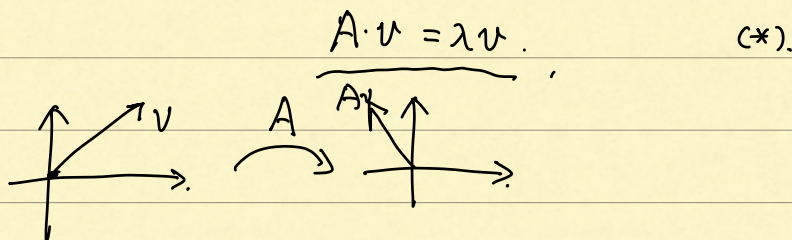
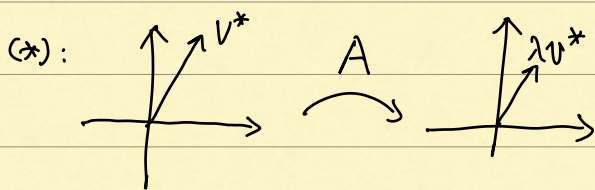


# 1. Eigenvalue Decomposition.

Definition 1 (Eigenvalue).  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ , we say that  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$  is an eigenvalue of  $A$  if there exists some non-zero vector  $v \in \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}$  such that:

$$A \cdot v = \lambda v. \quad (*)$$


$$(*) : \quad \text{Diagram showing } v^* \text{ and } \lambda v^* \text{ in a coordinate system, with an arrow labeled } A \text{ pointing to the result } \lambda v^*.$$


Thm 1. (Eigenvalue Decomposition). Let  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  be symmetric, i.e.  $A^T = A$ . Then there exist orthonormal vectors  $v_1, \dots, v_n \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , and real scalars  $\lambda_1 \geq \dots \geq \lambda_n$ , such that if we write,

$$V \triangleq [v_1 | \dots | v_n] \in O(n), \quad \Lambda \triangleq \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n},$$

then we have:

$$A = \underline{V \Lambda V^T}.$$

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diag.

Notice: ①. If  $v$  is unitary vector, then  $\|v\|_2^2 = 1$

②. If  $v_1, \dots, v_n$  is orthonormal vectors, then

$$\langle v_i, v_j \rangle = \underline{\delta_{ij}} = \begin{cases} 1 & , i=j \\ 0 & , \text{o.w.} \end{cases}$$

$$\textcircled{3} V^T \cdot V = I.$$

$$(V^T \cdot V)_{ij} = \langle v_i, v_j \rangle = \delta_{ij}.$$

$$\textcircled{4} A = V \Lambda V^T$$

$$= [v_1 | \dots | v_n] \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} v_1^T \\ \vdots \\ v_n^T \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i \cdot v_i \cdot v_i^T.$$

## 2. Singular Value Decomposition (SVD).

Thm 2: Let  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ , there exists orthogonal matrix

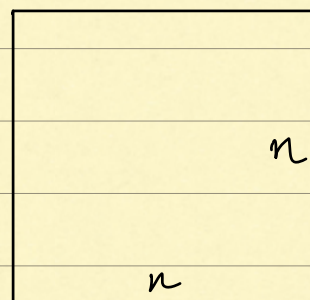
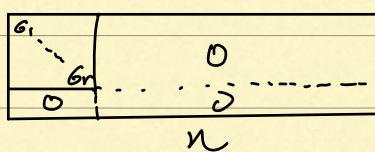
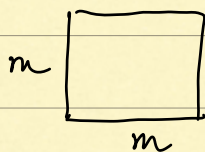
$U \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$ , and  $V \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ , such that  $m \neq n$ .

$$A = \overset{m \times m}{U} \cdot \overset{m \times n}{\Sigma} \cdot \overset{n \times n}{V^T},$$

where  $\Sigma \triangleq \begin{bmatrix} \Sigma_1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}_{m \times n}$ ,  $\Sigma_1 \triangleq \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \sigma_r \end{pmatrix}$ .

with  $\sigma_1 \geq \sigma_2 \geq \dots \geq \sigma_r > 0$ ,  $\hookrightarrow r = \text{rank}(A)$ .

Notice:  $\textcircled{1} A = U \cdot \Sigma \cdot V^T$



$$U^T U = I_m$$

$$V^T V = I_n$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 \textcircled{2} \quad A &= U \Sigma V^T \\
 &= [u_1 | \dots | u_m] \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1 & & & 0 \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & \sigma_r & \\ 0 & & & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v_1^T \\ \vdots \\ v_r^T \\ \vdots \\ v_n^T \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \sum_{i=1}^r \sigma_i \cdot u_i \cdot v_i^T.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \textcircled{3} \quad A \cdot v_k &= \left( \sum_{i=1}^r \sigma_i \cdot u_i \cdot v_i^T \right) \cdot v_k, \quad v_i^T v_k = \delta_{ik}. \\
 &= \sum_{i=1}^r \sigma_i \cdot u_i \cdot (v_i^T \cdot v_k) = \begin{cases} \sigma_i \cdot u_i, & i=k \\ 0, & i \neq k \end{cases} \\
 &= \sigma_1 \cdot u_1 \cdot v_1^T \cdot v_k + \dots + \sigma_r \cdot u_r \cdot v_r^T \cdot v_k. \\
 &= 0 + \dots + \sigma_k u_k + \dots + 0 \\
 &= \sigma_k \cdot u_k, \quad \forall k.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \implies u_k^T \cdot A &= \sigma_k \cdot v_k^T \quad \implies \\
 A^T \cdot u_k &= \sigma_k \cdot v_k, \quad \forall k.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \textcircled{4} \quad A \cdot A^T &= U \cdot \Sigma \cdot \boxed{V^T \cdot V} \cdot \Sigma^T \cdot U^T \\
 &= U \cdot \Sigma \cdot \Sigma^T \cdot U^T.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \textcircled{5} \quad \|A\|_F^2 &\triangleq \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij}^2 \\
 &= \text{tr}(A^T A), \quad (\text{prove it afterwards}). \\
 &= \text{tr}(V \Sigma^T \Sigma V^T), \quad (\text{tr}(AB) = \text{tr}(BA)). \\
 &= \text{tr}(V^T \cdot V \cdot \Sigma^T \Sigma). \\
 &= \text{tr}(\Sigma^T \Sigma). \\
 &= \sigma_1^2 + \dots + \sigma_r^2. \quad \leftarrow
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\textcircled{6} \quad \|A\|_{\text{spec}} \triangleq \sigma_{\max}.$$

Thm 3. Low-rank approximation.

$$A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}, \quad \text{rank}(A) = r > k = \text{rank}(B).$$

$$\arg \min_{\text{rank}(B)=k} \|A-B\|_F^2 = A_k = \sum_{i=1}^k \sigma_i u_i v_i^T.$$

$$\Rightarrow \min_{\substack{\text{rank}(B) \\ =k}} \|A-B\|_F^2 = \|A-A_k\|_F^2 = \underbrace{\sum_{i=k+1}^r \sigma_i \cdot u_i \cdot v_i^T}$$

$$= \sigma_{k+1}^2 + \dots + \sigma_r^2.$$