統計計算與模擬

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矩陣運算(Matrix Computation)

矩陣運算在統計分析上扮演非常重要的 角色,包括以下方法:

- Multiple Regression
- Generalized Linear Model
- Multivariate Analysis
- Time Series
- Other topics (Random variables)

註:建議同學複習線性代數,可以幫助瞭解本次講義。

Multiple Regression

In a multiple regression problem, we want to approximate vector Y by fitted values \hat{Y} (a linear function of a set p predictors), i.e.,

$$Y = X\beta + \varepsilon$$
, $\varepsilon \sim N(0, \sigma^2 I_{n \times n})$

$$\Rightarrow (X'X)\hat{\beta} = X'Y \quad (Normal \ equation)$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{\beta} = (X'X)^{-1}X'Y \equiv AY.$$

(if the inverse can be solved.)

Note: The normal equation is hardly solved directly, unless it is necessary.

- In other words, we need to be familiar with matrix computation, such as matrix product and matrix inverse, i.e., X'Y and $(X'X)^{-1}$.
- If the left hand side matrix $(X'X)^{-1}$ is a upper (or lower) triangular matrix, then the estimate $\hat{\beta}$ can be solved easily,

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & \cdots & a_{n1} \\ 0 & a_{22} & a_{23} & \cdots & a_{n2} \\ 0 & 0 & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & a_{p-1,n-1} & a_{p,n-1} \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & a_{pn} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \hat{\beta}_1 \\ \hat{\beta}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \hat{\beta}_{p-1} \\ \hat{\beta}_p \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} (X'Y)_1 \\ (X'Y)_2 \\ \vdots \\ (X'Y)_{n-1} \\ (X'Y)_n \end{bmatrix}$$

矩陣與向量空間

(Matrix and Vector Space)

■如果A = ZX, $A: m \times n \setminus Z: m \times k \setminus X: k \times n$ 。 以向量的角度而言,A矩陣的行向量是Z 矩陣行向量的線性組合: $\widetilde{A}_i = \sum_{i}^k X_{ii} \widetilde{Z}_i$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | & | \\ A_1 & A_2 & \cdots & A_n \\ | & | & | \end{bmatrix}, \quad Z = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | & | \\ Z_1 & Z_2 & \cdots & Z_k \\ | & | & | \end{bmatrix},$$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} & \cdots & x_{1n} \\ x_{21} & x_{22} & & x_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ x_{k1} & x_{k2} & \cdots & x_{kn} \end{bmatrix}$$

Gauss Elimination

■ Gauss Elimination is a process of "row" operation, such as adding multiples of rows and interchanging rows, that produces a triangular system in the end.

$$\left[(X'X)^{-1} \mid X'Y \right] \longrightarrow \cdots \longrightarrow \left[U \mid (X'Y)^* \right]$$

Gauss Elimination can be used to construct matrix inverse as well.

$$\left[(X'X) \mid I \right] \longrightarrow \cdots \longrightarrow \left[I \mid (X'X)^{-1} \right]$$

■ An Example of Gauss Elimination:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 & 7 \\ 2 & 5 & -1 & -4 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 & -1 & -4 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 7 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 5/2 & -1/2 & -2 \\ 0 & -4 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & -3/2 & 5/2 & 9 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 5/2 & -1/2 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & -3/2 & 5/2 & 9 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 5/2 & -1/2 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 5/2 & 15/2 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- The idea of Gauss elimination is fine, but it would require a lot of computations.
 - \rightarrow For example, let X be an $n \times p$ matrix. Then we need to compute X'X first and then find the upper triangular matrix for (X'X). This requires a number of $n^2 \times p$
 - multiplications for (X'X) and about another $p \times p(p-1)/2 \cong O(p^3)$ multiplications for the upper triangular matrix.

何謂大〇及小〇?

- 大O (big o)及小O (little o)
- →常見的定義為

$$a_n = O(n^{\lambda}) \Leftrightarrow n^{-\lambda} a_n \text{ is bounded}$$

 $a_n = o(n^{\lambda}) \Leftrightarrow n^{-\lambda} a_n \to 0 \text{ as } n \to \infty$

註:大O代表同樣的收斂速度,小O代表 較快的收斂的速度。

Cholesky Decomposition

■ If A is positive semi-definite, there exists an lower triangular matrix L such that

$$LL'=A$$
,

i.e.,
$$a_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^{p} l_{ik} l_{jk}$$
 and so

$$a_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^{i} l_{ik} l_{jk} = \sum_{k=1}^{i-1} l_{ik} l_{jk} + l_{ii} l_{ij},$$

since
$$l_{cr} = 0$$
 for $r > c$.

■ Thus, the elements of L equal to

$$l_{ii} = (a_{ii} - \sum_{k=1}^{i-1} l_{ik} l_{jk})^{1/2};$$

$$l_{ij} = (a_{ij} - \sum_{k=1}^{i-1} l_{ik} l_{jk}) / l_{ii}.$$

- Notes: (1) If A is "positive semi-definite" if for all vectors $v \in R^p$, we have $v'Av \ge 0$, where A is a $p \times p$ matrix. If v'Av = 0 if and only if v = 0, then A is "positive definite."
- (2) In R, Cholesky decomposition requires symmetric and positive definite.

Applications of Cholesky decomposition:

- Simulation of correlated random variables (and also multivariate distributions).
- Regression

$$X'X\hat{\beta} = X'y \Rightarrow LL'\hat{\beta} = X'y$$

 $solve\ L\theta = X'y\ for\ \theta = L'\hat{\beta}$
 $and\ backsolve\ L'\hat{\beta} = \theta\ for\ \hat{\beta}.$

■ Determinant of a symmetric matrix, A = LL'

$$\det(A) = \det(LL') = \det(L)^2 = \prod_{i} l_{ii}^2$$

- Example of Cholesky decomposition
- → We want to generate two random variables,

$$\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} \sim N \begin{pmatrix} \mu_x \\ \mu_y \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_x^2 & \rho \sigma_x \sigma_y \\ \rho \sigma_x \sigma_y & \sigma_y^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Let $\rho=0.5$. We generate X₁ & X₂ from N(0,1).

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0.5 & \sqrt{3}/2 \end{pmatrix} = chol(A) = chol \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0.5 \\ 0.5 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0.5 & \sqrt{3}/2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

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Cholesky decomposition (R-code)
→ We shall demonstrate using R.
x = matrix(rnorm(2000), ncol = 1000)
 apply(x, 1, var)
  apply(x, 1, summary)
    cor(x[1,],x[2,])
A = matrix(c(1, 0.5, 0.5, 1), ncol = 2)
 a=t(chol(A))
 x1 = a\% * \% x
   apply(x1,1,var)
    apply(x1,1,summary)
     cor(x1/1, 7, x1/2, 7)
      ks.test(x1[1,], "pnorm")
       ks.test(x1[2,], "pnorm")
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- Cholesky decomposition (Conti.)
- →Another way to generate is via

$$\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

and we have
$$\begin{cases} a^2 + b^2 = 1 \\ c^2 + d^2 = 1 \\ ad + bc = 1/2 \end{cases}$$

Possible solution includes

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{6}}{4} & \frac{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{6}}{4} \end{pmatrix}$$

QR Decomposition

If we can find matrices Q and R such that X = QR, where Q is orthogonal (Q'Q = I) and R is upper triangular matrices, then

$$(X'X)\hat{\beta} = X'Y$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (QR)'(QR)\hat{\beta} = (QR)'Y$$

$$\Leftrightarrow R'Q'QR\hat{\beta} = R'Q'Y$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (R'R)\hat{\beta} = R'Q'Y$$

$$\Leftrightarrow R\hat{\beta} = Q'Y \quad (if \ R \ is \ full \ rank)$$

Gram-Schmidt Algorithm

- Gram-Schmidt algorithm is a famous algorithm for doing QR decomposition.
- Algorithm: (Q is $n \times p$ and R is $p \times p$.)

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for (j in 1:p) {
  r[j,j] \leftarrow sqrt(sum(x[,j]^2))
      x[,j] \leftarrow x[,j]/r[j,j]
         if (j < p) for (k \text{ in } (j+1):p) {
                 r[j,k] \leftarrow sum(x[,j]*x[,k])
                 x[,k] \leftarrow x[,k] - x[,j] * r[j,k]
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Note: Check the function "qr" in R and S-Plus.

QR指令在R的操作(QR in R)

■QR矩陣分解在R的指令為「qr」,R會 提供矩陣的秩數(Rank)及其它相關訊息; 如果需要求出Q及R矩陣,則要透過指令 「qr.Q」及「qr.R」。 A = matrix(c(1:9), ncol=3)qr(A)qr.Q(qr(A))%*%qr.R(qr(A))qr.Q(qr(A))%*%t(qr.Q(qr(A)))t(qr.Q(qr(A)))%*%qr.Q(qr(A))

- Notes:
- (1) Since R is upper triangular, i.e., R^{-1} is easy to obtain, $R\hat{\beta} = Q'y$

$$\Leftrightarrow \hat{\beta} = (R'R)^{-1}R'Q'y = R^{-1}(R^{-1})'X'y.$$

(2) The idea of the preceding algorithm is

$$X = QR$$

$$\Leftrightarrow X'X = R'Q'QR = R'R.$$

- Notes: (continued)
- (3) If X is not of full rank, one of the columns will be very close to 0. Thus, $r_{jj} \approx 0$ and so there will be a divide-by-zero error.

(4) If we apply Gram-Schmidt algorithm to the augmented matrix (X : y), the last column will become the residuals of $\hat{\varepsilon} = y - \hat{y}$.

$$Y = X\beta + \varepsilon \Leftrightarrow Q'Y = Q'X\beta + Q'\varepsilon$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} Y_1^* \\ Y_2^* \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} X_1^* \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \beta + \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon_1^* \\ \varepsilon_2^* \end{pmatrix}$$

Thus,
$$|Y - X\beta|^2 = |Q'(Y - X\beta)|^2 = |Q'Y - Q'X\beta|^2$$

$$= \left| \begin{pmatrix} Y_1^* \\ Y_2^* \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} X_1^* \beta \\ X_2^* \beta \end{pmatrix} \right|^2$$

$$= |Y_1^* - X_1^* \beta|^2 + |Y_2^* - X_2^* \beta|^2$$

$$= |Y_1^* - X_1^* \beta|^2 + |Y_2^*|^2,$$

i.e.,
$$\hat{\beta} = (X_1^*)^{-1} Y_1^*$$
 and $RSS = |Y_2^*|^2$.

Other orthogonalization methods:

- Householder Transformation is a computationally efficient and numerically stable method for QR decomposition. The Householder transformation we have constructed are *n*×*n* matrices, and the transformation Q is the product of *p* such matrices.
- Given's rotation: The matrix X is reduced to upper triangular form $\begin{pmatrix} R \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ by making exactly subdiagonal element equal to zero at each step.

Sweep Operator

- The normal equation is not solved directly in the preceding methods. But sometimes we need to compute sums of squares and cross-products (SSCP) matrix.
- This is particularly useful in stepwise regression, since we need to compute the residual sum of squares (RSS) before and after a certain variable is added or removed.

- Sweep algorithm is also known as "Gauss-Jordan" algorithm.
- Consider the SSCP matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} X'X & X'y \\ y'X & y'y \end{pmatrix}$$

where *X* is $n \times p$ and *y* is $p \times l$.

Applications of the Sweep operator to columns 1 through *p* of *A* results in the matrix

$$\widetilde{A} = \begin{pmatrix} -(X'X)^{-1} & \widehat{\beta} \\ \widehat{\beta}' & RSS \end{pmatrix}.$$

Details of Sweep algorithm

Step 1: Row 1 $(times (X'X)^{-1})$

$$\begin{bmatrix} X'X & X'y & I_p \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} I_p & \hat{\beta} & (X'X)^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 2: Row 2

$$\begin{bmatrix} y'X & y'y & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & y'(I - P_X)y & -\hat{\beta}' \end{bmatrix}$$

The operation of Row 2 is done via minus the right term of Row 1 times y'X.

Notes:

- (1) If you apply the Sweep operator to columns $i_1, i_2, ..., i_k$, you'll receive the results from regressing y on $X_{i_1}, X_{i_2}, ..., X_{i_k}$
 - the corresponding elements in the last column will be the estimated regression coefficients, the (p+1, p+1) element will contain RSS, and so forth.

- Notes: (continued)
- (2) The Sweep operator has a simple inverse; the two together make it very easy to do stepwise regression. The SSCP matrix is symmetric, and any application of Sweep or its inverse result in a symmetric matrix, so one may take advantage of symmetric storage.

General Least Square (GLS)

- Consider the model $y = X\beta + \varepsilon$, where $\varepsilon \sim N(0, \sigma^2 V)$ with V unknown.
- Consider the Cholesky decomposition of V, V = LL', and let $S' = (L)^{-1} = (L^{-1})$. let $y^* = S'y$, $X^* = S'X$, and $\varepsilon^* = S'\varepsilon$. Then $y^* = X^*\beta + \varepsilon^*$ with $\varepsilon^* \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$, and we may proceed with before.
- A special case (WLS): $V = diag\{v_1, ..., v_n\}$.

Eigenvalues, Eigenvectors, and Principal Component Analysis

- The notion of *principal components* refers to a collection of uncorrelated r.v.'s formed by linear combinations of a set of possibly correlated r.v.'s.
- Idea: From eigenvalues and eigenvectors, i.e., if x and λ are eigenvector and eigenvector of a symmetric positive semidefinite matrix A, then

$$Ax = \lambda x$$
.

If A is a symmetric positive semi-definite matrix $(p \times p)$, then we can find orthogonal matrix Γ such that $A = \Gamma \Lambda \Gamma$, where

$$\Lambda = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & & \\ & \lambda_2 & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_p \end{pmatrix}, with \ \lambda_1 \geq \lambda_2 \geq \cdots \geq \lambda_p \geq 0.$$

Note: This is called the *spectral* decomposition of A. The ith row of Γ is the eigenvector of A which corresponds to the ith eigenvalue λ_i .

Write $\hat{\beta}^* = V\Lambda^+ U'y$ where

We should note that the normal equation $X'X\hat{\beta} = X'y$ does not have a unique solution. $\hat{\beta}^*$ is the solution of the normal equations for which $\|\hat{\beta}\|^2 = \sum_i \hat{\beta}_i^2$ is minimized.

Power Method

■ A naïve method for finding the eigenvalues of a matrix is via the fact that

$$A \underset{\sim}{x} = A \sum_{i=1}^{k} c_i v_i = \sum_{i=1}^{k} c_i \lambda_i v_i$$

$$\Rightarrow A^n \underset{\sim}{x} = \sum_{i=1}^k c_i \lambda_i^n v_i \cong c_1 \lambda_1^n v_1$$

In other words, the largest eigenvalue will dominate the product and eventually we can get approximate values of λ_l and ν_1 .

Singular Value Decomposition

■ In regression problem, we have

$$Y = X\beta + \varepsilon \Rightarrow U'Y = U'X\beta + U'\varepsilon$$

or equivalently, $(\theta = V'\beta \& X_1^*V = D)$

$$Y^* = \begin{pmatrix} X_1^* \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \beta + \varepsilon^* = \begin{pmatrix} X_1^* \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} VV'\beta + \varepsilon^*$$

$$= \binom{D}{0} \theta + \varepsilon^*$$

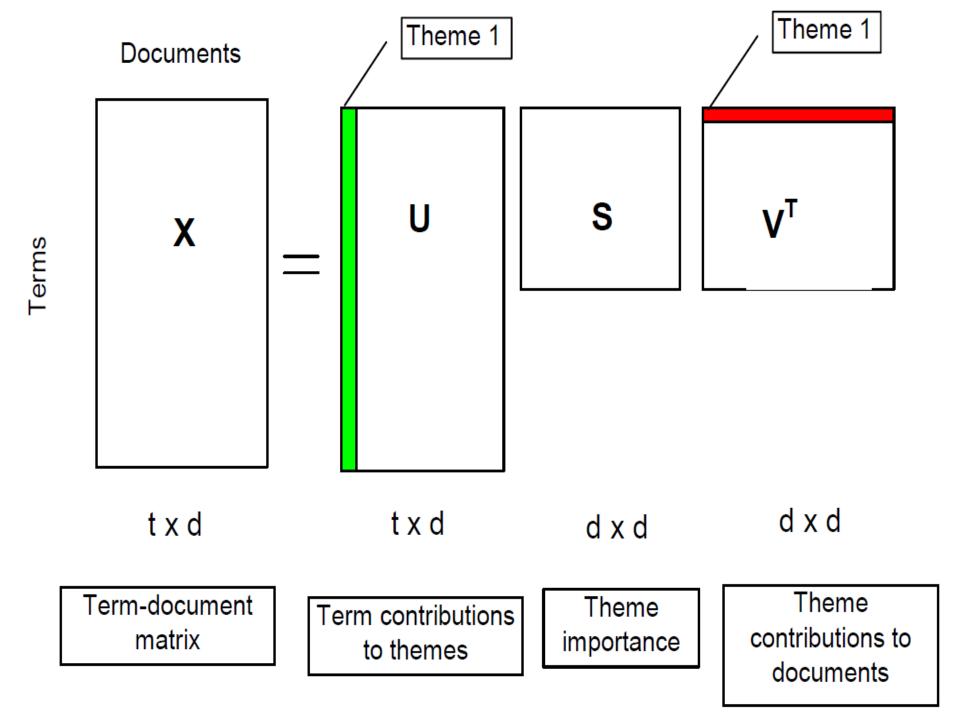
Note: SVD is often used for regression diagnostics, data reduction, and graphical clustering.

■ The two orthogonal matrices U and V are associated with the following result:

The Singular-Value Decomposition

→Let *X* be an arbitrary $n \times p$ matrix with $n \ge p$. Then there exists orthogonal matrices $U: n \times n$ and $V: p \times p$ such that $U'XV = \widetilde{D} = \begin{pmatrix} D \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$,

$$where \ D = \begin{pmatrix} d_1 & & \\ & d_2 & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & d_p \end{pmatrix} with \ d_1 \geq d_2 \geq \cdots \geq d_p \geq 0.$$



- Example of SVD:
- →You can check if the command "svd" in R returns correct outputs.

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A=matrix(c(1:12),ncol=3)

aa=svd(A)

t(aa$u)%*%A%*%aa$v # Diagonal!

aa$u%*%diag(c(aa$d))%*%t(aa$v)

t(aa$u)%*%A # Upper triangular!
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Application of SVD (Lee-Carter Model)

■ Lee and Carter (1992) proposed a model to forecast the mortality rates of U.S.:

$$\ln(m_{xt}) = \alpha_x + \beta_x \kappa_t + \varepsilon_{xt}$$

where

 $\kappa_t \rightarrow$ change of mortality intensity

 $\alpha_{r} \rightarrow$ average mortality of each age group

 $\beta_{x} \rightarrow$ relative change rate of each age group

Singular Value Decomposition (SVD)

The parameters of Lee-Carter model can be estimated via

Minimize
$$\sum_{xt} (\ln(m_{xt}) - \alpha_x - \beta_x \kappa_t)^2$$

→ This is done via decomposing the matrix

$$(\ln(m_{xt}) - \alpha_x) = UPV^T$$

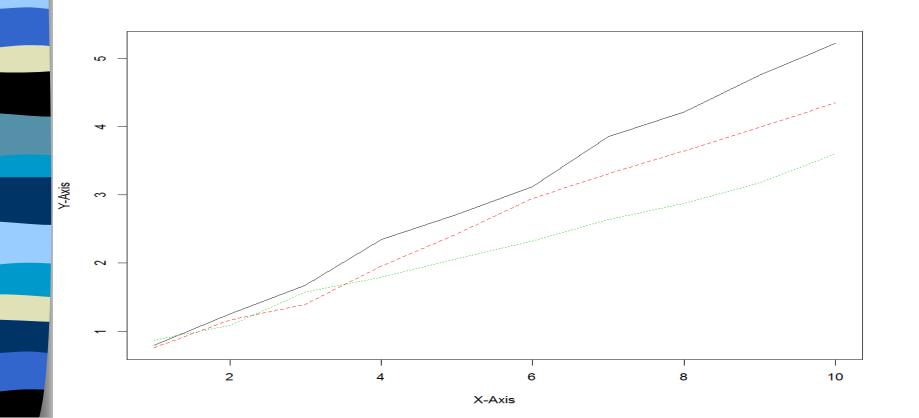
→ We can also use the approximation method, or the PCA to achieve similar estimation.

SVD Interpretation of Lee-Carter Model

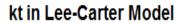
Applying the SVD, i.e., $(\ln(m_{xt}) - \alpha_x) = UPV_x^T$ the matrix U represents the time component, P is the singular values, and V is the age component.

 $\rightarrow \kappa_t$ is derived from the first vector of the time-component matrix and the first singular value, and β_x is from the first vector of the age-component matrix. Other vectors correspond to the residuals.

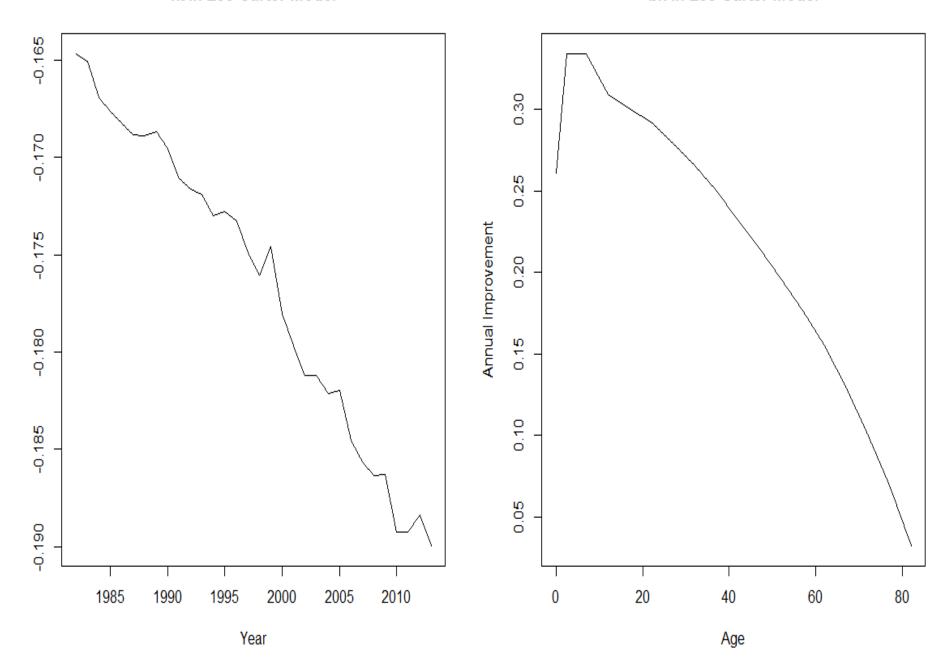
- Example of SVD (Lee-Carter model)
- → Suppose there are three vectors and their relationships to X-axis are similar. We want to use only one vector to express the common pattern in these three vectors. (Data Reduction!)



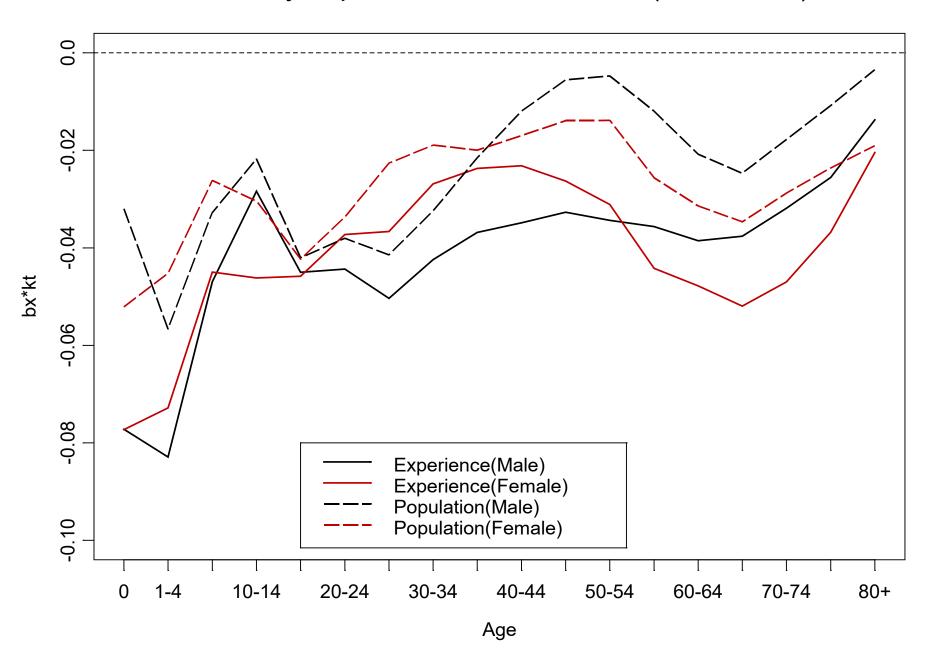
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a1=0.2+0.5*c(1:10)+0.1*rnorm(10)
a2=0.4+0.4*c(1:10)+0.1*rnorm(10)
 a3=0.6+0.3*c(1:10)+0.1*rnorm(10)
 A = cbind(a1,a2,a3)
  x0 = cbind(1:10,1:10,1:10)
 matplot(x0,A,type="l",xlab="X-Axis",ylab="Y-
Axis")
aa=svd(A)
A
 A1=aa$u%*%diag(c(aa$d[1],0,0))%*%t(aa$v)
 A 1
  A2=A-A1
 mean(abs(A2/A))
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bx in Lee-Carter Model



Mortality Imporment Rate in Taiwan(2000-2017)





SVD與影像處理 (Image Processing)

- 左邊為原圖
- →比較3~300個SVD 的影像顯示差異。

https://rpubs.com/aaronsc32/image-compression-svd

3個SVD

88個SVD

300個

300個SVD





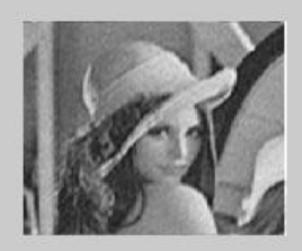




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Wavelet compression using 5% observation



Fourier compression using 5% observation



SVD compression using 5% observation

資料壓縮方法的比較(Comparing Dimension Reduction)



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SVD rank-2 approximation



SVD rank-2 approximation



SVD rank-8 approximation



SSVD rank-8 approximation



SVD rank-14 approximation



SSVD rank-14 approximation



SVD rank-20 approximation



SSVD rank-20 approximation



SVD rank-30 approximation



SVD rank-30 approximation

Time Series

- The time series analysis considered usually is ARIMA model, consisting of Autoregressive (AR) and Moving Average (MA).
- \rightarrow AR(1) model

$$Z_t = \phi Z_{t-1} + e_t, e_t \sim N(0, \sigma^2), t = 1, 2, ..., n$$

Then the correlation coefficient of Z_i and Z_j is $\gamma_{|i-j|}$, where $\gamma_k = \phi^k$ and k=|i-j|.

 \rightarrow General form AR(p):

$$Z_{t} = \phi_{1} Z_{t-1} + \phi_{2} Z_{t-2} + \dots + \phi_{p} Z_{t-p} + e_{t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \gamma_{k} = \phi_{1} \gamma_{k-1} + \phi_{2} \gamma_{k-2} + \dots + \phi_{p} \gamma_{k-p}$$

Time Series (conti.)

Note: The coefficients of AR(p) can be solved by the ordinary regression, with some minor adjustments of variables.

 \rightarrow MA(1) model

$$Z_t = e_t - \theta e_{t-1}, e_t \sim N(0, \sigma^2), t = 1, 2, ..., n$$

Then the covariance of Z_i and Z_j is $\gamma_{|i-j|}$,

$$\gamma_k = \begin{cases} 1 + \theta^2, k = 0 \\ -\theta, & k = 1 \\ 0, & k \ge 2 \end{cases}$$

Time Series (conti.)

 \blacksquare The general form of ARMA(p,q) is.

$$\phi(B)Z_t = \theta(B)e_t$$

where $\phi(B)$ and $\theta(B)$ are polynomials of the backward operator B, i.e., $B(Z_t)=Z_{t-1}$.

 \rightarrow e.g., MA(1) model

Then the covariance of Z_i and Z_j is $\gamma_{|i-j|}$, or

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 + \theta^2 & -\theta & 0 & 0 \\ -\theta & 1 + \theta^2 & -\theta & 0 \\ 0 & -\theta & 1 + \theta^2 & -\theta \\ 0 & 0 & -\theta & 1 + \theta^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Time Series Estimation

■ The parameters in AR(p) model can be solved using the OLS, since

$$Z_{t} = \phi_{1} Z_{t-1} + \phi_{2} Z_{t-2} + \dots + \phi_{p} Z_{t-p} + e_{t}$$

$$\Rightarrow E(Z_{t} | Z_{t-1}, \dots, Z_{t-p}) = \phi_{1} Z_{t-1} + \dots + \phi_{p} Z_{t-p}$$

Then the parameters are derived by minimizing (errors are normally distributed)

$$S(\mu, \widetilde{\phi}) = \sum_{t=1}^{n} \left[z_{t} - \mu - \phi_{1}(z_{t-1} - \mu) - \dots - \phi_{p}(z_{t-p} - \mu) \right]^{2}$$

Estimation of AR(p) model

- The parameter estimation of AR model is easier (MA model requires iterations, since the "error" is not observable.)
- \rightarrow AR(2) model

$$Z_{t} = \phi_{1} Z_{t-1} + \phi_{2} Z_{t-2} + e_{t}, e_{t} \sim N(0, \sigma^{2}).$$

The coefficients ϕ_1 and ϕ_2 can be solved by

- (1) OLS (Z_{t-1} and Z_{t-2} as independent variables)
- (2) Plugging the related numbers (Moment?)
- (3) Exact likelihood functions (usually are very complicated)

Example: Estimation of AR(2) model

- Fit AR(2) model to the data "lynx" in R.
- (1) OLS: $(\hat{\beta}_0, \hat{\phi}_1, \hat{\phi}_2) = (710.11, 1.1542, -0.6062)$ and by $\mu = \beta_0 / (1 - \phi_1 - \phi_2)$ to give $\hat{\mu}$.
- (2) Moment:

$$corr(Z_i, Z_{i+1}) = \frac{\phi_1}{1 - \phi_2}, \quad corr(Z_i, Z_{i+2}) = \phi_2 + \frac{\phi_1^2}{1 - \phi_2}$$

- \rightarrow $(\hat{\rho}_1, \hat{\rho}_2, \hat{\phi}_1, \hat{\phi}_2) = (0.7159, 0.2177, 1.1486, -0.6046)$
- (3) Compare to the output from software
- \rightarrow Minitab: $(\hat{\mu}, \hat{\beta}_0, \hat{\phi}_1, \hat{\phi}_2) = (1545.4, 699.84, 1.1575, -0.6106)$
- \rightarrow R(arima): $(\hat{\mu}, \hat{\phi}_1, \hat{\phi}_2) = (1545.45, 1.1474, -0.5997)$

Example: AR(2) model (conti.)

- R also has a lot of options.
- \rightarrow Several choices in the function "AR" ar(lynx, method = "ols", 2)
- (1) OLS: $(\hat{\phi}_1, \hat{\phi}_2) = (1.0320, -0.6288)$
- (2) MLE: $(\hat{\phi}_1, \hat{\phi}_2) = (1.0555, -0.6298)$
- (3) Default: $(\hat{\phi}_1, \hat{\phi}_2) = (1.0379, -0.6063)$
- (4) Burg: $(\hat{\phi}_1, \hat{\phi}_2) = (1.0634, -0.6379)$
- (5) YW: $(\hat{\phi}_1, \hat{\phi}_2) = (1.0379, -0.6063)$

- Note: There are some handouts from the references regarding "Matrix Computation"
- "Numerical Linear Algebra" from Internet
- Chapters 3 to 6 in Monohan (2001)
- Chapter 3 in Thisted (1988)
- Chapter 2 in Gentle et al. (2004)
- Chapter 2 in Numerical Recipes in Fortran 77

Students are required to read and understand all these materials, in addition to the powerpoint notes.