

Inference & Representation

Recitation #1

Today's Agenda :

1. Review of concepts needed to understand PCA
 2. Gaussian Random Variable / Vector
 3. KL-Divergence
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1.1. Diagonalization

<Def.> $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, $A = Q \Lambda Q^{-1}$

* A diagonalizable if $\exists v_1 \dots v_n$ independent eigenvectors

<Recall> $v \in \mathbb{R}^n$ eigenvector if $\exists \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ s.t. $Av = \lambda v$

* Q is said to diagonal A .

$$\Lambda = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}, \quad Q = [v_1 | \dots | v_n]$$

$$(Ex.) A = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & -4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eigenvalues of A : $\det(A - \lambda I) = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 1, \lambda_2 = 2$

Eigenvectors of A : $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -0.8 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\Lambda = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, Q = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -0.8 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, Q^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -5 & -4 \\ 5 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

* Some matrices are NOT diagonalizable :

when # L.I. eigenvectors < dim(A)

(Ex.) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ eigenvalues : $\det(A - \lambda I) = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = 1$
multiplicity = 2
eigenvectors : $V_1 = V_2 = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ $\dim(\text{Ker}(A)) = 1$

So, A : Non-diagonalizable matrix

1.2. Spectral Theorem

<Recall> Symmetric : $A = A^T$

Orthogonal : $VV^T = V^TV = I$

<Def.> $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ diagonalizable ($A = Q \Lambda Q^{-1}$) \rightarrow Q can be chosen orthogonal
 \exists orthonormal basis of \mathbb{R}^n composed eigenvectors of A

<Def.> $A = \underset{\triangle}{P} D P^T$ P: orthogonal = $[v_1 | \cdots | v_n]$
D: diagonal = $\begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}$

1.3. Singular Value Decomposition (SVD)

<Recall> PSD Matrix A $\Rightarrow \lambda_i \geq 0$

$\forall v \in \mathbb{R}^n, v^T A v \geq 0$

<Def.> $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$

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

U : orthogonal $= \begin{bmatrix} | & | \\ u_1 & \cdots & u_n \\ | & | \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ $\underline{u_i} = \frac{1}{\sigma_i} Av_i$ eigenvector of AA^T
left singular vector

V : orthogonal $= \begin{bmatrix} -v_1^T \\ \vdots \\ -v_m^T \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$ $A^T v_i = \sigma_i \underline{v_i}$ eigenvector of A^TA
right singular vector

Σ : diagonal $= \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1 & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & \sigma_r & \\ 0 & & & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$ $\underline{\sigma_i} = \sqrt{\lambda_i}$
singular value

Proof. Define $M = A^T A$, PSD, symmetric

Define $\sigma_i = \sqrt{\lambda_i}$, $u_i = \frac{1}{\sigma_i} Av_i$ -- $\{u_i\}$ - orthonormal

$$u_i^T u_j = \frac{1}{\sigma_i} (Av_i)^T \frac{1}{\sigma_j} (Av_j) = \frac{1}{\sigma_i \sigma_j} v_i^T \underline{A^T A v_j} = \frac{\sigma_j}{\sigma_i} v_i^T v_j = \delta_{ij}$$

$$= \delta_{ij} v_j$$

$$U \Sigma V^T v_i = U \Sigma e_i = U (\sigma_i e_i) = \sigma_i u_i = A v_i$$

→ $U \Sigma V^T$ and A map the same basis $\{v_i\}$

$$\Rightarrow A = U \Sigma V^T \quad \square$$

$$(Ex.) A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{45} & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{5} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 25 & 20 \\ 20 & 25 \end{bmatrix} \nearrow \begin{array}{l} \text{eigenvalues} \\ \text{eigenvectors} \end{array} \quad \lambda_1 = 45, \lambda_2 = 5$$

$$v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 1/\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}, v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} \\ -1/\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow V = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} & 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 1/\sqrt{2} & -1/\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$u_i = \frac{1}{\sigma_i} Av_i \rightarrow U = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{10} & 3/\sqrt{10} \\ 3/\sqrt{10} & -1/\sqrt{10} \end{bmatrix}$$

1.4 Norms

<Def.> Vector space E : a norm is a function $\|\cdot\|: E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$ that verifies

* Absolute Homogeneity: $\forall \lambda \in \mathbb{R}, v \in E, \|\lambda v\| = |\lambda| \|v\|$

* Positive Definiteness: if $\|v\| = 0$ for some $v \in E$, $v = 0$

* Triangular Inequality: $\forall v, w \in E, \|v+w\| \leq \|v\| + \|w\|$

<Def.> P -norm ($p \geq 1$) on \mathbb{R}^n

$$\|v\|_p = \left[\sum_{i=1}^n |v_i|^p \right]^{\frac{1}{p}} \quad \|v\|_\infty = \sup_{i \in [n]} |v_i|$$

(Ex.) $p=1$. $L1$ -norm: $\|v\| = \sum |v_i|$

$p=2$. Euclidean norm: $\|v\|_2 = v^T v$

<Def.> Frobenius norm on $\mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ (matrix norm)

$$\|A\|_F = \left(\sum_{i,j} |a_{i,j}|^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

<Def.> Operator norm

$$\|A\|_p = \sup_{v \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|_p}{\|x\|_p}$$

(Ex) Spectral norm $\|A\|_2$

* Remark: $\|A\|_F^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{\min(n,m)} \sigma_i^2(A)$

$$\|A\|_2 = \max_j \sigma_i(A)$$

2. Gaussian Random Variables

<Recall> Gaussian Distribution

$$X \sim N(0, 1) \quad f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}}$$

$$Y = \delta X + \mu \sim N(\mu, \delta^2) \quad f(y) = \frac{1}{\delta \sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(y-\mu)^2}{2\delta^2}}$$

<Def.> Gaussian Random Vector

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ \vdots \\ X_n \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^n \quad p(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{(2\pi)^n |\Sigma|}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}(x-\mu)^T \Sigma^{-1} (x-\mu)}$$

↑
 μ : expected value
↓
 Σ : covariance matrix
→ $\in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, positive definite, symmetric

$$Y = Ax + b \quad (A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}, x, b \in \mathbb{R}^n)$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \mathbb{E}[Ax+b] = A\mu + b \\ \text{Cov}[Ax+b] = A\Sigma A^T \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} Y \sim N(A\mu + b, A\Sigma A^T) \\ \text{Gaussian R.V.} \end{array}$$

$$(\text{Ex.}) \quad X \sim N(0, I) : p(x) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{\frac{n}{2}}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}\|x\|^2}$$

3 KL-Divergence

→ pdf

$$<\text{Recall}> \text{ discrete : } \text{KL}(P||Q) = \sum P(x) \log \frac{P(x)}{Q(x)}$$

$$\text{continuous : } \text{KL}(P||Q) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} p(x) \log \frac{p(x)}{q(x)} dx$$

KL-divergence of two multivariate Gaussian $N_1 \sim (\mu_1, \Sigma_1), N_2 \sim (\mu_2, \Sigma_2)$

$$\text{KL}(N_1 || N_2) = \frac{1}{2} \left[\text{Tr}(\Sigma_2^{-1} \Sigma_1) - d + (\mu_2 - \mu_1)^T \Sigma_2^{-1} (\mu_2 - \mu_1) + \ln \frac{|\Sigma_2|}{|\Sigma_1|} \right]$$

↑ trace
↓ dimensionality