

Homework No. 1, Math 6610-1, Due Sept. 6

1. Prove the following lemmas:

(a) For vector norms,

$$\begin{aligned} \|x\|_2 &\leq \|x\|_1 \leq \sqrt{n}\|x\|_2, \\ \|x\|_\infty &\leq \|x\|_2 \leq \sqrt{n}\|x\|_\infty, \\ \|x\|_\infty &\leq \|x\|_1 \leq n\|x\|_\infty. \end{aligned}$$

(b) An operator norm is a matrix norm.

(c) For matrix norms,

- i. $\|A\|_\infty = \max_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|_\infty}{\|x\|_\infty} = \max_i \sum_j |a_{ij}| =$ maximum absolute row sum.
- ii. $\|A\|_1 = \max_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|_1}{\|x\|_1} = \|A^T\|_\infty.$
- iii. $\|A\|_2 = \max_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|_2}{\|x\|_2} = \sqrt{\lambda_{\max}(A^*A)},$ where λ_{\max} denotes the largest eigenvalue.
- iv. If A is n -by- n , then

$$n^{-1/2}\|A\|_2 \leq \|A\|_\infty \leq n^{1/2}\|A\|_2$$

2. Design a method to find the machine epsilon of your system, in both single and double precisions.