

Notes for Q+A Session 7 (Monday, March 30)

$$p_k = -r_k + \beta_k p_{k-1} \tag{5.13}$$

Recall $r_k = Ax_k - b$ (r_k is the "residual" associated with x_k)

Recall also that

$$\phi(x) = \frac{1}{2} x^T A x - b^T x$$

$$\therefore \nabla \phi(x) = Ax - b$$

$$\therefore r_k = Ax_k - b = \nabla \phi(x_k)$$



Want p_k & p_{k-1} conjugate : $p_{k-1}^T A p_k = 0$

So from (5.13)

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= p_{k-1}^T A p_k = p_{k-1}^T A (-r_k + \beta_k p_{k-1}) \\ &= -p_{k-1}^T A r_k + \beta_k p_{k-1}^T A p_{k-1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta_k = \frac{p_{k-1}^T A r_k}{p_{k-1}^T A p_{k-1}} = \frac{r_k^T A p_{k-1}}{p_{k-1}^T A p_{k-1}}$$

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Claim: $\alpha_k = \frac{v_k^T r_k}{p_k^T A p_k}$

Alg. 5.1 $\alpha_k = \frac{-v_k^T p_k}{p_k^T A p_k}$

$$-v_k^T p_k = -v_k^T (-v_k + B_k p_{k-1}) \quad (\text{by (5.14e)})$$

$$= v_k^T r_k - B_k v_k^T p_{k-1}$$

But $v_k^T p_{k-1} = 0$ by (5.11) in Thm 5.2

$\therefore -v_k^T p_k = v_k^T r_k$

$\therefore \alpha_k = \frac{-v_k^T p_k}{p_k^T A p_k} = \frac{v_k^T r_k}{p_k^T A p_k}$

Note: $\alpha_k = 0 \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} v_k^T \neq 0 \\ v_k^T r_k = 0 \end{matrix} \Rightarrow \nabla \phi(x_k) = 0 \Rightarrow x_k \text{ is the minimizer of } \phi(x) \text{ so stop.}$

\therefore If we don't stop, $\alpha_k \neq 0$

Claim:

$$\beta_{k+1} = \frac{v_{k+1}^T v_{k+1}}{v_k^T v_k}$$

Alg 5-1:

$$\beta_{k+1} = \frac{v_{k+1}^T A p_k}{p_k^T A p_k}$$

$$r_{k+1} = r_k + \alpha_k A p_k \Rightarrow A p_k = \frac{v_{k+1} - r_k}{\alpha_k} \quad (\alpha_k \neq 0)$$

$$\therefore v_{k+1}^T A p_k = v_{k+1}^T \left(\frac{v_{k+1} - r_k}{\alpha_k} \right) = \frac{v_{k+1}^T v_{k+1} - v_{k+1}^T r_k}{\alpha_k} \quad \left(\text{since } v_{k+1}^T r_k = 0 \text{ by (5.16)} \right)$$

$$= \frac{v_{k+1}^T v_{k+1}}{\alpha_k} \quad \left(\text{since } v_{k+1}^T r_k = 0 \text{ by (5.16)} \right)$$

$$- p_k^T A p_k = - p_k^T \left(\frac{v_{k+1} - r_k}{\alpha_k} \right)$$

$$= - \frac{p_k^T v_k}{\alpha_k} \quad \left(\text{since } p_k^T v_{k+1} = 0 \text{ by (5.11)} \right)$$

$$= - \frac{(-v_k + \beta_k p_{k-1})^T v_k}{\alpha_k} \quad \left(\text{by (5.14e)} \right)$$

$$= \frac{v_k^T v_k}{\alpha_k} \quad \left(\text{since } p_{k-1}^T v_k = 0 \text{ by (5.11)} \right)$$

$$\therefore \beta_{k+1} = \frac{v_{k+1}^T A p_k}{p_k^T A p_k} = \frac{v_{k+1}^T v_{k+1} / \alpha_k}{v_k^T v_k / \alpha_k} = \frac{v_{k+1}^T v_{k+1}}{v_k^T v_k}$$

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Claim: $\frac{1}{2} \|x - x^*\|_A^2 = \frac{1}{2} (x - x^*)^T A (x - x^*) = \varphi(x) - \varphi(x^*)$

∴ Where x^* is the minimizer of $\varphi(x)$

$$\Rightarrow \nabla \varphi(x^*) = 0 \Rightarrow -Ax^* = b$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (x - x^*)^T A (x - x^*) = \frac{1}{2} (x - x^*)^T A x - \frac{1}{2} (x - x^*)^T A x^*$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} x^T A x - x^T A x^* + \frac{1}{2} (x^*)^T A x^*$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} x^T A x - b^T x + \frac{1}{2} (x^*)^T A x^* - b^T x^*$$

$$= -x^T A x^* + \frac{1}{2} (x^*)^T A x^* + b^T x + \frac{1}{2} (x^*)^T A x^* - b^T x^*$$

$$= - \quad (\text{replace } Ax^* \text{ by } b)$$

$$= -x^T b + \frac{1}{2} (x^*)^T b + b^T x + \frac{1}{2} (x^*)^T b - b^T x^*$$

$$= 0$$

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$$x_{k+1} = \operatorname{arg\,min}_{x \in X_0 + \operatorname{span}\{p_0, p_1, \dots, p_k\}} \varphi(x)$$

$$= \operatorname{arg\,min}_{x \in X_0 + \operatorname{span}\{p_0, p_1, \dots, p_k\}} \frac{1}{2} \|x - x^*\|_A^2$$

$$= \operatorname{arg\,min}_{x \in X_0 + \operatorname{span}\{p_0, p_1, \dots, p_k\}} \|x - x^*\|_A$$

$$= \operatorname{arg\,min}_{x \in X_0 + \operatorname{span}\{r_0, Ar_0, \dots, A^k r_0\}} \|x - x^*\|_A$$

$$= \operatorname{arg\,min}_{\substack{P_k \\ \bar{P}_k}} \| \underbrace{x_0 + P_k(A)r_0}_{=x} - x^* \|_A$$

\mathcal{P}_k a polynomial of degree $\leq k$

Now note $r_0 = Ax_0 - b = Ax_0 - Ax^* = A(x_0 - x^*)$

$$\therefore x_0 + P_k(A)r_0 - x^* = (I + P_k(A)A)(x_0 - x^*)$$

$$\therefore x_{k+1} = \operatorname{arg\,min}_{\bar{P}_k \in \mathcal{P}_k} \| \bar{P}_k(A)(x_0 - x^*) \|_A$$

$$\mathcal{P}_k = \left\{ \text{polynomials of the form } 1 + \sum_{i=0}^k \alpha_i x^i \text{ where } p_k(x) \text{ is a polynomial of deg } \leq k \right\}$$

$$1 + \sum_{i=0}^k \alpha_i x^i = 1 + \alpha_0 x + \dots + \alpha_k x^{k+1}$$

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A SPD eigenvalues $0 < \lambda_1 \leq \lambda_2 \leq \dots \leq \lambda_n$
orthonormal eigenvectors v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n

$$A v_i = \lambda_i v_i \quad v_i^T v_j = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i=j \\ 0 & \text{if } i \neq j \end{cases}$$

Essentially same as $Q^T A Q = \Lambda = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 & & 0 \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \\ 0 & \dots & 0 & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}$

$$Q = [v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n]$$

Outer product form

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

Why: $A v_k = \lambda_k v_k = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i=k \\ 0 & \text{if } i \neq k \end{cases}$

$$\left(\sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i v_i v_i^T \right) v_k = \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i v_i (v_i^T v_k) = \lambda_k v_k$$

If $A v_i = B v_i$ for $i=1, \dots, n$

and $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$ is a basis for \mathbb{R}^n

then must have $Ax = Bx$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$

$$\Rightarrow A = B$$

Note eigenvalues $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$ is a basis for \mathbb{R}^n .

$P_K(A) v_i = P_K(\lambda_i) v_i$ for eigenvector v_i of A
 $Av_i = \lambda_i v_i$

Why? First note $A^j v_i = \lambda_i^j v_i$

$P_K(A)$ Induction on j

$j=1$ $Av_i = \lambda_i v_i$

Assume true for j and consider $Av_i = \lambda_i v_i$

$$\begin{aligned} A^{j+1} v_i &= A(A^j v_i) = A(\lambda_i^j v_i) = \lambda_i^j A v_i \\ &= A(\lambda_i^j v_i) = \lambda_i^j A v_i = \lambda_i^j (\lambda_i v_i) = \lambda_i^{j+1} v_i \end{aligned}$$

In general $A^j v_i = \lambda_i^j v_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore P_K(A) v_i &= \left(\sum_{j=0}^K \alpha_j A^j \right) v_i \\ &= \sum_{j=0}^K \alpha_j A^j v_i \\ &= \sum_{j=0}^K \alpha_j \lambda_i^j v_i \\ &= \left(\sum_{j=0}^K \alpha_j \lambda_i^j \right) v_i \\ &= P_K(\lambda_i) v_i \end{aligned}$$

$$x_{k+1} - x^* = (\mathbf{I} + P_k^*(A)A)(x_0 - x^*) \quad (5.30)$$

Let $x_0 - x^* = \sum_{i=1}^n \xi_i v_i$

$$\therefore x_{k+1} - x^* = (\mathbf{I} + P_k^*(A)A)(x_0 - x^*)$$

$$= (\mathbf{I} + P_k^*(A)A) \sum_{i=1}^n \xi_i v_i$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \xi_i (\mathbf{I} + P_k^*(A)A) v_i$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n (\mathbf{I} v_i + P_k^*(A)A v_i) \xi_i$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n (v_i + P_k^*(\lambda_i) \lambda_i v_i) \xi_i$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n (1 + P_k^*(\lambda_i) \lambda_i) \xi_i v_i$$

$$\|z\|_A^2 = z^T A z = z^T \left(\sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i v_i v_i^T \right) z$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i (z^T v_i) (v_i^T z)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i (v_i^T z)^2$$

$$\therefore \|x_{k+1} - x^*\|_A^2 = (x_{k+1} - x^*)^T A (x_{k+1} - x^*)$$

$$= z^T = \sum_{i=1}^n (1 + P_k^*(\lambda_i) \lambda_i) \xi_i v_i$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i (1 + \lambda_i P_k^*(\lambda_i))^2 \xi_i^2$$

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$$\therefore \|x_{k+1} - x^*\|_A^2 = \min_{P_k} \sum_{l=1}^n (1 + P_k(\lambda_l) \lambda_l)^2 \lambda_l \xi_l^2$$

$$\leq \min_{P_k} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} (1 + P_k(\lambda_i) \lambda_i)^2 \sum_{l=1}^n \lambda_l \xi_l^2$$

$$\text{Recall } x_0 - x^* = \sum_{l=1}^n \xi_l v_l = z$$

$$\therefore \|x_0 - x^*\|_A^2 = \left(\sum_{l=1}^n \xi_l v_l \right)^T A \left(\sum_{l=1}^n \xi_l v_l \right)$$

$$= \left(\sum_{l=1}^n \xi_l v_l \right)^T \left(\sum_{l=1}^n \xi_l A v_l \right)$$

$$= \left(\sum_{l=1}^n \xi_l v_l \right)^T \left(\sum_{l=1}^n \xi_l \lambda_l v_l \right)$$

$$= \sum \lambda_l \xi_l^2$$

$$\therefore \|x_{k+1} - x^*\|_A^2 \leq \left(\min_{P_k} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} (1 + P_k(\lambda_i) \lambda_i)^2 \right) \|x_0 - x^*\|_A^2$$

(5.33) in book

This is the key result.

Speed of Convergence of CG depends on

$$\min_{P_k} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} (1 + P_k(\lambda_i) \lambda_i)^2$$