

LINEAR ALGEBRA

Least Squares

$$\min_{\vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n} \|A\vec{x} - \vec{y}\|_2^2 : \vec{x}^* = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T \vec{y}$$

cond: A has full col rank
 $\vec{y} \in \mathbb{R}^m$

Norms

$f: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ a norm if

1. $f(\vec{x}) \geq 0$
2. $f(\alpha \vec{x}) = |\alpha| f(\vec{x})$
3. $f(\vec{x} + \vec{y}) \leq f(\vec{x}) + f(\vec{y})$

l_p Norms

$$\|\vec{x}\|_p = \left(\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^p \right)^{1/p}$$

$$\|\vec{x}\|_\infty = \max |x_i|$$

$$\|\vec{x}\|_2 = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2}$$

Cauchy-Schwarz Inequality

$$|\vec{x}^T \vec{y}| \leq \|\vec{x}\|_2 \|\vec{y}\|_2 \quad (\text{max when } \theta = 0)$$

Gram-Schmidt Algorithm

1. $\text{span}\{a_i\} = \text{span}\{q_i\}$
2. $\{q_i\}$ orthonormal set

Steps

$$q_1 = \frac{\vec{a}_1}{\|\vec{a}_1\|}$$

$$p_2 = (a_2^T q_1) q_1$$

$$s_2 = a_2 - p_2$$

$$q_2 = \frac{s_2}{\|s_2\|}$$

$$s_k = a_k - (a_k^T q_1) q_1 - (a_k^T q_2) q_2 - \dots - (a_k^T q_{k-1}) q_{k-1}$$

QR Decomposition

$$A = Q R$$

Orthonormal Upper Triangular

cond: A has full col rank

FTLA

$$\bullet N(A) \oplus R(A^T) = \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$\bullet N(A^T) \oplus R(A) = \mathbb{R}^m$$

$$\bullet S \oplus S^\perp = \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$\text{if } U \oplus V = \mathbb{R}^n, \quad \vec{x} = \underbrace{\vec{x}_1}_{\in U} + \underbrace{\vec{x}_2}_{\in V}$$

Min-Norm Solution

$$\min_{\vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n} \|\vec{x}\|_2 : \vec{x}^* = A^T (A A^T)^{-1} \vec{y}$$

$$\text{st. } A\vec{x} = \vec{y}$$

cond: A has full ROW rank (wide) $\begin{bmatrix} A \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \vec{x} \\ \vec{b} \end{bmatrix}$
 pick 1 from ∞ soln

$(A^T A)$ invertible when A is full c rank

Orthonormal set $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$

$\hookrightarrow v_i$ has norm 1

$\hookrightarrow v_i \perp$ to all v_j

$$P^{-1} P = I$$

$$\det(I) = 1$$

$$\left\| \begin{bmatrix} \vec{v} \\ \vec{w} \end{bmatrix} \right\|_2^2 = \|\vec{v}\|_2^2 + \|\vec{w}\|_2^2$$

A full rank \Rightarrow trivial nullspace

A not full rank \Rightarrow non-trivial nullspace

$$\text{proj}_{\vec{x}} = \langle \vec{z}, \vec{x} \rangle \vec{x}$$

$$\|\vec{x}\| = 1$$

Orthonormal Matrix Q

$$Q^T Q = I$$

$$Q = Q^T$$

$$Q^T = Q^{-1} \text{ if } Q \text{ is square}$$

Symmetric Matrices

Symmetric if

1. A is square
2. $A = A^T$

Properties

1. Real eigenvalues
2. Diagonalizable

Spectral Theorem

1. Real eigenvalues
2. Eigenspaces orthonormal
3. A orthogonally diagonalizable

$$A = U \Lambda U^T$$

$\underbrace{\quad}_{\text{diagonal}} \underbrace{\quad}_{\text{orthonormal}}$

(λ_i, u_i) : (eigenvalue, eigenvector)

Anything of form
 $A^T A, A A^T$ is symmetric

Diagonalizability

- ↳ When A is square
- ↳ When algebraic = geometric
 $m \quad m$

Orthonormal

- ↳ $A^T = A^{-1}$
- ↳ $A^T A = I$
- ↳ Doesn't affect norm

Rayleigh Quotient

$$\lambda_{\max}\{A\} = \max_{\|\vec{x}\|=1} \vec{x}^T A \vec{x}$$

$$\lambda_{\min}\{A\} = \min_{\|\vec{x}\|=1} \vec{x}^T A \vec{x}$$

A is symmetric

Positive Semidefinite

PSD if

1. A is symmetric
2. $\vec{x}^T A \vec{x} \geq 0$
3. Every eigenvalue is ≥ 0

Properties

1. $B^{1/2} = A, B$ exists

PCA, SVD

PCA

$$\begin{aligned} \min_w (\text{err}(w_i)) &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \|x_i - w_i(w_i^T x_i)\|_2^2 \\ &= \lambda_{\max} \left\{ \frac{X^T X}{n} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

SVD

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

Compact:

$$A = \underbrace{U_r}_{m \times r} \underbrace{\Sigma_r}_{r \times r} \underbrace{V_r^T}_{r \times n}$$

Full:

$$A = \underbrace{U}_{m \times m} \underbrace{\Sigma}_{m \times n} \underbrace{V^T}_{n \times n}$$

Dyadic:

$$A = \sum_{i=1}^r \sigma_i u_i v_i^T$$

→ U : orthonormal

left singular

rotation / reflection

→ Σ : singular values

diagonal, all ≥ 0

$\sigma_i = \sqrt{\lambda_i}$ of $A^T A$

scaling

→ V^T : orthonormal

right singular

v_i of $A^T A$

rotation / reflection

add basis

LOW RANK APPROX

Frobenius Norm

$$\|A\|_F = \sqrt{\sum_i \sum_j A_{ij}^2}$$

$$\|A\|_F^2 = \text{tr}(A^T A)$$

$$\|UAV\|_F = \|A\|_F, \quad U, V \text{ orthonormal}$$

$$\|A\|_F^2 = \sum_{i=1}^r \sigma_i^2$$

$$\|A\|_F \geq \|A\|_2$$

Spectral Norm

$$\|A\|_2 = \max_{\|x\|=1} \|Ax\|_2 = \max_{\|x\|_2=1} \frac{\|Ax\|_2}{\|x\|_2}$$

$$\|A\|_2 = \sigma_{\max}\{A\}$$

Eckart Young Theorem

$$\|A - A_K\|_2 \leq \|A - B\|_2 = \sigma_{K+1}$$

$$\|A - A_K\|_F^2 \leq \|A - B\|_F^2 = \sum_{i=K+1}^r \sigma_i^2$$

VECTOR CALC

Gradient

$$\nabla f(\vec{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}(\vec{x}) \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_n}(\vec{x}) \end{bmatrix}$$

$\nabla f(\vec{x}) \perp$ hyperplane tangent to \vec{x}

Jacobian

$$Df(\vec{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} \nabla f_1(\vec{x})^T \\ \nabla f_2(\vec{x})^T \\ \vdots \\ \nabla f_m(\vec{x})^T \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1}(\vec{x}) & \dots & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_n}(\vec{x}) \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial f_m}{\partial x_1}(\vec{x}) & \dots & \frac{\partial f_m}{\partial x_n}(\vec{x}) \end{bmatrix}$$

(transpose of the gradient)

Hessian

$$\nabla^2 f(\vec{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1^2}(\vec{x}) & \dots & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1 \partial x_n}(\vec{x}) \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_n \partial x_1}(\vec{x}) & \dots & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_n^2}(\vec{x}) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_i \partial x_j}(\vec{x}) = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_j \partial x_i}(\vec{x})$$

Taylor's Theorem

$$f(x; x_0) = f(x_0) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(x_0)(x - x_0) + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}(x_0)(x - x_0)^2 \dots + \frac{1}{k!} \frac{\partial^k f}{\partial x^k}(x_0)(x - x_0)^k$$

Taylor's Approximation for Multivariate

$$f_1(x; x_0) = f(\vec{x}_0) + [\nabla f(\vec{x}_0)]^T (\vec{x} - \vec{x}_0)$$

$$f_2(x; x_0) = f(\vec{x}_0) + [\nabla f(\vec{x}_0)]^T (\vec{x} - \vec{x}_0) + \frac{1}{2} (\vec{x} - \vec{x}_0)^T [\nabla^2 f(\vec{x}_0)] (\vec{x} - \vec{x}_0)$$

Main Theorem

$$\min_{\vec{x} \in \Omega} f(\vec{x}) : \nabla f(\vec{x}^*) = 0, \quad f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ is differentiable}$$

Directional Derivative

$$f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, \quad \|\tilde{u}\|_2 = 1$$

$$D_{\tilde{u}} f(\tilde{x}) = \tilde{u}^T [\nabla f(\tilde{x})]$$

REGRESSION

$$A(\tilde{x} + \delta \tilde{x}) = (\tilde{y} + \delta \tilde{y})$$

$$\frac{\|\delta \tilde{x}\|_2}{\|\tilde{x}\|_2} = \|A\|_2 \|A^{-1}\|_2 \cdot \frac{\|\delta \tilde{y}\|_2}{\|\tilde{y}\|_2}$$

A is invertible

Condition Number

$$\kappa(A) = \frac{\sigma_1\{A\}}{\sigma_n\{A\}}$$

$$\kappa(A^T A) = \frac{\lambda_{\max}\{A^T A\}}{\lambda_{\min}\{A^T A\}}$$

Ridge Regression

$$\min_{\tilde{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n} \{ \|A\tilde{x} - \tilde{y}\|_2^2 + \lambda \|\tilde{x}\|_2^2 \}$$

$$\tilde{x}^* = (A^T A + \lambda I)^{-1} A^T \tilde{y}$$

$A^T A$ is PSD, $\lambda > 0$, $(A^T A + \lambda I)$ PSD so invertible

$$\text{SVD: } \tilde{x}^* = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\sigma_i\{A\}}{\sigma_i\{A\} + \lambda} (\tilde{u}_i^T \tilde{y}) \cdot \tilde{v}_i$$

Tikhonov Regression

$$\min_{\tilde{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n} \{ \|W_1 (A\tilde{x} - \tilde{y})\|_2^2 + \|W_2 (\tilde{x} - \tilde{x}_0)\|_2^2 \}$$

$$\tilde{x}^* = (A^T W_1^2 A + W_2^2)^{-1} (A^T W_1^2 \tilde{y} + W_2^2 \tilde{x}_0)$$

MLE as Tikhonov

$$\operatorname{argmax}_{\tilde{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n} p_{\tilde{x}}(\tilde{y}) = \operatorname{argmin}_{\tilde{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n} \{ \|\Sigma_{\tilde{y}}^{-1/2} (A\tilde{x} - \tilde{y})\|_2^2 \} \rightarrow \text{what } \tilde{x} \text{ makes data most likely}$$

MAP as Tikhonov

$$\operatorname{argmax}_{\tilde{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n} p(\tilde{x} | \tilde{y}) = \operatorname{argmin}_{\tilde{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n} \left\{ \|\Sigma_{\tilde{y}}^{-1/2} (A\tilde{x} - \tilde{y})\|_2^2 + \|\Sigma_{\tilde{x}}^{-1/2} (\tilde{x} - \tilde{x}_0)\|_2^2 \right\} \rightarrow \text{what } \tilde{x} \text{ is most likely}$$

CONVEXITY

Convex Set

C is convex if $\tilde{x}_1, \tilde{x}_2 \in C$, $\theta \in [0, 1]$

$$\theta \tilde{x}_1 + (1 - \theta) \tilde{x}_2 \in C$$

point on line segment
b/w \tilde{x}_1, \tilde{x}_2

$\Rightarrow C_1 \cap C_2$ is convex if C_1, C_2 convex

Hyperplane

$$\tilde{a}^T \tilde{x} = b, \text{ all convex}$$

Convex Function

$f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ convex if

1. $\operatorname{dom}(f)$ convex
2. $f(\theta \tilde{x}_1 + (1 - \theta) \tilde{x}_2) \leq \theta f(\tilde{x}_1) + (1 - \theta) f(\tilde{x}_2)$

SOCP constraints $\| \text{vector/scalar affine} \|_2^2 \leq \text{scalar affine}$