

Ex 1 Show that $(\mathbf{I} - \beta \mathbf{v} \mathbf{v}^T) \mathbf{x} = \alpha \mathbf{e}_1$ when $\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{x} - \alpha \mathbf{e}_1$ and $\alpha = \pm \|\mathbf{x}\|_2$.

Solution: Equivalent to showing that

$$\mathbf{x} - (\beta \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{v}) \mathbf{v} = \alpha \mathbf{e}_1 \quad \text{i.e.,} \quad \mathbf{x} - \alpha \mathbf{e}_1 = (\beta \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{v}) \mathbf{v}$$

but recall that $\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{x} - \alpha \mathbf{e}_1$ so we need to show that

$$\beta \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{v} = 1 \quad \text{i.e., that} \quad \frac{2}{\|\mathbf{x} - \alpha \mathbf{e}_1\|_2^2} (\mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{v}) = 1$$

➤ Denominator = $\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^2 + \alpha^2 - 2\alpha \mathbf{e}_1^T \mathbf{x} = 2(\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^2 - \alpha \mathbf{e}_1^T \mathbf{x})$

➤ Numerator = $2\mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{v} = 2\mathbf{x}^T (\mathbf{x} - \alpha \mathbf{e}_1) = 2(\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^2 - \alpha \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{e}_1)$

Numerator/ Denominator = 1. \square

Ex 2 Cost of Householder QR?

Solution: Look at the algorithm: each step works in rectangle $X(k : m, k : n)$. Step k :
twice $2(m - k + 1)(n - k + 1)$

$$\begin{aligned}T(n) &= \sum_{k=1}^n 4(m - k + 1)(n - k + 1) \\&= 4 \sum_{k=1}^n [(m - n) + (n - k + 1)](n - k + 1) \\&= 4[(m - n) * \frac{n(n + 1)}{2} + \frac{n(n + 1)(2n + 1)}{6}] \\&\approx (m - n) * 2n^2 + 4n^3/3 \\&= 2mn^2 - \frac{2}{3}n^3\end{aligned}$$

