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***[Aljabar Linear Pengkomputeran]***

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*[Masa : 3 jam]*

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**Instructions:** Answer **all ten** [10] questions.

**[Arahan:** Jawab **semua sepuluh** [10] soalan.]

In the event of any discrepancies, the English version shall be used.

*[Sekiranya terdapat sebarang percanggahan pada soalan peperiksaan, versi Bahasa Inggeris hendaklah diguna pakai].*

1. Apply the Gaussian elimination algorithm without interchanges on the following linear system:

$$\begin{aligned} 10^{-10}x_1 + x_2 &= 1 \\ x_1 + 2x_2 &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

Is the algorithm stable? Explain.

[10 marks]

1. *Gunakan algoritma penghapusan Gauss tanpa penukaran ke atas sistem linear berikut:*

$$\begin{aligned} 10^{-10}x_1 + x_2 &= 1 \\ x_1 + 2x_2 &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

*Adakah algoritma ini stabil? Terangkan.*

[10 markah]

2. Let

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Find the singular values of  $\mathbf{A}$  and determine the

- (a) rank of the matrix,
- (b) condition number with respect to 2-norm.

[10 marks]

2. *Biar*

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

*Cari nilai singular  $\mathbf{A}$  dan tentukan*

- (a) pangkat matriks tersebut,*
- (b) nombor syaratnya berasaskan norma-2.*

[10 markah]

3. Let

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 5 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 10 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 9.8 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Explain why the eigenvalue problem associated with  $\mathbf{A}$  is better conditioned compared to the eigenvalue problem associated with  $\mathbf{B}$ .

[10 marks]

3. *Biar*

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 5 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{dan} \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 10 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 9.8 \end{bmatrix}.$$

*Terangkan mengapa masalah nilai eigen yang berkaitan dengan  $\mathbf{A}$  adalah lebih bersyarat baik berbanding masalah nilai eigen yang berkaitan dengan  $\mathbf{B}$ .*

[10 markah]

4. Determine the number of floating point operations (flops) for the computation of the matrix

$$\mathbf{A} = \frac{\mathbf{u}\mathbf{v}^T}{\mathbf{u}^T\mathbf{v}}, \text{ where } \mathbf{u} \text{ and } \mathbf{v} \text{ are column vectors of length } m$$

[10 marks]

4. *Tentukan bilangan operasi titik apungan (flops) untuk mengira matriks  $\mathbf{A} = \frac{\mathbf{u}\mathbf{v}^T}{\mathbf{u}^T\mathbf{v}}$ , di mana  $\mathbf{u}$  dan  $\mathbf{v}$  adalah vektor lajur yang panjangnya  $m$*

[10 markah]

5. Write down the Householder matrix that will zero out the last 3 entries of the following vector:

$$\begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 4 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

[20 marks]

5. Tuliskan matriks Householder yang akan mensifarkan 3 pemasukkan terakhir vektor berikut:

$$\begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 4 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

[20 markah]

6. Determine the FULL singular value decomposition of

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

[20 marks]

6. Tentukan penguraian nilai singular PENUH bagi

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

[20 markah]

7. The modified Gram-Schmidt algorithm for computing the reduced QR factorization of an  $m \times n$  matrix  $\mathbf{A}$  is given below:

| Algorithm I   |
|---|
| Input: $\mathbf{A} = (\mathbf{a}^{(1)} \quad \mathbf{a}^{(2)} \quad \dots \quad \mathbf{a}^{(n)}) \in R^{m \times n}$ , $\text{rank}(\mathbf{A}) = n$   |
| Output: Reduced QR factorization $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{QR}$ ;<br>$\mathbf{Q} = (\mathbf{q}_1 \quad \mathbf{q}_2 \quad \dots \quad \mathbf{q}_n) \in R^{m \times n}$<br>$\mathbf{R} = \{r_{ij}\}_{i,j=1}^n \in R^{n \times n}$ |
| Set $\mathbf{q}_k = \mathbf{a}^{(k)}$ , for $k = 1, 2, \dots, n$  |
| For $k = 1, 2, \dots, n$  |
| $r_{kk} = \ \mathbf{q}_k\ _2$   |
| $\mathbf{q}_k = \frac{\mathbf{q}_k}{r_{kk}}$  |
| For $i = k + 1, \dots, n$   |
| $r_{ki} = \mathbf{q}_k^T \mathbf{q}_i$  |
| $\mathbf{q}_i = \mathbf{q}_i - r_{ki} \mathbf{q}_k$   |
| End   |
| End   |

Let  $\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 4 \\ 1 & 4 & -2 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Use Algorithm I to find the reduced QR factorization of  $\mathbf{A}$ .

[20 marks]

7. *Algorithm Gram-Schmidt diubahsuai untuk pemfaktoran QR terkurangkan bagi suatu matriks  $m \times n$   $\mathbf{A}$  diberikan di bawah:*

| <i>Algoritma I</i>  |
|---|
| <p><i>Input:</i> <math>\mathbf{A} = (\mathbf{a}^{(1)} \quad \mathbf{a}^{(2)} \quad \dots \quad \mathbf{a}^{(n)}) \in R^{m \times n}</math>, <math>\text{pangkat}(\mathbf{A}) = n</math></p> <p><i>Output:</i> Pemfaktoran QR kurang <math>\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{QR}</math> ;</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><math>\mathbf{Q} = (\mathbf{q}_1 \quad \mathbf{q}_2 \quad \dots \quad \mathbf{q}_n) \in R^{m \times n}</math></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><math>\mathbf{R} = \{r_{ij}\}_{i,j=1}^n \in R^{n \times n}</math></p> <p>Set <math>\mathbf{q}_k = \mathbf{a}^{(k)}</math>, untuk <math>k = 1, 2, \dots, n</math></p> <p>For <math>k = 1, 2, \dots, n</math></p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;"><math>r_{kk} = \ \mathbf{q}_k\ _2</math></p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;"><math>\mathbf{q}_k = \frac{\mathbf{q}_k}{r_{kk}}</math></p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">For <math>i = k + 1, \dots, n</math></p> <p style="padding-left: 60px;"><math>r_{ki} = \mathbf{q}_k^T \mathbf{q}_i</math></p> <p style="padding-left: 60px;"><math>\mathbf{q}_i = \mathbf{q}_i - r_{ki} \mathbf{q}_k</math></p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">End</p> <p>End</p> |

Biar  $\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 4 \\ 1 & 4 & -2 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Guna Algoritma I untuk mencari pemfaktoran QR terkurangkan bagi  $\mathbf{A}$ .

[20 markah]

8. Consider the problem of minimizing  $\|\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{Ax}\|_2^2$ .

(a) Let the reduced QR factorization of  $\mathbf{A} \in R^{m \times n}$  be given by  $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{Q}_1 \mathbf{R}_1$ , where  $\mathbf{Q}_1 \in R^{m \times n}$  has orthogonal columns and  $\mathbf{R}_1 \in R^{n \times n}$  is upper triangular. Show that

$$\|\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{Ax}\|_2^2 = \|\mathbf{c}_1 - \mathbf{R}_1 \mathbf{x}\|_2^2 + \|\mathbf{c}_2\|_2^2, \tag{1}$$

where  $\mathbf{c}_1 \in R^{n \times 1}$  is the first  $n$  entries of vector  $\mathbf{Q}_1^T \mathbf{b}$  and  $\mathbf{c}_2 \in R^{(m-n) \times 1}$  is the last  $m - n$  entries of vector  $\mathbf{Q}_1^T \mathbf{b}$ .

(b) Assuming that the reduced QR factorization of  $\mathbf{A}$  exists, use the results in (1) to write down an algorithm for computing the least squares solution of  $\mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{b}$ , based on the QR method.

[20 marks]

8. *Pertimbangkan masalah meminimalkan  $\|\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{Ax}\|_2^2$ .*

(a) *Biar pemfaktoran QR terkurangkan bagi  $\mathbf{A} \in R^{m \times n}$  diberikan oleh  $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{Q}_1 \mathbf{R}_1$ , di mana  $\mathbf{Q}_1 \in R^{m \times n}$  mempunyai lajur berortogon dan  $\mathbf{R}_1 \in R^{n \times n}$  ialah bersegitiga atas. Tunjukkan bahawa*

$$\|\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{Ax}\|_2^2 = \|\mathbf{c}_1 - \mathbf{R}_1 \mathbf{x}\|_2^2 + \|\mathbf{c}_2\|_2^2, \tag{1}$$

*di mana  $\mathbf{c}_1 \in R^{n \times 1}$  ialah  $n$  pemasukkan pertama vektor  $\mathbf{Q}_1^T \mathbf{b}$  dan  $\mathbf{c}_2 \in R^{(m-n) \times 1}$  ialah  $m - n$  pemasukkan terakhir vektor  $\mathbf{Q}_1^T \mathbf{b}$ .*

(b) *Dengan andaian pemfaktoran QR terkurangkan bagi  $\mathbf{A}$  wujud, guna keputusan dalam (1) untuk menuliskan satu algoritma untuk mengira penyelesaian kuasa dua terkecil bagi  $\mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{b}$ , berdasarkan kaedah QR.*

[20 markah]

9. Consider the matrix

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 2.9 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- (a) Let  $\mathbf{x}^{(0)}, \mathbf{x}^{(1)}, \mathbf{x}^{(2)}, \dots$  be the sequence of the approximation of the eigenvector of  $\mathbf{A}$  (associated with the largest eigenvalue) obtained using the Power method. Starting with  $\mathbf{x}^{(0)} = [0.5, 0.5]^T$ , find  $\mathbf{x}^{(1)}$ ,  $\mathbf{x}^{(2)}$  and an estimate for the largest eigenvalue after 2 steps.
- (b) Apply a shift of  $\sigma = 2.8$  and perform 2 steps of the Power method on the shifted matrix  $\mathbf{A} - \sigma\mathbf{I}$  starting with  $\mathbf{x}^{(0)} = [0.5, 0.5]^T$ . Compute an estimate for the largest eigenvalue of  $\mathbf{A}$  and compare with the results you obtain in part a). Which method gives you a better estimate? Explain your observation.

[30 marks]

9. *Pertimbangkan matriks*

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 2.9 \end{pmatrix}$$

- (a) *Biar  $\mathbf{x}^{(0)}, \mathbf{x}^{(1)}, \mathbf{x}^{(2)}, \dots$  menjadi jujukan penghampiran eigenvektor  $\mathbf{A}$  (yang berkaitan dengan nilai eigen terbesar) yang diperolehi menggunakan kaedah Power. Bermula dengan  $\mathbf{x}^{(0)} = [0.5, 0.5]^T$ , cari  $\mathbf{x}^{(1)}$ ,  $\mathbf{x}^{(2)}$  dan anggarkan nilai eigen terbesar selepas 2 langkah.*
- (b) *Guna anjakan  $\sigma = 2.8$  dan laksanakan 2 langkah kaedah Power pada matriks teranjakan  $\mathbf{A} - \sigma\mathbf{I}$  bermula dengan  $\mathbf{x}^{(0)} = [0.5, 0.5]^T$ . Kira anggaran bagi nilai eigen terbesar bagi  $\mathbf{A}$  dan bandingkan dengan keputusan yang anda perolehi bagi bahagian a). Kaedah mana memberikan anda anggaran yang lebih baik? Terangkan pemerhatian anda.*

[30 markah]



10. Let

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 3 & 3 & 1 \\ 8 & 7 & 9 & 5 \\ 6 & 7 & 9 & 8 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Use partial pivoting to factor  $\mathbf{A}$  into the form  $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{P}^T \mathbf{L} \mathbf{U}$  where  $\mathbf{P}$  is a permutation matrix,  $\mathbf{L}$  is a unit lower triangular matrix and  $\mathbf{U}$  is an upper triangular matrix. Use this factorization to solve the linear equation:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 3 & 3 & 1 \\ 8 & 7 & 9 & 5 \\ 6 & 7 & 9 & 8 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

[30 marks]

10. *Biar*

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 3 & 3 & 1 \\ 8 & 7 & 9 & 5 \\ 6 & 7 & 9 & 8 \end{pmatrix}.$$

*Guna pangsaan separa untuk memfaktorkan  $\mathbf{A}$  kepada bentuk  $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{P}^T \mathbf{L} \mathbf{U}$  di mana  $\mathbf{P}$  ialah matriks permutasi,  $\mathbf{L}$  ialah matriks segitiga bawah unit dan  $\mathbf{U}$  ialah matriks segitiga atas. Guna pemfaktoran ini untuk menyelesaikan persamaan linear:*

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 3 & 3 & 1 \\ 8 & 7 & 9 & 5 \\ 6 & 7 & 9 & 8 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

[30 markah]