

Diagonalization & pseudoinverseTransformation matrices

Given a lin. transf. T

A : cov. matrix with basis $\underline{v}_1, \dots, \underline{v}_n$

B : cov. matrix with basis $\underline{w}_1, \dots, \underline{w}_n$

Q: Is there a relation between A & B ?

$$A = M^{-1} B M$$

$\Rightarrow A$ & B are similar!

Basis of eigenvectors

If \underline{v}_i are eigenvectors of T

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow T(\underline{v}_1) &= \lambda_1 \underline{v}_1 \\ T(\underline{v}_2) &= \lambda_2 \underline{v}_2 \\ &\vdots \\ T(\underline{v}_n) &= \lambda_n \underline{v}_n \end{aligned} \quad \Rightarrow A = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & \lambda_2 & \dots & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix} = \Delta$$

or

$$\Delta = S^{-1} A S$$

$$\underline{v} \rightarrow \underline{v} \quad std \rightarrow \underline{v} \quad std \rightarrow std \quad \underline{v} \rightarrow std$$

Basis of singular vectors (SVD)

Input basis : $\underline{v}_1, \dots, \underline{v}_n \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$

Output basis : $\underline{u}_1, \dots, \underline{u}_m \subseteq \mathbb{R}^m$

$$\Sigma = U^{-1} A V$$

$$V \rightarrow U \quad S \rightarrow U \quad S \rightarrow S^{-1} \quad V \rightarrow S^{-1} V$$

(The SVD chooses the orthonormal bases, $U^{-1} = U^T$, $V^{-1} = V^T$ that diagonalize A)

(The two orthonormal basis are eigenvectors of $A^T A$, \underline{v} 's & $A A^T$, \underline{u} 's)

Left & right inverses ; pseudoinverse

Two-sided inverse

If $m=n=r$. A has full rank
two-sided inverse A^{-1} exists

$$\Rightarrow A^{-1} A = I, A A^{-1} = I$$

We called it "inverse" of A

$A \underline{x} = \underline{b}$ has 1 sol. (unique)

Left inverse ($r=n$)

A has full col. rank, col.s are indep.

$\Rightarrow N(A)$ only contains $\{0\}$

$\Rightarrow A\underline{x} = \underline{b}$ has 0 or 1 sol.

$A^T A$ is an invertible PD matrix

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{(A^T A)^{-1}}_{\text{left inverse}} A^T A = I$$

$$\text{left inverse} : A^{-1}_{\text{left}} = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T$$

Note: left inverse is NOT unique
but this is our favorite

Note:

$$A A^{-1}_{\text{left}} = I \text{ only when } m=n$$

Otherwise,

$$A A^{-1}_{\text{left}} = A (A^T A)^{-1} A^T = P$$

(projection from $R^m \rightarrow C(A)$)

Right inverse ($r=m$)

A has full row rank

\Rightarrow All rows have pivots, $C(A) = R^m$

$\Rightarrow \dim N(A) = n-m$

$\Rightarrow n-m$ free variables (if $n > m$)

$\Rightarrow A\hat{x} = b$ has ∞ sol.s

AA^T is an invertible PD matrix

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{AA^T(AA^T)^{-1}}_{{\text{right inverse } A^{\dagger}}} = I$$

$$A^{\dagger} = A^T(AA^T)^{-1}$$

Note: right inverse is NOT unique
but this is our favorite

Note:

$A^{\dagger} A = I$ only when $m=n$
Otherwise,

$$A^{\dagger} A = A^T(AA^T)^{-1}A = P$$

(projection from $\mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathcal{C}(A^T)$)

Pseudoinverse ($r < n, r < m$)

Recall:

$$A\hat{A}_{\text{left}}^{\dagger} = A(A^TA)^{-1}A^T = P$$

(projection from $\mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathcal{C}(A)$)

(trouble: nontrivial $N(A^T)$)

$$A^{\dagger} A = A^T(AA^T)^{-1}A = P$$

(projection from $\mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathcal{C}(A^T)$)

(trouble: nontrivial $N(A)$)

Q: Can we avoid this?

Yes! focus on $C(A)$ & $C(A^T)$

Fact If $\underline{x} \neq \underline{y}$ are vectors in $C(A^T)$

then $A\underline{x} \neq A\underline{y}$ in $C(A)$

($\underline{x} \in C(A^T) \xrightarrow{A} A\underline{x} \in C(A)$ is

a one-to-one mapping

\Rightarrow inverse exists \Rightarrow pseudoinverse)

Proof: (by contradiction)

If $\exists \underline{x} \neq \underline{y} \in C(A^T) \text{ & } A\underline{x} = A\underline{y}$

$\Rightarrow A(\underline{x} - \underline{y}) = \underline{0} \Rightarrow \underline{x} - \underline{y} \in N(A)$

But $\underline{x}, \underline{y} \in C(A^T) \Rightarrow \underline{x} - \underline{y} \in C(A^T)$

Since $N(A) \perp C(A^T) \Rightarrow \underline{x} - \underline{y} = \underline{0}$

$\Rightarrow \underline{x} = \underline{y}$ (contradiction?)

Finding pseudoinverse A^+

Def Pseudoinverse A^+ of A is a matrix

for which $\underline{x} = A^+ A \underline{x} \quad \forall \underline{x} \in C(A^T)$

Note: $N(A^+) = N(A^T)$ — (*)

(show later)

Q: How to find A^+ ?

Recall from SVD:

$$A \underline{v}_i = \sigma_i \underline{u}_i \quad , i=1, \dots, r$$

\downarrow

(basis for $C(A^T)$) (basis for $C(A)$)

$$\Rightarrow A^T \underline{u}_i = \frac{1}{\sigma_i} \underline{v}_i \quad , i=1, \dots, r$$

\downarrow

(basis for $C(A)$) (basis for $C(A^T)$)

$$A^T \underline{u}_i = 0 \quad \text{for } i > r \quad (\text{basis for } N(A^T))$$

(we know what happens to each \downarrow
basis vector $\underline{u}_i \in \mathbb{R}^m$, we know A^+)

In summary:

$$\text{If } A = U \Sigma V^T \Rightarrow A^+ = V \Sigma^+ U^T$$

$$= [\underline{v}_1 \dots \underline{v}_r \dots \underline{v}_n] \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1^{-1} & & \\ & \ddots & \sigma_{r-1}^{-1} \\ & & \sigma_r^{-1} & \\ & & & \ddots & 0 \end{bmatrix} [\underline{u}_1 \dots \underline{u}_r \dots \underline{u}_m]$$

$n \times n \qquad n \times m \qquad m \times m$

$$(\text{If } n=m, \Sigma^+ = \Sigma^{-1}, A^+ = A^{-1})$$

Ex: (p. 404) Find pseudoinverse for

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 5 \\ 5 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 10, \lambda_2 = 0$$

$$A^T A - 10I = \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 5 \\ 5 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \underline{v}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 5 \\ 5 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \underline{v}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow A \underline{v}_1 = 5 \underline{v}_1, \underline{v}_1 \Rightarrow \underline{u}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \begin{bmatrix} 2\sqrt{2} \\ \sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow A^+ &= V \Sigma^{-1} U^T = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

A^+ has rank 1

A takes $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ in $C(A^T)$ to $\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ in $C(A)$

A^+ takes $\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ in $C(A)$ to $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ in $C(A^T)$

Application to least square sol.

Recall: To find least square sol. in ch. 4., we have

$$A^T A \hat{x} = A^T b$$

With assumpt. A has full col. rank
(so $A^T A$ is invertible)

Now, if A has dependent cols.
there are many sol.s to

$$A^T A \hat{x} = A^T \underline{b}$$

One sol.: $\underline{x}^+ = A^T \underline{b}$

(chk: $A^T A A^T \underline{b} = A^T \underline{b}$)

Since $e = \underline{b} - A A^T \underline{b} \in N(A^T)$
(see Fig below)

Note: Any vector in $N(A)$ can be added to \underline{x}^+ to give another sol. \hat{x} but \underline{x}^+ is the shortest least square sol. (one with shortest length)

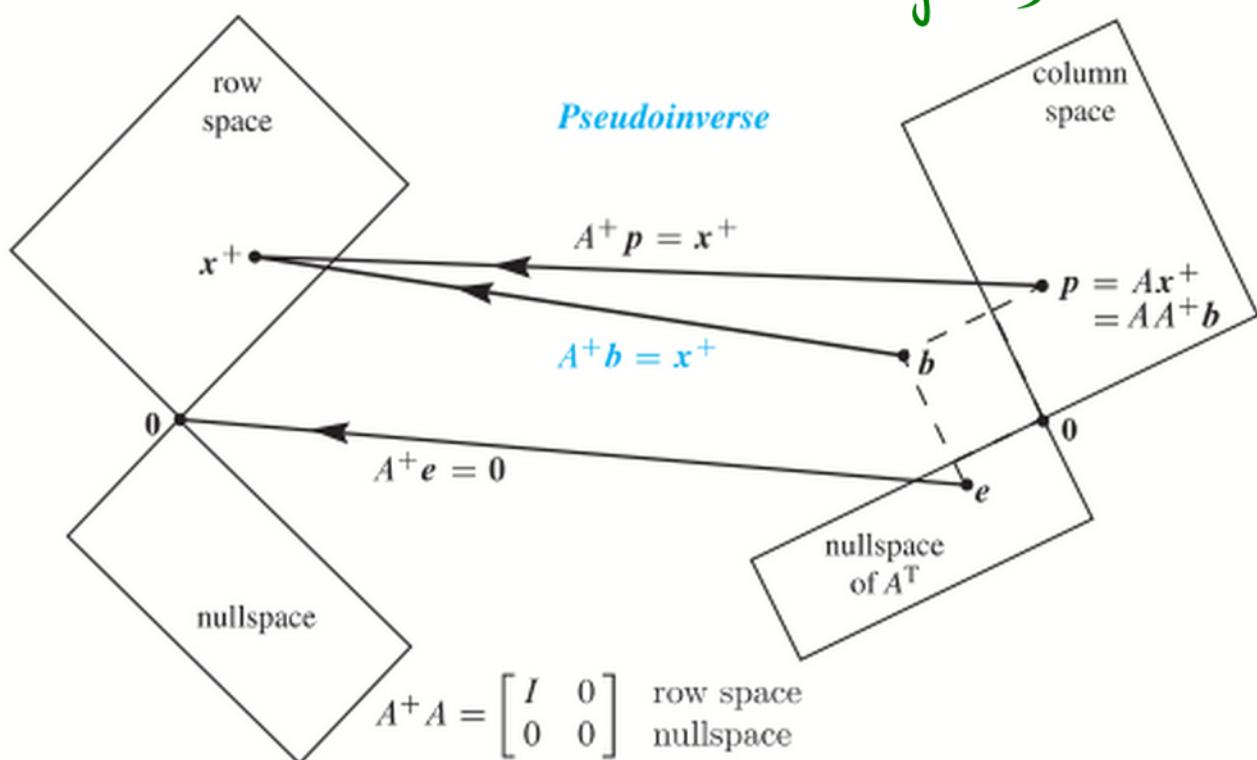


Figure 50: Ax^+ in the column space goes back to $A^+Ax^+ = x^+$ in the row space.