

Eigen Value Problem

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Let A be a given real symmetric matrix. Its eigen values are real and there exists a real orthogonal matrix B such that $B^{-1}AB$ is a diagonal matrix (D).

Jacobi method consists of diagonalizing ' A ' by applying series of orthogonal transformations B_1, B_2, \dots, B_n , such that their product satisfies $B^{-1}AB=D$.

Diagonalization of real symmetric matrix by Jacobi's method or Jacobi's method (Cont..)

For this purpose, we choose the numerically largest non diagonal element a_{ij} and form a 2×2 submatrix

$$A_1 = \begin{bmatrix} a_{ii} & a_{ij} \\ a_{ji} & a_{jj} \end{bmatrix}$$

where, $a_{ij} = a_{ji}$

Which can easily be diagonalized.

Consider an orthogonal matrix

$$B_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{then, } B_1^{-1} A B_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_{ii} & a_{ij} \\ a_{ji} & a_{jj} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B_1^{-1} A B_1 = \begin{bmatrix} a_{ii} \cos^2 \theta + a_{jj} \sin^2 \theta + a_{jj} \sin 2\theta & a_{ij} \cos 2\theta + \frac{1}{2}(a_{jj} - a_{ii}) \sin 2\theta \\ a_{ij} \cos 2\theta + \frac{1}{2}(a_{jj} - a_{ii}) \sin 2\theta & a_{ii} \sin^2 \theta + a_{jj} \cos^2 \theta - a_{ij} \sin 2\theta \end{bmatrix}$$

Now the matrix will be reduced to the diagonal form if

$$a_{ij} \cos 2\theta + \frac{1}{2}(a_{jj} - a_{ii}) \sin 2\theta = 0$$

$$\tan 2\theta = \frac{2a_{ij}}{(a_{ii} - a_{jj})}$$

The value of θ can be calculated, which results in a diagonal matrix.

At the next step the largest non-diagonal element in the rotated matrix can be chosen and the above procedure is repeated using orthogonal matrix B_2

Advantage-

It gives all Eigen value simultaneously.

Disadvantage-

It is applicable on symmetric matrix only.

Example: Find all eigen values of the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \sqrt{2} & 2 \\ \sqrt{2} & 3 & \sqrt{2} \\ 2 & \sqrt{2} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Using the Jacobi method.

Solution: Here the largest non diagonal element is $a_{13}=a_{31}=2$

$$\tan 2\theta = \frac{2a_{13}}{a_{11} - a_{33}} = \frac{2 \times 2}{1 - 1} = \infty$$

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$$2\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\text{then } B_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & 0 & -\sin \theta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \sin \theta & 0 & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 & -1/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 & 1/\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$D_1 = B_1^{-1} A B_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 & 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1/\sqrt{2} & 0 & 1/\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \sqrt{2} & 2 \\ \sqrt{2} & 3 & \sqrt{2} \\ 2 & \sqrt{2} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 & -1/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 & 1/\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$D_1 = B_1^{-1} A B_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now the largest non diagonal element is $a_{12}=a_{21}=2$

$$\tan 2\theta = \frac{2a_{12}}{a_{11} - a_{22}} = \frac{2 \times 2}{3 - 3} = \infty$$

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$$\text{then } B_2 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta & 0 \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} & -1/\sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{2} & 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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The second transformation gives

$$D_2 = B_2^{-1}AB_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} & 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 \\ -1/\sqrt{2} & 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} & -1/\sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{2} & 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$D_2 = B_2^{-1}AB_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Practice Problems

Find all the eigen values of the matrix using Jacobi method. Iterate till off diagonal elements in magnitude are less than 0.0005

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Suggested books

1. Numerical Methods by **S.R.K Lyenger & R.K. Jain.**
2. Numerical Analysis by **Richard L. Burden.**
3. Introductory methods of Numerical analysis by **S.S. Sastry.**

Thank you

