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Problem	Points	Score
1	10	10
2	10	10
3	10	9
4	10	10
Total:	40	39



2. (10 points) (a) Find the QR-factorization of the matrix  $M = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -6 & 7 \\ 0 & -3 & 5 \\ 4 & -8 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

(b) Explain why  $R \cdot M^{-1}$  is orthogonal.

a)  $\vec{v}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3^2+4^2}} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$

$= \begin{bmatrix} 3/5 \\ 0 \\ 4/5 \end{bmatrix}$

$\vec{v}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3^2+4^2}} \begin{bmatrix} -6 \\ -3 \\ -8 \end{bmatrix} - \left( \begin{bmatrix} 3/5 \\ 0 \\ 4/5 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -6 \\ -3 \\ -8 \end{bmatrix} \right) \begin{bmatrix} 3/5 \\ 0 \\ 4/5 \end{bmatrix}$

$= \begin{bmatrix} -6 \\ -3 \\ -8 \end{bmatrix} + 10 \begin{bmatrix} 3/5 \\ 0 \\ 4/5 \end{bmatrix}$

$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$\vec{v}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3^2+0^2}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$M = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 3/5 & 0 & 4/5 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 4/5 & 0 & -3/5 \end{bmatrix}}_Q \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 5 & -10 & 5 \\ 0 & 3 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}}_R$

$\vec{v}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - \left( \begin{bmatrix} 3/5 \\ 0 \\ 4/5 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) \begin{bmatrix} 3/5 \\ 0 \\ 4/5 \end{bmatrix}$

$= \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$\vec{v}_3$

$= \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - 5 \begin{bmatrix} 3/5 \\ 0 \\ 4/5 \end{bmatrix} + 5 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$= \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$

$\vec{v}_3 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4^2+0^2+(-3)^2}} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4/5 \\ 0 \\ -3/5 \end{bmatrix}$

b)  $M = QR$  Since the column vectors of  $Q$  form an orthonormal basis for  $\mathbb{R}^3$  as shown by the Gram-Schmidt process in part (a),  $Q$  is an orthogonal matrix. Therefore,  $Q^{-1} = Q^T$  is also an orthogonal matrix. These come from the properties of orthogonal matrices.

$M = QR$

$Q^{-1}M = R$

$Q^T M = R$

$Q^T = RM^{-1}$

Since  $Q^T$  is known to be orthogonal,  $RM^{-1}$  is also orthogonal.

3. (10 points) Consider the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & -2 & -1 \\ -6 & 8 & 6 \\ 8 & -12 & -10 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (a) Find a basis for  $\text{image}(A)^\perp$ .  
 (b) Compute  $\text{rank}(A)$ .  
 (c) Find all  $2 \times 2$  matrices which are both orthogonal and skew-symmetric.

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a)  $\text{image}(A)^\perp = \text{ker}(A^T)$   $A^T = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 & -6 & 8 \\ 2 & -2 & 8 & -12 \\ 1 & -1 & 6 & -10 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\div 2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 & -4 \\ 2 & -2 & 8 & -12 \\ 1 & -1 & 6 & -10 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-2R_1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\div 2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-3R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

basis  $(\text{image}(A)^\perp) = \text{basis}(\text{ker}(A^T))$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-3R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & -10 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-3R_1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & -10 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_2 = s \quad x_1 = 10 + s$$

$$x_4 = t \quad x_3 = -2t$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = s \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + t \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{basis}(\text{image}(A)^\perp) = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

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b)  $\text{rank}(A) = \text{rank}(A^T) \quad \text{rank}(A^T) = 4 - \dim(\text{ker}(A^T))$   
 $= 4 - 2$   
 $= 2$

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c)  $A > \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$   $\sqrt{a^2 + c^2} = 1$   
 $a^2 + c^2 = 1$

$$a = \cos \theta, c = \sin \theta$$

A orthogonal, so  $A^T = A^{-1}$

$$b = \cos\left(\theta \pm \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \sin \theta \quad \text{or} \quad \sin \theta$$

$$d = \sin\left(\theta \pm \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \cos \theta \quad \text{or} \quad -\cos \theta$$

case 1:  $A = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$   $A^T = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$

$$A^T = -A \text{ iff } \cos \theta = 0 \rightarrow \sin \theta = 1$$

case 2:  $A = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & -\cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$   $A^T = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & -\cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$

$$A^T = A \text{ always, so near skew-symmetric}$$

case 2 yields none. back to case 1: if  $\cos \theta = 0, \sin \theta = 1: A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  are only skew-symmetric orthogonal  $2 \times 2$  matrices

4. (10 points) (a) Find the least-squares solution to the system

$$\begin{array}{r} x \\ -x - y \\ x + 2y \\ -x + y \end{array} = \begin{array}{l} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{array}$$

- (b) Compute the error for the least-squares solution in (a).  
 (c) Let  $\vec{u}_1, \vec{u}_2, \dots, \vec{u}_n$  be an orthonormal basis of  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . Find the least-squares solution to the system

$$A\vec{x} = \vec{u}_n, \quad \text{where } A = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & \vec{u}_1 & \vec{u}_2 & \dots & \vec{u}_{n-1} & | \\ | & | & | & | & \dots & | & | \end{bmatrix}.$$

a)  $\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_A \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \vec{b}$

$$\begin{aligned} A^T A &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 6 \end{bmatrix} & (A^T A)^{-1} &= \frac{1}{24-4} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -2 \\ -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 3/10 & -1/10 \\ -1/10 & 2/10 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T \vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 3/10 & -1/10 \\ -1/10 & 2/10 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3/10 & -1/10 \\ -1/10 & 2/10 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1/10 \\ 1/10 \end{bmatrix}$$

b)  $A \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} - \vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1/10 \\ 1/10 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3/10 \\ 0 \\ 1/10 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\|A \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} - \vec{b}\| = \sqrt{\left(\frac{-3}{10}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{0}{10}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{10}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{-10}{10}\right)^2} = \sqrt{\frac{19}{100} + 1} = \sqrt{\frac{19}{100} + \frac{100}{100}} = \sqrt{\frac{119}{100}} = \frac{\sqrt{119}}{10}$$

c)  $\vec{x}^* = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T \vec{b} \quad A^T A = I_n \quad (I_n)^{-1} = I_n$   
 $(A^T A)^{-1} = (I_n)^{-1} = I_n$

$$= I_n A^T \vec{b}_n$$

$$= A^T \vec{b}_n = \begin{bmatrix} (\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{b}_n) & (\vec{u}_2 \cdot \vec{b}_n) & \dots & (\vec{u}_n \cdot \vec{b}_n) \end{bmatrix}^T$$

$$= [0 \ 0 \ \dots \ 0 \ \vec{u}_n \cdot \vec{b}_n]$$

$$= \vec{u}_n (\vec{u}_n \cdot \vec{b}_n) = [0]$$