

Sep. 21 - Lecture

Prove $(Ax, y) = (x, A^H y)$

$$\begin{aligned}(Ax, y) &= y^H (Ax) \\ &= (y^H A) x \quad \text{Note: } y^H A = (A^H y)^H \\ &= (A^H y)^H x \\ &= (x, A^H y)\end{aligned}$$

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for 2-norms - when Q is orthogonal then

$$\|Qx\| = \|x\|$$

Q = mxn matrix that is orthogonal: $Q^H Q = I$

Notes on terminology:

A orthogonal : columns of A are orthonormal, i.e.,

$$Q^H Q = I$$

mxn with $m \geq n$

Unitary = same property when $m=n$.

[unitary when $m = n$]

$$\|Qx\|^2 = (Qx, Qx) = (Q^H Q x, x) = (x, x) = \|x\|^2$$

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Second triangle inequality:

$$| \|x\| - \|y\| | \leq \|x-y\|$$

$$\|x\| = \|y + (x-y)\| \leq \|y\| + \|x-y\| \quad (a)$$

$$\|y\| = \|x + (y-x)\| \leq \|x\| + \|x-y\| \quad (b)$$

$$(a) \implies \|x\| - \|y\| \leq \|x-y\|$$

$$(b) \implies \|y\| - \|x\| \leq \|x-y\| \implies -[\|y\| - \|x\|] \geq -\|x-y\|$$

$$-\|x-y\| \leq \|x\| - \|y\| \leq \|x-y\|$$

$$| \|x\| - \|y\| | \leq \|x-y\|$$

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