

Linear Least Square Problem :-

$$Ax = b$$

min

$m < n$: under-determined system : infinite soln.

$m = n$: A invertible : unique soln $x = A^{-1}b$.

$m > n$: over-determined system : no exact soln.

So, we look for 'generalized solutions' such that Ax is ~~about~~ 'closest possible' to b .

Problem: To minimize $\|b - Ax\|_2$ where $A \in M_{m,n}(\mathbb{R})$
 $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$
 $b \in \mathbb{R}^m$.

i.e. $\|b - Ax\|_2 = \min_{y \in \mathbb{R}^n} \|b - Ay\|_2$.

claim: $(b - Ax) \perp \text{Im}(A) = \{Ay : y \in \mathbb{R}^n\}$



i.e. $\langle b - Ax, Az \rangle = 0$

Theorem:

A vector $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is a solution of the least squares problem iff it satisfies the normal equation:

$$A^T A x = A^T b.$$

Proof:

Let, $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ solves

$$\min_{y \in \mathbb{R}^n} \|b - Ay\|_2 \quad \text{i.e.} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\|b - Ax\|_2^2 \leq \|b - Ay\|_2^2 \quad \forall y \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

For any $z \in \mathbb{R}^n$ and $t \in \mathbb{R}$, set $y = x + tz$

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \|b - Ax\|_2^2 &\leq \langle b - Ay, b - Ay \rangle \\ &= \langle b - Ax, b - Ax \rangle + t^2 \langle Az, Az \rangle \\ &\quad + 2t \langle b - Ax, Az \rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{i.e.} \quad t^2 \|Az\|_2^2 + 2t \langle b - Ax, Az \rangle \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (|t| \|Az\|_2^2 + 2 \operatorname{sgn}(t) \langle b - Ax, Az \rangle) \geq 0$$

So, as $t \rightarrow 0^+$ & $t \rightarrow 0^-$ we get $\forall t \in \mathbb{R}, z \in \mathbb{R}^n$.

$$\langle b - Ax, Az \rangle = 0.$$

$$\text{i.e.} \quad z^T A^T (b - Ax) = 0 \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$\therefore \underline{A^T A x = A^T b}.$$

Conversely, let x is a sol_n of the normal eq_n.

Then, $\langle b - Ax, Az \rangle = 0 \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{R}^n$.

Thus $\|b - Ax\|_2^2 \leq \|b - Ay\|_2^2, \quad \forall y = x + tz \in \mathbb{R}^n$.

Therefore, x is a sol_n of $\textcircled{1}$.

Note: $\text{rank}(A) = \text{rank}(A^T A)$

As $x \in N(A) \Rightarrow Ax = 0$

$\Rightarrow A^T Ax = 0$

$\Rightarrow x \in N(A^T A)$ So, $N(A) \subseteq N(A^T A)$

& $x \in N(A^T A) \Rightarrow A^T Ax = 0$

$\Rightarrow x^T A^T Ax = 0$

$\Rightarrow \langle Ax, Ax \rangle = 0$

$\Rightarrow Ax = 0$

$\Rightarrow x \in N(A)$ So, $N(A^T A) \subseteq N(A)$

Since, ~~rank~~ $\text{rank}(A) + \dim(N(A)) = n$, it concludes.

\Rightarrow Now if $\text{rank}(A) = n$. Then $A^T A$ is non-singular

So, $A^T A x = A^T b \Rightarrow x = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T b$
 $= A^+ b$.

$\Rightarrow A^+ := (A^T A)^{-1} A^T$ is called the pseudo-inverse of A .

Theorem. The solution of the least squares problem
① with $\text{rank}(A) = n$ is the unique solution of
the normal equation: $A^T A x = A^T b$.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3/2 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix}_{3 \times 2} \begin{pmatrix} c \\ d \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
 does not have a sol_n as

there is no line $y = c + dx$ that passes through
 $(2, 1)$, $(3/2, 2)$, $(4, 1)$.

Thm. $\text{Im}(A) = N(A^T)^\perp$ Orthogonal Complement.

$$W^\perp := \{ v \in V : \langle v, w \rangle = 0 \ \forall w \in W \}$$

Proof:

Let, $y \in \text{Im}(A)$

$A_{m \times n}$

$$\exists x \in \mathbb{R}^n \text{ s.t. } y = Ax.$$

For any $v \in N(A^T)$, $A^T v = 0$.

$$\text{So, } y^T v = x^T A^T v = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y \in N(A^T)^\perp$$

$$\text{So, } \text{Im}(A) \subseteq N(A^T)^\perp.$$

To prove $N(A^T)^\perp \subseteq \text{Im}(A)$

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Let, $x \in \text{Im}(A)^\perp$.

i.e. for any $y \in \text{Im}(A)$, $x^T y = 0$.

Now, ~~\exists~~ $\forall u \in \text{Im}(A)$ for ~~any~~ $u \in \mathbb{R}^n$

$$\text{So, } x^T A u = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } u^T A^T x = 0 \ \forall u \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$\text{i.e. } A^T x = 0 \Rightarrow x \in N(A^T)$$

$$\text{So, } \underline{\text{Im}(A)^\perp \subseteq N(A^T)}$$

$$\text{So, } \underline{\text{Im}(A) = N(A^T)^\perp}.$$

Theorem 1. $Ax = b$ has a solution iff $A^T v = 0 \Rightarrow b^T v = 0$.

Proof: Let, $Ax = b$ has a solution $x^* \in \mathbb{R}^n$.

$$\text{So, } Ax^* = b$$

$$\Rightarrow x^{*T} A^T = b^T.$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^*)^T A^T v = b^T v \quad \text{for any } v \in \mathbb{R}^m.$$

Now, if $A^T v = 0$ for some v
then $b^T v = 0$.

$$\text{Suppose } A^T v = 0 \Rightarrow b^T v = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. if } v \in N(A^T) \Rightarrow b^T v = 0$$

$$\text{Therefore } b \in N(A^T)^\perp = \text{Im}(A).$$

$$\text{So, } \exists x \in \mathbb{R}^n \text{ s.t. } \underline{b = Ax}.$$

Theorem 2. The normal eqn has at least one solution.

Proof: By Theorem 1, $My = c$ has a soln iff

$$M^T v = 0 \Rightarrow c^T v = 0.$$

$$\text{Let, } M = A^T A, \quad c = A^T b.$$

$$M^T v = 0 \Rightarrow A^T A v = 0 \Rightarrow v \in N(A^T A) = N(A)$$

$$\text{So, } Av = 0.$$

$$\text{Now, } c^T v = b^T Av = 0.$$

Therefore, $A^T Ax = A^T b$ has a soln.

Theorem 3 If $\text{rank}(A) < n$, then the normal eqⁿ has infinite solutions and any two solutions x_1 & x_2 satisfy $A(x_1 - x_2) = 0$.

Proof :- If x_1 & x_2 solve $A^T A x = A^T b$. then

$$A^T A (x_1 - x_2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 - x_2 \in N(A^T A) = N(A)$$

$$\Rightarrow A(x_1 - x_2) = 0$$

Since $\text{rank}(A) < n$, ~~ker~~ $\dim(N(A)) > 1$.

$$\text{So, } \exists v \neq 0 \text{ s.t. } Av = 0$$

If x is any solⁿ of the normal eqⁿ then $\bar{x}_\lambda = x + \lambda v$ is another solⁿ. So, we can have infinite solⁿ.

We discuss two ways to compute the solution of the least square problem:

$$\min_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n} \|b - Ax\|_2$$

A. QR Method:

$$\text{Let, } A = QR \quad \begin{matrix} m \times m & m \times n \end{matrix} \quad (\text{Householder})$$

$$Q \text{ orthogonal; } Q^T Q = Q Q^T = I_m$$

$$\begin{aligned} \|Ax - b\|_2^2 &= \|QRx - b\|_2^2 \\ &= \|Rx - Q^T b\|_2^2 \\ &= \left\| \begin{pmatrix} R_1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} x - \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix} \right\|_2^2 \\ &= \|R_1 x - c_1\|_2^2 + \|c_2\|_2^2 \end{aligned}$$

where $c = Q^T b \in \mathbb{R}^m$

$R_1 \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ be the upper part of the upper triangular matrix R .

Since, $\|C_2\|_2^2$ is constant, $\|Ax - b\|_2^2$ can be minimized if $R_1 x = G$ is solved.

This can be solved by Back-substitution.

B. Singular Value Decomposition (SVD)

Lemma: $A^T A$ has real non-negative eigenvalues.

Proof: Let, λ be any eigen-value of $A^T A$ with $x \neq 0$ be a corresponding eigen-vector.

$$\text{Then, } A^T A x = \lambda x$$

$$\Rightarrow x^T A^T A x = \lambda x^T x.$$

$$\Rightarrow \|Ax\|_2^2 = \lambda \|x\|_2^2$$

$$\therefore \lambda = \frac{\|Ax\|_2^2}{\|x\|_2^2} \geq 0.$$

Definition: The singular values of $A \in M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{R})$ are the non-negative square roots of the n eigenvalues of $A^T A$.

Lemma: Let, $A \in M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{R})$ & $B \in M_{n \times m}(\mathbb{R})$. The non-zero eigen-values of AB & BA are the same.

Proof: Let, λ be an eigen-value of AB & u is a corresponding eigen-vector.

$$ABu = \lambda u.$$

If $u \in N(B) \Rightarrow Bu = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda u = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = 0$.

So, if $\lambda \neq 0$, then $u \notin N(B)$. So, $Bu \neq 0$.

$$ABu = \lambda u$$

$$\Rightarrow BA(Bu) = \lambda(Bu)$$

$\Rightarrow \lambda$ is also an eigen-value of BA .

So, the non-zero eigen-values of $A^T A$ & AA^T are the same.

Alternative Defn: The non-negative square roots of the m eigen-values of AA^T are the singular values of A .

Theorem (SVD) Let, $A \in M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{R})$ be a matrix having r +ve singular values σ_i . \exists two orthogonal matrices $U \in M_{m \times m}(\mathbb{R})$ & $V \in M_{n \times n}(\mathbb{R})$ such that $A = U \Sigma V^T$ where

$$\Sigma = \text{diag}(\sigma_1, \sigma_2, \dots, \sigma_r, 0, \dots, 0)$$

$$\text{with } \sigma_1 \geq \sigma_2 \geq \dots \geq \sigma_r > 0.$$

Proof: Let, v_i be the eigen-vectors of $A^T A$ corresponding to the eigen-values σ_i^2 .

$$A^T A v_i = \sigma_i^2 v_i$$

and $V = [v_1 \ v_2 \ \dots \ v_n]_{n \times n}$. As the set $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$ is orthonormal, $V^T V = V V^T = I_n$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{We have: } A^T A V &= [A^T A v_1 \ \dots \ A^T A v_n] \\ &= [\sigma_1^2 v_1 \ \sigma_2^2 v_2 \ \dots \ \sigma_n^2 v_n] \\ &= V \text{diag}(\sigma_1^2, \sigma_2^2, \dots, \sigma_n^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So, } V^T A^T A V = \Sigma^T \Sigma$$

where $\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_2 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \dots & \dots & \sigma_r \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \end{pmatrix}_{m \times n}$

We arrange $\sigma_1 \geq \sigma_2 \geq \dots \geq \sigma_r > \sigma_{r+1} = \dots = \sigma_n = 0$, of which only the first r are non-zero.

$\langle AV_i, AV_j \rangle$

Also, $\lambda = V_i^T A^T A V_j = \sigma_j^2 V_i^T V_j = \begin{cases} \sigma_i^2 & \text{if } i=j, i \leq r \\ 0 & \text{if } i \neq j, i > r \end{cases}$

In particular $AV_i = 0$ for $r < i \leq n$.

For $1 \leq i \leq r$, $\sigma_i \neq 0$, so we define

$u_i = \frac{AV_i}{\sigma_i} \in \mathbb{R}^m$

Check that $\langle u_i, u_j \rangle = \frac{1}{\sigma_i \sigma_j} \langle AV_i, AV_j \rangle = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } i=j, i \leq r \\ 0 & \text{if } i \neq j, i > r \end{cases}$

Extend the set $\{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_r\}$ to set a full set of orthonormal set in \mathbb{R}^m .

Define $U = [u_1 \ u_2 \ \dots \ u_m]_{m \times m}$ so that

$U^T U = U U^T = I_m$.

Now

$U \Sigma = [u_1 \ u_2 \ \dots \ u_m]_{m \times m} \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_1 & \sigma_2 & \dots & \sigma_r & 0 & \dots & 0 \end{pmatrix}_{m \times n}$

$= [\sigma_1 u_1 \ \sigma_2 u_2 \ \dots \ \sigma_r u_r \ 0 \ \dots \ 0]_{m \times n}$

$= [AV_1 \ AV_2 \ \dots \ AV_r \ 0 \ \dots \ 0]$

$= AV \Rightarrow A = U \Sigma V^T$

Note - 1. $A = U \Sigma V^T$.

The eigen-vectors of $A^T A$ are in the column of V and that of $A A^T$ are in the column of U .

$$A A^T = U \Sigma \Sigma^T U^T \Rightarrow U \text{ must be the eigen-vector matrix of } A A^T.$$

2. Polar Decomposition:

Every real square matrix can be factored as $A = QS$, Q orthogonal & S symmetric positive semi-definite. If A is invertible, S is spd.

$$\begin{aligned} A &= U \Sigma V^T \\ &= U V^T (V \Sigma V^T) \\ &= QS \end{aligned}$$

S is symm. positive semi-definite as is Σ

$Q = UV^T$ is orthogonal as $V^T V = I$

$$Q^T Q = V U^T U V^T = I$$

3. $A^+ = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T$, pseudo-inverse if $\text{rank}(A^T A) = n$.

Then, $A = U \Sigma V^T$ with $\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_2 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \dots & 0 & \sigma_n \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}_{m \times n}$

Now $A^T A = V \Sigma^T \Sigma V^T$ so that

$$\begin{aligned} A^+ &= (V^T)^{-1} (\Sigma^T \Sigma)^{-1} V^T V \Sigma^T U^T \\ &= V (\Sigma^T \Sigma)^{-1} \Sigma^T U^T \\ &= V \Sigma^+ U^T \end{aligned}$$

Moore-Penrose Inverse :-

$Y = A^+_{n \times m}$ is the only solution of

a) $(AY)A = A$

b) $(YA)Y = Y$

c) $(AY)^T = AY$

d) $(YA)^T = YA$

for a matrix $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$.

Verify $A = U \Sigma V^T$ & $A^+ = V \Sigma^+ U^T$ satisfy a), b), c) & d).

Least Squares Problem :-

$$A = U \Sigma V^T$$

$$\sigma_1 \geq \sigma_2 \geq \dots \geq \sigma_r > 0 = \sigma_{r+1} = \dots = \sigma_n$$

Let, $y = V^T x$ & $c = U^T b$.

Then.

$$\begin{aligned} \|b - Ax\|_2^2 &= \|U U^T b - U \Sigma V^T x\|_2^2 \\ &= \|U^T b - \Sigma V^T x\|_2^2 \\ &= \|c - \Sigma y\|_2^2 \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^r (c_j - \sigma_j y_j)^2 + \sum_{j=r+1}^m c_j^2 \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^r |u_j^T b - \sigma_j v_j^T x|^2 + \sum_{j=r+1}^m |u_j^T b|^2 \end{aligned}$$

So, the solution is: $y_j = v_j^T x = \frac{1}{\sigma_j} u_j^T b \quad 1 \leq j \leq r$

The remaining y_j are free to choose.

Theorem

The general solution of the least square problem is given by:

$$X = \sum_{j=1}^r \frac{u_j^T b}{\sigma_j} v_j + \sum_{j=r+1}^n \alpha_j v_j$$
$$= X^+ + \sum_{j=r+1}^n \alpha_j v_j$$

where σ_j denotes the singular values of A , $v_j \in \mathbb{R}^n$ are the columns of V , $u_j \in \mathbb{R}^m$ are the columns of U from the SVD decomposition. The coefficients α_j are free to choose. From all possible solutions, X^+ is the solution having minimal Euclidean norm.

Note:

$$A^+ b = V \Sigma^+ U^T b = V \Sigma^+ c = X^+$$

Result:

$A^+ \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$ maps every vector $b \in \mathbb{R}^m$ to its norm-min least squares solution $X^+ \in \mathbb{R}^n$ i.e.

$$A^+ b = \min \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{all } X \text{ solves } \min_Z \|AZ - b\|_2 \\ X : \min\{\|X\|_2\} \end{array} \right\}$$

* Note :

If M is symmetric, then

(i) all its eigen-values are real

(ii) eigen-vectors corresponding to distinct eigen-values are orthogonal.

i.e. \exists a set $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m\}$ of orthonormal eigen-vectors corresponding to distinct eigen-values $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_m$.

(iii) there are n orthonormal set of eigen-vectors even if there are repeated eigen-values.

Proof of (iii) :-

Let, $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_m$ are distinct eigen-values of M with corresponding eigen-vectors v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m .

WLOG, let $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m\}$ is orthonormal set.

Set, $V = [v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m]$, Then $V^T V = I_m$.

We have $AV = VD$ with

$$D = \text{diag}(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_m)$$

$$\text{So, } V^T A V = D \quad \& \quad V^T A = D V^T.$$

$$\text{Consider } \hat{A} = (I_n - V V^T) A (I_n - V V^T)$$

$$= A - V V^T A - A V V^T + V V^T A V V^T$$

$$= A - V D V^T - V D V^T + V D V^T$$

$$\hat{A}_{n \times n} = A - V D V^T.$$

Note that \hat{A} is symmetric, so has a real eigen-value λ and associated real eigen-vector x , so that

$$\hat{A} x = (A - V D V^T) x = \lambda x.$$

⇒
Pre-multiplying by V^T , we get

$$V^T A x - V^T V D V^T x = \lambda V^T x$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda V^T x = (V^T A - D V^T) x = 0$$

Case I: $\lambda \neq 0$

$$\text{Then } V^T x = 0. \Rightarrow \cancel{V_{m+1}} = \frac{x}{\|x\|}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{\|x\|}$$

$$\Rightarrow Ax = V D V^T x + \lambda x = \lambda x$$

⇒ λ is an eigen-value of A & \hat{A} and x is an corresponding eigen-vector.

Also, $V^T x = 0 \Rightarrow x$ is orthogonal to each v_i

So, if $v_{m+1} = \frac{x}{\|x\|}$, then $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{m+1}\}$ constitutes a set of orthonormal eigen-vectors of A .

Case - II

$\lambda = 0$, i.e. the only eigen-vector of \hat{A} is zero.

Then, by Rayleigh quotient properties, or diagonalization of \hat{A} , $\hat{A} = 0$

$$\text{i.e. } A = V D V^T$$

Take any $x \neq 0$ such that $V^T x = 0$

$$\text{This implies } Ax = V D V^T x = 0 = 0 \cdot x$$

So, x is an eigen-vector of A corresponding to the eigen-value 0.

In this case also, $v_{m+1} = \frac{x}{\|x\|}$ yields $(m+1)$ orthonormal eigen-vectors of A . Repeat this process to get a complete list of n orthonormal

eigen-vectors of A .

Image Processing :- Suppose a picture consists of 1000×1000 arrays of pixels. This can be thought of a 1000×1000 matrix A of numbers that represents colours.

Let, $A = U \Sigma V^T = \sigma_1 u_1 v_1^T + \sigma_2 u_2 v_2^T + \dots + \sigma_r u_r v_r^T$
a sum of rank-one matrices.

Suppose we take first 20 singular values. Then we send $20 \times 2000 = 40K$ numbers rather than 10^6 numbers.

This represents an image compression. (25:1).

i.e. 25Mb file size becomes 1Mb

Polar Decomposition :-

$$A = QS \quad \text{with } Q = UV^T \\ S = V \Sigma V^T$$

$$\text{Also, } A^T A = S^T Q^T Q S \\ = S^2$$

$$\text{Since } A^T A \text{ is psd, } S = \sqrt{A^T A} \\ = V \Sigma V^T$$

and if $\text{rank}(A) = n$, then $Q = \underline{AS^{-1}}$

Exm.

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 11 & -5 \\ -2 & 10 \end{pmatrix}, \quad A^T A = \begin{pmatrix} 125 & -75 \\ -75 & 125 \end{pmatrix}$$

so that $\lambda_1(A^T A) = 200, 50$.

$$\text{So, } \sigma_1(A) = 10\sqrt{2}, \quad \sigma_2(A) = 5\sqrt{2}$$

$$\& \quad v_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad v_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{So, } V = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} 10\sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 5\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$u_1 = \frac{Av_1}{\sigma_1} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}, \quad u_2 = \frac{Av_2}{\sigma_2} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{So, } U = \begin{pmatrix} 4/5 & 3/5 \\ -3/5 & 4/5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$Q = UV^T = \frac{1}{5\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 7 & -1 \\ 1 & 7 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$S = V\Sigma V^T = \frac{5}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\& \quad \underline{A = QS}$$

H.W. Polar decomposition of $\begin{pmatrix} a & -b \\ b & a \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{a}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2}} & -\frac{b}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2}} \\ \frac{b}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2}} & \frac{a}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{a^2+b^2} & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{a^2+b^2} \end{pmatrix}$

A non-zero complex no has the form

$$z = re^{i\theta}$$

with $\underbrace{r \geq 0}_{\text{SPSD}} \& \underbrace{|e^{i\theta}| = 1}_{\text{unitary}}.$

Hessenberg Form :-

An $n \times n$ matrix A is called an upper Hessenberg matrix if $A_{ij} = 0 \ \forall \ i > j+1.$

A matrix A is lower Hessenberg if A^T is upper Hessenberg.

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 14 & 2 & 3 \\ 34 & 17 \\ 0 & 2 & 34 \\ 0 & 0 & 13 \end{pmatrix}, \quad C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 & 1 \\ 9 & 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

UH LH

Theorem For any $n \times n$ matrix A , \exists an orthogonal matrix P such that $P^T A P$ is upper Hessenberg.

Hint: Use Householder transformation.

Ex 11

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 12 & -51 & 4 \\ 6 & 167 & -68 \\ -4 & 24 & -41 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Let, } a_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$v_1 = a_1 - \|a_1\| e_1$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 6 - 2\sqrt{13} \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} \approx \begin{pmatrix} -1.21 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\& u_1 = \frac{v_1}{\|v_1\|_2} = \begin{pmatrix} -0.29 \\ -0.96 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$P_1 = I_2 - 2u_1 u_1^T = \begin{pmatrix} 0.8318 & -0.5568 \\ -0.5568 & -0.84 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$Q_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & P_1 \\ 0 & & \end{pmatrix} \text{ so that}$$

$$Q_1 A = \begin{pmatrix} 12 & -51 & 4 \\ 7.21 & 25.54 & -33.73 \\ 0 & -113.15 & 72.30 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\& Q_1 A Q_1^T = \begin{pmatrix} 12 & -44.65 & 25.04 \\ 7.21 & 123.21 & -41.57 \\ 0 & -134.37 & 2.27 \end{pmatrix}$$

which is an upper Hessenberg form.

- If A is symmetric, then \nexists this process reduces to a tri-diagonal matrix.
- The product of an upper Hessenberg matrix with tri-diagonal matrix is upper Hessenberg.
- ~~$Q A Q^T$ is not applicable to make A upper triangular~~
The same algorithm does not work to make A upper triangular. Check: $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$

Power Method

Numerical Method to compute the largest eigenvalue and corresponding eigen-vectors. It is designed for matrices A with one dominant eigen-value λ_1 i.e.

$$|\lambda_1| > |\lambda_2| \geq |\lambda_3| \geq \dots \geq |\lambda_n|.$$

Assume that \exists a basis $\{\omega_1, \omega_2, \dots, \omega_n\}$ of \mathbb{R}^n consisting of eigenvectors of A . Then any $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ can be written as:

$$x = \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j \omega_j$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, } A^m x &= \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j \lambda_j^m \omega_j = \lambda_1^m \left(\alpha_1 \omega_1 + \sum_{j=2}^n \left(\frac{\lambda_j}{\lambda_1}\right)^m \alpha_j \omega_j \right) \\ &= \lambda_1^m (\alpha_1 \omega_1 + R_m) \end{aligned}$$

where, $R_m \rightarrow 0$ as $m \rightarrow \infty$. If $\alpha_1 \neq 0$

$$\text{then } \frac{A^m x}{\lambda_1^m} \rightarrow \alpha_1 \omega_1 \text{ as } m \rightarrow \infty$$

The later is an eigen-vector of A corresponding to λ_1 .

- λ_1 is not known, so $\frac{A^m x}{\lambda_1^m}$ cannot be formed.

Remedy:

$$\frac{\|A^{m+1} x\|_2}{\|A^m x\|_2} = |\lambda_1| \frac{\|\alpha_1 \omega_1 + R_{m+1}\|_2}{\|\alpha_1 \omega_1 + R_m\|_2} \rightarrow |\lambda_1| \text{ as } m \rightarrow \infty$$

\Rightarrow

$A^m x \approx \lambda_1^m \alpha_1 x_1$ so that $A^m x$ approaches a multiple of the dominant eigen-vector of A .

Theorem If x is an eigen-vector of A , then its corresponding eigen-value is $\lambda = \frac{x^T A x}{x^T x}$.

The quotient $\frac{x^T A x}{x^T x}$ is called the Rayleigh quotient

Proof: We have $Ax = \lambda x$.

$$\text{So, } \frac{x^T A x}{x^T x} = \frac{x^T (\lambda x)}{x^T x} = \lambda.$$

Method 1:

Start with $x_0 \neq 0$

1. Compute $A^m x_0$ with scaling to get eigen-vector x .
2. Use Rayleigh quotient to get corresponding λ .

Exm

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$Ax_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} = 5 \begin{pmatrix} 0.60 \\ 0.20 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 5x_1$$

$$Ax_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2.20 \end{pmatrix} = 2.20 \begin{pmatrix} 0.45 \\ 0.45 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 2.20x_2$$

$$Ax_2 = 2.80 \begin{pmatrix} 0.48 \\ 0.55 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 2.80x_3$$

$$Ax_3 = 3.13 \begin{pmatrix} 0.50 \\ 0.51 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$Ax_4 = 3.02 \begin{pmatrix} 0.50 \\ 0.50 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

So, $x = \begin{pmatrix} 0.5 \\ 0.5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ is the dominant eigen-vector and using

Rayleigh Quotient, $\lambda = \frac{x^T A x}{x^T x} = 3$ is the dominant eigen-value

Theorem 1. If A is an $n \times n$ diagonalizable matrix with a dominant eigen-value, then \exists a non-zero vector x_0 s.t. the sequence $Ax_0, A^2x_0, A^3x_0, \dots$ approaches a multiple of the dominant eigen-vector of A .

Method 2

Choose $x_0 \neq 0$ such that $\|x_0\| = 1$

Until $\delta_k = (x_k - x_{k-1}) < \text{tol}$

$$y_k = Ax_{k-1}$$

$$x_k = \frac{y_k}{\|y_k\|}$$

Then, ~~$x_k \rightarrow x$~~ & ~~$\|y_k\| \rightarrow \lambda$~~ as $k \rightarrow \infty$

$$A\delta_k = Ax_k - Ax_{k-1}$$

$$= Ax_k - y_k$$

$$= Ax_k - \|y_k\| x_k$$

If $\delta_k \rightarrow 0$ as $k \rightarrow \infty$

$$\underline{Ax_k = \|y_k\| x_k}$$

Theorem 2.

Let, A is diagonalizable with real eigen-values and the eigen-value with largest modulus is simple and positive

$$\text{i.e. } \lambda_1 > |\lambda_2| \geq |\lambda_3| \geq \dots \geq |\lambda_n|$$

Then, the power method converges:

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|Ax_k\| = \lambda_1, \quad \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} x_k = \pm v_1$$

Note: 1. If the largest eigen-value is -ve, we can apply PM to $-A$. If we blindly apply to A with -ve largest eigen-value, it is the sequence $(-1)^k x_k$ that converges, while $\|y_k\|$ converges to the eigen-value.

2. It is possible to compute the smallest eigen-value of A by applying PM to A^{-1} . It is called the inverse power method.

Method:

Choose $x_0 \neq 0$ with $\|x_0\| \neq 1$.

Until $\delta_k = x_k - x_{k-1} < \epsilon$

Solve $Ay_k = x_{k-1}$

$$x_k = \frac{y_k}{\|y_k\|}$$

~~If $\delta_k \rightarrow 0$ as $k \rightarrow \infty$~~

Then, $x_k \rightarrow x$ and $\frac{1}{\|y_k\|} \rightarrow \lambda$ as $k \rightarrow \infty$.

$$A\delta_k = \frac{1}{\|y_k\|} x_{k-1} - Ax_{k-1} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } k \rightarrow \infty$$

An eigen-vector is said to be normalized if the co-ordinate of the largest magnitude is unity.

$$x_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$y_k = Ax_{k-1}$$

$$x_k = \frac{y_k}{c_k}$$

c_k is the ~~max~~ co-ordinate of y_k with largest magnitude.

Then, $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} x_k = v_1$ & $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} c_k = \lambda_1$

Lemma Suppose λ, v is an eigen pair of A . If $\alpha \neq \lambda$, then

$$\frac{1}{\lambda - \alpha}, v \text{ is an eigen-pair of } (A - \alpha I)^{-1}$$

Theorem (Shifted Inverse Power Method)

Let, A has n distinct eigen-values $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n$. Choose α such that $\mu_1 = \frac{1}{\lambda_1 - \alpha}$ is the dominant eigen-value of $(A - \alpha I)^{-1}$. Given $x_0 \neq 0$.

$$y_k = (A - \alpha I)^{-1} x_{k-1}$$

$$x_k = \frac{1}{c_k} y_k \quad \text{where, } c_k = \max_{1 \leq j \leq n} |x_j^{(k)}|$$

c_k & x_k converge to μ_1 & v_k of $(A - \alpha I)^{-1}$. Finally the corresponding eigen-value of the matrix A is given

by
$$\lambda_k = \frac{1}{\mu_1} + \alpha.$$

Exm

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 11 & -5 \\ -2 & 17 & -7 \\ -4 & 26 & -10 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_1 = 4$$

$$\lambda_2 = 2$$

$$\lambda_3 = 1$$

$$\underline{\lambda_3 = 1}$$

$$x_0 = (0, 1, 0)^T$$

Do

$$A y_k = x_{k-1}$$

$$x_k = \frac{1}{c_k} y_k$$

$$c_k = \max \{ y_k(i) \}$$

Then $\frac{1}{c_k} \rightarrow 1, x_k \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} y_2 \\ y_2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\underline{\lambda_2 = 2}$$

$$x_0 = (0, 1, 0)^T$$

Do $(A - 2.1I) y_k = x_{k-1}$

$$x_k = \frac{1}{c_k} y_k$$

$$c_k = \max \{ y_k(i) \}$$

Then $\frac{1}{c_k} + 2.1 \rightarrow 2, x_k \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$