\|_1$$

$$\|x\|_2 \leq \|x\|_1 \leq \sqrt{n} \|x\|_2$$

Matrix Norms  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix}, \quad A = \{a_{ij}\} \\ = [\vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2, \dots, \vec{a}_n]$$

Method 1: Treat as a big vector

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} \\ a_{12} \\ \vdots \\ a_{1n} \\ a_{21} \\ a_{22} \\ \vdots \\ a_{2n} \\ \vdots \\ a_{m1} \\ a_{m2} \\ \vdots \\ a_{mn} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \left[ \begin{array}{c} \text{vector} \\ \text{of length } mn \end{array} \right]$$

$$\|A\|_F = \sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^m (a_{ij})^2} = \sqrt{\sum_{i,j} |a_{ij}|^2}$$

$\|x\|_2$   
If  $m=n$ .

$$\|I\|_F = \sqrt{n} \neq 1. \quad Ax, \quad \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|A\|, \|x\|}$$

A matrix norm is a special function of a matrix  $A$ , or its components  $\{a_{ij}\}$

1.  $f(A) \geq 0$ ,  $f(A) = 0$  iff  $A = 0$ ,

2.  $f(\alpha A) = |\alpha| f(A)$ , for any  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$

3.  $f(A+B) \leq f(A) + f(B)$   $\forall \alpha \in \mathbb{R}$

→ Then we write  $f(A) = \|A\|$

Thm: Given a vector norm in  $\mathbb{R}^m$ , the matrix function  $f(A)$ ,  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ ,  $\underline{Ax} \in \mathbb{R}^m$

$$f(A) = \sup_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|} \quad m=n$$

is a matrix-norm. ✓

Comments/Hints for HW1, due Wednesday

Matrix norms,  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ , associated  
matrix-norm. Given a vector norm  
 $\|x\|$  in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , the matrix norm

$$f(A) = \sup_{\substack{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \\ x \neq 0}} \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|}$$

supremum

$$= \sup \left\| A \frac{x}{\|x\|} \right\|$$

$$= \sup_{\|y\|=1} \|Ay\| = \max_{\|y\|=1} \|Ay\|$$

$$\downarrow ?$$

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

$$\sup_{x \in (0,1)} \frac{1}{x} = \infty$$

$$\sup_{x \in (0,2)} \cos \frac{1}{x} = 1$$

$$\|\alpha x\| = |\alpha| \|x\|$$



(i)  $f(A) \geq 0$  obvious!  $f(A) = 0$  iff  $A = 0$ .

$$f(A) = 0, \quad \sup_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|} = 0, \quad \Rightarrow A = 0$$

If not true, then there is  $a_{ij} \neq 0$ ,  $\underline{Ax}$   $\begin{matrix} x=1 \\ k_{ij} \end{matrix}$

$$\text{Take } x = e_j = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ \delta \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad Ax = \begin{bmatrix} a_{1j} \\ a_{2j} \\ a_{3j} \\ \vdots \\ a_{nj} \end{bmatrix} \neq 0$$

$$\|Ax\| \neq 0, \|x\| \neq 0, \quad \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|} \neq 0 \Rightarrow \sup_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|} \neq 0$$

Contradiction!

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(ii)} \quad f(\alpha A) &= \sup_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|\alpha Ax\|}{\|x\|} = \sup_{\substack{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \\ x \neq 0}} |\alpha| \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|} \\ &= |\alpha| \sup_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|} = |\alpha| f(A) \end{aligned}$$

(iii)  $f(A+B) \leq f(A) + f(B)$

$$\sup_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|(A+B)x\|}{\|x\|} = \sup_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax + Bx\|}{\|x\|}$$

$$\leq \sup_{x \neq 0} \left( \frac{\|Ax\| + \|Bx\|}{\|x\|} \right) \leq \sup_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|} + \sup_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Bx\|}{\|x\|}$$

1, 2      2  
 3 1      ~~3~~  
 4 3      5  
 4

$f(A)$  is a matrix norm!

$$\|I\| = \sup_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ix\|}{\|x\|} = \sup_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|x\|}{\|x\|} = 1$$

(2)  $\|Ax\| \leq \|A\| \|x\|$  ✓

A particular one

Proof

$$\|A\| = \sup_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|} \geq \frac{\|Ax^*\|}{\|x^*\|}$$

$$\|A\| \|x^*\| \geq \|Ax^*\|$$

$$\|x\|_p \rightarrow \|A\|_p$$

$$p=1, 2, \infty$$

Thm:  $\|A\|_\infty$ , Add magnitude of rows, then pick up the largest.

$$\|A\|_\infty = \max \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{1j}|, \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{2j}|, \dots, \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{nj}| \right\}$$

rows  $\rightarrow$  columns

$$= \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}| \right\}$$

$$\|A\|_1 = \max \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^n |a_{i1}|, \sum_{i=1}^n |a_{i2}|, \dots, \sum_{i=1}^n |a_{in}| \right\}$$

$$= \max_{1 \leq j \leq n} \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^n |a_{ij}| \right\}$$

Ex:  $A = \begin{pmatrix} -5 & 0 & 7 \\ 1 & 3 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$   $\begin{matrix} 12 \\ 5 \\ 1 \end{matrix}$   $\|A\|_\infty = 12$   
 $\|A\|_1 = 9$   
 $\begin{matrix} 6 & 3 & 9 \end{matrix}$   $\begin{matrix} \text{is } R \\ \text{is } C. \end{matrix}$

Q. When  $\|A\|_\infty = \|A\|_1$ ,  $A = A^T$ ,  $A = A^H$   
 Prove one of them,  $\|A\|_\infty$

$$\|A\|_\infty = \max_{\|x\|_\infty=1} \|Ax\|_\infty \stackrel{?}{=} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}|$$

$\exists$  is such that  $M = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}| = \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ioj}|$

Step 1  $\max_{\|x\|_\infty=1} \|Ax\|_\infty \leq M$

Step 2 Find the particular  $x^*$  such that

$$\|Ax^*\|_\infty = M \quad \|x^*\|_\infty = 1 \quad |x_j| \leq 1$$

$$\|Ax\|_\infty = \left\| \begin{bmatrix} \sum a_{ij} x_j \\ \sum a_{2j} x_j \\ \vdots \\ \sum a_{nj} x_j \end{bmatrix} \right\|_\infty = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left| \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j \right| \leq \max \sum |a_{ij}| = M$$