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Matrices - Linear Algebra

Multiplication $\vec{y} = A \vec{x}$ A is square matrix

$$C = AB \quad C_{ij} = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} A_{ik} B_{kj}$$

transpose

determinant

if $\det(A) = 0$ A is singular and A^{-1} does not exist

inverse $A^{-1} A = I$

Solving $A \vec{x} = \vec{b}$

$$A \vec{v} = \lambda \vec{v}$$

Defined a matrix norm $\|A\|_F = \left[\sum_i \sum_j |A_{ij}|^2 \right]^{1/2}$

If $K(A) = \|A\| \|A^{-1}\|$ very large then we have unstable solutions for \vec{x}

Solved $L \vec{x} = \vec{b}$ lower triang matrix

$U \vec{x} = \vec{b}$ upper triang matrix

method called forward substitution

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$$x_i = (b_i - \sum_{j=0}^{i-1} L_{ij} x_j) / L_{ii} \quad i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$$

Very similar to back substitution $U \vec{x} = \vec{b}$

U is upper triangular

$$U_{00}x_0 + U_{01}x_1 + U_{02}x_2 = b_0$$

$$U_{11}x_1 + U_{12}x_2 = b_1$$

$$U_{22}x_2 = b_2$$

$$\Rightarrow x_i = (b_i - \sum_{j=i+1}^{n-1} U_{ij} x_j) / U_{ii} \quad i = n-1, n-2, \dots, 1, 0$$

Code triang.py

Solving $A \vec{x} = \vec{b}$ with Gaussian elimination

Ex $2x_0 + x_1 + x_2 = 8$

$$x_0 + x_1 - 2x_2 = -2$$

$$5x_0 + 10x_1 + 5x_2 = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 1 & 1 & 8 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 & -2 \\ 5 & 10 & 5 & 10 \end{array} \right)$$

Method: new row $i = \text{row } i - \text{coeff} \times \text{row } j$
pivot

$$\text{new row } 1 = \text{row } 1 - \frac{1}{2} \times \text{row } 0$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 1 & 1 & 8 \\ 0 & 1/2 & -5/2 & -6 \\ 5 & 10 & 5 & 10 \end{array} \right)$$

$\text{pivot row} = 0$ $\text{new row} = 2$ $\text{coeff} = +5/2$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 1 & 1 & 8 \\ 0 & 1/2 & -5/2 & -6 \\ 0 & 7 1/2 & 2 1/2 & -10 \end{array} \right)$$

$\text{pivot row} = 1$ $\text{new row} = 2$ $\text{coeff} = + \frac{7 1/2}{1/2} = +15$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 1 & 1 & 8 \\ 0 & 1/2 & -5/2 & -6 \\ 0 & 0 & 40 & 80 \end{array} \right)$$

$$X_2 = 80/40$$

$$X_1 = \frac{-6 - (-2.5)X_2}{0.5}$$

Easy to code

$$j = 0, 1, 2, \dots, n-2$$

$$i = j+1, j+2, \dots, n-1$$

$$\text{coeff} = A_{ij}/A_{jj}$$

See gaelim.py

We can do something a little more useful by

"storing" results of Gauss elimination process

so we can use it again for different \vec{b} values

LU decomposition

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We can decompose (with some caveats) a square matrix by $A = LU$

$L \equiv$ lower triangular matrix

$U \equiv$ upper triangular matrix

We will make extra assumption that L is unit lower triangular (1's on main diagonal)

(the LU decomp is not necessarily unique -)

our form is called Doolittle

Suppose $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 5 & 10 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$ Ignore \vec{b} for now

We do Gauss elim

new row 1 = row 1 - $L_{10} \times$ row 0 $L_{10} = 1/2$

new row 2 = row 2 - $L_{20} \times$ row 0 $L_{20} = 5/2$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1/2 & -3/2 \\ 0 & 7/2 & 3/2 \end{pmatrix}$$

new row 2 = row 2 - $L_{21} \times$ row 1

$L_{21} = 15$

$L = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1/2 & 1 & 0 \\ 5/2 & 15 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 11/2 & -5/2 \\ 0 & 0 & 40 \end{pmatrix} \quad L = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1/2 & 1 & 0 \\ 5/2 & 15 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad 4-9$$

$$A = UL$$

U is result of Gauss elim.

L collects coeff used in elim.

(common to store L and U in single matrix)

Why does this help?

Trying to solve $A \vec{x} = \vec{b}$

We write $A = LU$ $LU \vec{x} = \vec{b}$

Now write $U \vec{x} = \vec{y} \Rightarrow L \vec{y} = \vec{b}$

We can solve this for \vec{y} by forward substitution

We can solve $U \vec{x} = \vec{y}$ for \vec{x} by backward subst.

[code ludec.py]

Eigenproblems (abbreviated)

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$$A \vec{v}_i = \lambda_i \vec{v}_i$$

assume $n \times n$ matrix A has n eigenvalues λ_i that are distinct (eigenvectors are linearly ~~def~~ independent)

We can create a matrix Λ that is diagonal with eigenvalues λ_i by

$$V^{-1} A V = \Lambda \quad \text{and } V \text{ is eigenvector matrix}$$

whose columns are \vec{v}_i $V = (\vec{v}_0 \ \vec{v}_1 \ \dots \ \vec{v}_{n-1})$

"diagonalize A ", eigen decomposition

Multiply both sides by V on left

$$A V = V \Lambda$$

$$A V = \begin{bmatrix} A \vec{v}_0 & A \vec{v}_1 & \dots & A \vec{v}_{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_0 \vec{v}_0 & \lambda_1 \vec{v}_1 & \dots & \lambda_{n-1} \vec{v}_{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \vec{v}_0 & \vec{v}_1 & \dots & \vec{v}_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_0 & & & 0 \\ & \lambda_1 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & \lambda_{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A U = U \Lambda \quad \text{and} \quad U^{-1} A U = \Lambda \quad \square$$

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Full solution is too advanced until we have taken linear algebra

We will use Power Method to find largest λ

$$|\lambda_0| > |\lambda_1| > |\lambda_2| > \dots > |\lambda_{n-1}| \quad \text{since all } \lambda_i \text{ distinct}$$

Start with a guess $\vec{z}^{(0)}$ and increment

$$\vec{z}^{(k)} = A \vec{z}^{(k-1)} \quad k=1, 2, \dots$$

$$\text{We note } \vec{z}^{(k-1)} = A \vec{z}^{(k-2)} = A A \vec{z}^{(k-3)} \quad \text{so}$$

$$\vec{z}^{(k)} = A^k \vec{z}^{(0)}$$

Let us assume $\vec{z}^{(0)}$ has a component along $\vec{v}^{(0)}$

We write $\vec{z}^{(0)} = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} c_i \vec{v}_i$ linear combination of eigenvectors

$$\vec{z}^{(k)} = A^k \vec{z}^{(0)} = \sum_i c_i A^k \vec{v}_i = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} c_i \lambda_i^k \vec{v}_i$$

$$\vec{z}^{(k)} = c_0 \lambda_0^k \vec{v}_0 + \lambda_0^k \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} c_i \underbrace{\left(\frac{\lambda_i}{\lambda_0} \right)^k}_{\rightarrow 0} \vec{v}_i \quad k=1, 2, \dots$$

$$\left(\frac{\lambda_i}{\lambda_0} \right)^k \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } k \rightarrow \infty$$