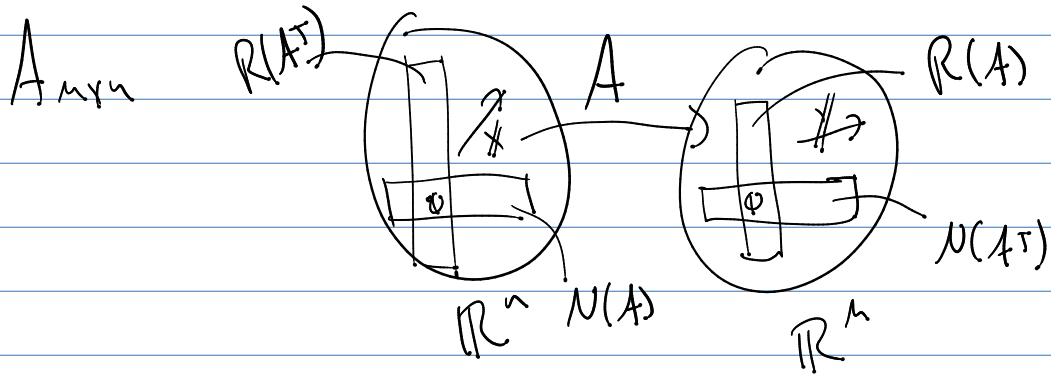
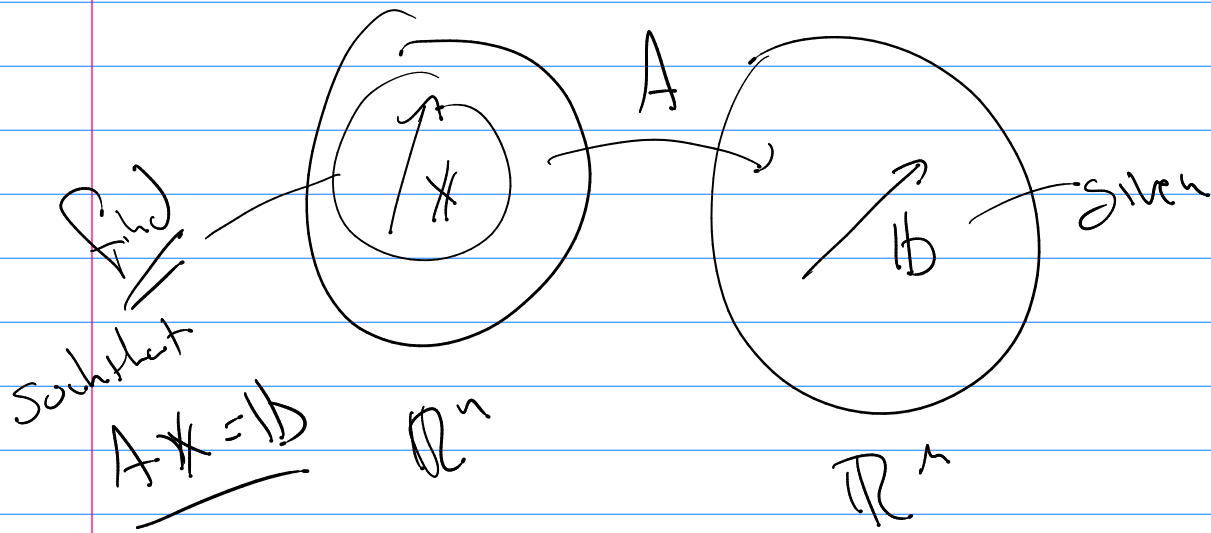


Math 511

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systems & linear equations; Solve $Ax = b$



(1) ∞ soln prob. $Ax = b \rightarrow [A | b]$

(2) 1 soln. $Ax = b$

$\rightarrow [x | b] \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & | & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & | & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$\rightarrow x = A^{-1}b$

A^{-1} exists, $\det(A) \neq 0$, system.

③ $Ax = b$ has no solns

typically overdetermined

$$Ax = b \rightarrow [A | b]$$

ex

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{array} \right] \leftarrow \underline{\text{no sol}}$$

? pts. $y = ax^2 + bx + c$
that goes through them?

$$(x_1, y_1) \quad ax_1^2 + bx_1 + c = y_1$$

$$(x_2, y_2) \quad ax_2^2 + bx_2 + c = y_2 \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x_1^2 & x_1 & 1 \\ x_2^2 & x_2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} c = y$$

$$(x_3, y_3) \quad ax_3^2 + bx_3 + c = y_3$$

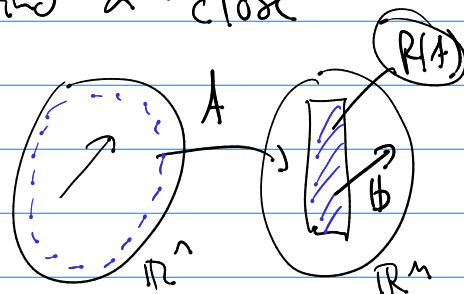
x is x -coord y is y coord c as $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ c \end{bmatrix}$

has no soln but can I get "close"? δ

$Ax = b$ has no soln, can I find a 'close' soln?

Defn:

$$r(x) = b - Ax \text{ is the residual}$$



Find smallest $\|r(x)\| = \sqrt{r(x)^T r(x)}$

rather use $\|r(x)\|^2$ to make problem easier.

So we have turned "find closest Ax to b "

into minimize $\|r(x)\|^2 = \|b - Ax\|^2$

New Prob Find $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ such that $\|b - Ax\|^2$ is minimum, (least squares problem)

if you find a soln, call it \hat{x} and

\hat{x} is the soln to the least squares problem

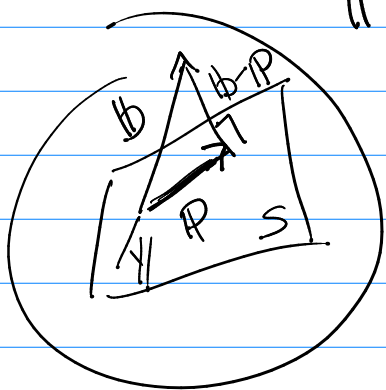
Thm S is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^n for each $b \in \mathbb{R}^n$

$\exists!$ $p \in S$ such that it is closest to b

(means) $\forall y \in S$ and $y \neq p$

$$\|b - p\| \leq \|b - y\|$$

Visual



find importantly

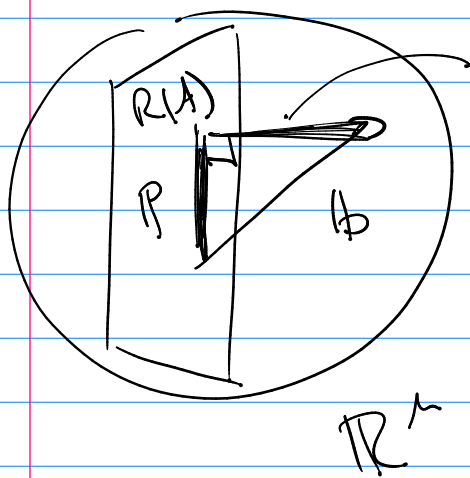
\mathbb{R}^n $(b - p) \in S^\perp$

We know $R(A)$ is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^m

So to find minimum $\|b - \underbrace{Ax}_{\in R(A)}\|^2$

by thⁿ we have a closest $p \in R(A)$ and

$$(b - p) \in R(A)^\perp = N(A^T)$$



$$b - p \in N(A^T)$$

so there is $\hat{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n$

$$\text{such that } A\hat{x} = p$$

least squares sol.

① $Ax = b$ has no sol.

② minimize $\|b - Ax\|^2$

③ find \hat{x} such that $A\hat{x} = \underline{p} \in R(A)$

where $p \in R(A)$ is closest to b .

Note: b/c $b - p \in N(A^T) \rightarrow b - A\hat{x} \in N(A^T)$

Proof: $A^T(b - A\hat{x}) = 0 \rightarrow A^T b - A^T A\hat{x} = 0$

$$\rightarrow A^T A \hat{x} = A^T b$$

Ques #4

$$\text{Solve } A^T A X = A^T B$$

Ques.

$A X = B$ has no soln.

now to

→ solve $A^T A X = A^T B$ if it has a soln it will be the least squares soln.

Thm

if $A_{m \times n} \Rightarrow \text{Rank}(A) = n$

→ $A^T A X = A^T B$ has a unig. soln.

(we call it the unig. least squares soln to $A X = B$.)

$$A X = B$$

Soln

find \hat{X} to solve $A^T A X = A^T B$

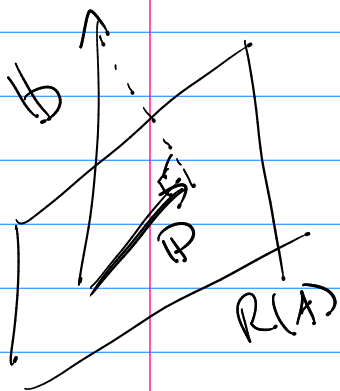
$$\rightarrow \hat{X} = (A^T A)^{-1} (A^T B)$$

$$\rightarrow P = A \hat{X} = A (A^T A)^{-1} A^T B$$

\hat{P} : Projection matrix

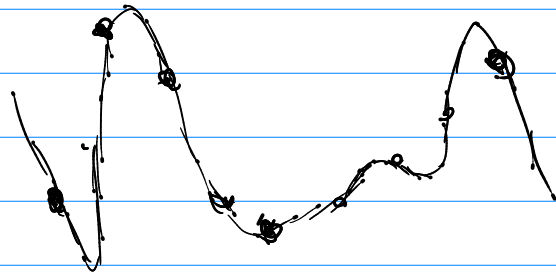
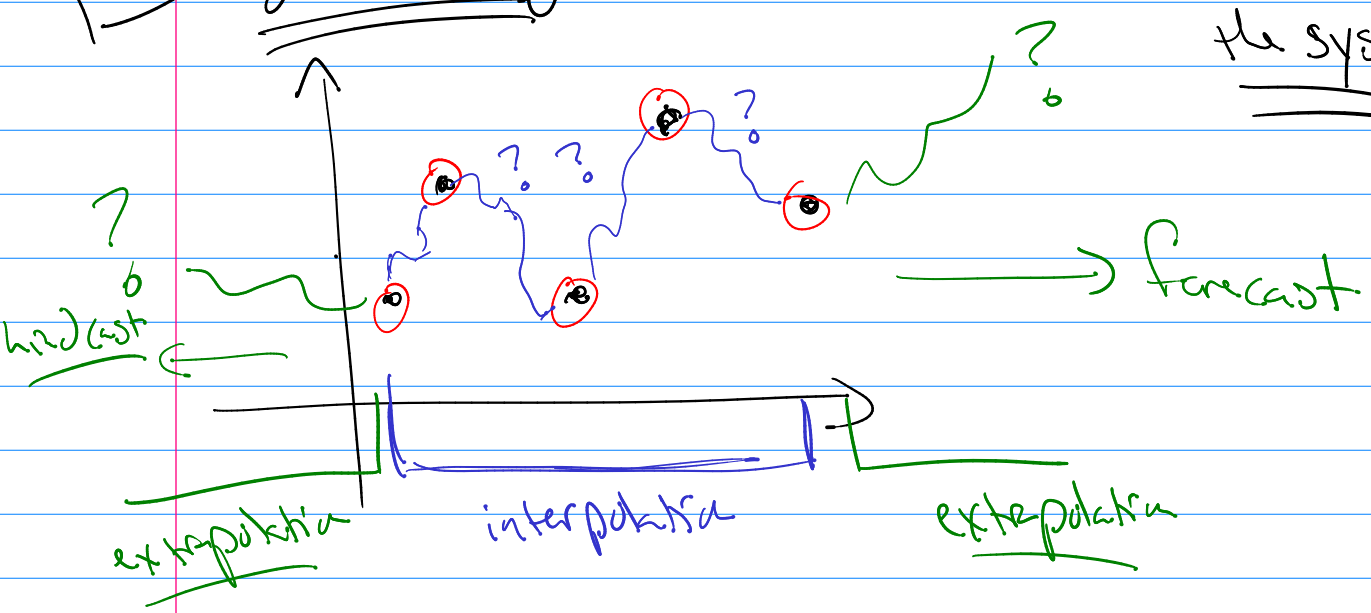
Given $P = A (A^T A)^{-1} A^T$

then $\hat{P} = P B$

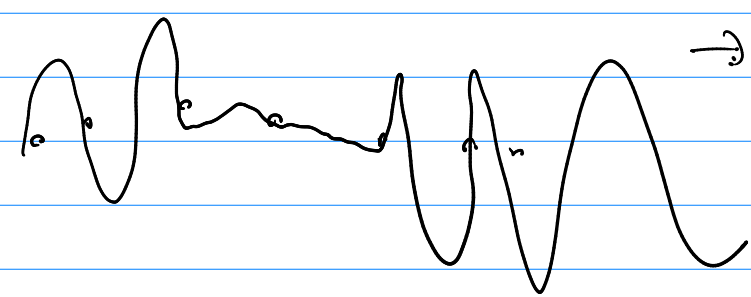


ex's

Data Fitting → find a function that models the system?



4 pts → $y = a_1 + a_2x + a_3x^2 + a_4x^3$
 ↳ 4 term poly is a chg. soln.



→ interpolating polynomial

ex

least square poly. fits

gives K -points fit with poly $< K$ -terms.

ex 3 deg 4 poly & 10 points.

$$y = ax^4 + bx^3 + cx^2 + dx + e$$

→ Points:
 x_1, y_1
 x_2, y_2
 x_{10}, y_{10}

$$\text{Let } X = [x_1 \ x_2 \ \dots \ x_{10}]^T$$
$$Y = [y_1 \ y_2 \ \dots \ y_{10}]^T$$

Solve:

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} X^4 & X^3 & X^2 & X^1 & X^0 \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{Let } X = A} \begin{bmatrix} c_0 \\ c_1 \\ c_2 \\ c_3 \\ c_4 \end{bmatrix} = Y$$

Solve for least squares soln.

$$\boxed{X^T X c = X^T Y} \quad A$$
