Math Recap

Clars - 113

1. Linear Algebra

2. (Brief) Vector Calculus

3. Probability Theory

Matrix Multiplications

• Let matrix $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times p}$ and $B \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times n}$, matrix-matrix multiplication can be defined as

$$C_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^{p} A_{ik} B_{kj}$$

the result matrix $C \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$

• Vectors can be viewed as matrices: $x \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times 1}$

$$y_i = \sum_{k=1}^p A_{ik} x_k$$

Matrix Multiplications

• Example: matrix-matrix multiplication:

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

• Example: matrix-vector multiplication:

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

Matrix Multiplications

$$\forall A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}, B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}, C, D \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times q}$$

• Associativity: (AB)C = A(BC)

• Distributivity:
$$(A + B)C = AC + BC$$

$$A(C + D) = AC + AD$$

• **NO** Commutativity: $AB \neq BA$ (Note).

Linear Systems

System of linear equations

$$a_{11}x_1 + \dots + a_{1n}x_n = b_1$$
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 $a_{m1}x_1 + \dots + a_{mn}x_n = b_m$

can be represented through matrix-vector multiplication:

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ \vdots \\ b_m \end{bmatrix}$$

Linear Systems Ax = b

 $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$, $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $b \in \mathbb{R}^m$: m equations, n variables

- m = n: Square Systems
 - Can have $0, 1, \infty$ solution(s).
- m < n: Underdetermined Systems
 - Typically have ∞ solutions.
- m > n: Overdetermined Systems
 - Linear Regression: least-squares solution $(\min ||Ax b||^2)$

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Linear Systems Ax = b

Square system <u>examples</u>:

$$\begin{array}{c}
2x + 3y = 5 \\
x + y = 3
\end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 4$$
$$y = -1$$

$$2x + 3y = 5$$
$$4x + 6y = 5$$

⇒ NO solutions

$$2x + 3y = 5$$
$$4x + 6y = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{5-3y}{2}, \forall y \in \mathbb{R}$$

Square system Ax = b has an **unique** solution.



A is **invertible**.



Ax = 0 only has trivial solution x = 0.

Invertibility and Determinant

- Matrix $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is called **invertible** if there exists $B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ s.t. AB = I = BA, B is then called the inverse of A, $B = A^{-1}$.
- $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is **invertible** or **nonsingular** if and only if it is square and full rank. Equivalently, having $\det(A) \neq 0$.
- $\det(A) : \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \to \mathbb{R}$ e.g. $\det \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix} = ad - cb$

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \end{vmatrix} = a_{11} \begin{vmatrix} a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} - a_{12} \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} + a_{13} \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix}$$

Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors

• Let $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ be a square matrix. $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ is an **eigenvalue** of A and $x \in \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}$ is the corresponding **eigenvector** if

$$Ax = \lambda x$$

 $\Leftrightarrow (A - \lambda I_n)x = 0$ has solutions other than x = 0.

 $\Leftrightarrow det(A - \lambda I_n) = 0$. (Polynomial of degree n)

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Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors

Example: find the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of

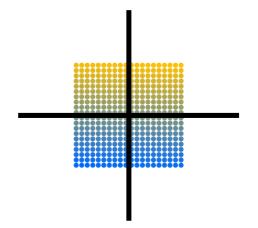
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors

Solution:

$$\lambda_1 = \frac{1}{2}, \qquad E_{\lambda_1} = \operatorname{span}\left\{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}\right\},$$

$$\lambda_2 = \frac{3}{2}, \qquad E_{\lambda_2} = \operatorname{span}\left\{\begin{bmatrix} 1\\1 \end{bmatrix}\right\}.$$

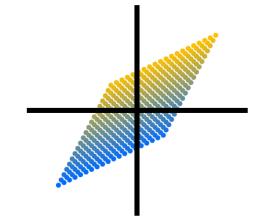




$$\lambda_1 = 0.5$$

$$\lambda_2 = 1.5$$

$$\det(\mathbf{A}) = 0.75$$



Eigendecomposition

$$A\begin{bmatrix} | & & | \\ x_1 & \cdots & x_n \\ | & & | \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} | & & | \\ x_1 & \cdots & x_n \\ | & & | \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & 0 \\ & \ddots & \\ 0 & & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$AP = PD$$

 $A = PDP^{-1}$ (if and only if eigenvectors of A form a basis of \mathbb{R}^n)

Eigendecomposition

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Eigendecomposition

$$A = PDP^{-1}$$

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{3}{2} \end{bmatrix}, \quad P = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad P^{-1} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
Optional, to form a set of (nice) normalized basis

Matrix Decompositions

• **Eigendecomposition**: $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, eigenvectors of A form a basis of \mathbb{R}^n

$$A = PDP^{-1}$$

• QR/QU Decomposition (from Gram-Schmidt process): $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

$$A = QU$$

• **LU** Decomposition (from Gaussian Elimination): $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$

$$A = LU$$

• Singular Value Decomposition (SVD):

 $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$, $U \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$, $V \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$. $\Sigma \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ is a diagonal matrix.

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

• Cholesky Decomposition: $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, symmetric and positive definite $A = LL^T$

Positive Definiteness of Matrices

• Symmetric: $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is symmetric if $A_{ij} = A_{ji}$, $\forall i, j \in [1, n]$.

e.g.
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
, $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & -1 & 5 \\ 3 & 5 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

• Symmetric Positive Definite: A Symmetric matrix $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is called symmetric, positive definite if

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}: \quad x^T A x > 0$$

If only \geq holds, A is called **symmetric**, **positive semidefinite**.

Positive Definiteness of Matrices

<u>Example</u>: find out whether the following matrix is symmetric positive definite

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 6 \\ 6 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

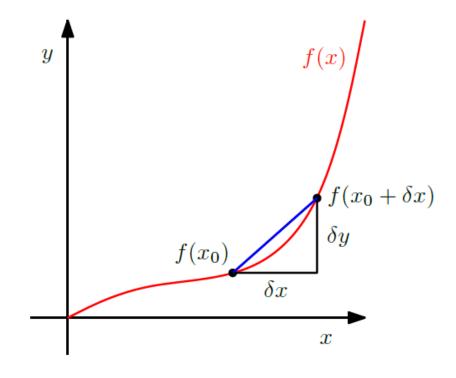
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<u>Derivative</u>: Let $f: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$, $x \to f(x)$, the **derivative** is defined as:

$$\frac{df}{dx} := \lim_{\delta x \to 0} \frac{f(x + \delta x) - f(x)}{\delta x}$$



<u>Partial Derivative</u>: Let $f: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}$, $x \to f(x)$, $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ of n variables, the **partial derivative** is defined as:

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i} := \lim_{\delta x \to 0} \frac{f(x_1, \dots, x_i + \delta x, \dots x_n) - f(x_1, \dots, x_i, \dots x_n)}{\delta x}$$

Gradient: Collect partial derivatives of all variables and form a row vector

$$\nabla f = \operatorname{grad} f = \frac{df}{dx} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} & \dots & \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_n} \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times 1}$$

<u>Jacobian</u>: Let $f: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^m$, $x \to f(x)$, $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $f(x) \in \mathbb{R}^m$, stacking all the gradient of components of f(x) into a matrix:

$$J = \frac{df(x)}{dx} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{df_1(x)}{dx} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{df_m(x)}{dx} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{df_1(x)}{dx_1} & \dots & \frac{df_1(x)}{dx_n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \frac{df_m(x)}{dx_1} & \dots & \frac{df_m(x)}{dx_n} \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -\nabla f_{1}^{T} - \\ -\nabla f_{2}^{T} - \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$$

• Derivative:
$$f: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$$
, $\frac{df}{dx} \in \mathbb{R}$

• Gradient:
$$f: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}$$
, $\nabla f \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

• Jacobian: $f: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^m$, $J \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$

$$D_{x}^{2}f = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial^{2}f}{\partial x_{i}\partial x_{j}} \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \text{Herrison of } f''$$

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$$(D_n f) = \nabla f^{T}$$
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Chain Rule

• Real-valued functions: $f, g: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}, x \to f(x), x \to g(x)$

$$\frac{dg(f(x))}{dx} = \frac{dg(f(x))}{df(x)} \frac{df(x)}{dx}$$

• Multi-variable functions: $f: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^m$, $x \to f(x)$, $g: \mathbb{R}^m \to \mathbb{R}$, $x \to g(x)$

$$\frac{dg(f(x))}{dx} = \frac{dg(f(x))}{df(x)} \frac{df(x)}{dx}$$

$$1 \times n \qquad 1 \times m \qquad m \times n$$

Think in terms of Df: Jacobian.

More Complicated Derivatives

- Derivative of Matrices
- Higher-order Derivatives

[See references]

Matrix Cookbook

1 Basics

$$(\mathbf{A}\mathbf{B})^{-1} = \mathbf{B}^{-1}\mathbf{A}^{-1}$$

$$(\mathbf{A}\mathbf{B}\mathbf{C}...)^{-1} = ...\mathbf{C}^{-1}\mathbf{B}^{-1}\mathbf{A}^{-1}$$

$$(\mathbf{A}^{T})^{-1} = (\mathbf{A}^{-1})^{T}$$

$$(\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B})^{T} = \mathbf{A}^{T} + \mathbf{B}^{T}$$

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2.4 Derivatives of Matrices, Vectors and Scalar Forms

2.4.1 First Order

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{a}}{\partial \mathbf{x}} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{a}^T \mathbf{x}}{\partial \mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{a} \tag{69}$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{a}^T \mathbf{X} \mathbf{b}}{\partial \mathbf{X}} = \mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}^T \tag{70}$$

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$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{X}}{\partial X_{ij}} = \mathbf{J}^{ij} \tag{73}$$

$$\frac{\partial (\mathbf{X}\mathbf{A})_{ij}}{\partial X_{mn}} = \delta_{im}(\mathbf{A})_{nj} = (\mathbf{J}^{mn}\mathbf{A})_{ij}$$
 (74)

$$\frac{\partial (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{A})_{ij}}{\partial X_{mn}} = \delta_{in}(\mathbf{A})_{mj} = (\mathbf{J}^{nm} \mathbf{A})_{ij}$$
 (75)

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Probability Space (Ω, \mathcal{A}, P)

• Sample Space Ω : set of all possible outcomes of an experiment

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• Random Variable X: A function/mapping $X: \Omega \to \mathcal{T}$. We are interested in the probabilities on elements of \mathcal{T} .

Probability Space (Ω, \mathcal{A}, P)

Example: tossing coins

- Experiment: tossing coins for two consecutive times.
- Sample Space: $\Omega = \{hh, tt, ht, th\}$ (h for head and t for tails)
- Random Variable: X maps the event to number of heads. $\mathcal{T} = \{0,1,2\}$. X(hh) = 2, X(tt) = 0, X(ht) = X(th) = 1
- Probabilities (on \mathcal{T}): P(X = 0) = 0.25, P(X = 1) = 0.5, P(x = 2) = 0.25

PDF and CDF

• Probability Density Function (PDF):

$$f: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R} \text{ s.t. } \forall x \in \mathbb{R}, f(x) \ge 0 \text{ and } \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(x) dx = 1$$

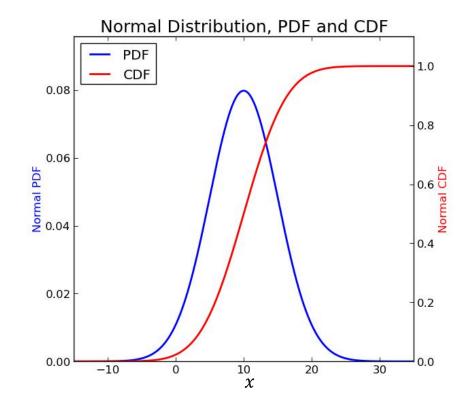
We can associate a random variable X with PDF:

$$P(a \le X \le b) = \int_{a}^{b} f(x)dx$$

• <u>Cumulative Distribution Function(CDF)</u>:

$$F_X(x) = P(X \le x)$$

$$F_X(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x f(z)dz, \qquad f(x) = \frac{dF_X(x)}{dx}$$



Joint Distribution

Let X, Y be two random variables over the same probability space.
 Joint distribution is defined as

$$F_{X,Y}(x,y) = P(X \le x, Y \le y)$$

joint density:

$$f(x,y) = \frac{\partial^2 F_{X,Y}(x,y)}{\partial x \partial y}$$

Marginalization:

$$f_X(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, y) dy$$
, $F_X(x) = F_{X,Y}(x, \infty)$

Independence

Two events A and B are independent if

$$P(A \cap B) = P(A)P(B)$$

• Two Random Variables *X* and *Y* are independent if their joint distribution function factorizes, i.e.

$$F_{X,Y}(x,y) = F_X(x)F_Y(y)$$

Conditional Probability

Probability of *A* given *B* has occurred:

$$P(A|B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)}$$

- Laws regarding conditional probability:
 - Law of total probability: $P(B) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} P(B|A_i)P(A_i)$
 - Bayes Rule: $P(A|B) = P(B|A) \frac{P(A)}{P(B)}$
 - Chain Rule: $P(A_1, ..., A_n) = P(A_1)P(A_2|A_1)P(A_3|A_1, A_2) \cdots P(A_n|A_1, ..., A_{n-1})$

[See references]



Expectation

• The **expected value** of a function $g: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ of a univariate continuous random variable $X \sim p(x)$ is given by

$$\mathbb{E}_{X}[g(x)] = \int_{\mathcal{X}} g(x)p(x)dx$$

The mean of a random variable X is defined as

$$\mathbb{E}_X[x] = \int_{\mathcal{X}} x p(x) dx$$

• Linearity:

$$\mathbb{E}_X[af(x) + bg(x)] = a\mathbb{E}_X[f(x)] + b\mathbb{E}_X[g(x)]$$

(Co)variance

• Covariance between two univariate random variables $X, Y \in \mathbb{R}$: $Cov_{X,Y}[x,y] = \mathbb{E}_{X,Y}[(x-\mathbb{E}_X[x])(y-\mathbb{E}_Y[y])] = \mathbb{E}[xy] - \mathbb{E}[x]\mathbb{E}[y]$

Variance is the covariance with itself:

$$\mathbb{V}[x] = Cov_{X,X}[x,x] = \mathbb{E}_X[(x - \mathbb{E}_X[x])^2] = \mathbb{E}_X[x^2] - \mathbb{E}_X[x]^2$$

NOT Linear:

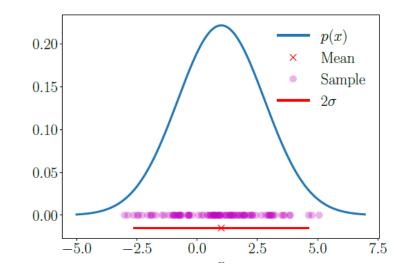
$$\mathbb{V}[x+y] = \mathbb{V}[x] + \mathbb{V}[y] + Cov[x,y] + Cov[y,x]$$

Guassian (Normal) Distribution

The Gaussian distribution has a density

$$p(x|\mu,\sigma^2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} \exp\left(-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right)$$

Denoted as $X \sim N(x|\mu, \sigma^2)$



PDF, CDF, Joint distribution, Expectation, Covariance, Gaussian Distribution can all be **extended** with some efforts to **higher dimensions**.

[see references]

References

- Mathematics for Machine Learning
- Matrix Cookbook

End of Presentation

Start of Q&A Session