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(This exam is worth 25 points)

**Problem 0.**(1 point.) Follows the instructions on this exam and any additional instructions given during the exam.

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Problem 1. (6 points.) Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .

(a) Find the SVD of  $A$ .

(b) Run the power method starting from  $x^{(0)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  for  $k = 3$  steps.

$$a) B = A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Find eigenvalues and eigenvectors of  $B$ :

$$(2-\lambda)^2 - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 3 \text{ and } \lambda_2 = 1.$$

$$\text{For } \lambda_1 = 3, \vec{v}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}; \text{ For } \lambda_2 = 1, \vec{v}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\vec{u}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{u}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A = \begin{bmatrix} 2/\sqrt{6} & 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{6} & 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 1/\sqrt{6} & -1/\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{3} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} & 1/\sqrt{2} \\ -1/\sqrt{2} & 1/\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$b) x^{(0)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow x^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$x^{(3)} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 14 \\ 13 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^{(3)}}{\|x^{(3)}\|_2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{14^2 + 13^2}} \begin{bmatrix} 14 \\ 13 \end{bmatrix}.$$

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Problem 2.(6 points.) Suppose that a matrix  $A$  has the following SVD

$$A = [u_1 \ u_2 \ u_3] \Sigma \begin{bmatrix} -v_1^T \\ -v_2^T \\ -v_3^T \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} .13 & .02 & -.01 \\ .41 & .07 & -.03 \\ .55 & .09 & -.04 \\ .68 & .11 & -.05 \\ .15 & -.59 & .65 \\ .07 & -.73 & -.67 \\ .07 & -.29 & .32 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 12.4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 9.5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1.3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} .56 & .59 & .56 & .09 & .09 \\ .12 & -.02 & .12 & -.69 & -.69 \\ .40 & -.80 & .40 & .09 & .09 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Let  $\sigma_1 = 12.4$ ,  $\sigma_2 = 9.5$ , and  $\sigma_3 = 1.3$  be the singular values of  $A$ . Let  $A_2 = \sum_{i=1}^2 \sigma_i u_i v_i^T$ .

- (a) Express  $\|A_2\|_F^2$  and  $\|A - A_2\|_2^2$  in term of singular values of  $A$ . (You need not to simplify.)  
 (b) What is the best rank-1 approximation matrix to  $A$  (in Frobenius norm)?

a)  $\|A_2\|_F^2 = 12.4^2 + 9.5^2.$

$\|A - A_2\|_2^2 = \|\sigma_3 u_3 v_3^T\|_2^2 = \sigma_3^2 = 1.3^2.$

b) It's  $A_1 = \sigma_1 u_1 v_1^T.$

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**Problem 3.** (6 points.) Describe the process of estimating  $F_0$  (or counting distinct elements in a data stream.) that you learned in class.

consider a hash function  $h: [m] \rightarrow [0, 1]$ .  $x_1, \dots, x_k$   
and suppose that there are  $k$  distinct elements  $x_i$  (which  
we want to estimate). Suppose  $h(x_1), \dots, h(x_k)$  are independent  
uniform over  $[0, 1]$ .

$$Y = \min(h(x_1), \dots, h(x_k)).$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbb{E}[Y] = \frac{1}{k+1}.$$

then we can show.  $P(|Y - \mathbb{E}[Y]| \geq \varepsilon \mathbb{E}[Y]) \leq \frac{1}{\varepsilon^2}.$   
for  $\varepsilon \in (0, 1)$ .

$\Rightarrow$  need to improve  $\Rightarrow$  mean of estimator.

Consider  $t$  independent trials of  $Y$ , says  
 $Y_1, \dots, Y_t$ . and let  $Z = \frac{Y_1 + \dots + Y_t}{t}$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbb{E}[Z] = \mathbb{E}[Y] = \frac{1}{k+1}.$$

can show that

$$\Rightarrow P(|Z - \mathbb{E}[Z]| \geq \varepsilon \mathbb{E}[Z]) \leq \frac{1}{t\varepsilon^2}.$$

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**Problem 4.** (6 points.) Suppose there is a random variable  $X$  taking values in  $[0, 1]$ . Note that we don't know the distribution of  $X$ . How can you estimate  $\mathbb{E}[X]$  up to an error 0.1 and with probability at least 90%? In this case, how many samples do you need to take? Explain your answer clearly. (You need not to simplify.)

Let  $Y = \frac{X_1 + \dots + X_n}{n}$ , where  $X_i$ 's are independent copies of  $X$ .

$$\mathbb{E}[Y] = \frac{\mathbb{E}[X_1] + \dots + \mathbb{E}[X_n]}{n} = \mathbb{E}[X].$$

By Chernoff's bound:

$$\mathbb{P}(|Y - \mathbb{E}[Y]| \geq \epsilon) \leq 2e^{-2\epsilon^2 n} = \delta$$

Given  $\epsilon = 0.1$  and  $\delta = 1 - 0.9 = 0.1$ ,

we need to take  $n = \frac{1}{2\epsilon^2} \ln\left(\frac{2}{\delta}\right)$  samples

and use  $Y$  to estimate  $\mathbb{E}[X]$ .  $= \frac{1}{2(0.1)^2} \ln\left(\frac{2}{0.1}\right)$ .

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 $= \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$   $= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$

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b)  $x^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}.$

$$x^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \text{a)} \quad \|A_2\|_2^2 &= \sigma_1^2 = 12.4^2. \\ \|A - A_2\|_F^2 &= \sigma_3^2 = 1.3^2. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{b)} \quad A_1 = \sigma_1 u_1 v_1^T.$$



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$$\varepsilon = 0.15$$

$$\delta = 0.05.$$

$$\Rightarrow n = \frac{1}{2(0.15)^2} \ln\left(\frac{2}{0.05}\right).$$