

**1、 Let  $P \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$  be a nonzero projector. Show that  $\|P\|_2 \geq 1$ , with equality if and only if  $P$  is an orthogonal projector. (Hint: Use the SVD.)**

**Proof:**

since  $P$  is a nonzero projector, we have  $P = P^2$  and  $\|P\|_2 \neq 0$ . Then, based on Cauchy-Schwarz inequality, we have

$$\|P\|_2 = \|P^2\|_2 \leq \|P\|_2^2$$

Hence,  $\|P\|_2 \geq 1$  If  $P$  is an orthogonal projector, then  $P^* = P$ . Suppose  $P$  has the SVD of the form  $P = U\Sigma V^*$ , where  $UU^* = VV^* = I$  Hence,

$$\|P\|_2 = \|P^2\|_2 = \|PP^*\|_2 = \|\Sigma\Sigma^*\|_2 = \sigma_1^2$$

where  $\sigma_1$  is the largest singular value of  $\Sigma$ . since  $\|P\|_2 = \|\Sigma\|_2 = \sigma_1 > 0$ . We have  $\sigma_1^2 = \sigma_1$ . Therefore,  $\sigma_1 = 1$ . i.e.  $\|P\|_2 = 1$  Assume that the projector  $P$  is not orthogonal. i.e.,  $\text{range}(P)$  is not perpendicular to  $\text{range}(I - P)$ . Then, we can find a vector  $a$  such that  $Pa \neq a$  and  $a \perp \text{range}(I - P)$ . Hence

$$\|Pa\|_2 = \|a + (P - I)a\|_2 > \|a\|_2$$

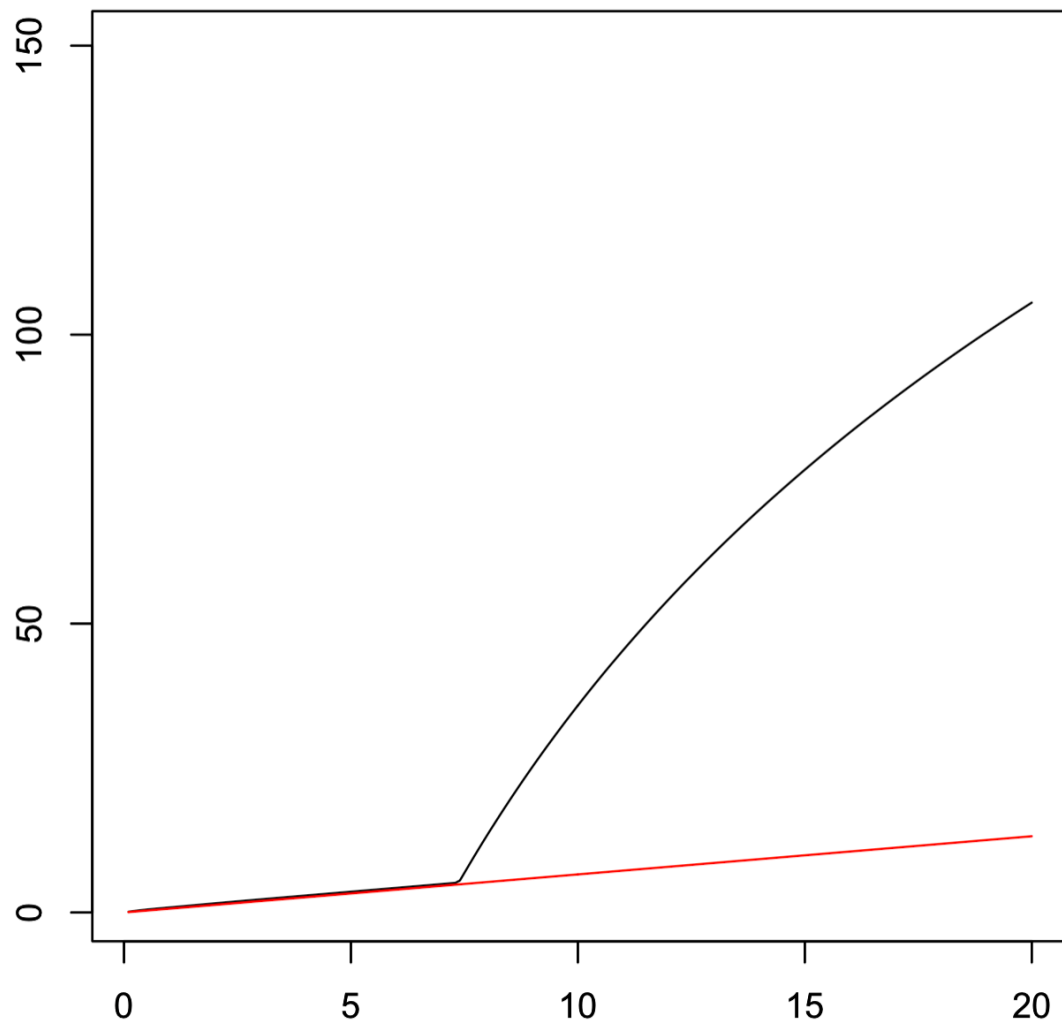
Therefore,

$$\|P\|_2 = \sup_{\|a\|_2=1} \|Pa\|_2 > \sup_{\|a\|_2=1} \|a\|_2 = 1$$

**2、 Let  $A$  be a  $10 \times 10$  random matrix with entries from the standard normal distribution, minus twice the identity. Write a program to plot  $\|e^{tA}\|_2$  against  $t$  for  $0 \leq t \leq 20$  on a log scale, comparing the result to the straight line  $e^{t\alpha(A)}$ , where  $\alpha(A) = \max_j \text{Re}(\lambda_j)$  is the spectral abscissa of  $A$ . Run the program for ten random matrices  $A$  and comment on the results. What property of a matrix leads to a  $\|e^{tA}\|_2$  curve that remains oscillatory as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ ?**

$$A = U^T \Sigma V \quad \|e^{tA}\|_2 = e^t \|U^T e^\Sigma V\|_2 \quad \text{where } e^\Sigma = \text{diag}(e^{\lambda_1}, e^{\lambda_2}, \dots, e^{\lambda_n})$$

the black curve is  $\|e^{tA}\|_2$ . the red curve is  $e^{t\alpha(A)}$ .



**Code:**

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n=200
eta = c()
etalpha =c()
a = matrix(rnorm(100),10,10)-2*diag(1,10)
alpha = max(Re(eigen(a)$values))
for(i in 1:n){
  sum = diag(1,10)
  t = i/10
  for(i in 1:100){
    temp = diag(1,10)
    for(j in 1:i){
      temp = (a*t)%*%temp/j
    }
    sum=sum+temp
  }
  eta = cbind(eta,norm(sum,'2'))
  etalpha = cbind(etalpha,exp(t*alpha))
}
plot(1:n/10,log(eta),type='l',ylim=c(1,150))
par(new=TRUE)
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plot(1:n/10,log(etalpha),type='l',col='red',ylim=c(1,150))
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3、 Suppose the  $m \times m$  real matrix  $A$  has an SVDA  $= U\Sigma V^T$ . Find an eigenvalue decomposition of the matrix  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & A^T \\ A & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

**Proof:**

We note

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & A^* \\ A & 0 \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & V\Sigma^*U^* \\ U\Sigma V^* & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} U\Sigma V^* & 0 \\ 0 & V\Sigma^*U^* \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} U & 0 \\ 0 & V \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Sigma & 0 \\ 0 & \Sigma^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V^* & 0 \\ 0 & U^* \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

The inverse of  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  is itself and the inverse of  $\begin{bmatrix} U & 0 \\ 0 & V \end{bmatrix}$  is  $\begin{bmatrix} U^* & 0 \\ 0 & V^* \end{bmatrix}$ . So the inverse of

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} U & 0 \\ 0 & V \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} U^* & 0 \\ 0 & V^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ \text{Note } \begin{bmatrix} V^* & 0 \\ 0 & U^* \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} U^* & 0 \\ 0 & V^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & A^* \\ A & 0 \end{bmatrix} &= \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} U & 0 \\ 0 & V \end{bmatrix} \right) \left( \begin{bmatrix} \Sigma & 0 \\ 0 & \Sigma^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} U & 0 \\ 0 & V \end{bmatrix} \right)^{-1} \\ &= \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} U & 0 \\ 0 & V \end{bmatrix} \right) \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \Sigma \\ \Sigma^* & 0 \end{bmatrix} \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} U & 0 \\ 0 & V \end{bmatrix} \right)^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

Note  $\Sigma$  is a diagonal matrix with nonnegative diagonal elements, we must have  $\Sigma = \Sigma^*$ . It's easy to see

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & \Sigma \\ \Sigma & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_{m \times m} & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & -I_{m \times m} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} I_{m \times m} & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & -I_{m \times m} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Sigma & 0 \\ 0 & -\Sigma \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} I_{m \times m} & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & -I_{m \times m} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_{m \times m} & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & -I_{m \times m} \end{bmatrix} = 2I_{2m \times 2m}$$

So the formula

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & \Sigma \\ \Sigma & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} I_{m \times m} & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & -I_{m \times m} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \Sigma & 0 \\ 0 & -\Sigma \end{bmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} I_{m \times m} & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & -I_{m \times m} \end{bmatrix}$$

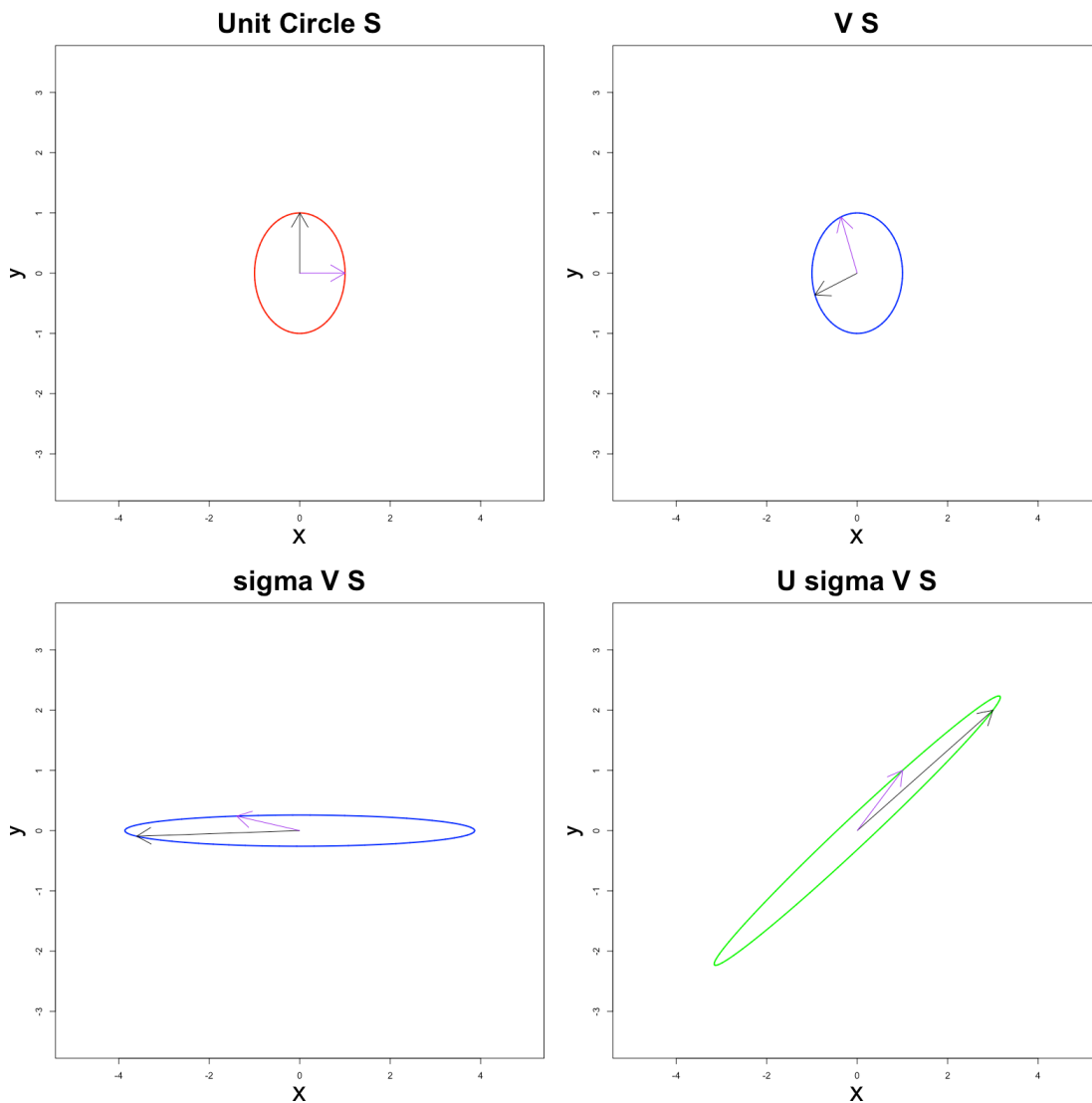
gives the eigenvalue decomposition of  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & \Sigma \\ \Sigma & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Combined, if we set

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} U & 0 \\ 0 & V \end{bmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} I_{m \times m} & I_{m \times m} \\ I_{m \times m} & -I_{m \times m} \end{bmatrix}$$

then  $X \begin{bmatrix} \Sigma & 0 \\ 0 & -\Sigma \end{bmatrix} X^{-1}$  gives the eigenvalue decomposition of  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & A^* \\ A & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

#### 4、 Plot the unit circle $S$ . Then take a matrix and plot the ellipse $AS$ .

Modeled on ppt:



Code:

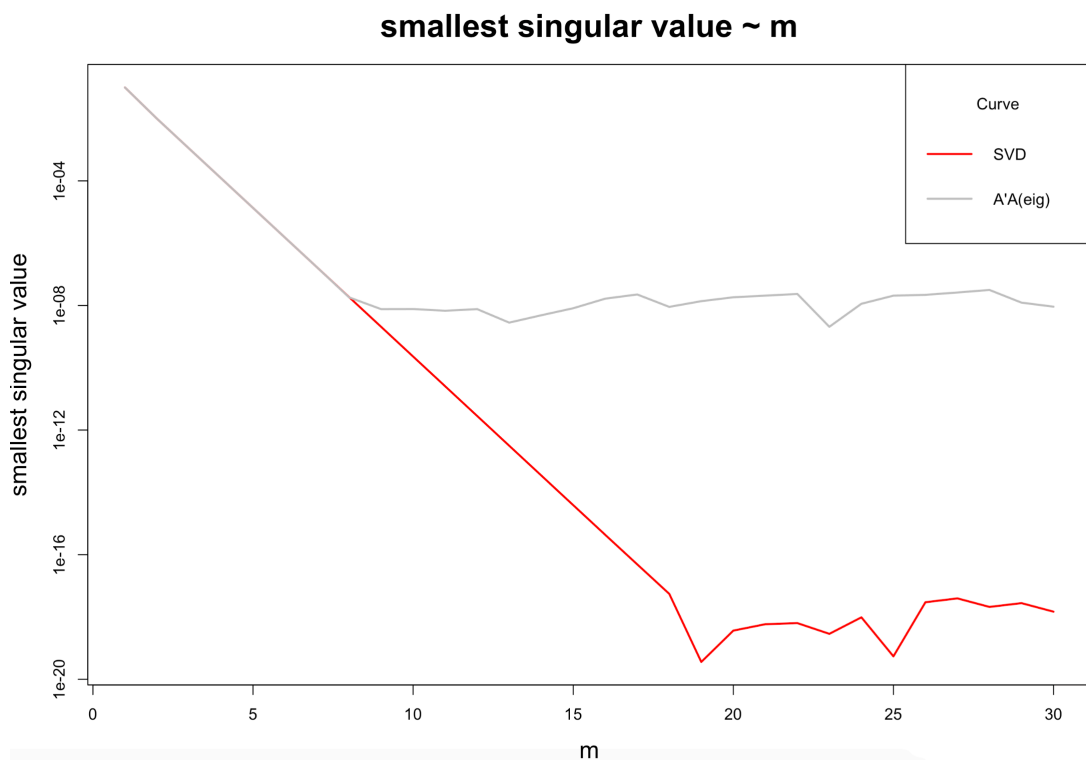
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f= seq(from=0, to=2*pi, 0.001)
length_f = length(f)
x = sin(f)
y = cos(f)
A = matrix(c(1,1,3,2), ncol=2)
par(mfrow=c(2,2))
plot(x,y, type='l', col='red', lwd=2, main='Unit Circle S',cex.main=3,
xlab='x',ylab='y',cex.lab=3, xlim=c(-5,5), ylim=c(-3.5,3.5))
arrows(x0 = 0, y0 = 0, x1 = x[1], y1 = y[1], col='black', lwd=1)
arrows(x0 = 0, y0 = 0, x1 = x[1571], y1 = y[1571], col='purple', lwd=1)
A_svd = svd(A)
xy1 = t(A_svd$v) %*% rbind(t(x),t(y))
plot(xy1[1,], xy1[2,], type='l', col='blue', lwd=2, main='V S',cex.main=3,
xlab='x', ylab='y',cex.lab=3, xlim=c(-5,5), ylim=c(-3.5,3.5))
arrows(x0 = 0, y0 = 0, x1 = xy[1,1], y1 = xy[2,1], col='black', lwd=1)
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arrows(x0 = 0, y0 = 0, x1 = xy[1,1571], y1 =xy[2,1571], col='purple', lwd=1)
xy2 = diag(A_svd$d) %*% xy
plot(xy2[1,], xy[2,], type='l', col='blue', lwd=2, main='sigma V S',cex.main=3,
xlab='x', ylab='y',cex.lab=3, xlim=c(-5,5), ylim=c(-3.5,3.5))
arrows(x0 = 0, y0 = 0, x1 = xy[1,1], y1 = xy[2,1], col='black', lwd=1)
arrows(x0 = 0, y0 = 0, x1 = xy[1,1571], y1 = xy[2,1571], col='purple', lwd=1)
xy3 = A_svd$u %*% xy
plot(xy3[1,], xy[2,], type='l', col='green', lwd=2, main='U sigma V
S',cex.main=3, xlab='x', ylab='y',cex.lab=3, xlim=c(-5,5), ylim=c(-3.5,3.5))
arrows(x0 = 0, y0 = 0, x1 = xy[1,1], y1 = xy[2,1], col='black', lwd=1)
arrows(x0 = 0, y0 = 0, x1 = xy[1,1571], y1 = xy[2,1571], col='purple', lwd=1)

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**5、 Let  $A$  be the  $m \times m$  upper-triangular matrix with 0.1 on the main diagonal and 1 everywhere above the diagonal. Write a program to compute the smallest singular value of  $A$  in two ways: by calling a standard svd function, and by forming  $A^T A$  and computing the square root of its smallest eigenvalue. Run your program for  $1 \leq m \leq 30$  and plot the results as two curves on a log scale.**



**Code:**

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smallest_singular_1 = list(30)
smallest_singular_2 = list(30)
for (i in 1:30){
  A = diag(rep(0.1, time=i))
  if(i>=2){
    for (j in 2:i){
      A[1:(j-1),j] = matrix(rep(1, time=j-1), ncol=1)
    }
  }
  smallest_singular_1[[i]] = svd(A)$d[1]
  smallest_singular_2[[i]] = sqrt(eigen(A^T A)$val[1])
}

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    }
}
if(i==1){
  A = matrix(c(0.1),ncol=1)
}

A_SVD = svd(A)
smallest_singular_1[i] = min(A_SVD$d)

A_TA = t(A) %*% A
tmp = min(abs(eigen(A_TA)$values))
smallest_singular_2[i] = sqrt(tmp)
}
X = 1:30
plot(X, smallest_singular_1, type='l', col='red', lwd=2, log='y', xlab='m',
ylab='smallest singular value', cex.lab=1.5,main='smallest singular value ~ m',
cex.main=2)
lines(X, smallest_singular_2, type='l', col='gray', lwd=2, log='y')
legend('topright', title='Curve', c('SVD', "A'A(eig)"), col=c('red', 'gray'),
lty=1, lwd=2)

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