

HANDOUT 19

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Singular Value Decomposition

Exercise: 1. For each of the following matrices, find all singular values.

2. Find the SVD of each of the matrices.

(1) $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 6 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

(4) $\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

(2) $\begin{pmatrix} 4 & 6 \\ 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$

(3) $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

(1) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 6 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad A^T A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 6 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 36 \end{pmatrix}$

$\lambda_1 = 36 \quad \lambda_2 = 4 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \sigma_1 = 6 \quad \sigma_2 = 2$

$(A^T A - \lambda_1 I)x = 0 \quad \begin{pmatrix} -32 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} x = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \left\{ x = s \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} : s \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \quad v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$(A^T A - \lambda_2 I)x = 0 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 32 \end{pmatrix} x = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \left\{ x = s \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} : s \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \quad v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$u_1 = \frac{1}{\sigma_1} A v_1 = \frac{1}{6} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 6 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$u_2 = \frac{1}{\sigma_2} A v_2 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 6 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$A = U \Sigma V^T \quad U = [u_1 \ u_2] = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & \\ & 2 \end{pmatrix} \quad V = [v_1 \ v_2] = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

(2) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 6 \\ 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \quad A^T A = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 6 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 6 \\ 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 16 & 24 \\ 24 & 52 \end{pmatrix}$

$\det(A^T A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} 16-\lambda & 24 \\ 24 & 52-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (16-\lambda)(52-\lambda) - 24^2 = \lambda^2 - 68\lambda + 256 = (\lambda - 64)(\lambda - 4)$

$\lambda_1 = 64 \quad \lambda_2 = 4 \quad \sigma_1 = 8 \quad \sigma_2 = 2$

$(A^T A - \lambda_1 I)x = 0 \quad \begin{pmatrix} -48 & 24 \\ 24 & -12 \end{pmatrix} x = 0 \quad \left\{ x = s \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} : s \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \quad v_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

$(A^T A - \lambda_2 I)x = 0 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 12 & 24 \\ 24 & 48 \end{pmatrix} x = 0 \quad \left\{ x = s \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} : s \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \quad v_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$u_1 = \frac{1}{\sigma_1} A v_1 = \frac{1}{8} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 6 \\ 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{8\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 16 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$u_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} A v_2 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 6 \\ 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A = U \Sigma V^T \quad U = [u_1, u_2] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} 8 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \quad V = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(3) \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad A^T A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 6 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 36 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\det(A^T A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} 36 - \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 2 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0 \quad (\lambda - 36)(\lambda - 2) = 0 \quad \lambda_1 = 36 \quad \lambda_2 = 2$$

$$\sigma_1 = \sqrt{\lambda_1} = 6 \quad \sigma_2 = \sqrt{\lambda_2} = \sqrt{2}$$

$$(A^T A - \lambda_1 I) x = 0 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -34 \end{pmatrix} x = 0 \quad \left\{ x = s \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} : s \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \quad v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(A^T A - \lambda_2 I) x = 0 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 34 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} x = 0 \quad \left\{ x = s \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} : s \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \quad v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$u_1 = \frac{1}{\sigma_1} A v_1 = \frac{1}{6} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$u_2 = \frac{1}{\sigma_2} A v_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

for u_3 . we know that $\text{span}\{u_1, u_2, u_3\} = \mathbb{R}^3$ since U is orthogonal matrix

we pick x_3 from \mathbb{R}^3 and x_3 is not a linear combination.

$$\text{for example: } x_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

then $x_3 - (x_3 \cdot u_1) u_1 - (x_3 \cdot u_2) u_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ is orthogonal to u_1, u_2

$$\text{so } u_3 = \frac{\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}}{\left\| \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$U = [u_1, u_2, u_3] = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad V = [v_1, v_2] = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(4) \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad A^T A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 25 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\det(A^T A - \lambda I) = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \lambda_1 = 25 \quad \lambda_2 = 10 \quad \lambda_3 = 0$$

$$\sigma_1 = \sqrt{\lambda_1} = 5 \quad \sigma_2 = \sqrt{\lambda_2} = \sqrt{10} \quad \Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{10} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$V = [v_1, v_2, v_3]$$

$$(A^T A - \lambda_1 I) x = 0 \quad \begin{pmatrix} -16 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & -24 \end{pmatrix} x = 0 \quad \{x = s \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} : s \in \mathbb{R}\} \quad v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(A^T A - \lambda_2 I) x = 0 \quad \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 15 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & -9 \end{pmatrix} x = 0 \quad \{x = s \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} : s \in \mathbb{R}\} \quad v_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(A^T A - \lambda_3 I) x = 0 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 25 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} x = 0 \quad \{x = s \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} : s \in \mathbb{R}\} \quad v_3 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$u = [u_1, u_2]$$

$$u_1 = \frac{1}{\sigma_1} A v_1 = \frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$u_2 = \frac{1}{\sigma_2} A v_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$U = [u_1, u_2] = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{10} & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$V = [v_1, v_2, v_3] = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} & \frac{-1}{\sqrt{10}} \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} & \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \end{pmatrix}$$