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$$n \begin{array}{|c} \hline x \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$m \begin{array}{|c|} \hline A \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Dense vectors/matrices

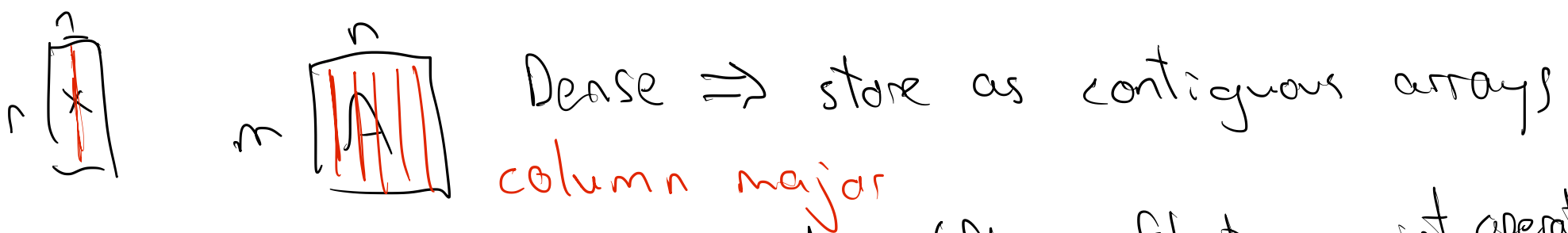
- ① vectors αx $x+y$ $x^T y = \sum x_i y_i$ $O(n)$ BLAS 1
- ② Matrix-vector $y = Ax$ $y_i = \sum_j A_{ij} x_j$ $O(n^2)$ BLAS 2
- ③ Matrix-matrix $C = AB$ $C_{ij} = \sum_k A_{ik} B_{kj}$ $O(n^3)$ BLAS 3

Basic linear algebra subroutines

Lots of HPC implementations of BLAS

Ex: Intel MKL

Today: some basics on performance



column major

Two main costs $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{arithmetic (flops = floating point operations)} \\ \text{fetching data (communication)} \end{array} \right.$



$\text{cost}(\text{comm}) \gg \text{cost}(\text{flops})$

- ① spatial locality: faster to access memory sequentially
- ② temporal locality: re-use what's in cache

Example: mat-vec $y = Ax$ $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$

$$y = 0$$

for $i = 1:m$

for $j = 1:n$

$$y_i += A_{ij} x_j$$

temporal locality



$$y = 0$$

for $j = 1:n$

for $i = 1:m$

$$y_i += A_{ij} x_j$$

BLAS 1

1

flops

$O(n)$

data

$O(n)$

2

$O(n^2)$

$O(n^2)$

3

$O(n^3)$

$O(n^2)$

major opportunity

$$C = AB \quad A, B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$$

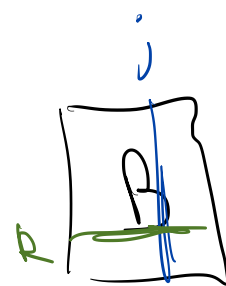
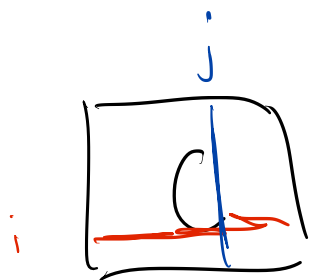
$$C = 0$$

for $i=1:n$

for $j=1:n$

for $k=1:n$

$$C_{ij} += A_{ik} B_{kj} \quad O(n^3)$$



cache size $\ll n$

can't get good temporal locality for A, B

Key to BLAS 3 performance are blocking schemes

$$\begin{bmatrix} - & a_i^T & - \\ & \vdots & \\ - & a_n^T & - \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} b_1 & \dots & b_n \\ \vdots & & \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \vdots \\ \dots \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \dots \end{pmatrix} \times y^T$$

$$(xy^T)_{ij} = x_i y_j$$

$$a_i^T = A(i, :)$$

$$C_{ij} = a_i^T b_j$$

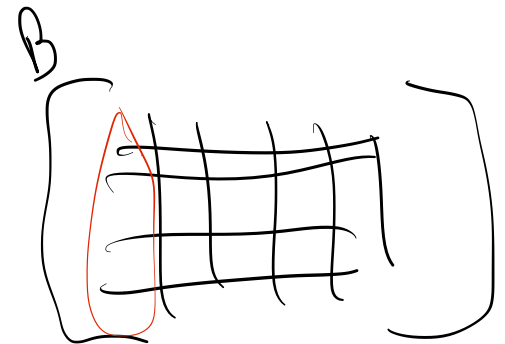
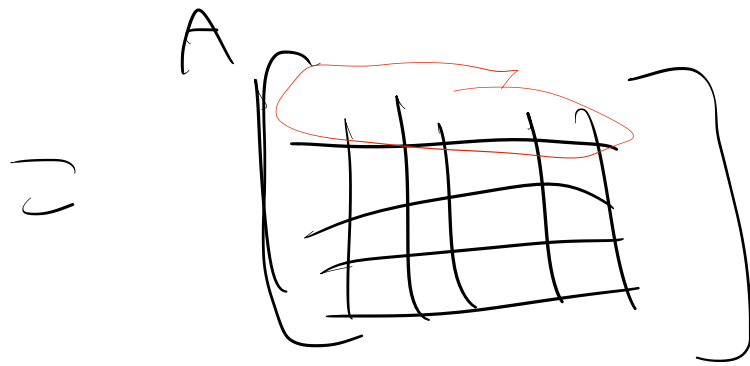
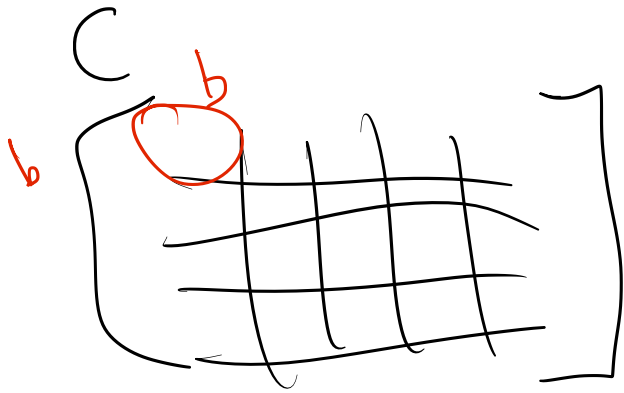
Two-way blocking

$$\begin{bmatrix} C_{11} & C_{12} \\ C_{21} & C_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\stackrel{r/2}{=} \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} B_{11} & B_{12} \\ B_{21} & B_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^2 A_{ik} B_{kj}$$

$$C_{11} = A_{11}B_{11} + A_{12}B_{21}$$



$3b^2 \approx$ cache size

lots of work to make this fast!

Rank $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$

$\text{range}(A) \Leftrightarrow$ "col space of A " $\Leftrightarrow \{Ax \mid x \in \mathbb{R}^n\}$

$$\text{rank}(A) = \dim(\text{range}(A))$$

"full rank" $\Leftrightarrow \text{rank}(A) = n$

$\text{null}(A) \Leftrightarrow$ "null space of A " $\Leftrightarrow \{z \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid Az = 0\}$

rank-nullity theorem: $\text{rank}(A) + \dim(\text{null}(A)) = n$

Example: $A = uv^T$ $\begin{bmatrix} u \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v^T \end{bmatrix}$ $A_{ij} = u_i v_j$

$$\text{range}(A) = \{Ax\} = \{uv^T x\} = \{\alpha u \mid \alpha \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

$\Rightarrow \text{rank}(uv^T) = 1$

$$\dim(\text{null}(A)) = n - 1 \quad A = uv^T$$

Structured matrices

Low-rank

$$A = XY^T$$

$$\begin{matrix} & k & & n \\ \begin{matrix} m \\ \boxed{X} \end{matrix} & \boxed{Y^T} & & \end{matrix}$$

$$A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n} \quad \text{rank}(A) = k < n$$

starting w/ X, Y

mat-vec: Az

mat-vec: $X(Y^T z)$

① form A $O(mkn)$

① $w = Y^T z$

② $y = Az$ $O(mn)$

② $y = Xw$

$O(mkn)$

$O(kn + mk)$

Nonsingular

$$A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$$

$$\text{rank}(A) = n \quad \text{full rank}$$

$$b \Rightarrow \exists x : Ax = b \quad x = A^{-1}b$$

expansion of b in cols of A \rightarrow

$$A(A^{-1}b) = (AA^{-1})b = Ib = b$$

not nonsingular \Rightarrow singular

Orthogonal $Q \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ $Q^T Q = I$ ($Q^{-1} = Q^T$)

$$q_i^T q_j = \begin{cases} 1 & i=j \\ 0 & \text{o/w} \end{cases}$$

Symmetric $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ $A = A^T$ $(A^T)_{ij} = A_{ji}$

$$\boxed{X} \xrightarrow{T} \boxed{X^T}$$

$$(AB)^T = B^T A^T$$

$$(A^{-1})^T = (A^T)^{-1}$$

$$A_{ij} = A_{ji} \quad \frac{1}{2} \text{ storage}^{\#}$$

