

SVD and eigenvalue decomposition :-

Eigendecomposition :-

If $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$ is non-defective, then it has complete set of m linearly independent eigenvectors.

$$\left. \begin{aligned} A \underline{x}_1 &= \lambda_1 \underline{x}_1 \\ A \underline{x}_2 &= \lambda_2 \underline{x}_2 \\ &\vdots \\ A \underline{x}_m &= \lambda_m \underline{x}_m \end{aligned} \right\} - (1)$$

$$A \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | & \dots & | \\ \underline{x}_1 & \underline{x}_2 & \underline{x}_3 & \dots & \underline{x}_m \\ | & | & | & \dots & | \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | & \dots & | \\ \underline{x}_1 & \underline{x}_2 & \dots & \underline{x}_m \\ | & | & \dots & | \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & & & 0 \\ & \lambda_2 & & & \\ & & \ddots & & \\ & & & \lambda_m & \\ 0 & & & & \lambda_m \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A \underline{X} = \underline{X} \underline{\Lambda} - (2)$$

$$\Rightarrow A = \underline{X} \underline{\Lambda} \underline{X}^{-1} \Rightarrow \underline{\Lambda} = \underline{X}^{-1} A \underline{X} - (3)$$

For $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$, $A \underline{x} = \underline{b}$ and

we expand $\underline{b}, \underline{x} \in \mathbb{R}^m$ in the basis of eigenvectors $\underline{b} = \sum_{i=1}^m b_i' \underline{x}_i$

$$\text{and } \underline{x} = \sum_{i=1}^m x_i' \underline{x}_i \Rightarrow \underline{x} = \underline{X} \underline{z}'$$

$$\underline{b} = \underline{X} \underline{b}', \quad \underline{b}' = \begin{bmatrix} b_1' \\ b_2' \\ \vdots \\ b_m' \end{bmatrix}$$

where $\underline{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} x_1' \\ x_2' \\ \vdots \\ x_m' \end{bmatrix}$

$$\underline{A} \underline{x} = \underline{b}$$

$$\underline{A} \underline{X} \underline{x}' = \underline{X} \underline{b}'$$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{\underline{X}^{-1} \underline{A} \underline{X}}_{\underline{A} \underline{x}' = \underline{b}'} \underline{x}' = \underline{b}'$$

Comparison of SVD and eigen decomp:-

- * SVD uses two different bases
(left singular vectors basis and right singular vectors basis)
whereas eigendecomposition uses just one basis i.e. basis of eigenvectors
- * SVD results in orthonormal bases
whereas \underline{X} in eigendecomposition is generally not orthogonal.
- * SVD exists for all matrices no matter dimension; eigendecomposition

exists for square non-defective matrices.

Thm 4: Non zero singular values of $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ are square roots of non-zero eigenvalues of $A^T A$ or $A A^T$.

Pf:-

$$A = \underset{m \times m}{U} \underset{m \times n}{\Sigma} \underset{n \times n}{V}^T$$

$$A^T A = (\underset{n \times m}{U} \underset{m \times n}{\Sigma} \underset{n \times n}{V}^T)^T (\underset{m \times m}{U} \underset{m \times n}{\Sigma} \underset{n \times n}{V}^T)$$

$$= (\underset{n \times n}{V}^T)^T \underset{m \times m}{\Sigma}^T \underset{m \times n}{U}^T \underset{n \times n}{U} \underset{m \times n}{\Sigma} \underset{n \times n}{V}^T$$

$$= \underset{n \times n}{V} \underset{n \times m}{\Sigma}^T \underset{m \times m}{\Sigma} \underset{m \times n}{V}^T = \underset{n \times n}{V} \tilde{\Sigma} \underset{n \times n}{V}^T$$

where $\tilde{\Sigma}$ is diag matrix of squares of singular values

$\underset{n \times n}{V} \tilde{\Sigma} \underset{n \times n}{V}^T$ is eigendecomp of $A^T A$

comprising $\sigma_1^2, \sigma_2^2, \dots, \sigma_p^2$ as diagonal of entries of $\tilde{\Sigma}$ with $n-p$ additional zero eigenvalues if $n > p$

Thm 5: If $A = A^T$ singular values of A are absolute values of eigenvalues of A .

Pf:-

$$\begin{aligned}
 \underline{A} &= \underline{X} \underline{\Lambda} \underline{X}^{-1} \\
 &= \underline{Q} \underline{\Lambda} \underline{Q}^{-1} \\
 &= \underline{Q} \underline{\Lambda} \underline{Q}^T \\
 &= \underline{Q} \underline{|\Lambda|} \underline{\text{sgn}(\Lambda)} \underline{Q}^T
 \end{aligned}$$

(where \underline{Q} is an orthogonal matrix for matrices which are symmetric)

where $|\Lambda|$ and $\text{sgn}(\Lambda)$ are diagonal matrices whose entries are $|\lambda_j|$ and $\text{sgn}(\lambda_j)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \underline{A} &= \underline{Q} \underline{|\Lambda|} \underline{\text{sgn}(\Lambda)} \underline{Q}^T \\
 &= \underline{Q} \underline{|\Lambda|} \underline{Q}^T
 \end{aligned}$$

$\underline{A} = \underline{Q} \underline{|\Lambda|} \underline{Q}^T$ is SVD of \underline{A}

Thm 6:-

$$\underline{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}; \quad |\det(\underline{A})| = \prod_{i=1}^m \sigma_i$$

$$|\det(\underline{A})| = |\det(\underline{U} \underline{\Sigma} \underline{V}^T)|$$

$$= |\det \underline{U}| |\det \underline{\Sigma}| |\det \underline{V}^T|$$

$$= |\det \underline{\Sigma}| = \prod_{i=1}^m \sigma_i$$

$$[|\det \underline{V}| = |\det \underline{U}| = 1]$$

Low rank approximations:-

Thm 2:- $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ of rank " r " can be written as sum of " r " rank-one matrices of

the form
$$A = \sum_{j=1}^r \sigma_j \underline{u}_j \underline{v}_j^T$$

where $\{\sigma_j\}$ are singular values and $\{\underline{u}_j\}, \{\underline{v}_j\}$ are the appropriate singular vectors.

Pf:- Recall $\underline{u} \underline{v}^T$ is a rank-one matrix

$$A = \underline{U} \underline{\Sigma} \underline{V}^T$$

$$\underline{\Sigma} = \sum_{j=1}^r \underline{\Sigma}_j \quad \text{where}$$

$$\underline{\Sigma}_j = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & \dots & \sigma_j & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & & & & & \\ 0 & & & & & 0 \end{bmatrix}_{m \times n}$$

$$A = \underline{U} \underline{\Sigma} \underline{V}^T$$

$$= \underline{U} \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^r \underline{\Sigma}_j \right\} \underline{V}^T$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^r \underline{U} \underline{\Sigma}_j \underline{V}^T = \sum_{j=1}^r \sigma_j \underline{u}_j \underline{v}_j^T$$

$$A = \sum_{j=1}^r \sigma_j u_j v_j^T$$

Then k^{th} partial sum $\sum_{j=1}^k \sigma_j u_j v_j^T$ $k \leq r$

has as much energy (information) of A as possible

Thm 8: For any k with $1 \leq k \leq r$

define $A_k = \sum_{j=1}^k \sigma_j u_j v_j^T$

then $\|A - A_k\|_2 = \min_{\substack{B \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n} \\ \text{rank}(B) \leq k}} \|A - B\|_2 = \sigma_{k+1}$

Eckhart-Young Theorem \rightarrow

Proof: Let there is some (CB) whose $\text{rank}(CB) \leq k$ such that $\|A - B\|_2 < \|A - A_k\|_2$

$\dim(N(CB)) \geq n - k$ as $\text{rank}(CB) \leq k$ $= \sigma_{k+1}$

Consider the subspaces

- (i) W_1 : The null space of (CB) which is of dimension of at least $n - k$
- (ii) W_2 : The space spanned by $k+1$ right singular vectors of A i.e. $u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots, u_{k+1}$

These two subspaces have to intersect? why?

Dimensions of the two subspaces

add to $(n-k) + (k+1)$ i.e. the subspaces must at least have 1 common vector.

Let such a non-zero vector be \underline{x} i.e. $\underline{x} \in W_1 \cap W_2$

$\underline{x} \neq 0$; $\underline{x} \in N(B)$ i.e. $B\underline{x} = 0$ and $\underline{x} \in W_2$

$$\underline{x} = \sum_{i=1}^{k+1} c_i \underline{u}_i$$

$$\|A\underline{x}\|_2 = \|(A-B)\underline{x}\|_2$$

$$\leq \|A-B\|_2 \|\underline{x}\|_2 < \sigma_{k+1} \|\underline{x}\|_2 \quad - (1)$$

$$A\underline{u}_i = \sigma_i \underline{u}_i$$

$$\|A\underline{x}\|_2^2 = \left\| A \sum_{i=1}^{k+1} c_i \underline{u}_i \right\|_2^2$$

$$= \left\| \sum_{i=1}^{k+1} c_i \sigma_i \underline{u}_i \right\|_2^2 = \left[\sum_{i=1}^{k+1} c_i \sigma_i \underline{u}_i \right]^T \left[\sum_{i=1}^{k+1} c_i \sigma_i \underline{u}_i \right] \|\underline{a}\|_2^2 = \underline{a}^T \underline{a}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{k+1} c_i^2 \sigma_i^2 \quad (\text{use orthonormality of } \underline{u}_i)$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{k+1} c_i^2 \sigma_i^2 \geq \sum_{i=1}^{k+1} c_i^2 \sigma_{k+1}^2$$

$$= \left(\sum_{i=1}^{k+1} c_i^2 \right) \sigma_{k+1}^2$$

$$= \|\underline{x}\|_2^2 \sigma_{k+1}^2$$

$$\|A\underline{x}\|_2^2 \geq \|\underline{x}\|_2^2 \sigma_{k+1}^2 \text{ i.e. } \|A\underline{x}\|_2 \geq \sigma_{k+1} \|\underline{x}\|_2 \quad - (2)$$

① & ② is a contradiction which means you cannot have a matrix B with $\text{rank}(B) \leq k$ such that $\|A-B\|_2 < \|A-A_k\|_2$

Eckhart-Young in Frobenius norm:-

Thm 9 For any k , with $1 \leq k \leq r$, the matrix $A_k = \sum_{j=1}^k \sigma_j u_j v_j^T$ also satisfies

$$\|A - A_k\|_F = \min_{\substack{B \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n} \\ \text{rank}(B) \leq k}} \|A - B\|_F$$

$$= \sqrt{\sigma_{k+1}^2 + \sigma_{k+2}^2 + \dots + \sigma_r^2}$$