

# **Compare two semi-supervised tensor regression model with covariate matrix**

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# 1 Show the equivalence between two models

In the Gaussian-response case, consider the response tensor  $Y \in \mathbb{R}^{d_1 \times d_2 \times d_3}$  and a covariate matrix  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{d_1 \times p}$ ,  $d_1 \ll p$ . The model 3 in my previous is:

$$\mathbb{E}Y = U \times_1 M_1 \times_2 M_2 \times_3 M_3, A = M_1 W \quad (1)$$

where  $U \in \mathbb{R}^{r_1 \times r_2 \times r_3}$ ,  $M_1 \in \mathbb{R}^{d_1 \times r_1}$ ,  $M_2 \in \mathbb{R}^{d_2 \times r_2}$ ,  $M_3 \in \mathbb{R}^{d_3 \times r_3}$ ,  $W \in \mathbb{R}^{r_1 \times p}$ .

**WTS model 3 is equal to the model below:**

$$\mathbb{E}Y = B \times_1 A = Q \times_1 N_1 \times_2 N_2 \times_3 N_3 \times_1 A \quad (2)$$

where  $B \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times d_2 \times d_3}$ ,  $Q \in \mathbb{R}^{r_1 \times r_2 \times r_3}$ ,  $N_1 \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times r_1}$ ,  $N_2 \in \mathbb{R}^{d_2 \times r_2}$ ,  $N_3 \in \mathbb{R}^{d_3 \times r_3}$ .

**First:** Notice that the estimate of the expectation response tensor would be the same, so to show the equivalence, we should find  $Q, N_1, N_2, N_3$  subject to:

$$Q \times_1 N_1 \times_2 N_2 \times_3 N_3 \times_1 A = U \times_1 M_1 \times_2 M_2 \times_3 M_3, \text{ where } A = M_1 W$$

**Second:** Notice that the model should be the same on mode 2 and mode 3, so we can easily conclude that  $M_2 = N_2, M_3 = N_3$ .

**Third:** Notice that in (1), the expectation response tensor is decomposed by tucker with  $r_1$  on mode 1. Therefore, it is reasonable to say that  $\text{rank}(A)$  should be larger than or equal to  $r_1$ . And because  $A = M_1 W$ ,  $\text{rank}(M_1) = r_1$ ,  $\text{rank}(A) \leq \min\{\text{rank}(M_1), \text{rank}(W)\}$ , so  $\text{rank}(A)$  should be  $r_1$ , thus  $\text{rank}(W) = r_1$ .

Therefore, we can find a row operation matrix  $P \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times p}$  and decompose  $PW^T$  as :

$$PW^T = \begin{bmatrix} W_b \\ W_n \end{bmatrix}$$

where  $W_b \in \mathbb{R}^{r_1 \times r_1}$ ,  $W_n \in \mathbb{R}^{(p-r_1) \times r_1}$ , and  $\text{rank}(W_b) = r_1$ . Then we can construct  $N_1^T$  as:

$$N_1^T = [W_b^{-1}, 0]P$$

Therefore,

$$N_1^T W^T = [W_b^{-1}, 0]P P^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} W_b \\ W_n \end{bmatrix} = I_{r_1 \times r_1}$$

And let  $Q = U$ , we can get:

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{E}Y &= Q \times_1 N_1 \times_2 N_2 \times_3 N_3 \times_1 A \\
&= U \times_1 N_1 \times_2 M_2 \times_3 M_3 \times_1 (M_1 W) \\
&= U \times_1 (M_1 W) N_1 \times_2 M_2 \times_3 M_3 \\
&= U \times_1 M_1 \times_2 M_2 \times_3 M_3, \text{ where } A = M_1 W
\end{aligned}$$

So we can conclude that these two model are equivalent.

## 2 Compare model 3 with the model in

### *Supervised multiway factorization*

Under the settings in last part:

**Model 3:**(Consider the error in the linear regression part is 0)

$$Y = U \times_1 M_1 \times_2 M_2 \times_3 M_3 + \mathbb{E}, \quad A = M_1 W$$

where  $\mathbb{E} \in \mathbb{R}^{d_1 \times d_2 \times d_3}$  is a error tensor with independent normal entries.

**Model in the paper(model 4):**

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{X} &= [U, V_1, \dots, V_k] + \mathbb{E}, \quad U = YB + F \\
\Leftrightarrow \mathbb{X} &= C \times_0 U \times_1 V_1 \cdots \times_k V_k + \mathbb{E}, \quad U = YB + F
\end{aligned}$$

Transfer the model in our notation and settings:

$$Y = C \times_1 M_1 \times_2 M_2 \times_3 M_3 + \mathbb{E}, \quad M_1 = AV + F$$

where  $C \in \mathbb{R}^{r \times r \times r}$  which is a identity tensor and  $M_i \in \mathbb{R}^{d_i \times r}, i = 1, 2, 3$ ,  $V \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times r}$ ,  $F \in \mathbb{R}^{d_1 \times r}$  and each row of  $F$  are identically and independently distributed in multivariate normal distribution.

- **Similarity:** In these two models, the factorization parts are all semi-supervised under the covariate matrix  $A$  through a linear regression way.

And as the last section says, the model 3 can be equivalent in another way:

$$\mathbb{E}Y = B \times_1 A$$

And easily, in the model 4, we can get:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{E}Y &= C \times_1 (AB) \times_2 M_2 \times_3 M_3 \\ &= \tilde{B} \times_1 A\end{aligned}$$

- **Difference:** Obviously, the first trivial difference is model 3 use tucker decomposition and model 4 use CP factorization, which leads to the tucker form  $B$  and CP factorization form  $\tilde{B}$ .

The main difference between the two models should be the different formula of linear regression part. In model 3, we regard the covariate matrix as the response while in model 4 we regard the covariate matrix as the explanatory matrix.