

ON THE SPECTRAL NORMS OF TOEPLITZ MATRICES WITH FIBONACCI AND LUCAS NUMBERS

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Abstract

This paper is concerned with the work of the authors' [M.Akbulak and D. Bozkurt, on the norms of Toeplitz matrices involving Fibonacci and Lucas numbers, Hacettepe Journal of Mathematics and Statistics, 37(2), (2008), 89-95] on the spectral norms of the matrices: $A = [F_{i-j}]$ and $B = [L_{i-j}]$, where F and L denote the Fibonacci and Lucas numbers, respectively. Akbulak and Bozkurt have found the inequalities for the spectral norms of $n \times n$ matrices A and B , as for us, we are finding the equalities for the spectral norms of matrices A and B .

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1. Introduction and Preliminaries

The matrix $T = [t_{ij}]_{i,j=0}^{n-1}$ is called Toeplitz matrix such that $t_{ij} = t_{j-i}$. In Section 2, we calculate the spectral norms of Toeplitz matrices

$$(1) \quad A = [F_{j-i}]_{i,j=0}^{n-1}$$

and

$$(2) \quad B = [L_{j-i}]_{i,j=0}^{n-1}$$

where F_k and L_k denote k -th the Fibonacci and Lucas numbers, respectively.

Now we start with some preliminaries. Let A be any $n \times n$ matrix. The spectral norm of the matrix A is defined as $\|A\|_2 = \sqrt{\max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |\lambda_i(A^H A)|}$ where A^H is the conjugate transpose of matrix A . For a square matrix A , the square roots of the eigenvalues

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of $A^H A$ are called singular values of A . Generally, we denote the singular values as $\sigma_n = \{\sqrt{\lambda_i} : \lambda_i \text{ is eigenvalue of matrix } A^H A\}$. Moreover, the spectral norm of matrix A is the maximum singular value of matrix A . The equation $\det(A - \lambda I) = 0$ is known as the characteristic equation of matrix A and the left-hand side known as the characteristic polynomial of matrix A . The solutions of characteristic equation are known as the eigenvalues of matrix.

Fibonacci and Lucas numbers are the numbers in the following sequences, respectively:

$$0, 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21, \dots \text{ and } 2, 1, 3, 4, 7, 11, 18, 29, 47, \dots$$

in addition, these numbers are defined backwards by

$$0, 1, -1, 2, -3, 5, -8, 13, -21, \dots \text{ and } 2, -1, 3, -4, 7, -11, -18, 29, -47, \dots$$

2. Main Results

2.1. Theorem. *Let the matrix A be as in (1). Then the singular values of A are*

$$\sigma_{1,2} = \begin{cases} F_n, & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \\ \sqrt{F_n^2 - 1}, & \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \end{cases} \quad \text{and } \sigma_m = 0, \text{ where } m=3,4,\dots,n.$$

Proof. From matrix multiplication

$$AA^H = \left[\sum_{k=0}^{n-1} F_{k-i} F_{k-j} \right]_{i,j=0}^{n-1}.$$

By using mathematical induction principle on n , we have

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n-1} F_{k-i} F_{k-j} = \begin{cases} F_{n-1} F_{n-(i+j)} + F_{-i} F_{-j}, & \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \\ F_n F_{n-(i+j+1)}, & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \end{cases}.$$

Since the singular values of matrix A are the square roots of the eigenvalues of matrix AA^H , we must find the roots of characteristic equation $|\lambda I - AA^H| = 0$, for this there are two cases.

Case I: If n is odd, since $AA^H = [F_{n-1} F_{n-(i+j)} + F_{-i} F_{-j}]_{i,j=0}^{n-1}$, in this case the characteristic equation:

$$|\lambda I - AA^H| = \begin{vmatrix} \lambda - F_{n-1} F_n & -F_{n-1}^2 & \dots & -F_{n-1} F_1 \\ -F_{n-1}^2 & \lambda - F_{n-1} F_{n-2} - F_{-1} F_{-1} & \dots & -F_{n-1} F_0 - F_{-1} F_{1-n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ -F_{n-1} F_1 & -F_{n-1} F_0 - F_{1-n} F_{-1} & \dots & \lambda - F_{n-1} F_{-n+2} - F_{1-n} F_{1-n} \end{vmatrix} = 0.$$

Let $e[(i, j), r, k]$ be an elementary row operation, where $e[(i, j), r, k]$ is addition of k times of addition of i th and j th rows to r th row. Firstly, we apply $e[(i+1, i+2), i, -1]$, ($i = 1, 2, \dots, n-2$). Secondly, we add proper times of first $n-2$ rows to $(n-1)$ th row and then to n th row, so we have

$$\begin{aligned}
|\lambda I - AA^H| &= \begin{vmatrix} \lambda & -\lambda & -\lambda & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda & -\lambda & -\lambda & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & \lambda & -\lambda & -\lambda \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & \lambda - F_n^2 + 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \lambda - F_n^2 + 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \\
&= \lambda^{n-2} (\lambda - F_n^2 + 1)^2 = 0.
\end{aligned}$$

Hence, the singular values of the matrix A are

$$\sigma_{1,2} = F_n^2 - 1, \quad \sigma_m = 0, \quad \text{where } m = 3, 4, \dots, n.$$

Case II: If n is even, since $AA^H = [F_n F_{n-(i+j+1)}]_{i,j=0}^{n-1}$, the characteristic equation:

$$|\lambda I - AA^H| = \begin{vmatrix} \lambda - F_n F_{n-1} & -F_n F_{n-2} & \cdots & -F_n F_1 & -F_n F_0 \\ -F_n F_{n-2} & \lambda - F_n F_{n-3} & \cdots & -F_n F_0 & -F_n F_{-1} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots \\ -F_n F_1 & -F_n F_0 & \cdots & \lambda - F_n F_{3-n} & -F_n F_{2-n} \\ -F_n F_0 & -F_n F_{-1} & \cdots & -F_n F_{2-n} & \lambda - F_n F_{1-n} \end{vmatrix} = 0.$$

If we apply elementary row operations in *Case I* to the determinant given above, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
|\lambda I - AA^H| &= \begin{vmatrix} \lambda & -\lambda & -\lambda & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda & -\lambda & -\lambda & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & \lambda & -\lambda & -\lambda \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & \lambda - F_n^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \lambda - F_n^2 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \\
&= \lambda^{n-2} (\lambda - F_n^2)^2 = 0.
\end{aligned}$$

In that case, the singular values of the matrix A are

$$\sigma_{1,2} = F_n^2, \quad \sigma_m = 0, \quad \text{where } m = 3, 4, \dots, n.$$

Thus the proof is completed. \square

2.2. Corollary. Let the matrix A be as in (1), then $\|A\|_2 = \begin{cases} F_n, & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \\ \sqrt{F_n^2 - 1}, & \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$.

Proof. The proof is trivial from Theorem 2.1. \square

2.3. Theorem. Let the matrix B be as in (2). Then the singular values of B are

$$\sigma_{1,2} = \begin{cases} L_n \pm 1, & \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \\ \sqrt{F_n^2 - 1}, & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \end{cases} \quad \text{and } \sigma_m = 0, \quad \text{where } m = 3, 4, \dots, n.$$

Proof. From matrix multiplication

$$BB^H = \left[\sum_{k=0}^{n-1} L_{k-i} L_{k-j} \right]_{i,j=0}^{n-1}.$$

By using mathematical induction principle on n , we have

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n-1} L_{k-i} L_{k-j} = \begin{cases} F_{n-(i+j+1)} L_{n-1} + F_{n-(i+j+2)} L_{n+2} - 5F_{-i} F_{-j}, & \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \\ 5F_n F_{n-(i+j+1)}, & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

Firstly, we must find the roots of characteristic equation $|\lambda I - BB^H| = 0$, for this there are two cases.

Case I: If n is odd, since $BB^H = [F_{n-(i+j+1)} L_{n-1} + F_{n-(i+j+2)} L_{n+2} - 5F_{-i} F_{-j}]_{i,j=0}^{n-1}$, in this case the characteristic equation:

$$|\lambda I - BB^H| = \begin{vmatrix} \lambda - F_{n-1} L_{n-1} - F_{n-2} L_{n+2} & \cdots & -F_0 L_{n-1} - F_{-1} L_{n+2} \\ -F_{n-2} L_{n-1} - F_{n-3} L_{n+2} & \cdots & -F_{-1} L_{n-1} - F_{-2} L_{n+2} + 5F_{-1} F_{1-n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ -F_0 L_{n-1} - F_{-1} L_{n+2} & \cdots & \lambda - F_{1-n} L_{n-1} - F_{-n} L_{n+2} + 5F_{1-n} F_{1-n} \end{vmatrix} = 0.$$

If we apply elementary row operations in *Case I* of Theorem 2.1 to the determinant given above, we have

$$\begin{aligned} |\lambda I - BB^H| &= \begin{vmatrix} \lambda & -\lambda & -\lambda & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda & -\lambda & -\lambda & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & \lambda & -\lambda & -\lambda \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & \lambda - a_1 & 2F_{n-3} L_n \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & -2F_{n-1} L_n & \lambda - a_2 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \\ &= \lambda^{n-2} [\lambda^2 - ((L_n - 1)^2 + (L_n + 1)^2) \lambda + (L_n^2 - 1)^2] = 0 \end{aligned}$$

where $a_1 = (L_n - 1)^2 - (2F_{n-2} - 2)L_n$ and $a_2 = (L_n + 1)^2 + (2F_{n-2} - 2)L_n$. Hence, the singular values of the matrix B are

$$\sigma_{1,2} = L_n \pm 1, \quad \sigma_m = 0, \quad \text{where } m = 3, 4, \dots, n.$$

Case II: If n is even, since $BB^H = [5F_n F_{n-(i+j+1)}]_{i,j=0}^{n-1}$, in this case the characteristic equation:

$$|\lambda I - BB^H| = \begin{vmatrix} \lambda - 5F_n F_{n-1} & -5F_n F_{n-2} & \cdots & -5F_n F_0 \\ -5F_n F_{n-2} & \lambda - 5F_n F_{n-3} & \cdots & -5F_n F_{-1} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ -5F_n F_0 & -5F_n F_{-1} & \cdots & \lambda - 5F_n F_{1-n} \end{vmatrix} = 0.$$

If we apply elementary row operations in *Case I* of Theorem 2.1 to the determinant given above, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 |\lambda I - BB^H| &= \begin{vmatrix} \lambda & -\lambda & -\lambda & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda & -\lambda & -\lambda & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & \lambda & -\lambda & -\lambda \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & \lambda - L_n^2 + 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \lambda - L_n^2 + 4 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \\
 &= \lambda^{n-2} (\lambda - L_n^2 + 4)^2 = 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the singular values of the matrix B are

$$\sigma_{1,2} = \sqrt{L_n^2 - 4}, \sigma_m = 0, \text{ where } m = 3, 4, \dots, n.$$

Thus the proof is completed. □

2.4. Corollary. *Let the matrix B be as in (2), then $\|B\|_2 = \begin{cases} L_n + 1, & \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \\ \sqrt{L_n^2 - 4}, & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \end{cases}$.*

Proof. The proof is trivial from Theorem 2.3. □

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