

CFerrari_Assignment4

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Problem Set 1

In this problem, we'll verify using R that SVD and Eigenvalues are related as worked out in the weekly module. Given a 3×2 matrix A

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ -1 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

```
A <- matrix(c(1,-1,2,0,3,4),nrow=2)
```

write code in R to compute $X = AA^T$

```
X <- A %*% t(A)
```

and $Y = A^T A$

```
Y <- t(A) %*% A
```

using the built-in commands in R.

Then, compute the left-singular, singular values, and right-singular vectors of A using the `svd` command. Examine the two sets of singular vectors and show that they are indeed eigenvectors of X and Y . In addition, the two non-zero eigenvalues (the 3rd value will be very close to zero, if not zero) of both X and Y are the same and are squares of the non-zero singular values of A .

$$\begin{aligned} A &= U\Sigma V^T \\ A^T A &= V\Sigma^T \Sigma V^T = Y \\ AA^T &= U\Sigma \Sigma^T U^T = X \end{aligned}$$

U

```
usvd <- svd(A)$u
```

```
ueig <- eigen(X)$vectors
```

V

```
vsvd <- cbind(svd(A)$v,c(0,0,0))
```

```
veig <- cbind(eigen(Y)$vectors[,1:2],c(0,0,0))
```

Σ

```
ssvd <- matrix(c(svd(A)$d[1],0,0,svd(A)$d[2],0,0),nrow=2)

ssueig <- matrix(c(sqrt(eigen(X)$values[1]),0,0,sqrt(eigen(X)$values[2]),0,0),nrow=2)

ssveig <- matrix(c(sqrt(eigen(Y)$values[1]),0,0,sqrt(eigen(Y)$values[2]),0,0),nrow=2)
```

FullDecomposition

```
usvd %*% ssvd %*% t(vsvd)
```

```
##      [,1]      [,2] [,3]
## [1,]    1 2.000000e+00    3
## [2,]   -1 1.110223e-16    4
```

```
ueig %*% ssueig %*% t(veig)
```

```
##      [,1]      [,2] [,3]
## [1,]    1 2.000000e+00    3
## [2,]   -1 -9.992007e-16    4
```

Problem Set 2

Using the procedure outlined in section 1 of the weekly handout, write a function to compute the inverse of a well-conditioned full-rank square matrix using co-factors. In order to compute the co-factors, you may use built-in commands to compute the determinant. Your function should have the following signature:

$B = \text{myinverse}(A)$

where A is a matrix and B is its inverse and $A \times B = I$. The off-diagonal elements of I should be close to zero, if not zero. Likewise, the diagonal elements should be close to 1, if not 1. Small numerical precision errors are acceptable but the function `myinverse` should be correct and must use co-factors and determinant of A to compute the inverse. Please submit PS1 and PS2 in an R-markdown document with your first initial and last name.

First, I'm going to create a function called `cofactorize`.

This will take in a matrix M , indices i and j , and return the cofactor as a numeric

```
cofactorize <- function(M, i, j){

  return((-1)^(i+j) * det(M[-i,-j]))

}
```

Next, I'll use a for loop to build my cofactor matrix: C

I really wanted to avoid using a for loop for this... but I just could not find a way to get my functions to iterate their way through vectors rather than accept the vectors as arguments.

For example: Ideally I wanted to just use `cofactorize` like this:

```
cofactor(M, 1:nrow(M), 1:ncol(M))
```

but, when I do this, my function would interpret $\det(M[-i,-j])$ as an empty matrix, rather than iterating through i and j to give me what I wanted. I'll see what the forums have to say on this... I spent quite a bit of time trying to get some sort of apply or ply function to work to no avail.

```
# Example M

M <- matrix(c(1,2,3,4,9,6,7,8,9),nrow=3)

C <- matrix(nrow=nrow(M), ncol=ncol(M))

for(i in 1:nrow(M)){
  for(j in 1:ncol(M)){
    C[i,j] <- cofactorize(M, i, j)
  }
}
```

After this, I can just divide the result by the determinant of M to get my inverse:

```
MInv <- t(C)/det(M)
```

Now, I can put this all together in a function:

```
myinverse <- function(M){

  C <- matrix(nrow=nrow(M), ncol=ncol(M))

  for(i in 1:nrow(M)){
    for(j in 1:ncol(M)){
      C[i,j] <- cofactorize(M, i, j)
    }
  }

  return(t(C)/det(M))

}
```