

3.4 LU Factorization

Ex: Find the LU factorization for $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 8 & 12 \\ 2 & -2 & 24 \\ -12 & -28 & -19 \end{bmatrix}$

$A \rightarrow \text{REF}$ using: (current row) - k (pivot row)

$$\begin{array}{l} R_2 - \frac{1}{2}R_1 \\ R_3 + 3R_1 \end{array} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 8 & 12 \\ 0 & -6 & 18 \\ 0 & -4 & 17 \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} k = \frac{1}{2} \\ k = -3 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 2 - k(4) = 0 \\ k = \frac{1}{2} \end{array}$$

$$R_3 - \frac{2}{3}R_2 \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 8 & 12 \\ 0 & -6 & 18 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} k = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} -4 - k(-6) = 0 \\ k = \frac{2}{3} \end{array}$$

$$L = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & 1 & 0 \\ -3 & \frac{2}{3} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 8 & 12 \\ 0 & -6 & 18 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

(the REF)

Why This Works:

$$R_2 - \frac{1}{2}R_1 \quad E = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$E^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

L undoes the operations that turn A into U

L turns U into A

$$LU = A$$

Ex: Solve $A\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 28 \\ 14 \\ -79 \end{bmatrix}$

using $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & 1 & 0 \\ -3 & \frac{2}{3} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 8 & 12 \\ 0 & -6 & 18 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\cancel{LU}\vec{x} = \vec{b}$$

1) $L\vec{y} = \vec{b}$

$$\begin{array}{ccc|c} y_1 & y_2 & y_3 & \\ \hline 1 & 0 & 0 & 28 \\ \frac{1}{2} & 1 & 0 & 14 \\ -3 & \frac{2}{3} & 1 & -79 \end{array}$$

$$\boxed{y_1 = 28}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}y_1 + y_2 = 14 \rightarrow 14 + y_2 = 14 \rightarrow \boxed{y_2 = 0}$$

$$-3y_1 + \frac{2}{3}y_2 + y_3 = -79 \rightarrow -84 + y_3 = -79 \rightarrow \boxed{y_3 = 5}$$

2) $U\vec{x} = \vec{y}$

$$\begin{array}{ccc|c} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 & \\ \hline 4 & 8 & 12 & 28 \\ 0 & -6 & 18 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 & 5 \end{array}$$

$$5x_3 = 5 \rightarrow \boxed{x_3 = 1}$$

$$-6x_2 + 18x_3 = 0 \rightarrow -6x_2 + 18 = 0 \rightarrow \boxed{x_2 = 3}$$

$$4x_1 + 8x_2 + 12x_3 = 28 \rightarrow 4x_1 + 24 + 12 = 28 \rightarrow \boxed{x_1 = -2}$$

$$\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Test 2.3-3.4
5 Questions

45 mins to solve / 15 mins to upload

Allowed Course website / your personal notes

Ex: a) Is $\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ a linear combination
of $\vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\vec{w} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$?

b) Are the 3 vectors linearly independent?

a) Let $C_1 \vec{v} + C_2 \vec{w} = \vec{u}$

System is
consistent (solvable)

YES

System is
inconsistent

NO

$$\begin{array}{cc|c} C_1 & C_2 & \\ \hline 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} R_2 - R_1 \\ R_3 - 2R_1 \end{array} \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ \hline 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 & 1 \end{array}$$

$$R_3 - 3R_2 \quad \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \text{ REF}$$

System has no solution.

No

b) Let $C_1 \vec{u} + C_2 \vec{v} + C_3 \vec{w} = \vec{0}$

Unique solution
 $C_1 = C_2 = C_3 = 0$

Infinately-Many
 Solutions

**LINEARLY
 INDEPENDENT**

**LIN.
 DEPENDENT**

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C_1 & C_2 & C_3 \\ \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} R_2 - R_1 \\ R_3 - 3R_1 \end{array} \quad \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -5 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_2 \leftrightarrow R_3 \quad \begin{array}{ccc} C_1 & C_2 & C_3 \\ \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \end{array} \text{ REF}$$

1 solution

$$C_1 = C_2 = C_3 = 0$$

YES

Ex. Labour Hrs Required

	Shift 1	2
Site A	20	15
B	12	15

Labour Cost (\$/hr)

Shift 1	2
12	13

Compute total labour cost at each site.

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \begin{array}{cc}
 \mathbf{1} & \mathbf{2} \\
 \mathbf{A} & \begin{bmatrix} 20 & 15 \end{bmatrix} \\
 \mathbf{B} & \begin{bmatrix} 12 & 15 \end{bmatrix}
 \end{array}
 \end{array}
 \begin{array}{c}
 \mathbf{1} \\
 \mathbf{2}
 \end{array}
 \begin{array}{c}
 \begin{bmatrix} 12 \end{bmatrix} \\
 \begin{bmatrix} 13 \end{bmatrix}
 \end{array}
 =
 \begin{array}{c}
 \mathbf{A} \begin{bmatrix} 435 \end{bmatrix} \\
 \mathbf{B} \begin{bmatrix} 339 \end{bmatrix}
 \end{array}$$