

Chapter 6: Eigenvalues

Ex : $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ $A : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$

Square only Linear operator

Let $x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ $Ax = y$

$$y = Ax = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = 4x$$

$$x \rightarrow 4x$$

Given $A_{m \times n}$ Find $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$

$$Ax = \alpha x$$

① Def

Definition

Let A be an $n \times n$ matrix. A scalar λ is said to be an **eigenvalue** or a **characteristic value** of A if there exists a nonzero vector x such that $Ax = \lambda x$. The vector x is said to be an **eigenvector** or a **characteristic vector** belonging to λ .

$$Ax = \lambda x \quad Ax - \lambda x = 0 \quad (A - \lambda I)x = 0$$

If (λ, x) are eigen pair, then $\det(A - \lambda I) = 0$.

Ex : $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

$$A - \lambda I = \begin{bmatrix} 3 - \lambda & 1 \\ 1 & 3 - \lambda \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = (3 - \lambda)^2 - 1 = 0$$

$$3 - \lambda = \pm 1, \quad \lambda = 4 \text{ or } 2$$

For eigen vectors of $\lambda_1 = 4$

$$(A - 4I)x = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}x = 0 \Rightarrow x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

For $\lambda_2 = 2$

$$(A - 2I)x = 0$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}x = 0 \Rightarrow x = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

② Calculation

$A_{n \times n}$ λ is a scalar. The following statement are equivalent

(i) λ is a eigenvalue of A

(ii) $(A - \lambda I)x = 0$ has nonzero sol.

(iii) $N(A - \lambda I) \neq \{0\}$

(iv) $A - \lambda I$ is singular

(v) $\det(A - \lambda I) = 0$

How to find λ ?

$$\det(A - \lambda I)$$

Polynomial of degree n

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} - \lambda & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & \cdots & a_{nn} - \lambda \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= (a_{11} - \lambda)m_{11} + a_{12}(-1)^{1+2}m_{12} + \cdots + a_{1n}(-1)^{1+n}m_{1n}$$

= polynomial of degree n by math induction

$\det(A - \lambda x) = P(x)$ = characteristic polynomial

$$P(x) = 0$$

$$P(x) = c(x - \lambda_1)(x - \lambda_2) \cdots (x - \lambda_n)$$

for $u \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $A = uu^T_{n \times n}$

If $u \perp v$,

$$Av = uu^Tv = 0$$

$$Au = uu^Tu = \underbrace{(u^Tu)}_{\lambda} u$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} A_1 & 0 \\ 0 & A_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad A_i : k \times k$$

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \det \begin{bmatrix} A_1 - \lambda I_k & 0 \\ 0 & A_2 - \lambda I_k \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \det(A_1 - \lambda I_k) \cdot \det(A_2 - \lambda I_k) = 0$$

If $A_i u_i = \lambda_i u_i$,

$$\begin{bmatrix} A_1 & 0 \\ 0 & A_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u_1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \lambda \begin{pmatrix} u_1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

\downarrow eigenvalue of A

Corresponding eigenvectors

③ properties

$\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n$ are eigenvalues.

$$\text{i)} \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 + \dots + \lambda_n = \det(A) = p(0)$$

$$\text{ii)} \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 + \dots + \lambda_n = \sum_{i=1}^n a_{ii}$$

(iii)

Theorem 6.1.1 Let A and B be $n \times n$ matrices. If B is similar to A , then the two matrices have the same characteristic polynomial and, consequently, the same eigenvalues.

Proof of (i) - by math induction

$B(\lambda)$: $n \times n$ matrix

No more than n entries are given by $\alpha + \beta\lambda$

Other entries are independent λ

Then

$$\det(B) = P_k(\lambda), \quad k \leq n$$

Proof of (ii) : $p(\lambda) = \det(A - \lambda I) = \det \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} - \lambda & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} - \lambda & \dots \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots \\ a_{n1} & \dots & a_{nn} - \lambda \end{bmatrix}$

$$= (a_{11} - \lambda) (-1)^{1+1} M_{11} + \underbrace{a_{12} (-1)^{1+2} M_{12}}_{P_{k-1}(\lambda)} + \dots + a_{1n} (-1)^{1+n} M_{1n}$$

$$P_{k-1}(\lambda)$$

⊕ Complex eigenvalues

$$A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$$

$P(\lambda)$ with real Coefficients

$$\text{Ex } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \lambda_{1,2} = 1 \pm 2i$$

$$A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$$

$$\text{Ex } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & i \\ i & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \det \begin{bmatrix} 1-\lambda & i \\ i & 1-\lambda \end{bmatrix} = (1-\lambda)^2 + 1 = 0$$

$$(1-\lambda)^2 = -1 \quad 1-\lambda = \pm i \quad \lambda_{1,2} = 1 \pm i$$

$$Ax = \lambda x, \quad AAx = \lambda Ax \quad A^2x = \lambda^2 x$$

$$f(x) = b_0 + b_1 x + b_2 x^2$$

$$f(A) = b_0 + b_1 A + b_2 A^2$$

$$f(A)x = (b_0 + b_1 A + b_2 A^2)x = b_0 x + b_1 Ax + b_2 A^2 x$$

$$= (b_0 + b_1 \lambda + b_2 \lambda^2)x = f(\lambda)x$$

6.3 Diagonalization

$$\text{Ex } A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

eigenvalues: $\lambda_1 = 4$ $\lambda_2 = -3$
 $x_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ $x_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$

$$X = (x_1, x_2)$$

$$AX = (Ax_1, Ax_2) = (\lambda_1 x_1, \lambda_2 x_2) = (x_1, x_2) \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$= X \Lambda$ Λ : diagonal

$$A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{x}\Lambda$$

for the example X : nonsingular

$$A = X \Lambda X^{-1}$$

Or

$$X^{-1} A X = \Lambda$$

A is similar to a diagonal matrix

(i) diagonalizable

(ii) defective

$$\text{Ex } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = 1 \quad (A - \lambda I) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

① Definition

Definition

An $n \times n$ matrix A is said to be **diagonalizable** if there exists a nonsingular matrix X and a diagonal matrix D such that

$$X^{-1} A X = D$$

We say that X **diagonalizes** A .

② Theorem

Theorem 6.3.1 If $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_k$ are distinct eigenvalues of an $n \times n$ matrix A with corresponding eigenvectors $\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \dots, \mathbf{x}_k$, then $\mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_k$ are linearly independent.

Proof: Assume that

$$C_1\mathbf{x}_1 + C_2\mathbf{x}_2 + \dots + C_k\mathbf{x}_k = 0$$

$$A(C_1\mathbf{x}_1 + C_2\mathbf{x}_2 + \dots + C_k\mathbf{x}_k) = 0$$

$$C_1A\mathbf{x}_1 + C_2A\mathbf{x}_2 + \dots + C_kA\mathbf{x}_k = 0$$

$$C_1\lambda_1\mathbf{x}_1 + C_2\lambda_2\mathbf{x}_2 + \dots + C_k\lambda_k\mathbf{x}_k = 0 \quad *①$$

$$\lambda_k(C_1\mathbf{x}_1 + \dots + C_k\mathbf{x}_k) = 0$$

$$C_1\lambda_k\mathbf{x}_1 + \dots + C_k\lambda_k\mathbf{x}_k = 0 \quad *②$$

$$① - ② \quad C_1(\lambda_1 - \lambda_k)\mathbf{x}_1 + \dots + C_{k-1}(\lambda_{k-1} - \lambda_k)\mathbf{x}_{k-1} = 0$$

If $\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \dots, \mathbf{x}_{k-1}$ are linearly independent

then $C_1 = \dots = C_{k-1} = 0$

Theorem 6.3.2 An $n \times n$ matrix A is diagonalizable if and only if A has n linearly independent eigenvectors.

Proof: From theorem 6.3.1

if $k=n$, there are n distinct eigenvectors

$$\mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_n$$

$$\text{let } \mathbf{X} = (\mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_n)$$

$$\mathbf{X}^{-1}A\mathbf{X} = \Lambda \quad \Lambda = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}$$

A is diagonalizable

$$\mathbf{X}^{-1}A^k\mathbf{X} = \Lambda^k$$

③ Jordan form

For any $A_{n \times n}$ matrix, there is a nonsingular matrix \mathbf{X} such that

$$X^T A X = J$$

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} J_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & J_k \end{bmatrix} \quad J_i = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_i & & 0 \\ & \ddots & \\ 0 & & \lambda_i \end{bmatrix} \quad k_j = k_j$$

$$\text{Ex. } J = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & \\ & \lambda_1 & \\ & & \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

6.4 Hermitian Matrices

① Definition

Definition

A matrix M is said to be **Hermitian** if $M = M^H$.

Hermitian transpose

$$A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$$

$$A^H = \bar{A}^T$$

$$\text{if } A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}, A^H = A^T$$

Inner product space in \mathbb{C}

$$x, y \in \mathbb{C}^n \quad \langle x, y \rangle = x^H y$$

$$\|x\|^2 = \langle x, x \rangle = x^H x$$

② Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors of Hermitian matrix

Theorem 6.4.1 The eigenvalues of a Hermitian matrix are all real. Furthermore, eigenvectors belonging to distinct eigenvalues are orthogonal.

Special Case: $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, symmetric

Proof: let $Au_1 = \lambda_1 u_1$ where $\langle \lambda_1, u_1 \rangle$ are eigenpair of A

$$x_1 = \alpha + \beta i$$

$$\underbrace{u_1^H A u_1}_{} = \underbrace{u_1^H \lambda_1 u_1}_{} \quad u_1^H A u_1 = \bar{\lambda}_1 u_1^H u_1$$

$$(Au_1)^H = (\lambda_1 u_1)^H$$

$$\lambda_1 u_1^H u_1 = \bar{\lambda}_1 u_1^H u_1$$

$$u_1^H A^H = \bar{\lambda}_1 u_1^H$$

$$(\lambda_1 - \bar{\lambda}_1) u_1^H u_1 = 0$$

$\lambda_1 = \bar{\lambda}_1 \Rightarrow \lambda_1$ is real number

$$(ii) Ax_1 = \lambda_1 x_1, \quad Ax_2 = \lambda_2 x_2, \quad \lambda_1 \neq \lambda_2 : \text{real}$$

$$\begin{cases} x_2^H A x_1 = \lambda_1 x_2^H x_1, \\ x_2^H A x_2 = \lambda_2 x_2^H x_2, \end{cases}$$

$$> (\lambda_1 - \lambda_2) x_2^H x_1 = 0 \quad \text{Since } \lambda_1 \neq \lambda_2, \text{ so } x_2^H x_1 = 0$$

Definition

An $n \times n$ matrix U is said to be **unitary** if its column vectors form an orthonormal set in \mathbb{C}^n .

$$U^H U = I$$

Corollary 6.4.2 If the eigenvalues of a Hermitian matrix A are distinct, then there exists a unitary matrix U that diagonalizes A .

$$Q^T A Q = D$$

③ Schur's theorem

Theorem 6.4.3 Schur's Theorem

For each $n \times n$ matrix A , there exists a unitary matrix U such that $U^H A U$ is upper triangular. (T)

Proof: If it's true for Hermitian matrix A

$$U^H A U = T$$

$$(U^H A U)^H = T^H$$

$$U^H A^H U = T^H$$

$$\text{since } A^H = A, \quad U^H A U = \boxed{T^H = T = D}$$

Using math induction

(i) For $n=1$, it holds

(ii) Assume that theorem holds for

any $k \times k$ matrix

we consider $A_{(k+1) \times (k+1)}$

Let (λ_i, w_i) be eigen-pairs.

$$Aw_i = \lambda_i w_i, \quad \|w_i\| = 1$$

$\text{span}\{w_i\}, \{w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n\}$ be an orthonormal basis

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

let $w = (w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n)$

$$w^H Aw_i - \lambda_i w^H w_i = \lambda_i \left(\begin{smallmatrix} w_1^H \\ \vdots \\ w_n^H \end{smallmatrix} \right) w_i = \lambda_i \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \lambda_i e_i$$

$$\begin{aligned} w^H A w &= w^H A (w_1 + w_2 + \dots + w_n) \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & * & * & \dots & * \\ 0 & 1 & - & \dots & - \\ \vdots & & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & & n \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

by assumption, there exist a unitary matrix V ,

$$V^H A V = T, \text{ (upper triangle)}$$

$$M = V T V^H$$

$$\begin{aligned} V^H w^H \lambda w V &\text{ where } V = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{n} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda & * & * & \dots & * \\ 0 & 1 & - & \dots & - \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{n} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \lambda & * & * & \dots & * \\ 0 & 1 & - & \dots & - \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 6.4.4 Spectral Theorem

If A is Hermitian, then there exists a unitary matrix U that diagonalizes A .

Theorem 6.4.6 The Real Schur Decomposition

If A is an $n \times n$ matrix with real entries, then A can be factored into a product QTQ^T , where Q is an orthogonal matrix and T is in Schur form (2).

④ Remarks

$$Ax = \lambda x$$

λ : Algebraic multiplicity k

$\dim N(A - \lambda I)$: Geometric multiplicity

Assignment: $\sum k_j \geq \sum \dim N(A - \lambda I)$

(i) Algebraic multiplicity = Geometric multiplicity

(for symmetric and Hermitian matrix)

(ii) $\text{Rank}(A) = \text{No. of linearly independent eigen vectors}$
 (Corresponding nonzero eigenvalues)

+

$\dim N(A) = \text{No. of linearly independent eigenvectors}$
 (Corresponding zero eigenvalues)

(iii) Invariant

Definition

A subspace S of \mathbb{R}^n is said to be **invariant** under a matrix A if, for each $\mathbf{x} \in S$, $A\mathbf{x} \in S$.

(iv) Generalized eigenvalues

For $A, B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

$$Ax = \lambda Bx \quad \lambda: \text{eigenvalue} \quad x: \text{eigenvectors}$$

$$\text{if } B = I \quad Ax = \lambda x$$

$$\text{if } B \text{ invertible} \quad Ax = \lambda Bx \quad B^{-1}Ax = \lambda x$$

Let A and B be symmetric

and B be nonsingular

$$B^{-1}Ax = \lambda x$$

$$A_{\text{nnr}} = \frac{A + A^T}{2} + \frac{A - A^T}{2}$$

$$A_{\text{nzn}} = \frac{A + A^H}{2} + \frac{A - A^H}{2}$$

6.5 singular value decomposition (SVD)

$A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$, not square

① Def.

The following decomposition is called SVD

$$A = U \Sigma V^T \quad A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$$

where U $m \times m$ orthogonal matrix

V $n \times n$ orthogonal matrix

$$\Sigma_{m \times n} : \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \sigma_n \end{bmatrix} \quad (m \geq n)$$

σ_j : single value

$$\sigma_1 \geq \sigma_2 \geq \dots \geq \sigma_n \geq 0$$

② Theorem

Theorem 6.5.1 The SVD Theorem

If A is an $m \times n$ matrix, then A has a singular value decomposition.

Proof: • $N(A^T A) = N(A)$ • $\text{Rank}(A^T A) = \text{rank}(A)$

• A is symmetric $\Rightarrow \text{Rank}(A) = \text{no of nonzero eigenvalues}$

(i) $A^T A = (U \Sigma V^T)^T (U \Sigma V^T)$
 $= V \Sigma^T U^T U \Sigma V^T$

Since $U^T U = I$, $= V \Sigma^T \Sigma V^T$

$= \boxed{V \Sigma^T V^T}$, where $\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \sigma_n \end{bmatrix}$

eigen-decomposition

V : eigenvector

Σ : eigenvalue

$$AA^T = (U \Sigma V^T)(U \Sigma V^T)^T$$

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

$$= U \sum_n^2 U^T$$

\downarrow \swarrow eigenvalue
eigen vector

Assume: $A^T A x = \lambda x$

$$x^T A^T A x = \lambda x^T x$$

$$\lambda = \frac{x^T A^T A x}{x^T x} \geq 0$$

Let $\lambda_1 \geq \lambda_2 \geq \dots \geq \lambda_r > \lambda_{r+1} \geq \dots = 0$

be eigenvalues of $A^T A$

where $\text{Rank}(A) = \text{Rank}(A^T A) = r$.

(ii) Take

$$6_j = \sqrt{\lambda_j}, \quad 6_1 \geq 6_2 \geq \dots \geq 6_r > 0, \quad 6_j = 0 \text{ for } j > r+1$$

$$A^T A V = V \Lambda, \quad \text{where } \Lambda = \sum_n^2$$

Let $V = (V_1, \dots, V_n)$

$$A^T A V_j = \lambda_j V_j$$

(λ_j, V_j) can be found from the last equation

$$\Rightarrow (6_j, V_j)$$

$A^T A V_j = 0$ for $j \geq r+1$

$$V_1 = (V_1, \dots, V_r)$$

$$V_2 = (V_{r+1}, \dots, V_n), \quad \text{so } A^T A V_2 = 0$$

$$V = (V_1, V_2)$$

$$V V^T = I \quad (V_1, V_2)(V_1, V_2)^T = I$$

$$V_1 V_1^T + V_2 V_2^T = I$$

$$A = A V V^T + A V_2 V_2^T = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow A = AV_i V_i^T$$

(iii) Find U

$$AV = U \Sigma, \quad U = (u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m)$$

$$\underline{AV_j = \sigma_j u_j} \quad \Rightarrow AV_i = \sigma_i u_i$$

For $j = 1, 2, \dots, r$

$$u_j = \frac{1}{\sigma_j} AV_j \in R(A)$$

$$\begin{aligned} u_i^T u_j &= (\frac{1}{\sigma_i} AV_i)^T \frac{1}{\sigma_j} AV_j \\ &= \frac{1}{\sigma_i \sigma_j} v_i^T A^T A v_j \\ &= \frac{\lambda_i}{\sigma_i \sigma_j} v_i^T v_j \\ &= \frac{\lambda_i}{\sigma_i \sigma_j} \delta_{ij} \end{aligned}$$

$$u_i^T u_j = \delta_{ij}$$

So $\{u_1, \dots, u_r\}$ is an orthogonal basis for $R(A)$

$$\{u_{r+1}, \dots, u_m\} \subset R(A)^\perp = N(A^T)$$

$$\text{and } U = (u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m)$$

$$\text{Finally: } U \Sigma V^T = (u_1, u_2) \begin{bmatrix} \Sigma & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} (v_1, v_2)^T$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1 & & 0 \\ & \ddots & \\ 0 & & \sigma_r \end{bmatrix} = u_1 \Sigma v_1^T = Av_i v_i^T = A$$

$$\text{where } \sigma_i = \sqrt{\lambda_i}$$

Remarks: (i) SVD are not unique

Singular values are unique

$$\sigma_j = \sqrt{\lambda_j} \quad \lambda_j \text{ eigenvalues of } A^T A$$

(ii) $\{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$ are eigenvectors of $A^T A$

$\{u_1, \dots, u_m\}$ are eigenvectors of $A A^T$

Therefore $A v_j = \sigma_j u_j$

$$A^T u_j = \sigma_j v_j$$

$\{v_1, \dots, v_m\}$ are right singular values of A

$\{u_1, \dots, u_m\}$ are left singular values of A

(iii) $\{v_r, \dots, v_n\} \subset R(A^T A) = R(A^T)$

↳ Orthonormal basis for $R(A^T)$

$\{v_{r+1}, \dots, v_n\}$: orthonormal basis for $N(A^T A) = N(A)$

$\{u_1, \dots, u_r\}$: orthonormal basis for $R(A)$

$\{u_{r+1}, \dots, u_m\}$: orthonormal basis for $N(A)$

(iv) $A = U \Sigma V^T = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ \vdots \\ u_m \end{bmatrix}_{m \times r} \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \sigma_r \end{bmatrix}_{r \times r} \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ \vdots \\ v_r \end{bmatrix}_{r \times n}$

⊕ Applications

$$\min \|A_{m \times n} - B_r\|_* \quad B_r \in \mathbb{R}_r^{m \times n}$$

if $A = U \Sigma V^T$

$$B_r = U \Sigma_r V^T$$

$$\|A\|_F = \sum \sigma_{ij}^2$$

$A: m \times n \quad \text{rank}(A) = r$

$$R_r^{m \times n} = \{ A \in R^{m \times n} : \text{rank}(A) = r \}$$

For given A

$$\min \|A - B_r\|_F$$

$$B_r \in R_r^{m \times n}$$

$$\text{where } \|A\|_F = \sqrt{\sum_{i,j=1}^{m,n} a_{ij}^2} = \text{tr}(A^T A)$$

Lemma 6.5.2 If A is an $m \times n$ matrix and Q is an $m \times m$ orthogonal matrix, then

$$\|QA\|_F = \|A\|_F$$

$$\text{Proof: } \|QA\|_F^2 = \text{tr}((QA)^T QA) = \text{tr}(A^T Q^T QA) = \text{tr}(A^T A) = \|A\|_F^2$$

Theorem 6.5.3 Let $A = U\Sigma V^T$ be an $m \times n$ matrix, and let \mathcal{M} denote the set of all $m \times n$ matrices of rank k or less, where $0 < k < \text{rank}(A)$. If X is a matrix in \mathcal{M} satisfying (7), then

$$\|A - X\|_F = (\sigma_{k+1}^2 + \sigma_{k+2}^2 + \dots + \sigma_n^2)^{1/2}$$

$$X = U_r \Sigma_r V_r^T = \bigcup \Sigma_r V_r^T$$

$$\text{where } U_r = (U_1, U_2, \dots, U_r)$$

$$\hat{\Sigma} = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \sigma_r & 0 \\ 0 & & & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$V_r = (V_1, V_2, \dots, V_r)$$

(Compact form)

$$\Sigma_r = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \sigma_r \end{pmatrix}$$

6.6 Quadratic Form

① Def

Definition

A quadratic equation in two variables x and y is an equation of the form

$$ax^2 + 2bxy + cy^2 + dx + ey + f = 0 \quad (1)$$

Equation (1) may be rewritten in the form

$$\begin{pmatrix} x & y \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ b & c \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} d & e \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} + f = 0 \quad (2)$$

Let

$$\mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ b & c \end{pmatrix}$$

The term

$$\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x} = ax^2 + 2bxy + cy^2$$

is called the **quadratic form** associated with (1).

② principal axes theorem

$$\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x}$$

A : symmetric

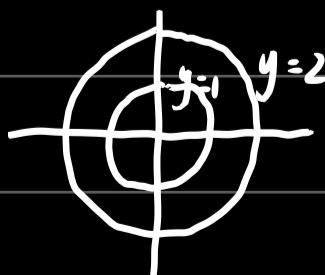
$$Q^T A Q = \Lambda \quad A = Q \Lambda Q^T$$

$$\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{x}^T Q \Lambda Q^T \mathbf{x} \quad \text{let } Q^T \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{y}$$

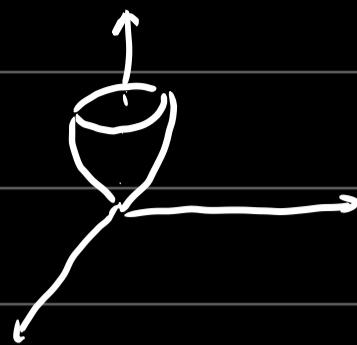
$$\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{y}^T \Lambda \mathbf{y} = \lambda_1 y_1^2 + \dots + \lambda_n y_n^2$$

③ optimization

$$y = f(\mathbf{x}) = x_1^2 + x_2^2$$



$$Z = x_1^2 + x_2^2$$



$x^T A x$ is called positive definite if $x^T A x > 0$ for all $x \neq 0$

$x^T A x$ is called negative definite if $x^T A x < 0$ for all $x \neq 0$

$x^T A x$ is called positive semidefinite if $x^T A x \geq 0$

④ Theorem

Theorem 6.6.2 Let A be a real symmetric $n \times n$ matrix. Then A is positive definite if and only if all its eigenvalues are positive.

proof: $x^T A x > 0$ for all $x \neq 0$

i) let $Au = \lambda u$, $u^T A u = \lambda u^T u$

$$\lambda = \frac{u^T A u}{u^T u} > 0$$

ii) $Au_j = \lambda_j u_j$, $\lambda_j > 0$. For any $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$

(u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n) : orthonormal vectors

$$\begin{aligned} x^T A x &= (\sum \alpha_j u_j)^T A \sum \alpha_j u_j \\ &= (\sum \alpha_i u_i) (\sum \alpha_j \lambda_j u_j) \\ &= \alpha_1^2 \lambda_1 u_1^T u_1 + \dots + \alpha_n^2 \lambda_n u_n^T u_n \\ &= \lambda_1 \alpha_1^2 + \lambda_2 \alpha_2^2 + \dots + \lambda_n \alpha_n^2 > 0 \end{aligned}$$

From the proof we know that

$$x^T A x = \lambda_1 \alpha_1^2 + \dots + \lambda_n \alpha_n^2$$

where $x = \sum \alpha_j u_j$

$$\|x\|^2 = (\sum \alpha_j u_j)^T \sum \alpha_j u_j$$

$$= \alpha_1^2 + \dots + \alpha_n^2$$

$$\lambda_n \leq \frac{x^T Ax}{\|x\|^2} = \frac{\lambda_1 \alpha_1^2 + \dots + \lambda_n \alpha_n^2}{\alpha_1^2 + \dots + \alpha_n^2} \leq \lambda_1$$

6.7 Symmetric positive definite matrix

Property I If A is a symmetric positive definite matrix, then A is nonsingular.

Property II If A is a symmetric positive definite matrix, then $\det(A) > 0$.

Property III If A is a symmetric positive definite matrix, then the leading principal submatrices A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n of A are all positive definite.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} & A_{13} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots \\ A_{n1} & \ddots & A_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

eigenvalues of $A > 0$

(iv) for a positive definite matrix

$$\begin{aligned} A &= L U, \quad A_k = L_k U_k, \quad \det(A_k) = \det(L_k) \det(U_k) \\ &= \det(U_k) \\ \Rightarrow U_k &> 0 \end{aligned}$$