# Data Science Assignment 4

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### 1 PCA, SVD

1. We search for matrices  $U, \Sigma, V$  with  $X = U\Sigma V^T$  so that the columns of U and V are eigenvectors of  $XX^T$  and  $X^TX$  respectively.

We'll begin by computing  $XX^T$ :

$$XX^{T} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ \sqrt{2} & 2\sqrt{2} \\ -\sqrt{2} & -2\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 4 & \sqrt{2} & -\sqrt{2} \\ 2 & 2\sqrt{2} & -2\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 20 & 8\sqrt{2} & -8\sqrt{2} \\ 8\sqrt{2} & 10 & -10 \\ -8\sqrt{2} & -10 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now we have to solve  $\det(X - \lambda I_{3\times 3}) = 0$  for the eigenvalues of  $XX^T$ . An expanded form of this equation is:

$$\begin{array}{lll} 0 & = & \det(X-\lambda I_{3\times3}) \\ & = & \det\left(\begin{bmatrix} 20 & 8\sqrt{2} & -8\sqrt{2} \\ 8\sqrt{2} & 10 & -10 \\ -8\sqrt{2} & -10 & 10 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \lambda & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda \end{bmatrix}\right) \\ & = & \det\left(\begin{bmatrix} 20-\lambda & 8\sqrt{2} & -8\sqrt{2} \\ 8\sqrt{2} & 10-\lambda & -10 \\ -8\sqrt{2} & -10 & 10-\lambda \end{bmatrix}\right) \\ & = & (20-\lambda)(10-\lambda)(10-\lambda) + (8\sqrt{2})(-10)(-8\sqrt{2}) + (-8\sqrt{2})(8\sqrt{2})(-10) \\ & -(-8\sqrt{2})(10-\lambda)(-8\sqrt{2}) - (8\sqrt{2})(8\sqrt{2})(10-\lambda) - (20-\lambda)(-10)(-10) \end{array}$$

This is a third degree polynomial equation with expanded form  $-x^3+40x^2-144x=0$  <sup>1</sup> We get the solutions:

$$\lambda_1 = 36 \wedge \lambda_2 = 4 \wedge \lambda_3 = 0$$

With this we have

$$\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

With the eigenvalues of  $XX^T$  being calculated, we can now solve for the eigenvectors of  $XX^T$ :

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \ = \ \begin{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 20 & 8\sqrt{2} & -8\sqrt{2} \\ 8\sqrt{2} & 10 & -10 \\ -8\sqrt{2} & -10 & 10 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 36 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 36 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 36 \end{bmatrix} \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} v_{1_1} \\ v_{1_2} \\ v_{1_3} \end{bmatrix}$$
 
$$= \ \begin{bmatrix} -16 & 8\sqrt{2} & -8\sqrt{2} \\ 8\sqrt{2} & -26 & -10 \\ -8\sqrt{2} & -10 & -26 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} v_{1_1} \\ v_{1_2} \\ v_{1_3} \end{bmatrix}$$
 
$$= \ \begin{bmatrix} -16v_{1_1} + 8\sqrt{2}v_{1_2} - 8\sqrt{2}v_{1_3} \\ 8\sqrt{2}v_{1_1} - 26v_{1_2} - 10v_{1_3} \\ -8\sqrt{2}v_{1_1} - 10v_{1_2} - 26v_{1_3} \end{bmatrix}$$

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Actually writing each step of this down would take too much space.

When numbering the equations in collumns I, II and III we can see that  $I \Rightarrow v_{11} = \frac{\sqrt{2}v_{12}}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{2}v_{13}}{2}$  and II + III  $\Rightarrow v_{12} = -v_{13}$  which results in:

$$v_{1_1} = \sqrt{2}v_{1_2}$$

and respectively:

$$v_{1_2} = \frac{v_{1_1}}{\sqrt{2}} \wedge v_{1_3} = -\frac{v_{1_1}}{\sqrt{2}}$$

There are infinite solutions for this, with one being:

$$v_{1_1} = 1 \wedge v_{1_2} = \sqrt{2}^{-1} \wedge v_{1_3} = -\sqrt{2}^{-1}$$

So we get one eigenvector:

$$v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\ \sqrt{2}^{-1}\\ -\sqrt{2}^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

Because writing the processes down takes a lot of space, the following linear equation systems will not be solved, but solutions provided. We have already demonstrated that we can solve one and the probability of minor mistakes when writing it down ruining the whole task is too great.

The second eigenvector we get by this time subtracting the diagonal matrix times 4 instead of 36 and we get a solution:

$$v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -\sqrt{2}^{-1} \\ \sqrt{2}^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

And the third eigenvector is quite trivial:

$$v_3 = egin{bmatrix} 0 \ 1 \ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Something that wasn't specified in the slides was that the eigenvectors must be normalized so that U and V are orthonormal.

For that we have to divide all these vectors by  $\sqrt{2}$ .

We get:

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2}^{-1} & \sqrt{2}^{-1} & 0\\ 1/2 & -1/2 & \sqrt{2}^{-1}\\ -1/2 & 1/2 & \sqrt{2}^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

For a quick verification, we can compute  $UU^T$  and yes we get  $I_{3\times 3}$ , so U is indeed orthonormal. Now to V

As the lecture specifies, the eigenvalues of  $XX^T$  are the same like those of  $X^TX$ .

This means we "just" have to solve the linear equations but for  $X^TX$  and not  $XX^T$ .

We'll begin by computing  $X^TX$ :

$$X^{T}X = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & \sqrt{2} & -\sqrt{2} \\ 2 & 2\sqrt{2} & -2\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ \sqrt{2} & 2\sqrt{2} \\ -\sqrt{2} & -2\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 20 & 16 \\ 16 & 20 \end{bmatrix}$$

Thank god that this time it's small and regular.

We get the following systems of linear equations: With eigenvalue 36 we get:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -16 & 16 \\ 16 & -16 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} v_{1_1} \\ v_{1_2} \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 16v_{1_1} - 16v_{1_2} \\ 16v_{1_1} - 16v_{1_2} \end{bmatrix}$$

With one solution being:

$$v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2}^{-1} \\ \sqrt{2}^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

With eigenvalue 4 we get:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 16 & 16 \\ 16 & 16 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} v_{21} \\ v_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 16v_{21} + 16v_{22} \\ 16v_{21} + 16v_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

With one solution being

$$v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2}^{-1} \\ -\sqrt{2}^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

For the last eigenvalue 0 we get  $v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ , which formally isn't an eigenvector, since it would be an eigenvector of every matrix, but it is the only solution to the corresponding eigenvalue. With that we get:

$$V^T = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2}^{-1} & \sqrt{2}^{-1} \\ \sqrt{2}^{-1} & -\sqrt{2}^{-1} \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

And now we can calculate the product  $U\Sigma V^T$  to verify that it is actually right, which I did, but to be honest, writing all that down with each addition and so on would take a lot of time.

2. We firstly have to center the points, since to calculate the eigenvectors of the covariance Matrix, we can't assume that the mean x and y components are 0. We get:

$$\overline{x} = 4/3 \wedge \overline{y} = 2/3$$

With this we can center X:

$$X_C = egin{bmatrix} 4 - 4/3 & 2 - 2/3 \ \sqrt{2} - 4/3 & 2\sqrt{2} - 2/3 \ -\sqrt{2} - 4/3 & -2\sqrt{2} - 2/3 \end{bmatrix}$$

And get the covariance Matrix:

$$\begin{array}{rcl} C & = & 1/3 \cdot X_C^T X_C \\ & = & 1/3 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 44/3 & 40/3 \\ 40/3 & 56/3 \end{bmatrix} \end{array}$$

The actual expanded form of this with appropriate steps in between would be way too long to fit on one page.

We actually don't care for the scalar 1/9, since the eigenvalues are independent of it since the characteristic polynomial would just be scaled by a scalar, so the zeroes of it are the same.

With this, to get the eigenpairs of the covariance matrix C, we can just get the eigenpairs of  $9 \cdot C$ , since it does not matter, since we only need the eigenvectors and they will be normalized later anyways. We have to solve:

$$\begin{array}{lll} 0 & = & \det(9 \cdot C - \lambda I_{2 \times 2}) \\ & = & \det\left(\begin{bmatrix} 44 - \lambda & 40 \\ 40 & 56 - \lambda \end{bmatrix}\right) \\ & = & (44 - x)(56 - x) - 40 \cdot 40 \\ & = & x^2 - 100x + 864 \end{array}$$

This polynomial has solutions:

$$\lambda_1 = 50 + 2\sqrt{409} \wedge \lambda_2 = 50 - 2\sqrt{409}$$

With  $\lambda_1$  being the bigger eigenvalue, we know that the direction of biggest covariance is the eigenvector corresponding to  $\lambda_1$ .

On a side note, the eigenvector corresponding to  $\lambda_2$  must be orthogonal to the one corresponding to  $\lambda_1$ , since C is symmetric, this also makes more sense regarding what were calculating.

To get  $\lambda_1$ 's eigenvector, we have to solve:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 44 - \lambda_1 & 40 \\ 40 & 56 - \lambda_1 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} v_x \\ v_y \end{bmatrix}$$
 
$$= \begin{bmatrix} -(6 + 2\sqrt{409})v_x + 40v_y \\ 40v_x + (6 - 2\sqrt{409})v_y \end{bmatrix}$$

Which has infinite solutions, one being:

$$v = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\1/20(\sqrt{409} - 3) \end{bmatrix}$$

Which is our eigenvector. And with that being the direction of maximal covariance in X.

On a side note, you see all calculation in this subtask thus far would have been trivial, if X would have been centered already to begin with, since then we could just have took the first eigenvector in V from 1.1,this whole ordeal makes the hint "you may use your results from one subtask for the other" extremely misleading.

Now we have v to normalize v. The length of v is  $s := \sqrt{1 + 1/400 \cdot (\sqrt{409} - 3)^2} \approx 1.31971352$ , which has no further simplification.

Finally we get:

$$v_n = \frac{1}{s} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1\\ 1/20(\sqrt{409} - 3) \end{bmatrix}$$

As the normalized version.

According to the lecture, the transformation matrix that projects any point onto the corresponding line is  $v_n \times v_n^T = s^{-2} \cdot v \times v^T$  which is:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{2\sqrt{409}} & \frac{10}{\sqrt{409}} \\ \frac{10}{\sqrt{409}} & \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{2\sqrt{409}} \end{bmatrix}$$

Which is approximately:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0.57417 & 0.49447 \\ 0.49447 & 0.42583 \end{bmatrix}$$

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>I think we don't have to, since for  $\mathbf{s} \in \mathbb{R}$  we have  $(\mathbf{s} \cdot \mathbf{u}) \times (\mathbf{s} \cdot \mathbf{u}^T) = \mathbf{s}^2 \cdot \mathbf{u} \times \mathbf{u}^T$ , which means that the projected point would be still on the line, but just with different distance to (0,0), but the lecture suggests that we should.

### 2 TF-IDF

1. Vocabulary: ["fast", "car", "highway", "road", "bike", "wheel"]

2. term frequencies:

$oldsymbol{t}$	d=1	d=2	d=3	d=4
fast	0.2	0.4	0.2	0
car	0.4	0.4	0	0.25
highway	0.2	0	0.2	0
road	0.2	0	0.4	0
bike	0	0.2	0	0.25
wheel	0	0	0.2	0.5

3. document frequency:

$oldsymbol{t}$	#d containing $t$	IDF	
fast	3	$\log \frac{4}{3}$	
car	3	$\log \frac{4}{3}$	
highwa	y <b>2</b>	$\log \frac{4}{2} = \log 2$	
road	2	log(2)	
bike	2	log(2)	
wheel	2	log(2)	

4. calculating TF-IDF vectors:

t	d=1	d=2	d = 3	d=4
fast	0.025	0.05	0.025	0
car	0.05	0.05	0	0.031
highway	0.06	0	0.06	0
road	0.06	0	0.120	0
bike	0	0.06	0	0.075
wheel	0	0	0.06	0.151

Which gives us the following vectors for each d:

r(d=1) = (0.025, 0.05, 0.06, 0.06, 0, 0)

r(d=2) = (0.05, 0.05, 0, 0, 0.06, 0)

r(d=3) = (0.025, 0, 0.06, 0.12, 0, 0.06)

r(d=4) = (0, 0.031, 00, 0.075, 0.151)

## Network\_Embedding

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```
[294]: import numpy as np import matplotlib.pyplot as plt from IPython import display
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Network Embedding

### 0.1 Global Path Planning

Graph-search algorithms like Dijkstra or A\* can be used to plan paths in graphs from a start to a goal. If the cells of a grid map are represented as vertices of a graph with edges between the neighboring cells, graph-search algorithms can be used for robot path planning. For this exercise sheet we consider the 8-neighborhood of a cell (x, y), which is defined as the set of cells that are adjacent to (x, y) either horizontally, vertically or diagonally.

You can find an implementation of graph-based 2D path planning-framework at the end this notebook. Complete the missing pieces following the instructions below.

#### 0.2 Dijkstra Algorithm

The Dijkstra algorithm can be used to calculate minimum cost paths in a graph. During search, it always chooses the vertex from the graph with the lowest cost from the start and adds its neighboring vertices to the search graph.

• Let M (x, y) denote an occupancy grid map. During search, the grid cells are connected to their neighboring cells to construct the search graph. The function get\_neighborhood takes the coordinates of a cell and returns a n  $\times$  2 vector with the cell coordinates of its neighbors, considering the boundaries of the map.

```
cell -- cell coordinates as [x, y]
occ_map_shape -- shape of the occupancy map (nx, ny)
Output:
neighbors -- list of up to eight neighbor coordinate tuples [(x1, y1), (x2, y)]
\hookrightarrow y2), ...]
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neighbors = []
for i in [-1, 0, 1]:
  for j in [-1, 0, 1]:
    x = cell[0] + i
    y = cell[1] + j
    if x < 0 or x >= occ_map_shape[0]: continue
    if y < 0 or y >= occ_map_shape[1]: continue
    if i == 0 and j == 0: continue
    neighbors.append((x, y))
return neighbors
```

• get\_edge\_cost formulates a function for the edge costs between two cells that allows for planning of the shortest collision free path on the grid. It include occupancy information to prefer cells with low occupancy probability over cells with higher probability. We regard a cell as an obstacle if its occupancy probability exceeds a threshold of 0.5.

• The update step of the Dijkstra algorithm in run\_path\_planning. For the current parent node, we consider all of its neighbors and calculate their tentative distances from the start location (cost) and their predecessor in the grid. You are now ready to run the Dijkstra algorithm within the planning\_framework.\*

```
[297]: def update_step(x, y, costs, predecessors, parent, occ_map):
           In-place update of costs of predecessors for neighbours
           Arguments:
           x,y -- cell coordinates of child node
           costs -- costs[x,y] is the minimum currently know distance to cell at (x,y)
           parent -- cell coordinates as [x, y]
           predecessors -- predecessors [x,y] is the predecessors to cell at (x,y) on
        ⇔the best known path
           occ_map -- occupancy probability map
           Output:
           neighbors = get_neighborhood(parent, occ_map.shape)
           for child in neighbors:
               child_cost = costs[x, y] + get_edge_cost(parent, child, occ_map)
               if child_cost < costs[child]:</pre>
                   costs[child] = child_cost
                   predecessors[child] = parent
```

#### 0.3 Exercise: Reference Point Embedding

The A\* algorithm employs a heuristic to perform an informed search with higher efficiency than the Dijkstra algorithm.

• (a) Define a heuristic for optimal 2D mobile robot path planning. Complete the function get\_heuristic in the planning framework. The function takes the coordinates of a cell and the goal and returns the estimated costs to the goal. You are now ready to run the A\* algorithm with the planning\_framework.

The Euclidean distance gives a lower bound for the cost and therefore is a good heuristic. It is equivalent to the actual cost in case of a straight path along cells with zero cost.

• (b) What happens if you inflate your heuristic by using h2, which is a multiple of your defined heuristic h? Try different multiples:  $h2 = 1, 2, 5, 10 \cdot h$ 

#### 0.3.1 Answer:

• (c) Implement the reference-based graph embedding by filling in the stub of the function calculate\_embedding.

- This function should compute embeddings for the graph nodes using the reference-node based approach.
- (d) Fill in the stub function calculate\_network\_distance\_estimations.
  - This function should compute a lower bound of the network distance between nodes, utilizing the embedding generated in **Task** (c).

```
[298]: def get_heuristic(cell, goal, embedding = None):
          Estimate cost for moving from cell to goal based on heuristic.
          Arguments:
          cell, goal -- cell coordinates as [x, y]
          embedding -- optional. Pass the reference node embedding if network_{\sqcup}
       \hookrightarrow distance based estimation is to be applied
          Output:
          cost -- estimated cost
          def calculate_network_distance_estimations(embedding, cell, goal):
              # task d
              ''' to be quite honest, I have little to no idea what's the goal here
              the network based algorithm now produces a valid path - it may not be
              the shortest and certainly isn't the most cost efficient, but it's a_{\sqcup}
       ⇔path.'''
             cell = tuple(cell)
             goal_tuple = tuple(goal)
             cell_embedding = embedding[cell]
             goal_embedding = embedding[goal_tuple]
             return sum(abs(c-g) for c,g in zip(cell_embedding, goal_embedding))
              return 0
          heuristic = 0
          h2 = 1
          # network distance based
          if embedding is not None:
             heuristic = h2 * calculate_network_distance_estimations(embedding,_
       ⇔cell, goal)
          # linear distance based
          else:
              x1, y1 = cell
             x2, y2 = goal
             heuristic = ((x1-x2)**2 + (y1-y2)**2)**0.5
```

```
[]: def calculate_embedding(no_of_reference_nodes, occ_map):
       def shortest_path(ref_node, occ_map):
         # cost values for each cell, filled incrementally.
         # Initialize with infinity
         costs = np.ones(occ_map.shape) * np.inf
         # cells that have already been visited
         closed_flags = np.zeros(occ_map.shape)
         # store predecessors for each visited cell
         predecessors = -np.ones(occ_map.shape + (2,), dtype=int)
         # start search
         parent = ref_node
         costs[ref_node[0], ref_node[1]] = 0
         # loop until goal is found
         while True:
           # costs of candidate cells for expansion (i.e. not in the closed list)
           open_costs = np.where(closed_flags==1, np.inf, costs)
           # find cell with minimum cost in the open list
           x, y = np.unravel_index(open_costs.argmin(), open_costs.shape)
           # break loop if minimal costs are infinite (no open cells anymore)
           if open_costs[x, y] == np.inf:
             break
           # set as parent and put it in closed list
           parent = np.array([x, y])
           closed_flags[x, y] = 1
           # update costs and predecessor for neighbors
           update_step(x, y, costs, predecessors, parent, occ_map)
```

```
return costs
  #choose n random reference points
# task c
accessible cells = np.argwhere(occ map == 0)
ref_nodes = accessible_cells[np.random.choice(len(accessible_cells),_
→no_of_reference_nodes, replace = False)]
embedding = {}
              # store embeddings in dict
for ref_node in ref_nodes:
  cost = shortest_path(ref_node, occ_map)
  for x in range(occ_map.shape[0]):
    for y in range(occ_map.shape[1]):
      \#if \ occ\_map[x,y] == 0:
                                # only accessible cells
       if (x,y) not in embedding:
         embedding[(x,y)] = []
                              # embedding for each node stored in list
       embedding[(x,y)].append(cost[x,y])
return embedding
#inaccessible cells should not be reference points
return 0
```

## 1 Path Planning Framework

```
[300]: def plot_map(occ_map, start, goal):
    plt.imshow(occ_map.T, cmap=plt.cm.gray, interpolation='none', origin='upper')
    plt.plot([start[0]], [start[1]], 'ro')
    plt.plot([goal[0]], [goal[1]], 'go')
    plt.axis([0, occ_map.shape[0]-1, 0, occ_map.shape[1]-1])
    plt.xlabel('x')
    plt.ylabel('y')

def plot_expanded(expanded, occ_map, start, goal, clear=True):
    if np.array_equal(expanded, start) or np.array_equal(expanded, goal):
        return
```

```
plot_map(occ_map, start, goal)
  idx = expanded.nonzero()
 plt.plot(idx[0], idx[1], 'yo')
  #plt.show()
 plt.plot([start[0]], [start[1]], 'ro')
 plt.plot([goal[0]], [goal[1]], 'go')
 if clear:
    display.clear_output(wait=True)
    plt.pause(1e-8)
def plot_path(expanded, occ_map, path, start, goal):
  if np.array_equal(path, goal):
    return
 plot_map(occ_map, start, goal)
 plot_expanded(expanded, occ_map, start, goal, False)
 x = [xy[0] \text{ for } xy \text{ in } path]
 y = [xy[1] \text{ for } xy \text{ in } path]
 plt.plot(x, y, 'bo')
 plt.plot([goal[0]], [goal[1]], 'go')
  display.clear_output(wait=True)
 plt.pause(.01)
def plot_costs(cost):
 plt.figure()
 plt.title("Cost")
 plt.imshow(cost.T, cmap=plt.cm.gray, interpolation='none', origin='upper')
 plt.axis([0, cost.shape[0]-1, 0, cost.shape[1]-1])
 plt.xlabel('x')
 plt.ylabel('y')
def run_path_planning(occ_map, start, goal, h2_multiplier = 1,__

use heuristic=None):
  111
 This implements the
  - A* algorithm using linear distance (in case heuristic is "linear distance")
  - A* algorithm using reference node based network distance (in case heuristic\sqcup
 ⇔is "network_based")
  - Dikstra algorithm (in case heuristic is none of the above)
 plot_map(occ_map, start, goal)
```

```
# cost values for each cell, filled incrementally.
# Initialize with infinity
costs = np.ones(occ_map.shape) * np.inf
# cells that have already been visited
closed_flags = np.zeros(occ_map.shape)
# store predecessors for each visited cell
predecessors = -np.ones(occ_map.shape + (2,), dtype=int)
# heuristic for A*
heuristic = np.zeros(occ_map.shape)
# linear distance heuristic
if use_heuristic == "linear_distance":
 for x in range(occ_map.shape[0]):
   for y in range(occ_map.shape[1]):
     heuristic[x, y] = get_heuristic([x, y], goal)
# network distance heuristic usding reference nodes
elif use_heuristic == "network_based":
 no of reference nodes = 10
 embedding = calculate_embedding(no_of_reference_nodes, occ_map)
 for x in range(occ_map.shape[0]):
   for y in range(occ_map.shape[1]):
     heuristic[x, y] = get_heuristic([x, y], goal, embedding)
#Dijkstra - no heuristic
else:
 pass
# start search
parent = start
costs[start[0], start[1]] = 0
# loop until goal is found
while not np.array_equal(parent, goal):
  # costs of candidate cells for expansion (i.e. not in the closed list)
 open_costs = np.where(closed_flags==1, np.inf, costs) + heuristic
 # find cell with minimum cost in the open list
 x, y = np.unravel_index(open_costs.argmin(), open_costs.shape)
  # break loop if minimal costs are infinite (no open cells anymore)
```

```
if open_costs[x, y] == np.inf:
    break
  # set as parent and put it in closed list
 parent = np.array([x, y])
 closed_flags[x, y] = 1
  # update costs and predecessor for neighbors
 update_step(x, y, costs, predecessors, parent, occ_map)
  #visualize grid cells that have been expanded
 plot_expanded(closed_flags, occ_map, start, goal)
# rewind the path from goal to start (at start predecessor is [-1,-1])
if np.array_equal(parent, goal):
 path_length = 0
 path = []
 while predecessors[parent[0], parent[1]][0] >= 0:
   predecessor = predecessors[parent[0], parent[1]]
   path_length += np.linalg.norm(parent - predecessor)
   path.append(parent)
   parent = predecessor
   plot_path(closed_flags, occ_map, path, start, goal)
 print ("found goal : " + str(parent) )
 print ("cells expanded : " + str(np.count_nonzero(closed_flags)) )
 print ("path cost : " + str(costs[goal[0], goal[1]]) )
 print ("path length : " + str(path_length) )
else:
 print ("no valid path found")
#plot the costs
plot_costs(costs)
```

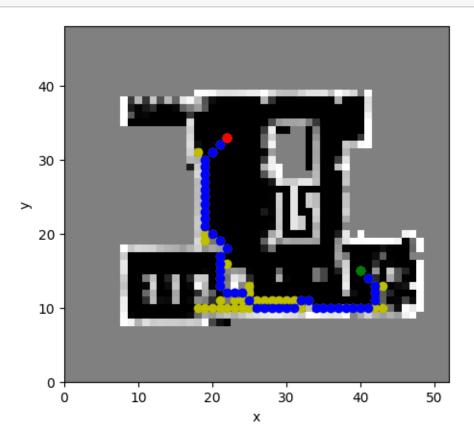
```
# load the occupancy map
occ_map = np.loadtxt('map.txt')

# start and goal position [x, y]
start = np.array([22, 33])
goal = np.array([40, 15])

run_path_planning(occ_map, start, goal)#, use_heuristic="linear_distance")
```

[]: #run A\* with linear distance heuristic run\_path\_planning(occ\_map, start, goal, use\_heuristic="linear\_distance")

[303]: #run A\* with network distance based heuristic
run\_path\_planning(occ\_map, start, goal, use\_heuristic="network\_based")



found goal : [22 33]

cells expanded : 73

path cost : 70.32856299236305
path length : 51.21320343559641

