

Convergence of a Jacobi-type method for the approximate orthogonal tensor diagonalization

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Details can be found in

- E. Begović Kovač: [Convergence of a Jacobi-type method for the approximate orthogonal tensor diagonalization.](#)
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SVD-LIKE TENSOR DECOMPOSITION

- For the sake of simplicity, we work with real $n \times n \times n$ tensors. All results can be generalized to $n_1 \times n_2 \times \cdots \times n_d$ tensors.
- Two related problems:

♣ SVD-like tensor decomposition

$$\mathcal{A} = \mathcal{S} \times_1 U \times_2 V \times_3 W,$$

where \mathcal{S} is a core tensor that mimics the diagonal matrix of singular values from the matrix SVD decomposition, and U, V, W are orthogonal matrices;

- ♣ **Tensor diagonalization problem** — find orthogonal transformations U, V, W that “diagonalize” \mathcal{A} .

INTRODUCTION

- A general $n \times n \times n$ tensor can not be diagonalized using orthogonal transformations.
→ We need \mathcal{S} “as diagonal as possible”.
- Off-diagonal norm of \mathcal{S} is minimized,

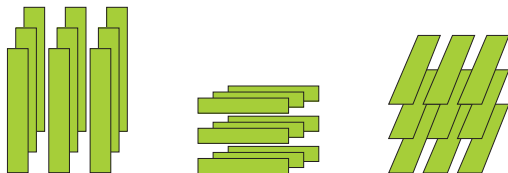
$$\text{off}(\mathcal{S}) \rightarrow \min,$$

or dually, the Frobenius norm of the diagonal is maximized,

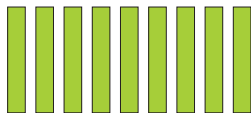
$$\|\text{diag}(\mathcal{S})\|^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \mathcal{S}_{iii}^2 \rightarrow \max.$$

PRELIMINARIES

- Tensor analogues of columns and rows are called **fibers**.



- mode- m **unfolding** \leftrightarrow arranging mode- m fibers of \mathcal{X} into columns of $X_{(m)}$.



PRELIMINARIES

- The **mode- m product** of \mathcal{X} and $A \in \mathbb{R}^{c \times n}$ is a tensor

$$\mathcal{Y} = \mathcal{X} \times_m A \quad \text{such that} \quad Y_{(m)} = AX_{(m)}.$$

- Properties:

$$\mathcal{X} \times_p A \times_q B = \mathcal{X} \times_q B \times_p A, \quad p \neq q,$$

$$\mathcal{X} \times_m A \times_m B = \mathcal{X} \times_m (BA).$$

- **Tucker decomposition** of \mathcal{X}

$$\mathcal{X} = \mathcal{S} \times_1 A_1 \times_2 A_2 \times_3 \cdots \times_d A_d.$$

- The **norm** of \mathcal{X}

$$\|\mathcal{X}\| = \sqrt{\sum_{i_1=1}^{n_1} \sum_{i_2=1}^{n_2} \cdots \sum_{i_d=1}^{n_d} x_{i_1 i_2 \dots i_d}^2}.$$

INTRODUCTION

$$\mathcal{A} = \mathcal{S} \times_1 U \times_2 V \times_3 W$$

- Core tensor \mathcal{S} can be expressed as

$$\mathcal{S} = \mathcal{A} \times_1 U^T \times_2 V^T \times_3 W^T.$$

- For a given $n \times n \times n$ tensor \mathcal{A} we need to find orthogonal matrices U, V, W that maximize the function

$$f(U, V, W) = \|\text{diag}(\mathcal{A} \times_1 U^T \times_2 V^T \times_3 W^T)\|^2.$$

- J. Li, K. Usevich, P. Comon (SIMAX 2018, LAA 2019)
- C. D. Moravitz Martin, C. F. Van Loan (SIMAX 2008)

JACOBI-TYPE ALGORITHM

- Index pair (i, j) is called **pivot position**.
- Pivot positions are taken in any cyclic ordering.
- Matrices $R_{U,k}, R_{V,k}, R_{W,k}$ have the same pivot position (i_k, j_k) , while the rotation angle ϕ_k is, in general, different for each rotation.
- **Identity initialization**: set $U_0 = V_0 = W_0 = I$. Then

$$U_{k+1} = U_k R_{U,k},$$

$$V_{k+1} = V_k R_{V,k},$$

$$W_{k+1} = W_k R_{W,k}.$$

MICROITERATIONS

- Each iteration consists of three microiterations where we hold two variables constant and vary the third one. We have

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{B}^{(k)} &= \mathcal{A}^{(k)} \times_1 R_{U,k}^T, \\ \mathcal{C}^{(k)} &= \mathcal{B}^{(k)} \times_2 R_{V,k}^T, \\ \mathcal{A}^{(k+1)} &= \mathcal{C}^{(k)} \times_3 R_{W,k}^T,\end{aligned}$$

where by $\mathcal{B}^{(k)}$ and $\mathcal{C}^{(k)}$ we denote intermediate steps.

ROTATION ANGLES

- To get the rotation angles for the pivot position (i, j) we observe a $2 \times 2 \times 2$ subproblem

$$\|\text{diag}(\hat{S})\|^2 = \sigma_{iii}^2 + \sigma_{jjj}^2 \rightarrow \max,$$

where

$$\hat{S} = \hat{A} \times_1 \hat{U}^T \times_2 \hat{V}^T \times_3 \hat{W}^T,$$

$$\hat{S}(:, :, 1) = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{iii} & \sigma_{iji} \\ \sigma_{jii} & \sigma_{jji} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \hat{S}(:, :, 2) = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{ijj} & \sigma_{ijj} \\ \sigma_{jjj} & \sigma_{jjj} \end{bmatrix},$$

and $\hat{U}, \hat{V}, \hat{W}$ are 2×2 rotations.

PIVOT CONDITION

- To ensure the convergence of the algorithm, we only take pivot pair (i, j) such that (at least) one of the following inequalities is true:

$$|\langle \nabla_U f, UR(i, j, 0) \rangle| \geq \eta \|\nabla_U f\|_2,$$

$$|\langle \nabla_V f, VR(i, j, 0) \rangle| \geq \eta \|\nabla_V f\|_2,$$

$$|\langle \nabla_W f, WR(i, j, 0) \rangle| \geq \eta \|\nabla_W f\|_2,$$

where $0 < \eta \leq \frac{2}{n}$ and $\dot{R}(i, j, 0)$ denotes $\left. \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} R(i, j, \phi) \right|_{\phi=0}$.

- If (i, j) does not satisfy any of these conditions, then it will be skipped and we move to the next pair in the cycle.
- It is always possible to find an appropriate pivot pair.

ALGORITHM

Jacobi-type algorithm

Input: $\mathcal{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n \times n}$

Output: orthogonal matrices U, V, W

$\mathcal{A}^{(0)} = \mathcal{A}; U_0 = I; V_0 = I; W_0 = I;$

REPEAT

 Select (i_k, j_k) .

 Find ϕ_k for $R_{U,k}$.

$\mathcal{B}^{(k)} = \mathcal{A}^{(k)} \times_1 R_{U,k}$

$U_{k+1} = U_k R_{U,k}$

 Find ϕ_k for $R_{V,k}$.

$\mathcal{C}^{(k)} = \mathcal{B}^{(k)} \times_2 R_{V,k}$

$V_{k+1} = V_k R_{V,k}$

 Find ϕ_k for $R_{W,k}$.

$\mathcal{A}^{(k+1)} = \mathcal{C}^{(k)} \times_3 R_{W,k}$

$W_{k+1} = W_k R_{W,k}$

UNTIL convergence

CONVERGENCE

Lemma

For any differentiable function $f : O_n \times O_n \times O_n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $U, V, W \in O_n$, and $0 < \eta \leq \frac{2}{n}$ it is always possible to find index pairs (i_U, j_U) , (i_V, j_V) , (i_W, j_W) such that

$$(i) \quad |\langle \nabla_U f(U, V, W), U \dot{R}(i_U, j_U, 0) \rangle| \geq \eta \|\nabla_U f(U, V, W)\|_2,$$

$$(ii) \quad |\langle \nabla_V f(U, V, W), V \dot{R}(i_V, j_V, 0) \rangle| \geq \eta \|\nabla_V f(U, V, W)\|_2,$$

$$(iii) \quad |\langle \nabla_W f(U, V, W), W \dot{R}(i_W, j_W, 0) \rangle| \geq \eta \|\nabla_W f(U, V, W)\|_2,$$

where $\dot{R}(i, j, 0) = \left. \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} R(i, j, \phi) \right|_{\phi=0}$.

Lemma

Let $U_k, V_k, W_k, k \geq 0$ be the sequences generated by the algorithm. Let $\bar{U}, \bar{V}, \bar{W}$ be a triplet of orthogonal matrices satisfying $\nabla f(\bar{U}, \bar{V}, \bar{W}) \neq 0$. Then there exist $\epsilon > 0$ and $\delta > 0$ such that

$$\|U_k - \bar{U}\|_2 < \epsilon, \quad \|V_k - \bar{V}\|_2 < \epsilon, \quad \|W_k - \bar{W}\|_2 < \epsilon$$

imply

$$f(U_{k+1}, V_{k+1}, W_{k+1}) - f(U_k, V_k, W_k) \geq \delta.$$

CONVERGENCE

Theorem

Every accumulation point (U, V, W) obtained by the Jacobi-type algorithm is a stationary point of the function

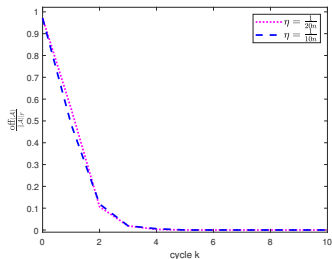
$$f(U, V, W) = \|\text{diag}(\mathcal{A} \times_1 U^T \times_2 V^T \times_3 W^T)\|^2.$$

NUMERICAL EXAMPLES 1

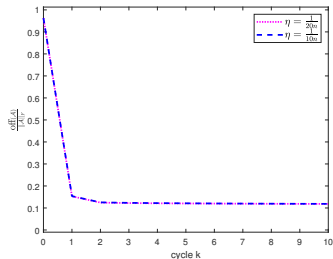
We observe the relative off-norm of a tensor which is given as

$$\frac{\text{off}(\mathcal{A})}{\|\mathcal{A}\|}.$$

Change in the relative off-norm for two $30 \times 30 \times 30$ tensors with different values of η .



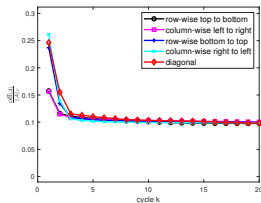
Diagonalizable tensor



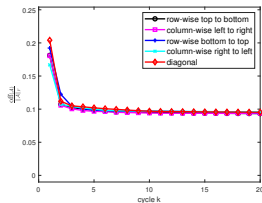
Non-diagonalizable tensor

NUMERICAL EXAMPLES 2

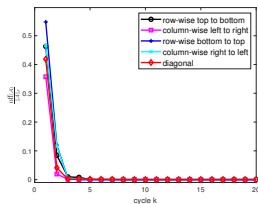
Different cyclic pivot strategies on four $10 \times 10 \times 10$ tensors.



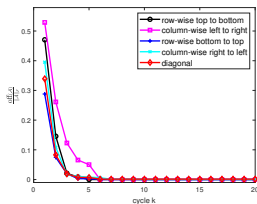
Tensor 1



Tensor 2



Tensor 3



Tensor 4

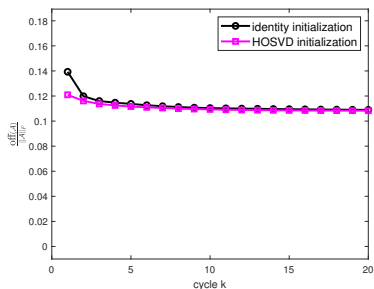
HOSVD INITIALIZATION

- Take

$$\tilde{\mathcal{S}} = \mathcal{A} \times_1 \tilde{U}^T \times_2 \tilde{V}^T \times_3 \tilde{W}^T$$

where \tilde{U} , \tilde{V} , and \tilde{W} are matrices of left singular vectors of $A_{(1)}$, $A_{(2)}$, and $A_{(3)}$, respectively. We set

$$\mathcal{A}^{(0)} = \tilde{\mathcal{S}}, \quad U_0 = \tilde{U}, \quad V_0 = \tilde{V}, \quad W_0 = \tilde{W}.$$



Random $20 \times 20 \times 20$ tensor

TRACE MAXIMIZATION

- Instead of maximizing

$$\|\text{diag}(\mathcal{S})\|^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \mathcal{S}_{iii}^2,$$

we can opt for

$$\text{tr}(\mathcal{S}) = \sum_{i=1}^n \mathcal{S}_{iii} \rightarrow \max.$$

More can be found in

- E. Begović Kovač, A. Bokšić: Trace maximization algorithm for the approximate tensor diagonalization.
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