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Lecture

Column Spaces and QR

这部分主要研究 列空间

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$$\begin{aligned}\text{cond } A^T A &= \|A^T A\| \left\| (A^T A)^{-1} \right\| \\ &\approx \|A^T\| \|A\| \|A^{-1}\| \left\| (A^T)^{-1} \right\| \text{ for many choices of } \|\cdot\| \\ &= \|A\|^2 \|A^{-1}\|^2 \\ &= (\text{cond } A)^2\end{aligned}$$

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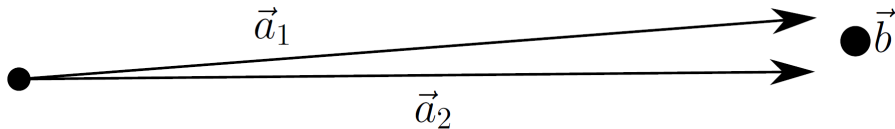
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Least-squares fit is ambiguous!

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$$\text{cond } I_{n \times n} = 1$$

(w.r.t. $\|\cdot\|_2$)

(p=2)

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(w.r.t. $\|\cdot\|_2$)

Desirable: $A^T A \approx I_{n \times n}$
(then, $\text{cond } A^T A \approx 1$!)

正交矩阵！

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Doesn't mean $A = I_{n \times n}$.

Recall: Definition of Gram matrix

$$Q^T Q = \begin{pmatrix} - & \vec{q}_1^T & - \\ - & \vec{q}_2^T & - \\ \vdots & & \\ - & \vec{q}_n^T & - \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} | & | & & | \\ \vec{q}_1 & \vec{q}_2 & \cdots & \vec{q}_n \\ | & | & & | \end{pmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{pmatrix} \vec{q}_1 \cdot \vec{q}_1 & \vec{q}_1 \cdot \vec{q}_2 & \cdots & \vec{q}_1 \cdot \vec{q}_n \\ \vec{q}_2 \cdot \vec{q}_1 & \vec{q}_2 \cdot \vec{q}_2 & \cdots & \vec{q}_2 \cdot \vec{q}_n \\ \vdots & \vdots & \cdots & \vdots \\ \vec{q}_n \cdot \vec{q}_1 & \vec{q}_n \cdot \vec{q}_2 & \cdots & \vec{q}_n \cdot \vec{q}_n \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$\vec{q}_i \cdot \vec{q}_j = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{when } i = j \\ 0 & \text{when } i \neq j \end{cases}$$

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Orthonormal; orthogonal matrix

A set of vectors $\{\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_k\}$ is **orthonormal** if $\|\vec{v}_i\| = 1$ for all i and $\vec{v}_i \cdot \vec{v}_j = 0$ for all $i \neq j$. A square matrix whose **columns** are orthonormal is called an orthogonal matrix.

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$$||Q\vec{x}||^2 = ?$$

$$(Q\vec{x}) \cdot (Q\vec{y}) = ?$$

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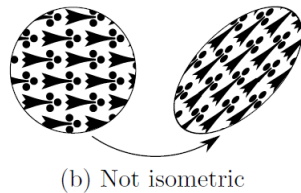
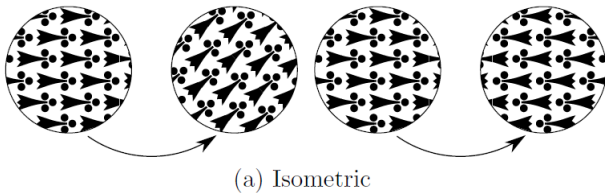
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$$A^T A \vec{x} = A^T \vec{b} \Leftrightarrow \min_{\vec{x}} ||A\vec{x} - \vec{b}||_2$$

Project \vec{b} onto the column space of
(投影) A .

Lemma: Column space invariance

For any $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ and invertible $B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$,

$$\text{col } A = \text{col } AB$$

.

(可逆的列操作不会影响列空间，同时注意矩阵列操作时操作矩阵乘在右边)

Invertible column operations do not affect column space.

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Apply column operations to A until it is orthogonal; then, solve least-squares on the resulting orthogonal Q .

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$$A = QR$$

- Q orthogonal
- R upper triangular

QR分解

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$$A^T A \vec{x} = A^T \vec{b}, A = QR$$

$$\rightarrow \vec{x} = R^{-1} Q^T \vec{b}$$

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Didn't need to compute $A^T A$ or $(A^T A)^{-1}$

Vector Projection

(向量投影)

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"Which multiple of \vec{a} is closest to \vec{b} ?"

$$\min_c ||c\vec{a} - \vec{b}||_2^2$$

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$$c = \frac{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}}{||\vec{a}||_2^2}$$

即b在a方向的投影长度占a总长度的比例，
因为此时 $c^*a - b$ 垂直于a向量，因而最短。

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$$\text{proj}_{\vec{a}} \vec{b} = c\vec{a} = \frac{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}}{||\vec{a}||_2^2} \vec{a}$$

Properties of Projection

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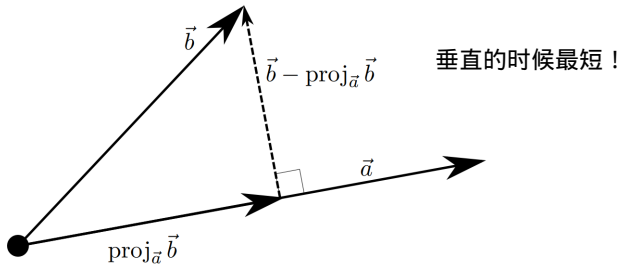
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$$\text{proj}_{\vec{a}} \vec{b} \parallel \vec{a}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{a} \cdot (\vec{b} - \text{proj}_{\vec{a}} \vec{b}) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (\vec{b} - \text{proj}_{\vec{a}} \vec{b}) &\perp \vec{a} \end{aligned}$$

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Suppose $\hat{a}_1, \dots, \hat{a}_k$ are
orthonormal.

$$\text{proj}_{\hat{a}_i} \vec{b} = (\hat{a}_i \cdot \vec{b}) \hat{a}_i$$

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$$\left\| c_1 \hat{a}_1 + c_2 \hat{a}_2 + \cdots + c_k \hat{a}_k - \vec{b} \right\|_2^2 = \sum_{i=1}^k \left(c_i^2 - 2c_i \vec{b} \cdot \hat{a}_i \right) + \|\vec{b}\|_2^2$$

上式中的 \hat{a}_i 的模均为1, 且 \hat{a}_i 为一组正交基。

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对 c_i 求导

$$\left\| c_1 \hat{a}_1 + c_2 \hat{a}_2 + \cdots + c_k \hat{a}_k - \vec{b} \right\|_2^2 =$$
$$\sum_{i=1}^k \left(c_i^2 - 2c_i \vec{b} \cdot \hat{a}_i \right) + \|\vec{b}\|_2^2$$

$$\Rightarrow c_i = \vec{b} \cdot \hat{a}_i$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{proj}_{\text{span}\{\hat{a}_1, \dots, \hat{a}_k\}} \vec{b} =$$
$$\left(\hat{a}_1 \cdot \vec{b} \right) \hat{a}_1 + \cdots + \left(\hat{a}_k \cdot \vec{b} \right) \hat{a}_k$$

实际上就是使用一组正交基的线性组合来表示向量b

Geometric Strategy for Orthogonalization

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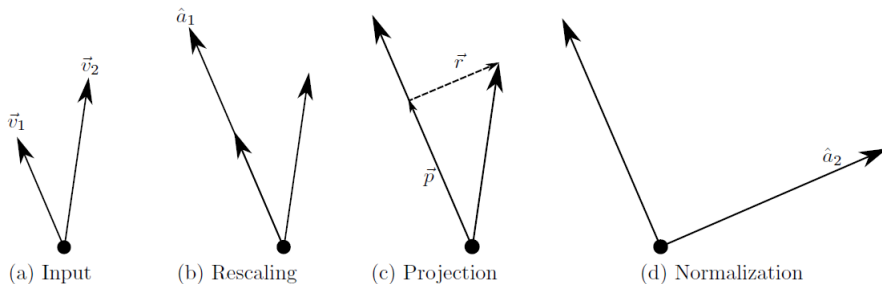
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To orthogonalize $\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_k$:

- 1 $\hat{a}_1 \equiv \frac{\vec{v}_1}{\|\vec{v}_1\|}$
- 2 For i from 2 to k ,
 - 2.1 $\vec{p}_i \equiv \text{proj}_{\text{span}} \{ \hat{a}_1, \dots, \hat{a}_{i-1} \} \vec{v}_i$
 - 2.2 $\hat{a}_i \equiv \frac{\vec{v}_i - \vec{p}_i}{\|\vec{v}_i - \vec{p}_i\|}$

To orthogonalize $\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_k$:

- ① $\hat{a}_1 \equiv \frac{\vec{v}_1}{\|\vec{v}_1\|}$
- ② For i from 2 to k ,
 - ②.1 $\vec{p}_i \equiv \text{proj}_{\text{span} \{ \hat{a}_1, \dots, \hat{a}_{i-1} \}} \vec{v}_i$
 - ②.2 $\hat{a}_i \equiv \frac{\vec{v}_i - \vec{p}_i}{\|\vec{v}_i - \vec{p}_i\|}$

Claim

$\text{span} \{ \vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_i \} = \text{span} \{ \hat{a}_1, \dots, \hat{a}_i \}$ for all i .

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Post-multiplication!

- ① Rescaling to unit length: diagonal matrix
- ② Subtracting off projection: upper triangular substitution matrix

1. 一个矩阵右乘一个矩阵，相当于对此矩阵的每一个列向量乘上了一个系数
2. 获得垂直于投影方向的向量相当于将1个列向量乘以系数加到另外一个列向量去，故可以类比于之前的高斯消去法可知道应该是一个三角矩阵，同时由于矩阵的转置性，可知其应该是一个上三角矩阵。

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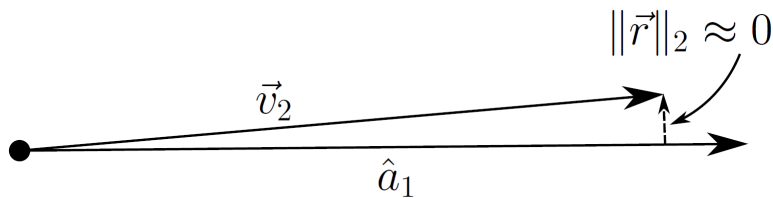
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这里说明了施密特方法误差仍然存在

$$\vec{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 + \varepsilon \end{pmatrix}$$

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- 1 **Post-multiply** by upper triangular matrices
Done!

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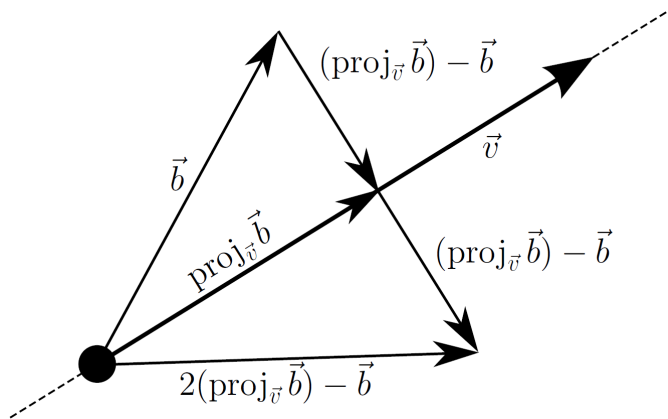
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- ① Post-multiply by upper triangular matrices
Done!
- ② Pre-multiply by orthogonal matrices
New idea!

"Easy" Class of Orthogonal Matrices

对称镜像法



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$$2 \operatorname{proj}_{\vec{v}} \vec{b} - \vec{b} = 2 \frac{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{b}}{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v}} \vec{v} - \vec{b} \text{ by definition of projection}$$

$$= 2 \vec{v} \cdot \frac{\vec{v}^\top \vec{b}}{\vec{v}^\top \vec{v}} - \vec{b} \text{ using matrix notation}$$

$$= \left(\frac{2 \vec{v} \vec{v}^\top}{\vec{v}^\top \vec{v}} - I_{n \times n} \right) \vec{b}$$

$$\equiv -H_{\vec{v}} \vec{b}, \text{ where } H_{\vec{v}} \equiv I_{n \times n} - \frac{2 \vec{v} \vec{v}^\top}{\vec{v}^\top \vec{v}}$$

注： $H_{\vec{v}}$ 显然是一个正交矩阵，使用定义容易证明

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If \vec{a} is first column,

$$c\vec{e}_1 = H_{\vec{v}}\vec{a} \Rightarrow \vec{v} = (\vec{a} - c\vec{e}_1) \cdot \frac{\vec{v}^T \vec{v}}{2\vec{v}^T \vec{a}}$$

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Choose $\vec{v} = \vec{a} - c\vec{e}_1$ 此时 \vec{v} 恰好为几何意义上的
对角线

$$\Rightarrow c = \pm \|\vec{a}\|_2$$

因为是对称向量故模要相同

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利用对称镜像法，将第一列变为如下格式，
之后则类似于高斯消去法的行操作，不过
这里要改为对列的操作

$$H_{\vec{v}}A = \begin{pmatrix} c & \times & \times & \times \\ 0 & \times & \times & \times \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & \times & \times & \times \end{pmatrix}$$

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本质上都是在把原来复杂的列向量变为只有一个非零的列向量，
从而使得正交化更简单

$$\vec{a} = \begin{pmatrix} \vec{a}_1 \\ \vec{a}_2 \end{pmatrix} \mapsto H_{\vec{v}} \vec{a} = \begin{pmatrix} \vec{a}_1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Leave first k lines alone!

具体矩阵格式件上一页PPT

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$$R = H_{\vec{v}_n} \cdots H_{\vec{v}_1} A$$

$$Q = H_{\vec{v}_1}^T \cdots H_{\vec{v}_n}^T$$

H_v 为正交矩阵，则 Q 仍然为正交矩阵。

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$$R = H_{\vec{v}_n} \cdots H_{\vec{v}_1} A$$

$$Q = H_{\vec{v}_1}^T \cdots H_{\vec{v}_n}^T$$

Can store Q implicitly by storing \vec{v}_i 's!

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- Gram-Schmidt: $Q \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}, R \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$
- Householder: $Q \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}, R \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$

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Typical least-squares case:

$A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ has $m \gg n$.

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Stability of Householder with shape of Gram-Schmidt.

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$$R = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} \times & \times & \times & & & \\ 0 & \times & \times & & & \\ 0 & 0 & \times & & & \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & & & \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & & & \end{array} \right)$$

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$$\begin{aligned} A &= QR \\ &= (Q_1 Q_2) \begin{pmatrix} R_1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= Q_1 R_1 \end{aligned}$$

分块矩阵，可以理解为作用于全零行的
0矩阵并无作用，因为使用0的目的就是要
把一行中除去一个元素之外的元素都设置
为0