

Smooth Factorizations in Dynamical Systems

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Standard Eigenvalue Problem

Definition

The **standard eigenvalue problem** is of the form

$$Ax = \lambda x$$

where A is a matrix, λ is an eigenvalue, and x is the corresponding eigenvector. The eigenvalues must satisfy the characteristic equation

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = 0.$$

Nonlinear Eigenvalue Problem

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The **nonlinear eigenproblem** is a generalization of the standard eigenvalue problem. The nonlinear problem is of the form

$$A(\lambda)x = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad y^*A(\lambda) = 0$$

where $A(\lambda)$ is a matrix whose entries are functions dependent on the value λ , λ is the nonlinear eigenvalue, and x and y^* are the right and left nonlinear eigenvectors respectively. If

$A(\lambda) = B - \lambda I$, the problem reduces to the standard eigenvalue problem. The nonlinear eigenvalues must be the solutions of the characteristic equation

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$$LU = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{2}{3} & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{2}{3} & \frac{7}{13} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 4\frac{1}{3} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Rank Revealing QR Matrix

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$$\begin{aligned} AP &= QR \\ &= Q \begin{bmatrix} R_{11} & R_{12} \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

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- Perform rank revealing decomposition
- Minimize lower right block
- Repeat steps using new guess until eigenvalue is found

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Smooth Decomposition of a Nonsingular Matrix

Lemma

All full column rank matrices $A(\lambda) \in C^k$ with nonsingular leading principle submatrices have a unique $L(\lambda)U(\lambda) \in C^k$ decomposition.

Proof.

- Assume $A(\lambda) = L(\lambda)U(\lambda)$
- Determine entries of $L(\lambda)$ and $U(\lambda)$ □

Smooth Decomposition of a Matrix Nonsingular at a Point

Theorem

Let $A(\lambda) \in C^k$ such that $A(\lambda_0)$ is nonsingular. Assume there's a permutation matrix P such that $PA(\lambda_0) = L_0U_0$, where L_0 is unit lower triangular and U_0 is upper triangular. Then, there is a neighborhood $N(\lambda_0)$ such that

$$PA(\lambda) = L(\lambda)U(\lambda) \quad \forall \lambda \in N(\lambda_0),$$

with $L(\lambda_0) = L_0$, $U(\lambda_0) = U_0$; $L(\lambda), U(\lambda) \in C^k$, $L(\lambda)$ unit lower triangular matrix, and $U(\lambda)$ upper triangular.

Proof.

- Locally perturb $A(\lambda_0)$ using Taylor's Theorem
- Create lower triangular matrices so that the perturbation becomes upper triangular.



Smooth Decomposition of a General Matrix

Theorem

Let $A(\lambda) \in C^k$ be a $n \times n$ matrix such that $A(\lambda_0)$ has a column rank of $n - m$, $m \leq n - 1$. Assume there are permutation matrices P_1, P_2 such that $P_1 A(\lambda_0) P_2 = L_0 U_0$, where L_0 is a block unit lower triangular matrix and U_0 is a block upper triangular matrix. Then, there is a neighborhood $N(\lambda_0)$ such that

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LU Algorithm for Computation of Nonlinear Eigenvalues

Step 1: Given an initial approximation λ_0 to λ_*

Step 2: Compute

$$A(\lambda_i) \text{ and } A'(\lambda_i), \quad i = 0, 1, \dots$$

Step 3: Compute the LU decomposition with complete column pivoting of $A(\lambda_i)$:

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Step 4: Compute

$$U'_{2,2}(\lambda_i) = (L_i^{-1}P_1A'(\lambda_i)P_2)_{2,2} - (L_i^{-1}P_1A'(\lambda_i)P_2)_{2,1}(U_{1,1}^{(i)})^{-1}U_{1,2}^{(i)}$$

Step 5: Compute

$$\lambda_{i+1} = \lambda_i - \frac{(\text{col } U'_{2,2}(\lambda_i))^H \cdot \text{col } U_{2,2}(\lambda_i)}{\|U'_{2,2}(\lambda_i)\|_F^2}.$$

Step 6: If the desired accuracy is attained, stop the iteration.
Otherwise, repeat steps 2-6.

QR Algorithm for Computation of Nonlinear Eigenvalues

Step 3: Compute the LU decomposition with complete column pivoting of $A(\lambda_i)$:

$$A(\lambda_i)P = Q(\lambda_i)R(\lambda_i)$$

Step 5: Compute

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4 x 4 Time Comparison

Table: Time [ms] Comparison of 4 x 4 Algorithm Performance

Nonlinear Matrix	LU Average	QR Average	Ratio of Averages (QR / LU)
Q	4.369	16.141	3.695
Q, E	4.445	15.943	3.587
Q, S	4.472	16.088	3.597
Q, E, S	4.568	16.332	3.575

10 x 10 Time Comparison

Table: Time [ms] Comparison of 10 x 10 Algorithm Performance

Nonlinear Matrix	LU Average	QR Average	Ratio of Averages (QR / LU)
Q	9.632	44.052	4.574
Q, E	9.829	44.035	4.480
Q, S	10.088	44.643	4.425
Q, E, S	10.166	46.169	4.541

100 × 100 Time Comparison

Table: Time [ms] Comparison of 100 × 100 Algorithm Performance

Nonlinear Matrix	LU Average	QR Average	Ratio of Averages (QR / LU)
Q	391.154	1696.066	4.336
Q, E	362.494	1630.445	4.498
Q, S	393.234	1634.839	4.157
Q, E, S	389.039	1650.813	4.243

Iteration Comparison

Table: Average Iteration Comparison of 10×10 Algorithm Performance

Nonlinear Matrix	LU		QR	
	Number	Time/Iter [ms]	Number	Time/Iter [ms]
Q	4.40	2.19	4.28	10.29
Q, E	4.44	2.21	4.26	10.32
Q, S	4.51	2.24	4.29	10.42
Q, E, S	4.38	2.32	4.27	10.81

Newton Steffensen Method

Cubic Convergence Iterative Formula

Applying Steffensen's acceleration method to Newton's root finding method generates an iterative formula with cubic convergence. Let $f(x_*) = 0$ and let x_0 be sufficiently close to x_* , then the successive iterative approximations are determined by

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f^2(x_n)}{f'(x_n)(f(x_n) - f(x_n^*))}$$

where

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Cubic Time Comparison

Table: Time [ms] Comparison of 10×10 Cubic Convergence Algorithm Performance

Nonlinear Matrix	LU Average	QR Average	Ratio of Averages (QR / LU)
Q	12.323	57.906	4.699
Q, E	12.124	57.504	4.743
Q, S	13.311	62.117	4.667
Q, E, S	12.422	59.012	4.751


Cubic Iteration Comparison

Table: Average Iteration Comparison of 10 x 10 Cubic Convergence Algorithm Performance

Nonlinear Matrix	LU		QR	
	Number	Time/Iter [ms]	Number	Time/Iter [ms]
Q	3.26	3.775	3.13	18.480
Q, E	3.19	3.799	3.11	18.511
Q, S	3.48	3.823	3.23	19.052
Q, E, S	3.18	3.884	3.12	18.826

Cost

Lines where the most time was spent

Line Number	Code	Calls	Total Time	% Time	Time Plot
59	<code>[Q, R, P] = apqr(Ak);</code>	5033	43.345 s	95.4%	
82	<code>dR22 = Knt'*QAP*Knt - Knt'*QAP...</code>	5033	0.859 s	1.9%	
76	<code>QAP = Q'*dAk*P;</code>	5033	0.223 s	0.5%	
92	<code>guess = guess - coldR22'*colR2...</code>	5033	0.158 s	0.3%	
50	<code>Ak = Mnot + Mone*guess + Mtwo*...</code>	5033	0.118 s	0.3%	
All other lines			0.724 s	1.6%	
Totals			45.426 s	100%	

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- Solve for $f'(x_n^*)$.

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- Algorithm was successful within an error tolerance of 10^{-15}

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$$U = \begin{bmatrix} 0.66 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -0.25 & 0.31 & 0.31 & -0.25 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.66 & 0 & 0 & 0.31 & -0.25 & 0 & 0 & 0.31 & -0.25 \\ 0 & 0 & 0.66 & -0.25 & 0 & 0 & 0.31 & 0 & -0.25 & 0.31 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0.57 & 0 & 0 & -0.13 & 0.31 & 0.22 & 0.12 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0.42 & -0.01 & 0.12 & 0.22 & -0.15 & 0.12 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0.42 & -0.14 & 0.13 & 0.11 & 0.22 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0.25 & -0.08 & 0.25 & -0.08 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -0.22 & 0 & 0.22 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Next Step

- Analyze the super quadratic algorithm
- Take advantage of matrix structure such as symmetry
- Determine all eigenvalues in a region
- MATLAB polynomial nonlinear eigenvalue solver