

# Review

	A	P (or U, V)	D (or Σ)
① Diagonalizable $A = PDP^{-1}$	some square matrices	invertible	diagonal
② Orthogonally diagonalizable $A = PDP^T$	all symmetric matrices	orthogonal	diagonal
Singular value decomposition (SVD) ③ $A = U\Sigma V^T$	all matrices	orthogonal (U, V) D' diagonal positive	$\begin{bmatrix} D' & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

Finding an orthogonal diagonalization for any symmetric matrix:

Same for ①

Compute eigenvalues (characteristic polynomial)

Solve for a basis of each eigenspace

Note: if A is sym. the eigenspaces from distinct eigenvalues are orthogonal to each other.

Compare the algebraic & geometric multiplicities for every eigenvalues (No need here. they are always the same)

additional step for ②

Convert the previously found basis of each eigenspace into an orthonormal basis  
(Gram-Schmidt process + normalization)

Collect these vectors in every orthonormal basis together  $\rightarrow P$

Write the corresponding eigenvalue for each column vector of P  $\rightarrow D$

Finding a SVD for an arbitrary matrix  $A \in M_{m,n}$ :

Orthogonally diagonalize  $A^T A$  (a symmetric matrix)  $A^T A = PDP^T$

with  $D = \text{diag}(d_{11}, d_{22}, \dots, d_{nn})$

Set  $V = P$

$$\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} D'_{r \times r} & 0_{r \times (n-r)} \\ 0_{(m-r) \times r} & 0_{(m-r) \times (n-r)} \end{pmatrix}$$

where  $D' := \text{diag}(\sqrt{d_{11}}, \dots, \sqrt{d_{rr}})$

$d_{11} \geq d_{22} \geq \dots \geq d_{rr} \geq 0 = d_{(r+1)(r+1)} = \dots = d_{nn} = 0$

singular values

$$\sigma_1 = \sqrt{d_{11}}$$

(strictly positive)

$$\sigma_r = \sqrt{d_{rr}}$$

$$\text{Let } u_1 = \frac{1}{\sigma_1} A v_1$$

$$\text{Note: } A = U \Sigma V^T \quad U = (u_1 \dots u_m) \quad V = (v_1 \dots v_n)$$

then

$$U \Sigma = A V$$

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$$(\sigma_1 u_1 \dots \sigma_r u_r \ 0_{m \times n-r}) \quad (A v_1 \dots A v_n)$$

1-1 correspondence

Solve for  $u_2, \dots, u_r$ . i.e.

find an orthonormal basis of  $\text{Null}((u_1 \dots u_r)^T)$

$$\Leftrightarrow \text{----- of } (\text{Span}(u_1, \dots, u_r))^{\perp} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^m$$

$\Leftrightarrow$  extend  $\{u_1, \dots, u_r\}$  to be an orthonormal basis of  $\mathbb{R}^m$

**Remark:** The chosen  $\{u_1, \dots, u_r\}$  has already been orthonormal.

## Topics on Markov Chain

a sequence of probability vectors together with a stochastic matrix  $P$

$$x_0, x_1 = P x_0, x_2 = P x_1 = P^2 x_0, \dots, x_k = P x_{k-1} = P^k x_0, \dots$$

where probability vectors  $v = (v_i)_n$  satisfying  $v_i \geq 0 \ \forall i$  &  $\sum_i v_i = 1$

stochastic matrices  $P \in M_{n \times n}$  whose columns are probability vectors.

(This Markov chain is well-defined, since  $Pv$  is still a probability vector for any stochastic matrix  $P$  & probability vector  $v$ .

$$\text{Check: } \sum_i (Pv)_i = \sum_{i,j} P_{ij} v_j = \sum_j [v_j (\sum_i P_{ij})] = \sum_j v_j = 1. \quad (★)$$

Assume  $P$  is diagonalizable and has positive entries

$$\text{then } P = Q D Q^{-1}, \text{ where } D = \text{diag}(I_r, d_{r+1}, \dots, d_n) \quad (★)$$

$$1 > d_{r+1} \geq \dots \geq d_n > -1$$

$$\Rightarrow x_n = P^n x_0 = Q D^n Q^{-1} x_0$$

$$\text{Let } n \rightarrow \infty, \text{ then } D^n \rightarrow \text{diag}(I_r, 0) = \begin{pmatrix} I_r & 0_{r \times n-r} \\ 0_{(n-r) \times r} & 0_{(n-r) \times (n-r)} \end{pmatrix} =: D_\infty$$

$x_n \rightarrow x_\infty = Q D_\infty Q^{-1} x_0$  converges to a unique vector

$$\text{Moreover, } P x_\infty = Q D Q^{-1} Q D_\infty Q^{-1} x_0 = Q D_\infty Q^{-1} x_0 = x_\infty$$

i.e.  $x_\infty$  is an eigenvector associated to eigenvalue 1.

**Remark:** 1 is always an eigenvalue for stochastic matrices

Moreover, all eigenvalues for stochastic matrices are between -1 and 1.

If we further assume that the stochastic matrix has positive entries,  
then -1 is not an eigenvalue.

Therefore, (★) is valid.

**Proof:** Since  $P$  &  $P^T$  have the same eigenvalues, it suffices to show for  $P^T$ .

① Let  $v = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ , then  $P^T v = v$

$\Rightarrow v$  is an e.e.v. of  $P^T$  associated to e.v.a. 1.

② Now suppose  $P^T u = \lambda u$ , for  $u = \begin{pmatrix} u_1 \\ \vdots \\ u_n \end{pmatrix}$ . Let  $|u_k| \geq |u_i|, \forall i$  for some  $k$ .

Then  $\lambda u_k = \sum_j p_{jk} u_j \quad |\lambda| |u_k| \leq \sum_j p_{jk} |u_j| \leq |u_k| \sum_j p_{jk} = |u_k|$

$\Rightarrow |\lambda| \leq 1.$

③ The above equalities

hold iff  $u_1 = u_2 = \dots = u_n$

Let  $\tilde{u} = \frac{1}{u_1} u = \frac{1}{u_2} u = \dots = \frac{1}{u_n} u = v$

↑ we have used  $p_{ij} > 0$  here

then  $|\lambda| = 1$  iff  $v$  is an eigenvalue associated to  $\lambda$ .

But  $v$  is an eigenvector from eigenvalue 1, thus  $\lambda = 1$ .

1. A population of ants is put into a maze with 3 compartments labeled a, b, and c. If the ant is in compartment a, an hour later, there is a 20% chance it will go to compartment b, and a 40% chance it will go to compartment c. If it is in compartment b, an hour later, there is a 10% chance it will go to compartment a, and a 30% chance it will go to compartment c. If it is in compartment c, an hour later, there is a 50% chance it will go to compartment a, and a 20% chance it will go to compartment b. Suppose 100 ants has been placed in compartment a.

- Find the transition probability matrix  $\mathbf{A}$ . Show that it is a stochastic matrix.
- By diagonalizing  $\mathbf{A}$ , find the number of ants in each compartment after 3 hours.
- (MATLAB) We can use MATLAB to diagonalize the matrix  $\mathbf{A}$ . Type

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>> [P D]=eig(sym(A))
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The matrix  $\mathbf{P}$  will be an invertible matrix, and  $\mathbf{D}$  will be a diagonal matrix. Compare the answer with what you have obtained in (b).

1. (a)

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.4 & 0.1 & 0.5 \\ 0.2 & 0.6 & 0.2 \\ 0.4 & 0.3 & 0.3 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{stochastic matrix } \checkmark$$

(sums of rows are all 1)

(b)  $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{P} \mathbf{D} \mathbf{P}^{-1}$ , with  $\mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 4 \\ 1 & 0 & -5 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$   $\mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & \\ & -0.1 & \\ & & 0.4 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\mathbf{x}_3 = \mathbf{A}^3 \mathbf{x}_0 = \mathbf{P} \mathbf{D}^3 \mathbf{P}^{-1} \mathbf{x}_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 31.2 \\ 31.2 \\ 33.8 \end{pmatrix}$$

- In the long run (assuming no ants died), where will the majority of the ants be?
- Suppose initially the numbers of ants in compartments a, b and c are  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ , and  $\gamma$  respectively. What is the population distribution in the long run (assuming no ants died)?

(d)  $\mathbf{x}_n = \mathbf{A}^n \mathbf{x}_0 = \mathbf{P} \mathbf{D}^n \mathbf{P}^{-1} \mathbf{x}_0$

$$n \rightarrow \infty, \quad \mathbf{D}^n \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & \\ & 0 & \\ & & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{x}_n \rightarrow \mathbf{P} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & \\ & 0 & \\ & & 0 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{P}^{-1} \mathbf{x}_0 = \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 100 \\ 100 \\ 100 \end{pmatrix}$$

(e) Set  $\mathbf{x}_0 = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \\ \gamma \end{pmatrix}$ . then  $\mathbf{x}_n \rightarrow \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} \alpha + \beta + \gamma \\ \alpha + \beta + \gamma \\ \alpha + \beta + \gamma \end{pmatrix}$

2. By diagonalizing  $\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ , find a matrix  $\mathbf{B}$  such that  $\mathbf{B}^2 = \mathbf{A}$ .

2. By the argument shown in the Tutorial 9, we conclude

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{P}\mathbf{D}\mathbf{P}^{-1} \quad \text{with} \quad \mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & & \\ & 4 & \\ & & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Then } \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{P}\mathbf{D}\mathbf{P}^{-1} = \mathbf{P}\sqrt{\mathbf{D}} \cdot \sqrt{\mathbf{D}}\mathbf{P}^{-1} = (\underbrace{\mathbf{P}\sqrt{\mathbf{D}}\mathbf{P}^{-1}}_{\mathbf{B}})(\mathbf{P}\sqrt{\mathbf{D}}\mathbf{P}^{-1}) = \mathbf{B}^2$$

where  $\sqrt{\mathbf{D}} := \text{diag}(\sqrt{\lambda_1}, \dots, \sqrt{\lambda_n})$  for diagonal matrix  $\mathbf{D} = \text{diag}(\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n)$  ( $\lambda_i \geq 0$ )

$$\text{Here } \sqrt{\mathbf{D}} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & & \\ & 2 & \\ & & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{P}\sqrt{\mathbf{D}}\mathbf{P}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

3. For each of the following symmetric matrices  $\mathbf{A}$ , find an orthogonal matrix  $\mathbf{P}$  that orthogonally diagonalizes  $\mathbf{A}$ .

$$(a) \mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$(b) \mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 & -2 \\ 2 & -1 & 4 \\ -2 & 4 & -1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$3. (a) \det(\lambda I - \mathbf{A}) = (\lambda - 2)(\lambda - 4) \rightarrow \text{distinct eigenvalues}$$

$$\text{Solve } (2I - \mathbf{A})x = 0 \Rightarrow \text{basis of } E_2 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

$$\text{Solve } (4I - \mathbf{A})x = 0 \Rightarrow \text{basis of } E_4 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{normalization}} \mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{P}^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(b) \det(\lambda I - \mathbf{A}) = (\lambda + 6)(\lambda - 3)^2 \quad \lambda_1 = -6 \quad \lambda_2 = 3$$

$$\text{Solve } (-6I - \mathbf{A})x = 0 \Rightarrow \text{basis of } E_{-6} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

$$\text{Solve } (3I - \mathbf{A})x = 0 \Rightarrow \text{basis of } E_3 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

normalization ↓ G-S process

$$\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3\sqrt{5}} & -\frac{2}{3\sqrt{5}} \\ -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3\sqrt{5}} & \frac{2}{3\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{2}{3} & 0 & \frac{1}{3\sqrt{5}} \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{P}^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} -6 & & \\ & 3 & \\ & & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

4. (MATLAB) Let  $\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ .

(a) Find an orthogonal matrix  $\mathbf{P}$  that orthogonally diagonalizes  $\mathbf{A}$ , and compute  $\mathbf{P}^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{P}$ .

(b) We will use MATLAB to orthogonally diagonalize  $\mathbf{A}$ . Type

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>> A=[1 -2 0 0;-2 1 0 0;0 0 1 -2;0 0 -2 1];  
  
>> [P D]=eig(A);  
  
>> sym(P), sym(D)
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Compare the result with your answer in (a).

4. (a)  $\mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} & 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} & 0 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} & 0 & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} & 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} & 0 & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{P}^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & & & \\ & -1 & & \\ & & 3 & \\ & & & 3 \end{pmatrix}$

5. Find the SVD of the following matrices  $\mathbf{A}$ .

(a)  $\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \\ 2 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$

5. (a)  $\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 17 & 8 \\ 8 & 17 \end{pmatrix} \quad \det(\lambda \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A}) = (\lambda - 9)(\lambda - 25)$

singular values  $\sigma_1 = 5$ ,  $\sigma_2 = 3$ ,  $\sum = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

Orthogonally diagonalize  $\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{V} \begin{pmatrix} 25 & 0 \\ 0 & 9 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{V}^T \quad \mathbf{V} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \end{pmatrix} = (\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2)$

$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{U} \sum \mathbf{V}^T \quad \mathbf{U} = (\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3) \Rightarrow \mathbf{u}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \mathbf{A} \mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{u}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \mathbf{A} \mathbf{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \end{pmatrix}$

$\mathbf{u}_3$  satisfies  $\begin{cases} \mathbf{u}_1 \cdot \mathbf{u}_3 = \mathbf{u}_2 \cdot \mathbf{u}_3 = 0 & \text{i.e. } \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{u}_1^T \\ \mathbf{u}_2^T \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{u}_3 = 0 \\ \mathbf{u}_3 \cdot \mathbf{u}_3 = 1 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \mathbf{u}_3 = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{2}{3} \\ \frac{2}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} \end{pmatrix}$

(b)  $\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$

$\mathbf{U} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \end{pmatrix}$

(b) in (a)  $\mathbf{A}_b = \mathbf{U} \sum \mathbf{V}^T$ ,

so  $\mathbf{A}_b = \mathbf{A}_b^T = \mathbf{V} \sum^T \mathbf{U}^T \quad \sum^T = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$$(c) \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

(c)  $A$  is symmetric.  $A = P D P^T$

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & 0 & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$D = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & & \\ & 1 & \\ & & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Sigma \quad (d_{11} \geq d_{22} \geq \dots)$$

$$U = V = P$$

6. (MATLAB) Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} -18 & 13 & -4 & 4 \\ 2 & 19 & -4 & 12 \\ -14 & 11 & -12 & 8 \\ -2 & 21 & 4 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$ .

(a) Find a SVD of  $A$ .

(b) In MATLAB, type

`>> [U S V]=svd(A)`

Compare the result with your answer in (a).

6. (a) Similar as in 5,

$$A = U \Sigma V^T \quad \text{with} \quad U = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Sigma = \text{diag}(40, 20, 10, 0)$$

$$V = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{2}{5} & -\frac{4}{5} & -\frac{3}{5} & \frac{1}{5} \\ -\frac{4}{5} & -\frac{2}{5} & \frac{1}{5} & \frac{2}{5} \\ \frac{1}{5} & -\frac{3}{5} & \frac{4}{5} & -\frac{2}{5} \\ \frac{3}{5} & -\frac{1}{5} & -\frac{2}{5} & -\frac{4}{5} \end{pmatrix}$$