

Matrix functions

Recall calc 2: $e^x = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k!}$

A weird question: what would it mean to take the exp of a matrix??

⊙ We usually define it like this:

$$\exp(A) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{A^k}{k!} = I + A + \frac{A^2}{2!} + \frac{A^3}{3!} + \frac{A^4}{4!} + \dots$$

How can it be computed? Depends...

⊙ if $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, then $A^n = A$ for all n and so

$$\exp\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{A^k}{k!} = e$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{A}{k!}$$

$$= A \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} e$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} e & 0 \\ 0 & e \end{bmatrix}$$

(2) if $A = \begin{bmatrix} d_1 & 0 \\ 0 & d_2 \end{bmatrix}$ is diagonal. Then

$$A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} d_1 & 0 \\ 0 & d_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} d_1 & 0 \\ 0 & d_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} d_1^2 & 0 \\ 0 & d_2^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^3 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} =$$

or

$$A^n = \begin{bmatrix} d_1^n & 0 \\ 0 & d_2^n \end{bmatrix}, \text{ so}$$

$$\exp\left(\begin{bmatrix} d_1 & 0 \\ 0 & d_2 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\begin{bmatrix} d_1 & 0 \\ 0 & d_2 \end{bmatrix}^k}{k!}$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} \begin{bmatrix} d_1^k & 0 \\ 0 & d_2^k \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{d_1^k}{k!} & 0 \\ 0 & \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{d_2^k}{k!} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} e^{d_1} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{d_2} \end{bmatrix}$$

(3) if A is diagonalizable, i.e. $\exists P$ s.t.

$$P^{-1}AP = D = \begin{bmatrix} d_1 & 0 \\ 0 & d_2 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ then}$$

$$A = PDP^{-1}, \text{ so}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \exp(A) &= \exp(PDP^{-1}) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(PDP^{-1})^k}{k!} \\ &= I + \frac{PDP^{-1}}{1!} + \frac{(PDP^{-1})^2}{2!} + \frac{(PDP^{-1})^3}{3!} + \dots \end{aligned}$$

BUT,

$$(PDP^{-1})^n = (PDP^{-1})(PDP^{-1}) \dots (PDP^{-1}) = PD^nP^{-1}$$

so

$$\exp(A) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(PDP^{-1})^k}{k!} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{P D^k P^{-1}}{k!}$$

$$= P \left[\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{D^k}{k!} \right] P^{-1}$$

$$= P e^D P^{-1}$$

Since D is diagonal matrix of e-values, we can recover A , if we know P .

Ex: It can be shown that $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ is diagonalizable and $P = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ diagonalizes it;

$$P^{-1} = \left(\frac{1}{2-1} \right) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

So,

$$P^{-1} A P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ -3 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = D$$

Therefore,

$$\exp(A) = P \exp(D) P^{-1}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e^2 & 0 \\ 0 & e^3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2e^2 & e^3 \\ e^2 & e^3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2e^2 - e^3 & -2e^2 + 2e^3 \\ e^2 - e^3 & -e^2 + 2e^3 \end{bmatrix}$$

(4) if A not diagonalizable, ... other ways!
 see "Jordan canonical form"

Other matrix functions LOG

Calc: well-known geo series $\frac{1}{1-x} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x^k$ for $|x| < 1$

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$$-\log(1-x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{k+1}}{k+1} = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k}$$

$x \mapsto -x$

$$\log(1+x) = -\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k x^k}{k}$$

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$$\log(I+A) = -\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k A^k}{k}, \text{ valid when } \min \text{Re}(\text{eigs of } A) < 1$$

or $\frac{ix - ix}{2i} = \frac{e^{ix} - e^{-ix}}{2i}$

SINE

$$\sin(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k x^{2k+1}}{(2k+1)!} \xrightarrow{\text{matrix}} \sin(A) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k A^{2k+1}}{(2k+1)!}$$

$\downarrow A$

Ex: $\sin\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}\right)$

~~...~~ $P = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$P^{-1}AP = D \rightarrow A = PDP^{-1}$$

$$(PDP^{-1})^{2k+1} = (PDP^{-1}) \dots (PDP^{-1}) = P D^{2k+1} P^{-1}$$

So,

$$\sin \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k P D^{2k+1} P^{-1}}{k!}$$

$$= P \begin{bmatrix} \sin(2) & 0 \\ 0 & \sin(3) \end{bmatrix} P^{-1}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sin(2) & 0 \\ 0 & \sin(3) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2\sin(2) & \sin(3) \\ \sin(2) & \sin(3) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2\sin(2) + \sin(3) & -2\sin(2) + 2\sin(3) \\ \sin(2) + \sin(3) & -\sin(2) + 2\sin(3) \end{bmatrix}$$