**Definition 11.36.** [116] Let  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$  be a matrix; considering it as a linear application between normed spaces  $(\mathbb{R}^n, ||_p)$  and  $(\mathbb{R}^m, ||_q)$ , let's define again the induced norm as

$$\|A\|_{p,q} \stackrel{\text{\tiny def}}{=} \max_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n, \ |x|_p \le 1} |Ax|_q \tag{11.37}$$

(Note that the maximum is always reached at a point with  $|x|_p = 1$ ). The norm  $||A||_{2,2}$  is called the spectral norm.