

ORIE 779: Functional Data Analysis

From last meeting

Finished Robust FDA: Elliptical Mean & PCA

- Cornea Data
- Parabolas with 2 outliers

From last meeting (cont.)

Started detailed look at PCA

Three important (and interesting) viewpoints:

1. Mathematics
2. Numerics
3. Statistics

Linear Algebra Review, (cont.)

Norm of a vector:

- in \mathfrak{R}^d , $\|\underline{x}\| = \left(\sum_{j=1}^d x_j^2 \right)^{1/2} = (\underline{x}^t \underline{x})^{1/2}$

- Idea: “length” of the vector

- Note: \exists strange properties for high d ,
e.g. “length of diagonal of unit cube” = \sqrt{d}

- “length normalized vector”: $\frac{\underline{x}}{\|\underline{x}\|}$

(has length one, this is on surface of unit sphere)

- get “distance” as: $d(\underline{x}, \underline{y}) = \|\underline{x} - \underline{y}\| = \sqrt{(\underline{x} - \underline{y})^t (\underline{x} - \underline{y})}$

Linear Algebra Review, (cont.)

Inner (dot, scalar) product:

- for vectors \underline{x} and \underline{y} , $\langle \underline{x}, \underline{y} \rangle = \sum_{j=1}^d x_j y_j = \underline{x}^t \underline{y}$

- related to norm, via $\|\underline{x}\| = \sqrt{\langle \underline{x}, \underline{x} \rangle} = \sqrt{\underline{x}^t \underline{x}}$

- measures “angle between \underline{x} and \underline{y} ” as:

$$\text{angle}(\underline{x}, \underline{y}) = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{\langle \underline{x}, \underline{y} \rangle}{\|\underline{x}\| \cdot \|\underline{y}\|} \right) = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{\underline{x}^t \underline{y}}{\sqrt{\underline{x}^t \underline{x} \cdot \underline{y}^t \underline{y}}} \right)$$

- key to “orthogonality”, i.e. “perpendicularity”:

$$\underline{x} \perp \underline{y} \quad \text{if and only if} \quad \langle \underline{x}, \underline{y} \rangle = 0$$

Linear Algebra Review, (cont.)

Orthonormal basis $\underline{v}_1, \dots, \underline{v}_n$:

- All ortho to each other, i.e. $\langle \underline{v}_i, \underline{v}_{i'} \rangle = 0$, for $i \neq i'$

- All have length 1, i.e. $\langle \underline{v}_i, \underline{v}_i \rangle = 1$, for $i = 1, \dots, n$

- “Spectral Representation”: $\underline{x} = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \underline{v}_i$ where $a_i = \langle \underline{x}, \underline{v}_i \rangle$

check:
$$\langle \underline{x}, \underline{v}_i \rangle = \left\langle \sum_{i'=1}^n a_{i'} \underline{v}_{i'}, \underline{v}_i \right\rangle = \sum_{i'=1}^n a_{i'} \langle \underline{v}_{i'}, \underline{v}_i \rangle = a_i$$

- Matrix notation: $\underline{x} = B\underline{a}$ where $\underline{a}^t = \underline{x}^t B$ i.e. $\underline{a} = B^t \underline{x}$

- \underline{a} is called “transform (e.g. Fourier, wavelet) of \underline{x} ”

Linear Algebra Review, (cont.)

Parseval identity, for \underline{x} in subsp. gen'd by o. n. basis $\underline{v}_1, \dots, \underline{v}_n$:

- $\|\underline{x}\|^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \langle \underline{x}, \underline{v}_i \rangle^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i^2 = \|\underline{a}\|^2$
- Pythagorean theorem
- “Decomposition of Energy”
- ANOVA - sums of squares
- Transform, \underline{a} , has same length as \underline{x} , i.e. “rotation in \mathfrak{R}^d ”

Linear Algebra Review, (cont.)

Projection of a vector \underline{x} onto a subspace V :

- Idea: member of V that is closest to \underline{x} (i.e. “approx’n”)
- Find $P_V \underline{x} \in V$ that solves: $\min_{v \in V} \|\underline{x} - \underline{v}\|$ (“least squares”)
- For inner product (Hilbert) space: exists and is unique
- General solution in \mathfrak{R}^d : for basis matrix B_V
$$P_V \underline{x} = B_V (B_V^t B_V)^{-1} B_V^t \underline{x}$$
- So “proj’n operator” is “matrix mult’n”: $P_V = B_V (B_V^t B_V)^{-1} B_V^t$
(thus projection is another linear operation)
(note same operation underlies “least squares”)

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