

Correction

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4.1

$y = ax + b \rightarrow$ solve for a & x

$$\min_x \sum (y_i - ax_i - b_i)^2 \leftrightarrow \min_x \left\| \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} y \\ \vdots \\ y \end{bmatrix}}_b - \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} x & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ x & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_A \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}}_x \right\|_2^2$$

Based on least squares:

$$\begin{bmatrix} a^* \\ b^* \end{bmatrix} = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T Y$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad b = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad x = \begin{bmatrix} a^* \\ b^* \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a^* \\ b^* \end{bmatrix} = \left(\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right)^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \left(\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right)^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

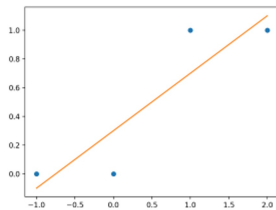
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{10} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{10} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{4}{10} \\ \frac{3}{10} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore a = \frac{4}{10}, \quad b = \frac{3}{10}$$



4.2

Exercise 6.3 (Lotka's law and least squares) Lotka's law describes the frequency of publication by authors in a given field. It states that $X^a Y = b$, where X is the number of publications, Y the relative frequency of authors with X publications, and a and b are constants

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1. Show how to find the values of a, b according to a linear least-squares criterion. Make sure to define the least-squares problem involved precisely.
2. Is the solution always unique? Formulate a condition on the data points that guarantees unicity.

$$X^a Y = b$$

$$\text{least square: } \min \|\vec{b} - A\vec{x}\|_2^2$$

$$\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} b \\ x^a \end{bmatrix}$$

↖ I want $X^a Y = b$ in the form $\vec{b} = A\vec{x}$ with \vec{x} relating to a & b

$$X^a Y = b$$

$$X_2 Y = X_1$$

$$0 = X_1 - X_2 Y \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & Y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ -X_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\min \left\| \begin{bmatrix} 1 & Y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ -X_2 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\|_2^2$$

$$X^* = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T b$$

$$= \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & Y_1 \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & Y_m \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} 1 & Y_1 \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & Y_m \end{bmatrix} \right)^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & Y_1 \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & Y_m \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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4.3

$$1. \quad Y = \frac{\beta_1 X}{\beta_2 + X}$$

$$\frac{1}{Y} = \frac{\beta_2 + X}{\beta_1 X} = \frac{\frac{1}{X}(\beta_2 + X)}{\frac{1}{X}\beta_1 X} = \frac{\beta_2 \left(\frac{1}{X}\right) + 1}{\beta_1}$$

$$\frac{1}{Y} = \frac{\beta_2}{\beta_1} \left(\frac{1}{X}\right) + \frac{1}{\beta_1}$$

$$2. \quad \min \sum_{i=1}^m \left(\frac{1}{Y} - \frac{\beta_2}{\beta_1} \frac{1}{X} - \frac{1}{\beta_1} \right)^2$$

$$\min \left\| \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{Y_1} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{1}{Y_m} \end{bmatrix}}_b - \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{X} & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_A \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \frac{\beta_2}{\beta_1} \\ \beta_1 \end{bmatrix}}_x \right\|_2^2$$

$$\underbrace{\| \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{x} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{1}{x_m} \end{bmatrix} \|}_b \underbrace{\quad}_A \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \beta_1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1}}_x$$

$$X^* = \begin{bmatrix} \beta_2 \\ \beta_1 \end{bmatrix} = \left(\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{x} & 1 \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{x} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right)^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{x} & 1 \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{x_1} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{1}{x_m} \end{bmatrix}$$

3. If y or x are close to zero, then
You'll get really weird results since
its dividing by ≈ 0

4.4

$$A^+ y = V_r \Sigma^{-1} U_r^T = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T$$

must satisfy $A^T A x^* = A^T y$

$$A^+ = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T$$

$$A^T A (A^T A)^{-1} A^T y$$

$$= I A^T y$$

$$= A^T y$$

$$(U_r \Sigma V_r^T)^T (U_r \Sigma V_r^T) (V_r \Sigma^{-1} U_r^T) y$$

$$= (U_r \Sigma V_r^T)^T y$$

$$= A^T y$$

b) i) $x^* = A^+ y = (V_r \Sigma^{-1} U_r^T) y = (A A^T)^{-1} A^T y$

Since A^+ is based on A

$$A^+ \in R(A)$$

Since $A^+ \in R(A)$,

$$A^+ y \in R(A)$$

$$x^* \in R(A) \text{ always}$$

ii) Does x^* satisfy $A x^* = y$

$$A x^* = A (A A^T)^{-1} A^T y$$

$$= A A^T (A A^T)^{-1} y$$

$$= y$$

this depends on if the matrix A is full rank,

or else you cannot simply commute A^T
to the other side

c) $x^* = A^+ y$ where $\text{Rank}(A) = r < \min$

4.5

a) $f = ma \quad m=1$

$\hookrightarrow a = \frac{f}{m}$

$$\dot{x}(t) = \dot{x}(0) + at = \dot{x}(0) + \frac{f}{m}(t)$$

$$x(t) = x(0) + \dot{x}(0) \cdot t + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{f}{m} \right) t^2$$

discrete time:

$$x[n+1] = x[n] + \dot{x}[n] + \frac{1}{2} p_n$$

$$\dot{x}[n+1] = \dot{x}[n] + p_n$$

b) From lecture

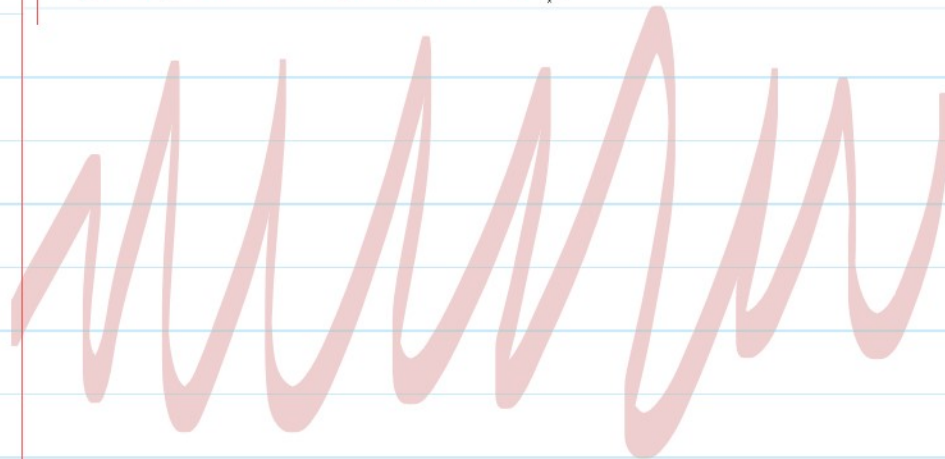
$$p^* = C^T (C C^T)^{-1} (X_{des} - A^{10} x_{init})$$

$$C = [A^9 B \quad A^8 B \quad A^7 B \quad A^6 B \quad A^5 B \quad A^4 B \quad A^3 B \quad A^2 B \quad A^1 B \quad B]$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} ? \\ ? \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2.5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} ? \\ ? \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3.5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



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