Introduction to Data Science

Linear Algebra



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- Rearrangements Permutation of given set of elements

Geometry & Vectors

- Vectors A $1 \times d$ dimension matrix. In geometry sense a ray from the origin through the given point in d dimension
- Normalization In many scenarios the vectors are normalized to have unit norm
- Dot Product
 - Useful to reduce vector to scalar
 - Can be used to measure angle

Matrix operations

- Addition: C = A + B, $C_{ij} = A_{ij} + B_{ij}$
- Scalar multiplication: A' = cA, $A'_{ij} = c \cdot A_{ij}$
- Linear combination: $\alpha A + (1 \alpha)B$



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Matrix multiplication

- It is an aggregated version of the vector dot or inner product
 - $x \cdot y = \sum_i x_i y_i$
- Matrix product XY^T produces 1×1 matrix which contains dot product $X \cdot Y$
- C = AB, $C_{ij} = \sum_{k} A_{ik} B_{kj}$
 - It does not commute, usually $\mathsf{AB} \neq \mathsf{BA}$
 - It is associative, A(BC) = (AB)C
 - Consider the following matrixes: $A_{1 \times n}, B_{n \times n}, C_{n \times n}, D_{n \times 1}$. Which of the following is better — (AB)(CD) or (A(BC))D?

Covariance matrix

- Multiplication by transpose matrix is common ie. $A \cdot A^T$
- Both $A \cdot A^T$ and $A^T \cdot A$ are compatible for multiplications
- Let $A_{n \times d}$ be a feature matrix, each row represents an item and each column denotes a feature
- $C = AA^T$ is a $n \times n$ matrix dot products
 - C_{ij} is a measure how similar item *i* is to item *j* (in syncness)
- $D = A^T A$ is a $d \times d$ dot products in syncness among the features
 - D_{ij} represents the similarity between feature *i* and feature *j*
- Covariance formula: $Cov(X, Y) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} (X_i \bar{X})(Y_i \bar{Y})$

Covariance matrix (contd)

• $A, A \cdot A^T, A^T \cdot A$



Matrix multiplication & Paths

- Square matrix can be multiplied without transposition
- A matrix can represent the connectivity of nodes in a given network
- Let $A_{n \times n}$ can represent adjacency matrix

$$\mathcal{A}_{ij}^2 = \sum_{k=1}^n \mathcal{A}_{ik} \mathcal{A}_{kj}$$

Matrix multiplication & Permutations

- Multiplication is often used to rearrange the oder of the elements in a particular matrix
- Multiplication with identity matrix (1) does not arrange anything new
- I contains exactly one non-zero element in each row and each column
- Matrix with this property is known as permutation matrix
- For example, multiplication with $P_{(2431)}$

$$P_{(2431)} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad M = \begin{bmatrix} 11 & 12 & 13 & 14 \\ 21 & 22 & 23 & 24 \\ 31 & 32 & 33 & 34 \\ 41 & 42 & 43 & 44 \end{bmatrix}, \quad PM = \begin{bmatrix} 31 & 32 & 33 & 34 \\ 11 & 12 & 13 & 14 \\ 41 & 42 & 43 & 44 \\ 21 & 22 & 23 & 24 \end{bmatrix}$$

Permutations Example



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Rotating points in space

- Multiplying with the right matrix can rotate a set of points about the origin by angle $\boldsymbol{\theta}$
- $R_{\theta} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) \end{bmatrix}$ • $\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = R_{\theta} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x\cos(\theta) & -y\sin(\theta) \\ x\sin(\theta) & y\cos(\theta) \end{bmatrix}$

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- Matrix that is not invertible is known as singular matrix
- Gaussian elimination can be used to find the inverse

Inversion Example

• Inverse of Lincoln image and $M \cdot M^{-1}$





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Linear Systems, Matrix Rank

- Linear systems
 - Consider the following linear equation: $y = c_0 + c_1 x_1 + \cdots + c_{m-1} x_{m-1}$
 - Thus the coefficient of n such linear equations can be represented as a matrix C of size $n \times m$
 - $CX = Y \Rightarrow X = C^{-1}Y$
 - What will happen if inverse does not exist?
- Matrix Rank
 - A rank of a matrix measures the number of linearly independent rows
 - Rank can be determined using Gaussian elimination

Factoring matrices

- Factoring matrix A into matrices in B and C represents particular aspect of division
 - Non-singular matrix has an inverse $I = M \cdot M^{-1}$
- Matrix factorization is an important abstraction in data science, leading to feature representation in a compact way
- Suppose matrix A can be factored as $A \approx BC$ where the size of A is $n \times m$, $B n \times k$, $C k \times m$ where $k < \min(n, m)$



Eigenvalues & Eigenvectors

• Multiplying a vector U by a matrix A can have the same effect as multiplying it by scalar λ

$$\begin{bmatrix} -5 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = -6 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = -1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

- λ is eigenvalue, U is eigen vector
- Together, the eigenvector and eigenvalue must encode a lot of information about the matrix A

Properties

- Each eigenvalue has an associated eigenvector
- There are in general *n* eigenvector-eigenvalue pairs for every full rank $n \times n$ matrix
- Every pair of eigenvectors of symmetric matrix are mutually orthogonal
 - Two vectors are orthogonal if the dot product is $\boldsymbol{0}$
- The eigenvectors can play the role of dimensions or bases in some n dimensional space



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Eigenvalue decomposition

- Any $n \times n$ symmetric matrix M can be decomposed into the sum of its n eigenvector products
- Let (λ_i, U_i) be the eigen pairs i = 1, ..., n and assume $\lambda_i \ge \lambda_{i+1}$
- Each eigenvector U_i is an $n \times 1$ matrix, multiplying it by its transpose yields an $n \times n$ matrix, product $U_i U_i^T$ same dimension as M
- Linear combination of these matrices weighted by its corresponding eigenvalue gives the original matrix $M = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \lambda_i U_i U_i^T$
 - It holds for symmetric matrices
 - Can be applied on covariance matrix
- Using only the vector associated with the largest eigenvalues, a good approximation of the matrix can be made

• Covariance of Lincoln & $M - U_1 U_1^T$





Error plot

• Reconstructing the Lincoln memorial from the one, five, fifty eigenvectors







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Singular Value Decomposition

- Eigen value decomposition is good but works for symmetric matrix
- Singular value decomposition is more general matrix factorization approach
- SVD of an $n \times m$ matrix M factors into three matrices $U_{n \times n}, D_{n \times m}, V_{m \times m}$ ie. $M = UDV^T$, D is a diagonal matrix
- The product $U \cdot D$ has the effect of multiplying U_{ij} by D_{jj}
 - Relative importance of each column of U is provided by D
- DV^T provides relative importance of each row of V^T
- The weight of D are known as singular values of M

Singular Value Decomposition

- Let X and Y be vectors of size $n \times 1$ and $1 \times m$, then matrix outer product $P = X \otimes Y$ is $n \times m$ matrix, $P_{jk} = X_j Y_K$
- Traditional matrix multiplication can be expressed as $C = A \cdot B = \sum A_k \otimes B_k^T$
 - A_k *k*th column of A, B_k^T *k*th row of B
- *M* can be expressed as the sum of outer product of vectors resulting from SVD namely $(UD)_k$, V_k^T

• Vectors associated with first 50 singular values, MSE of reconstruction



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• Reconstruction with k = 5, 50, and error for k = 50





