# Analysis II for Statisticians - SS16 

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## I. Symmetric matrices

Definition 1. If $(X,+, 0, \cdot, 1)$ is a vector space, a scalar product (or an inner product) on $X$ is a map $<,>: X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ satisfying, for every $x, y, z \in X$ and $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$, the following properties:
(i) $\langle x, x\rangle \geq 0$.
(ii) $\langle x, x\rangle=0 \rightarrow x=0$.
(iii) $\langle x, y\rangle=<y, x\rangle$
(iv) $\langle x, y+z\rangle=\langle x, y\rangle+\langle x, z\rangle$.
(v) $\langle\lambda x, y\rangle=<x, \lambda y\rangle=\lambda\langle x, y\rangle$.

It is immediate to check that the map $<,>: \mathbb{R}^{n} \times \mathbb{R}^{n} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, defined by

$$
\begin{aligned}
<x, y> & :=x^{\mathrm{T}} y \\
& =\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_{i} y_{i},
\end{aligned}
$$

is a scalar product on the vector space $\mathbb{R}^{n}$. Note that in the expression $x^{\mathrm{T}} y$ we consider the elements $x, y$ of $\mathbb{R}^{n}$ as column vectors i.e., $n \times 1$-matrices, therefore $x^{\mathrm{T}}$, the transpose matrix of $x$, is an $1 \times n$-matrix. Hence the multiplication $x^{\mathrm{T}} y$ between an $1 \times n$-matrix and an $n \times 1$-matrix is well defined and results to an $1 \times 1$-matrix, the real number $\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_{i} y_{i}$.

Definition 2. If $A=\left(a_{i j}\right)$ is an $n \times m$-matrix and $B=\left(b_{j k}\right)$ is an $m \times k-$ matrix, their product $A B=\left(c_{i k}\right)$ is an $n \times k$-matrix, where

$$
c_{i k}:=\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{i j} b_{j k} .
$$

We also use the notation

$$
M^{n}(\mathbb{R}):=\{A \mid A \text { is an } n \times n \text {-matrix over } \mathbb{R}\} .
$$

Definition 3. If $A=\left(a_{i j}\right)$ is an $n \times m$-matrix, its transpose $A^{\mathrm{T}}=\left(b_{j i}\right)$ is an $m \times n$-matrix, where $b_{j i}=a_{i j}$. Moreover, if $A=\left(a_{i j}\right) \in M^{n}(\mathbb{R})$, its trace $\operatorname{Tr}(A)$ is defined by

$$
\operatorname{Tr}(A):=\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{i i} .
$$

One basic property of the transpose of a matrix that we'll use is that

$$
(A B)^{\mathrm{T}}=B^{\mathrm{T}} A^{\mathrm{T}} .
$$

Exercise 4. Let $S^{n}(\mathbb{R})$ be defined by

$$
S^{n}(\mathbb{R}):=\left\{A \in M^{n}(\mathbb{R}) \mid A \text { is symmetric }\right\} .
$$

(i) Show that $S^{n}(\mathbb{R})$ is a vector space.
(ii) Show that the map defined by

$$
<A, B>:=\operatorname{Tr}(A B),
$$

for every $A, B \in S^{n}(\mathbb{R})$, is a scalar product on $S^{n}(\mathbb{R})$.

## Blatt 1, Aufgabe 4

If $A \in M^{2}(\mathbb{R})$ such that

$$
A=\left(\begin{array}{ll}
a & b \\
c & d
\end{array}\right),
$$

it is easy to see that

$$
|a d-b c|^{2} \leq\left(a^{2}+c^{2}\right)\left(b^{2}+d^{2}\right) \leftrightarrow(a b+c d)^{2} \geq 0 .
$$

The general case for some $n>2$ is treated as follows. Let

$$
A=\left(\sigma_{1} \ldots \sigma_{n}\right)
$$

By the Gram-Schmidt process there exist $b_{1}, \ldots, b_{n} \in \mathbb{R}^{n}$ such that
(i) $\left\|b_{i}\right\|=1$, for every $i$.
(ii) $\left\langle b_{i}, b_{j}\right\rangle=0$, for every $i \neq j$.
(iii) $\forall_{x \in \mathbb{R}^{n}} \exists_{\lambda_{1}, \ldots, \lambda_{n} \in \mathbb{R}}\left(x=\sum_{i=1}^{n} \lambda_{i} b_{i}\right)$.
(iv) $\operatorname{span}\left\{\sigma_{1}, \ldots, \sigma_{k}\right\}=\operatorname{span}\left\{b_{1}, \ldots, b_{k}\right\}$, for every $1 \leq k \leq n$.

Consequently, the $n \times n$-matrix

$$
B=\left(b_{1} \ldots b_{n}\right)
$$

is orthogonal and $B^{\mathrm{T}} B=B B^{\mathrm{T}}=\mathbb{I}_{n}$, where $\mathbb{I}_{n}$ is the unit element of $M^{n}(\mathbb{R})$. Moreover, if $x \in \mathbb{R}^{n}$, we have that

$$
\begin{equation*}
x=\sum_{k=1}^{n}<x, b_{k}>b_{k}, \tag{1}
\end{equation*}
$$

since

$$
\begin{aligned}
<x, b_{k} & =<\sum_{i=1}^{n} \lambda_{i} b_{i}, b_{k}> \\
& =\sum_{i=1}^{n}<\lambda_{i} b_{i}, b_{k}> \\
& =\sum_{i=1}^{n} \lambda_{i}<b_{i}, b_{k}> \\
& =\lambda_{k}<b_{k}, b_{k}> \\
& =\lambda_{k} .
\end{aligned}
$$

Using (1) we also get that

$$
\begin{equation*}
\|x\|^{2}=\sum_{k=1}^{n}\left|<x, b_{k}>\right|^{2} \tag{2}
\end{equation*}
$$

since

$$
\begin{aligned}
\|x\|^{2} & =<x, x> \\
& =<\sum_{k=1}^{n}<x, b_{k}>b_{k}, \sum_{k=1}^{n}<x, b_{k}>b_{k}> \\
& =\sum_{k=1}^{n} \ll x, b_{k}>b_{k},<x, b_{k}>b_{k}> \\
& =\sum_{k=1}^{n}<x, b_{k}>^{2}<b_{k}, b_{k}> \\
& =\sum_{k=1}^{n}<x, b_{k}>^{2} \\
& =\sum_{k=1}^{n}\left|<x, b_{k}>\right|^{2}
\end{aligned}
$$

By (iv) each $\sigma_{k}$ has a shorter expansion than the one found in (1), since

$$
\begin{equation*}
\sigma_{k} \in \operatorname{span}\left\{b_{1}, \ldots, b_{k}\right\} \leftrightarrow \sigma_{k}=\sum_{j=1}^{k} \mu_{j} b_{j} \leftrightarrow \sigma_{k}=\sum_{j=1}^{k}<\sigma_{k}, b_{j}>b_{j} \tag{3}
\end{equation*}
$$

Next we define the matrix $C=\left(c_{k l}\right)$ by

$$
c_{k l}= \begin{cases}<\sigma_{l}, b_{k}> & , \text { if } 1 \leq k \leq l \\ 0 & , \text { if } l<k \leq n\end{cases}
$$

Clearly we have that

$$
C=\left(\begin{array}{cccc}
<\sigma_{1}, b_{1}> & <\sigma_{2}, b_{1}> & \ldots & <\sigma_{n}, b_{1}> \\
0 & <\sigma_{2}, b_{2}> & \ldots & <\sigma_{n}, b_{2}> \\
0 & 0 & \ldots & <\sigma_{n}, b_{3}> \\
. & \cdot & \ldots & \ldots \\
. & . & \ldots & \ldots \\
0 & 0 & \ldots & <\sigma_{n}, b_{n}>
\end{array}\right)
$$

i.e., $C$ is an upper triangular matrix, and because of (3) we get that

$$
A=B C
$$

Since $B$ is orthogonal, and since the determinant of a triangular matrix is the product of its diagonal elements, we have that

$$
\begin{aligned}
\operatorname{det}(A)^{2} & =\operatorname{det}\left(A^{\mathrm{T}} A\right) \\
& =\operatorname{det}\left((B C)^{\mathrm{T}} B C\right) \\
& =\operatorname{det}\left(\left(C^{\mathrm{T}} B^{\mathrm{T}}\right) B C\right) \\
& =\operatorname{det}\left(C^{\mathrm{T}}\left(B^{\mathrm{T}} B\right) C\right) \\
& =\operatorname{det}\left(C^{\mathrm{T}} \mathbb{I}_{n} C\right) \\
& =\operatorname{det}\left(C^{\mathrm{T}} C\right) \\
& =\operatorname{det}(C)^{2} \\
& =\prod_{k=1}^{n}\left|<\sigma_{k}, b_{k}>\right|^{2} \\
& \leq \prod_{k=1}^{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n}\left|<\sigma_{i}, b_{k}>\right|^{2} \\
& =\prod_{k=1}^{n}\left\|\sigma_{k}\right\|^{2} .
\end{aligned}
$$

Note that by the previous inequality we get the following necessary and sufficient condition for getting the equality in the main inequality of the
exercise. Namely,

$$
\begin{aligned}
\operatorname{det}(A)^{2}=\prod_{k=1}^{n}\left\|\sigma_{k}\right\|^{2} & \leftrightarrow \forall_{k \in\{1, \ldots, n\}}\left(\left|<\sigma_{k}, b_{k}>\left.\right|^{2}=\sum_{i=1}^{n}\right|<\sigma_{i}, b_{k}>\left.\right|^{2}\right) \\
& \leftrightarrow \forall_{k \in\{1, \ldots, n\}}\left(\sigma_{k}=<\sigma_{k}, b_{k}>b_{k}\right) \\
& \leftrightarrow \forall_{i \neq j}\left(\sigma_{i} \perp \sigma_{j}\right)
\end{aligned}
$$

since the vectors $b_{1}, \ldots, b_{n}$ are pairwise perpendicular to each other.

Question 5. Can we assert that

$$
|\operatorname{det}(A)| \leq \prod_{1}^{n}\left\|\tau_{i}\right\|
$$

where $\tau_{i}$ are the row-vectors of $A$ ?

## Blatt 2, Aufgabe 4

Next follows the material necessary to a complete presentation of the solution.

Definition 6. If $I \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ and $f: I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n}$, then there are functions $f_{1}, \ldots, f_{n}$ : $I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that we can write $f$ as

$$
\begin{aligned}
f & =\left(f_{1}, \ldots, f_{n}\right) \\
f(t) & =\left(f_{1}(t), \ldots, f_{n}(t)\right)
\end{aligned}
$$

for every $t \in I$. We say that $f$ is differentiable at $t \in I$, if $f_{1}, \ldots, f_{n}$ are differentiable at $t$ and

$$
f^{\prime}(t):=\left(f_{1}^{\prime}(t), \ldots, f_{n}^{\prime}(t)\right)
$$

We say that $f$ is differentiable on $I$, if it is differentiable at every $t \in I$.
It is straightforward to show the following proposition.

Proposition 7. Let $g, h: I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be differentiable on $I, P \in \mathbb{R}^{n}$ and $\delta, \varepsilon: I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n}$ differentiable on $I$. The following hold:
(i) The function $\gamma: I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n}$, defined by

$$
\gamma(t):=g(t) P, \quad t \in I
$$

is differentiable on I and

$$
\gamma^{\prime}(t):=g^{\prime}(t) P, \quad t \in I
$$

(ii) $\delta+\varepsilon$ is differentiable on $I$ and

$$
(\delta+\varepsilon)^{\prime}(t):=\delta^{\prime}(t)+\varepsilon^{\prime}(t), \quad t \in I
$$

(iii) The function $f: I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n}$, defined by

$$
f(t):=<g(t), h(t)>, \quad t \in I
$$

is differentiable on I and

$$
f^{\prime}(t):=<g^{\prime}(t), h(t)>+<g(t), h^{\prime}(t)>, \quad t \in I
$$

(iv) If $A \in M^{n}(\mathbb{R})$, the function $f: I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n}$, defined by

$$
f(t):=A \delta(t), \quad t \in I
$$

is differentiable on I and

$$
f^{\prime}(t):=A \delta^{\prime}(t), \quad t \in I
$$

Definition 8. We denote by

$$
S^{n-1}:=\left\{x \in \mathbb{R}^{n} \mid\|x\|=1\right\}
$$

the unit sphere of $\mathbb{R}^{n}$.
For example,

$$
S^{1}:=\left\{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^{2} \mid x^{2}+y^{2}=1\right\}
$$

is the standard unit circle. In Exercise 1 of Blatt 2 we showed that $S^{1}$ is a compact subset of $\mathbb{R}^{2}$, and similarly one shows that $S^{n-1}$ is a compact subset of $\mathbb{R}^{n}$.

Definition 9. Let $f: \mathbb{R}^{n} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $P \in \mathbb{R}^{n}$. We say that $P$ is a maximum for $f$ on $S^{n-1}$, if $P \in S^{n-1}$ i.e., $\|P\|=1$, and if

$$
\forall_{x \in S^{n-1}}(f(x) \leq f(P))
$$

Note that $P$ is not necessarily unique, while unique is the maximum value $f(P)$. If $f$ is continuous, then $f$ has always a maximum on $S^{n-1}$, since $S^{n-1}$ is compact. The next proposition explains why the function considered in Exercise 4 of Blatt 2 is continuous, therefore it is meaningful to talk about its maximum value on $S^{n-1}$.

If $(X, d)$ is a metric space, $\left(x_{n}\right)_{n=1}^{\infty} \subset X$ and $x \in X$, we use the notation

$$
x_{n} \xrightarrow{n} x:=\lim _{n \rightarrow \infty} x_{n}=x .
$$

Proposition 10. (i) If $<.>: X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a scalar product on the vector space $X$, then $<.>$ is a continuous functions i.e.,

$$
\left(x_{n}, y_{n}\right) \xrightarrow{n}(x, y) \Rightarrow<x_{n}, y_{n}>\xrightarrow{n}<x, y>,
$$

for every $\left(x_{n}\right)_{n=1}^{\infty},\left(y_{n}\right)_{n=1}^{\infty} \subset X$ and $x, y \in X$. Note that

$$
\left(x_{n}, y_{n}\right) \xrightarrow{n}(x, y) \Leftrightarrow\left\|x_{n}-x\right\| \xrightarrow{n} 0 \wedge\left\|y_{n}-y\right\| \xrightarrow{n} 0 .
$$

(ii) If $A \in M^{n}(\mathbb{R})$, then the function $g: \mathbb{R}^{n} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n}$ defined by

$$
g(x):=A x,
$$

for every $x \in \mathbb{R}^{n}$, is continuous.
(iii) If $A \in M^{n}(\mathbb{R})$, then the function $f: \mathbb{R}^{n} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by

$$
f(x):=<x, A x>,
$$

for every $x \in \mathbb{R}^{n}$, is continuous.
Proof. (i) With the use of the Cauchy-Schwarz inequality.
(ii) First you need to unfold the multiplication $A x$.
(iii) Use (i) and (ii).

Theorem 11. Let $A \in S^{n}(\mathbb{R})$ and $f: \mathbb{R}^{n} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by

$$
f(x):=<x, A x>
$$

for every $x \in \mathbb{R}^{n}$. If $P$ is a maximum for $f$ on $S^{n-1}$, then $P$ is an eigenvector of $A$.

Proof. We consider the set

$$
Y=\left\{y \in \mathbb{R}^{n} \mid<y, P>=0\right\}=\{\lambda P \mid \lambda \in \mathbb{R}\}^{\perp}
$$

which is a subspace of $\mathbb{R}^{n}$ of dimension $n-1$, since

$$
\operatorname{dim}(Y)+\operatorname{dim}\left(Y^{\perp}\right)=n
$$

Let $y \in Y$ such that $\|y\|=1$, and $\gamma_{y}:[-1,1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n}$ is defined by

$$
\gamma_{y}(t):=(\cos t) P+(\sin t) y, \quad t \in[-1,1] .
$$

We show the following:
(i) $\gamma_{y}(t) \in S^{n-1}$.
(ii) $\gamma_{y}(0)=P$.
(iii) $\gamma_{y}{ }^{\prime}(0)=y$.
(iv) $\gamma_{y}$ is a curve on $S^{n-1}$ passing through $P$ and the direction of $\gamma_{y}$ at 0 is the direction of $y$.
(i) We have that

$$
\begin{aligned}
\left\|\gamma_{y}(t)\right\|^{2} & =<\gamma_{y}(t), \gamma_{y}(t)> \\
& =<(\cos t) P+(\sin t) y,(\cos t) P+(\sin t) y> \\
& =\left(\cos ^{2} t\right)\|P\|^{2}+\left(\sin ^{2} t\right)\|y\|^{2} \\
& =1
\end{aligned}
$$

(ii) $\gamma_{y}(0)=(\cos 0) P+(\sin 0) y=1 P=P$.
(iii) Using Proposition 7 we get $\gamma_{y}{ }^{\prime}(t)=(-\sin t) P+(\cos t) y$, therefore $\gamma_{y}{ }^{\prime}(0)=y$.
(iv) This is (i)-(iii) in words.

Next we define the function $g:[-1,1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by

$$
g(t):=f\left(\gamma_{y}(t)\right)=<\gamma_{y}(t), A \gamma_{y}(t)>, \quad t \in[-1,1] .
$$

By Proposition 7(iii) and (iv), and by the fundamental property of symmetric matrices

$$
<x, A y>=<A x, y>
$$

we have that

$$
\begin{aligned}
g^{\prime}(t) & =<\gamma_{y}^{\prime}(t), A \gamma_{y}(t)>+<\gamma_{y}(t),\left(A \gamma_{y}(t)\right)^{\prime}> \\
& =<\gamma_{y}^{\prime}(t), A \gamma_{y}(t)>+<\gamma_{y}(t), A \gamma_{y}^{\prime}(t)> \\
& =<\gamma_{y}^{\prime}(t), A \gamma_{y}(t)>+<A \gamma_{y}(t), \gamma_{y}^{\prime}(t)> \\
& =<\gamma_{y}^{\prime}(t), A \gamma_{y}(t)>+<\gamma_{y}^{\prime}(t), A \gamma_{y}(t)> \\
& =2<\gamma_{y}^{\prime}(t), A \gamma_{y}(t)>.
\end{aligned}
$$

Since $f(P)$ is a maximum and $g(0)=f\left(\gamma_{y}(0)\right)=f(P)$, we get

$$
\begin{aligned}
g^{\prime}(0)=g^{\prime}(f(P))=0 & \leftrightarrow 2<\gamma_{y}^{\prime}(0), A \gamma_{y}(0)>=0 \\
& \leftrightarrow 2<y, A P>=0 \\
& \leftrightarrow A P \perp y, \quad y \in Y \\
& \leftrightarrow A P \in Y^{\perp} \\
& \leftrightarrow A P=\lambda P
\end{aligned}
$$

for some $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$.
The next corollary is exactly Exercise 4 of Blatt 2.
Corollary 12. Let $A \in S^{n}(\mathbb{R})$ and $f: \mathbb{R}^{n} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by

$$
f(x):=<x, A x>
$$

for every $x \in \mathbb{R}^{n}$. The maximum value of $f$ on $S^{n-1}$ is the maximal eigenvalue of $A$.

Proof. Let $\lambda$ be a non-zero eigenvalue of $A$ (it always exists, since $A$ is symmetric). Let $P$ is an eigenvector of $A$ with eigenvalue $\lambda$ such that $\|P\|=$ 1 (why can I always tale $P \in S^{n-1}$ ?). Then we have

$$
\begin{aligned}
f(P) & =<P, A P> \\
& =<P, \lambda P> \\
& =\lambda<P, P> \\
& =\lambda\|P\|^{2} \\
& =\lambda
\end{aligned}
$$

By the previous theorem the maximum of $f$ on $S^{n-1}$ occurs at an eigenvector, therefore by the previous equality this maximum value is the maximum eigenvalue of $A$.

## II. Convexity of $C^{2}$-functions

(For Exercise 3, Blatt 7)
First we give some necessary definitions.
Definition 13. Let $A \in M^{n}(\mathbb{R})$ be a symmetric matrix. A minor $\Delta_{k}$ of order $k$ of $A$ is called principal, if it is obtained by deleting $n-k$ rows and the $n-k$ columns with the same numbers. The leading principal minor $D_{k}$ of $A$ of order $k$ is the minor of order $k$ obtained by deleting the last $n-k$ rows and columns of $A$.

For example, if $n=2$ and $A$ is given by

$$
A=\left(\begin{array}{ll}
a & b \\
b & c
\end{array}\right),
$$

it has the following principal minors $\Delta_{1}=a$ and $\Delta_{2}=c$ of order one and the principal minor $\Delta_{2}=a c-b^{2}$ of order two. Moreover, it has the leading principal minor $D_{1}=a$ of order one and the leading principal minor $D_{2}=a c-b^{2}$ of order two.

Note that there are

$$
\frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}
$$

principal minors of order $k$.
Theorem 14. Let $A \in M^{n}(\mathbb{R})$ be a symmetric matrix.
(i) $A$ is positive definite if and only if $D_{k}>0$, for all leading principal minors $D_{k}$ of order $k$ of $A$, where $1 \leq k \leq n$.
(ii) $A$ is negative definite if and only if $(-1)^{k} D_{k}>0$, for all leading principal minors $D_{k}$ of order $k$ of $A$, where $1 \leq k \leq n$.
(iii) $A$ is positive semi-definite if and only if $\Delta_{k} \geq 0$, for all principal minors $\Delta_{k}$ of order $k$ of $A$, where $1 \leq k \leq n$.
(iv) $A$ is negative semi-definite if and only if $(-1)^{k} \Delta_{k} \geq 0$, for all leading principal minors $\Delta_{k}$ of order $k$ of $A$, where $1 \leq k \leq n$.

Definition 15. If $U \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{n}$ is open, a function $f: U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is called $C^{2}$, if the partial derivatives on $U$

$$
\frac{\partial^{2} f}{\partial x_{i} \partial x_{j}}(x)
$$

exist and are continuous.

Theorem 16. If $U \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{n}$ is open and $f: U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is $C^{2}$, then its Hessian matrix $H_{f}(x), x \in U$, is symmetric.
Theorem 17. Let $U \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{n}$ be open and convex, and let $f: U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be $C^{2}$.
(i) $f$ is convex in $U$ if and only if $H_{f}$ is positive semi-definite in $U$.
(ii) $f$ is concave in $U$ if and only if $H_{f}$ is negative semi-definite in $U$.
(iii) If $H_{f}$ is positive definite in $U$, then $f$ is strictly convex in $U$.
(iv) If $H_{f}$ is negative definite in $U$, then $f$ is strictly concave in $U$.

For the part (ii) of Exercise 3 one needs to use the following simple fact.
Proposition 18. Let $U \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{n}$ be convex and $f: U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be continuous. If $f$ is (strictly) convex in $U$, then $f$ is convex in the closure $\bar{U}$ of $U$.

## Aufgabe 4, Blatt 7

Seien $p, q \in(1,+\infty)$, so dass

$$
\frac{1}{p}+\frac{1}{q}=1
$$

und seien $x_{1}, \ldots, x_{k}, y_{1}, \ldots, y_{k} \in \mathbb{R}$. Zeigen Sie, dass die folgenden Gleichungen stimmen.
(i) $\quad \sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p}=\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p-1}\left|x_{i}\right|+\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p-1}\left|y_{i}\right|$.

$$
\begin{gather*}
\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p-1}\left|x_{i}\right| \leq\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}}\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left|x_{i}\right|^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} .  \tag{ii}\\
\quad\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left|x_{i}\right|^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}+\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left|y_{i}\right|^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} . \tag{iii}
\end{gather*}
$$

Proof. (i) First not that if $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$, then

$$
\begin{aligned}
(|a|+|b|)^{p} & =(|a|+|b|)^{p-1}(|a|+|b|) \\
& =(|a|+|b|)^{p-1}|a|+(|a|+|b|)^{p-1}|b| .
\end{aligned}
$$

Hence

$$
\begin{aligned}
\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p} & =\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left[\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p-1}\left|x_{i}\right|+\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p-1}\left|y_{i}\right|\right] \\
& =\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p-1}\left|x_{i}\right|+\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p-1}\left|y_{i}\right| .
\end{aligned}
$$

(ii) The Hölder inequality is the following:

$$
\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left|x_{i} y_{i}\right| \leq\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left|x_{i}\right|^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left|y_{i}\right|^{q}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}}
$$

Since $(p-1) q=p$, by Hölder inequality we get

$$
\begin{aligned}
\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p-1}\left|x_{i}\right| & \leq\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left|x_{i}\right|^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p-1}\right)^{q}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
& =\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left|x_{i}\right|^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{(p-1) q}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
& =\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left|x_{i}\right|^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}}
\end{aligned}
$$

(iii) Because of (ii) we also have

$$
\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p-1}\left|y_{i}\right| \leq\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left|y_{i}\right|^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}}
$$

Hence by (i) we get

$$
\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p} \leq\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}}\left[\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left|x_{i}\right|^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}+\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left|y_{i}\right|^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}\right]
$$

therefore

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p}}{\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}}} \leq\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left|x_{i}\right|^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}+\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left|y_{i}\right|^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leftrightarrow \\
&\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p}\right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \leq\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left|x_{i}\right|^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}+\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left|y_{i}\right|^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leftrightarrow \\
&\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left(\left|x_{i}\right|+\left|y_{i}\right|\right)^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left|x_{i}\right|^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}+\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k}\left|y_{i}\right|^{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}
\end{aligned}
$$

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