

CS 596 Homework #1. Xuenan Wang (xw336)

Problem 1:

$$(a) (\lambda I - A) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda - 1 & -0.5 \\ 0 & \lambda - (1+\epsilon) \end{pmatrix} = (\lambda - 1)[\lambda - (1+\epsilon)] = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - (2+\epsilon)\lambda + (1+\epsilon) = 0$$

$$\text{we have } \lambda_1 = 1 \quad \lambda_2 = 1 + \epsilon$$

Therefore the eigenvalue is 1 and  $1 + \epsilon$  (where  $\epsilon \neq 0$ ).

when  $\lambda_1 = 1$ :

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1-\lambda & -0.5 \\ 0 & \lambda - (1+\epsilon) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -0.5 \\ 0 & -\epsilon \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$$g_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{unit norm} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

when  $\lambda_2 = 1 + \epsilon$ :

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1-\lambda & -0.5 \\ 0 & \lambda - (1+\epsilon) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon & -0.5 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$$g_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0.5 \\ \epsilon \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{unit norm} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{0.5^2 + \epsilon^2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0.5 \\ \epsilon \end{pmatrix}$$

(b) Since  $\epsilon \neq 0$  and  $\lambda_1 \neq \lambda_2$ , we know that matrix A can be diagonalize.

$$P^{-1}AP = \Lambda$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1+\epsilon \end{pmatrix}$$

(c) While  $\epsilon \rightarrow 0$ ,  $\lambda_1$  and  $\lambda_2$  become more and more close. When  $\epsilon = 0$ , we will have two identical eigenvalue, which will result that matrix A can no longer be diagonalized.

Problem 2:

(a) we have:

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1m} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2m} \\ \vdots & & & \\ a_{k1} & a_{k2} & \cdots & a_{km} \end{pmatrix} \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & \cdots & b_{1m} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & \cdots & b_{2m} \\ \vdots & & & \\ b_{k1} & b_{k2} & \cdots & b_{km} \end{pmatrix}$$

easily we can show:

$$A^T = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{21} & \cdots & a_{k1} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{k2} \\ \vdots & & & \\ a_{1m} & a_{2m} & \cdots & a_{km} \end{pmatrix} \quad B^T = \begin{pmatrix} b_{11} & b_{21} & \cdots & b_{k1} \\ b_{12} & b_{22} & \cdots & b_{k2} \\ \vdots & & & \\ b_{1m} & b_{2m} & \cdots & b_{km} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{trace}(AB^T) = (a_{11}b_{11} + a_{12}b_{12} + \cdots + a_{1m}b_{1m}) + (a_{21}b_{21} + a_{22}b_{22} + \cdots + a_{2m}b_{2m}) \\ + \cdots + (a_{k1}b_{k1} + a_{k2}b_{k2} + \cdots + a_{km}b_{km}) = \sum_{i=1}^k \sum_{j=1}^m X_{ij} Y_{ij}$$

$$\text{trace}(B^TA) = (b_{11}a_{11} + b_{21}a_{21} + \cdots + b_{k1}a_{k1}) + (b_{12}a_{12} + b_{22}a_{22} + \cdots + b_{k2}a_{k2}) \\ + \cdots + (b_{1m}a_{1m} + b_{2m}a_{2m} + \cdots + b_{km}a_{km}) = \sum_{i=1}^k \sum_{j=1}^m X_{ij} Y_{ij}$$

$$\text{trace}(BA^T) = (b_{11}a_{11} + b_{12}a_{12} + \cdots + b_{1m}a_{1m}) + (b_{21}a_{21} + b_{22}a_{22} + \cdots + b_{2m}a_{2m}) \\ + \cdots + (b_{k1}a_{k1} + b_{k2}a_{k2} + \cdots + b_{km}a_{km}) = \sum_{i=1}^k \sum_{j=1}^m X_{ij} Y_{ij}$$

$$\text{trace}(A^TB) = (a_{11}b_{11} + a_{21}b_{21} + \cdots + a_{k1}b_{k1}) + (a_{12}b_{12} + a_{22}b_{22} + \cdots + a_{k2}b_{k2}) \\ + \cdots + (a_{1m}b_{1m} + a_{2m}b_{2m} + \cdots + a_{km}b_{km}) = \sum_{i=1}^k \sum_{j=1}^m X_{ij} Y_{ij}$$

Therefore, we have  $\text{trace}(AB^T) = \text{trace}(B^TA) = \text{trace}(BA^T) = \text{trace}(A^TB)$

(b) Since  $E[xx^T] = Q$  and the trace of a scalar is the scalar itself.

$$E(x^T A x) = \text{trace}(E(x^T A x))$$

Because trace and expectation is linear operation.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{trace}(E(x^T A x)) &= E(\text{trace}(x^T A x)) \\ &= E(\text{trace}(A x x^T)) \\ &= \text{trace}(E(A x x^T)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \text{trace}(AE(xx^T)) \\
 &= \text{trace}(AQ) \\
 &= Q \text{trace}(A)
 \end{aligned}$$

(c)  $\text{trace}(UAU^{-1}) = \text{trace}(UU^{-1}A) = \text{trace}(IA) = \text{trace}(A)$

Therefore, the trace does not change if we apply a similarity transformation.

(d)  $P^{-1}AP = \Lambda \Leftrightarrow P\Lambda P^{-1} = A$

$$\text{trace}(P\Lambda P^{-1}) = \text{trace}(\Lambda) = \text{trace}(A)$$

trace of  $\Lambda$  is the sum of diagonal elements which is also sum of eigenvalues.

(e) According to the definition of trace, if matrix  $A$  is real then  $\text{trace}(A)$  must be real. Even though eigenvalue can be complex, they show up in a pair. Complex parts will disappear when doing summation.

(f) Assume  $\lambda^k + C_{k-1}\lambda^{k-1} + \dots + C_0 = 0$  and the eigenvalues are  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_k$   
we have  $(\lambda - \lambda_1)(\lambda - \lambda_2) \cdots (\lambda - \lambda_k) = 0$

$$C_{k-1} = -\left(\sum_{i=1}^k \lambda_i\right) = -\text{trace}(A)$$

$$C_0 = (-1)^k \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \cdots \lambda_k = (-1)^k \det(A)$$

### Problem 3.

(a) Assume that  $\lambda$  is a eigenvalue of  $A$ .  $x$  ( $x \neq 0$ ) is the eigenvector respectively. we have :

$$Ax = \lambda x$$

$$A^r x = \lambda^r x = 0$$

$$\therefore \lambda^r = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = 0$$

(b) No. Because  $\lambda_i = 0$ . matrix  $A$  has  $i$  eigenvalues that all equal to each other, this matrix can not be diagonalized.

$$(C) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

(d) Assume  $B = P^{-1}AP$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{we have } A^r &= 0, \quad B^r = (P^{-1}AP)^r \\ &= P^{-1}AP \cdot P^{-1}AP \cdots P^{-1}AP \\ &= P^{-1}A^rP = 0 \end{aligned}$$

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

$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  is a second example of a nilpotent matrix.

Problem 4.

$$(a) \min_A \sum_{n=1}^t (y_n - x_n^T A)^2 \rightarrow \min ||y_n - x_n^T A||^2$$

$$W = (y_n - x_n^T A)^T (y_n - x_n^T A) = y_n^T y_n - A^T x_n^T y_n - y_n^T x_n A + A^T x_n^T x_n A$$

$$\frac{\partial W}{\partial A} = -2x_n y_n + 2x_n x_n^T A = 0$$

$$x_n x_n^T A = y_n x_n$$

$$A = (x_n x_n^T)^{-1} y_n x_n$$

$$\text{Since } R_t = \sum_{n=1}^t x_n x_n^T, \quad U_t = \sum_{n=1}^t y_n x_n \text{ and } A_t = R_t^{-1} U_t.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{we have } A_t &= \left( \sum_{n=1}^t x_n x_n^T \right)^{-1} \cdot \sum_{n=1}^t y_n x_n \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^t (x_n x_n^T)^{-1} y_n x_n \text{ this is same as } (x_n x_n^T)^{-1} y_n x_n. \end{aligned}$$

That's what we have above.

$$(b) \quad A_t = R_t^{-1} U_t \quad R_t \rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^t x_n x_n^T = k^2 + t \quad R_t \rightarrow R_t^{-1} = k^3 + k^2 + t$$

$$U_t \rightarrow k + t$$

$$A_t = k^3 + k^2 + t + k + t + k^3 \Rightarrow O(k^3)$$

$$(C) \quad R_{t+1} = \sum_{n=1}^{t+1} X_n X_n^T = \sum_{n=1}^t X_n X_n^T + X_{t+1} X_{t+1}^T$$

$$X_{t+1} y_{t+1} = \sum_{n=1}^{t+1} X_n y_n = \sum_{n=1}^t X_n y_n + X_{t+1} y_{t+1} = X_t y_t + X_{t+1} y_{t+1}$$

$$A_{t+1} = R_{t+1}^{-1} U_{t+1}$$

$$A_t = R_t^{-1} (X_t y_t) \quad R_t A_t = X_t y_t = U_t$$

$$A_{t+1} = R_{t+1}^{-1} (R_t A_t + X_{t+1} y_{t+1})$$

$$= R_{t+1}^{-1} (R_{t+1} A_t - X_{t+1} X_{t+1}^T A_t + X_{t+1} y_{t+1})$$

$$= A_t + R_{t+1}^{-1} X_{t+1} (y_{t+1} - X_{t+1}^T A_t)$$

$$e_{t+1} = y_{t+1} - X_{t+1}^T A_t$$

$$K_{t+1} = Q_t X_{t+1}$$

$$Y_{t+1} = I + X_{t+1}^T K_{t+1}$$

$$A_{t+1} = A_t + e_{t+1} K_{t+1}$$

$$Q_{t+1} = Q_t - \frac{1}{1+X_{t+1}^T K_{t+1} K_{t+1}^T} K_{t+1} K_{t+1}^T$$

$$(A+BCD)^{-1} = A^{-1} - A^{-1}B(C^{-1} + DA^{-1}B)^{-1}DA^{-1}$$

$$A = R_t \quad B = X_{t+1} \quad C = I \quad D = X_{t+1}^T$$

$$R_{t+1} = R_t + X_{t+1} X_{t+1}^T$$

$$R_{t+1}^{-1} = (R_t + X_{t+1} X_{t+1}^T)^{-1}$$

$$= A^{-1} - A^{-1}B(C^{-1} + DA^{-1}B)^{-1}DA^{-1}$$

$$= R_t^{-1} - R_t^{-1} X_{t+1} (I + X_{t+1}^T R_t^{-1} X_{t+1})^{-1} X_{t+1}^T R_t^{-1}$$

$$= R_t^{-1} - \frac{R_t^{-1} X_{t+1} X_{t+1}^T R_t^{-1}}{1 + X_{t+1}^T R_t^{-1} X_{t+1}^T}$$

$$= Q_{t+1}$$

$$Q_t = R_t^{-1}$$

Therefore, we can compute  $A_{t+1}$  by using the previous  $A_t$ .

Complexity :  $O(K^2)$