
DS284 - Numerical Linear Algebra

Exercise 2

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1. Implement your own routines for Classical and Modified Gram-Schmidt. Use, the code at <https://github.com/dugarab/ds284/tree/master/gram-schmidt>.

In the `gram_schmidt_main.m` file, replace the default function calls with your function call and then check correctness. (In Essence the diagonal values of your **R** matrix should map similar to the diagonal matrix in the plot).

Realize how in the `gram_schmidt.m` function provided only changing one variable changes Classical Gram Schmidt to Modified Gram Schmidt. Analyse.

2. Given below is a magic matrix of size 3(What's so magical about it?) :

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

Find the Q,R factorization of the given matrix by hand.

Now do the following on MATLAB/Octave:

`[Q,R] = qr(magic(3));`

Do these Q and R match your Q and R? Is the QR factorization unique? If not unique, can you impose a condition on R to make the factorization unique?

3. Geometrically, the orthogonal/unitary matrix is a matrix transformation that preserves the 2-norm of a matrix and causes only rotation.

Can you justify why $(I - 2P)$ is a unitary matrix?

Prove the same algebraically too (A matrix 'Q' is unitary if and only if $Q^T Q = I$).

4. Given a matrix A and its projection matrix P (P projects all vectors on to the columns space of A), answer the following:
- If A is full rank, what is P ?
 - Given P is there an easy way to find the null space of A ?
 - What can you say about the eigen values of P ? (hint: divide the whole \mathbb{R}^n space into the column and null space of A)