

Second Order Sequential Best Rotation Algorithm with Householder Reduction for Polynomial Matrix Eigenvalue Decomposition

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Introduction

- EVD of Hermitian matrices is commonly used in
 - subspace decomposition for data compression
 - blind source separation
 - adaptive beamforming
- ⇒ Assumption: Sources are narrowband
- Broadband signals need to model the correlation between sensor pairs across different time lags
→ Polynomial matrices
- Development of PEVD algorithms and applications in
 - subspace decomposition using polynomial MUSIC [Alrmah et al. 2011]
 - blind source separation [Redif et al. 2017]
 - adaptive beamforming [Weiss et al. 2015]
 - source identification [Weiss et al. 2017]

The data vector at time index n collected from M -sensors is

$$\mathbf{x}(n) = [x_1(n), x_2(n), \dots, x_M(n)]^T \in \mathbb{C}^M.$$

The space-time covariance matrix for N time snapshots is

$$\mathbf{A}(\tau) = \mathbb{E}\{\mathbf{x}(n)\mathbf{x}^H(n-\tau)\} \approx \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \mathbf{x}(n)\mathbf{x}^H(n-\tau) \in \mathbb{C}^{M \times M},$$

and its z-transform is a para-Hermitian polynomial matrix,

$$\mathbf{A}(z) = \sum_{\tau=-W}^W \mathbf{A}(\tau)z^{-\tau}.$$

The PEVD of $\mathbf{A}(z)$ according to [McWhirter et al. 2007] is

$$\mathbf{A}(z) \approx \mathbf{U}(z)\mathbf{\Lambda}(z)\mathbf{U}^P(z),$$

where

- $\mathbf{U}^P(z) = \mathbf{U}^H(z^{-1})$,
- $\mathbf{\Lambda}(z)$ is the eigenvalue polynomial matrix and
- $\mathbf{U}(z)$ is the eigenvector polynomial matrix, such that

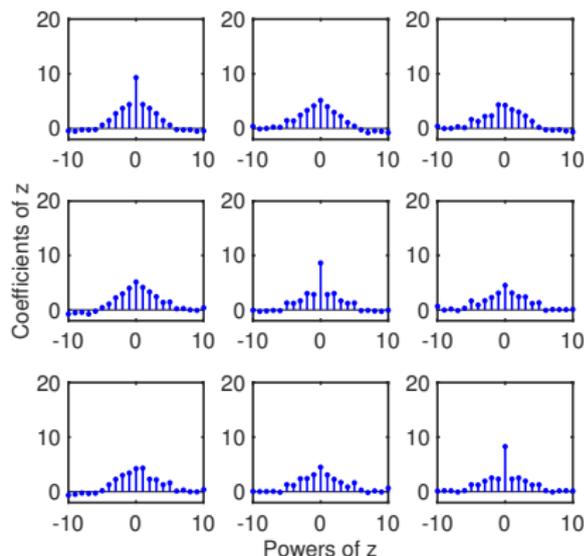
$$\mathbf{U}(z) = \mathbf{U}_L(z) \dots \mathbf{U}_2(z)\mathbf{U}_1(z),$$

constructed using L para-unitary polynomial matrices.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 9.30 & 5.12 & 4.23 \\ 5.12 & 8.61 & 4.50 \\ 4.23 & 4.50 & 8.27 \end{bmatrix}$$

\mathbf{A} taken from $\mathbf{A}(z^0)$.

Iter. count=0, Max. off-diagonal, $|g|=5.13$

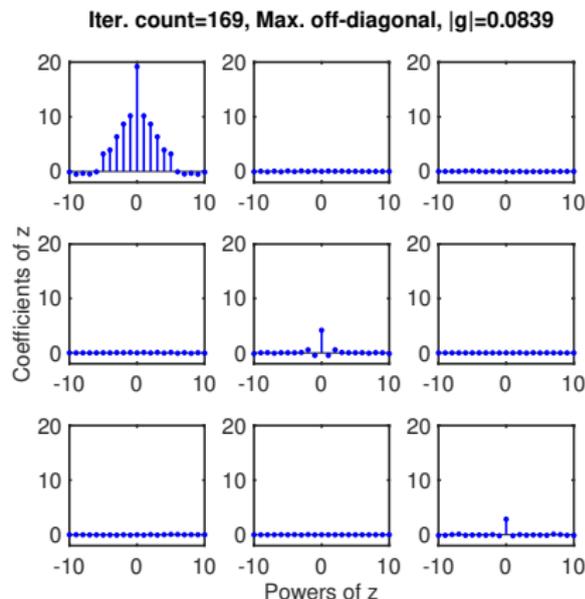


$\mathbf{A}(z)$ example.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 18.0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4.53 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3.66 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\mathbf{\Lambda}$ using EVD.

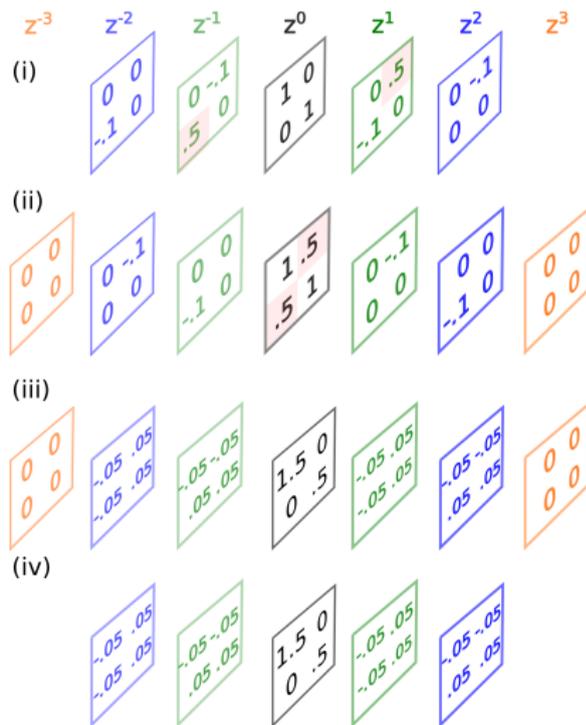
$\delta \leq \sqrt{N_1/3} \times 10^{-2}$ where N_1 is the trace-norm of $\mathbf{A}(z^0)$
[McWhirter et al. 2007].



$\mathbf{\Lambda}(z)$ using SBR2 with $\delta = 0.087$.

At each iteration, SBR2 will

- (i) search for the largest off-diagonal, $|g|$,
- (ii) delay and bring $|g|$ to the zero-lag plane,
- (iii) zero $|g|$ using a Givens rotation and
- (iv) trim negligible high order terms.



SBR2 provided a framework for extensions based on (i)-(iv).

- (i) search: norm-2 instead of inf-norm
 - Householder-like PEVD [Redif et al. 2011]
 - sequential matrix diagonalisation (SMD) [Redif et al. 2015]
- (ii) delay: multiple-shift (MS) instead of single-shift
 - MS-SBR2 [Wang et al. 2015]
 - MS-SMD [Corr et al. 2014]
- (iii) **zero**: one-step diagonalisation of z^0 instead of using the Givens rotation
 - SMD [Redif et al. 2015]
 - Householder-like PEVD [Redif et al. 2011]
 - approximate PEVD [Tkacenko 2011].
- (iv) trim: row-shifted truncation SMD [Corr et al. 2015].

Proposed Method

Consider the principal plane of a polynomial matrix,
 $A(z^0) \in \mathbb{C}^{M \times M}$.

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{1,1} & a_{1,2} & a_{1,3} & a_{1,4} & \dots & a_{1,M} \\ a_{2,1} & a_{2,2} & a_{2,3} & a_{2,4} & \dots & a_{2,M} \\ a_{3,1} & a_{3,2} & a_{3,3} & a_{3,4} & \dots & a_{3,M} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{M-1,1} & a_{M-1,2} & a_{M-1,3} & \dots & a_{M-1,M-1} & a_{M-1,M} \\ a_{M,1} & a_{M,2} & a_{M,3} & \dots & a_{M,M-1} & a_{M,M} \end{bmatrix}$$

\Rightarrow Cycling through all the off-diagonal elements using Jacobi's algorithm requires $\frac{M(M-1)}{2}$ Givens rotations.

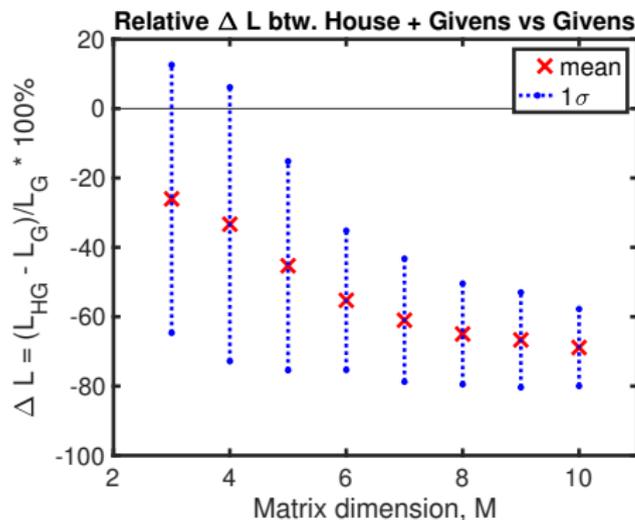
$(M - 1)$ Householder reflections first reduce the principal plane to tridiagonal form [Golub et al. 1996].

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{1,1} & a_{1,2} & 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ a_{2,1} & a_{2,2} & a_{2,3} & 0 & \dots & \vdots \\ 0 & a_{3,2} & a_{3,3} & a_{3,4} & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \dots & \ddots & \ddots & a_{M-1,M-1} & a_{M-1,M} \\ 0 & \dots & \dots & \dots & a_{M,M-1} & a_{M,M} \end{bmatrix}$$

⇒ In this reduced form, there are fewer elements to zero.

⇒ Cycling through all the off-diagonal elements uses $(M - 2)$ Householder reflections followed by $(M - 1)$ Givens rotations.

Comparison of diagonalisation using Householder + Givens (HG) and Givens-only (G) using 1000 randomly generated symmetric matrices for every M with $\delta \leq \sqrt{N_1/3} \times 10^{-2}$.



\Rightarrow The reduction in L achieved by Householder + Givens over Givens-only method scales with matrix dimension, M .

Inputs: $\mathbf{A}(z) \in \mathbb{C}^{M \times M}$, δ , maxlter , μ .

initialise: $l \leftarrow 0$, $g \leftarrow 1 + \delta$, $\tilde{\mathbf{\Lambda}}(z) = \mathbf{A}(z)$, $\tilde{\mathbf{U}}(z) = \mathbf{I}$.

while ($l < \text{maxlter}$ **and** $g > \delta$) **do**

$g \leftarrow \max |r_{jk}(z^t)|, k > j, \forall t. // \text{ search}$

if ($g > \delta$) **then**

$l \leftarrow l + 1.$

$\tilde{\mathbf{\Lambda}}(z) \leftarrow \mathbf{D}_j(z)\tilde{\mathbf{\Lambda}}(z)\mathbf{D}_j^P(z),$

$\tilde{\mathbf{U}}(z) \leftarrow \mathbf{D}_j(z)\tilde{\mathbf{U}}(z) // \text{ delay}$

$\tilde{\mathbf{\Lambda}}(z) \leftarrow \mathbf{H}\tilde{\mathbf{\Lambda}}(z)\mathbf{H}^H$

$\tilde{\mathbf{U}}(z) \leftarrow \mathbf{H}\tilde{\mathbf{U}}(z) // \text{ reflect}$

$\tilde{\mathbf{\Lambda}}(z) \leftarrow \mathbf{G}(\theta, \phi)\tilde{\mathbf{\Lambda}}(z)\mathbf{G}^H(\theta, \phi),$

$\tilde{\mathbf{U}}(z) \leftarrow \mathbf{G}(\theta, \phi)\tilde{\mathbf{U}}(z) // \text{ rotate}$

$\tilde{\mathbf{\Lambda}}(z) \leftarrow \text{trim}(\tilde{\mathbf{\Lambda}}(z), \mu),$

$\tilde{\mathbf{U}}(z) \leftarrow \text{trim}(\tilde{\mathbf{U}}(z), \mu) // \text{ trim}$

end if

end while

return $\tilde{\mathbf{U}}(z), \tilde{\mathbf{\Lambda}}(z).$

Simulations and Results

The setup was based on the 3 sensors, 2 sources decorrelation simulation in [McWhirter et al. 2007] which used

- i.i.d. source signals of 1000 samples each and each sample was assigned ± 1 with equal probability
- each channel was modelled as a 5-th order FIR filter and each coefficient was drawn from $U[-1, 1]$
- additive white Gaussian noise with $\sigma = 1.8$
- PEVD parameters: $W = 10, \mu = 10^{-4},$
 $\delta \leq \sqrt{N_1/3} \times 10^{-2}$

This was repeated 1000 times for the Monte-Carlo simulation.

For each algorithm, we computed the

- Number of iterations, L
- Reconstruction error, $\epsilon \triangleq \sum_{\forall z} \|\tilde{\mathbf{A}}(z) - \mathbf{A}(z)\|_F$

For comparisons of both algorithms, we used

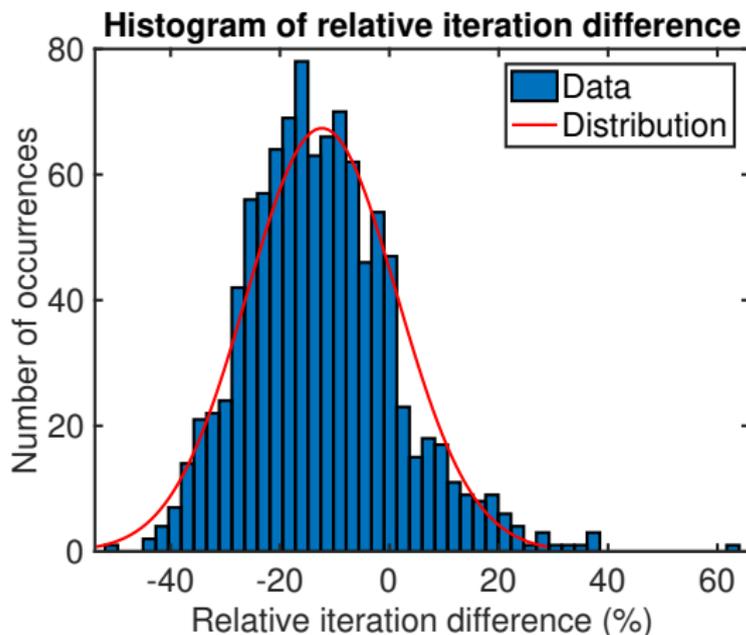
- Relative L difference, $\Delta L(\%) = \frac{L_{\text{Proposed}} - L_{\text{SBR2}}}{L_{\text{SBR2}}} \times 100\%$
- Relative ϵ difference, $\Delta \epsilon(\%) = \frac{\epsilon_{\text{Proposed}} - \epsilon_{\text{SBR2}}}{\sum_{\forall z} \|\mathbf{A}(z)\|_F} \times 100\%$

Diagonalisation target: Maximum off-diagonal $|g| \leq 0.087$

SBR2 took 169 iterations.

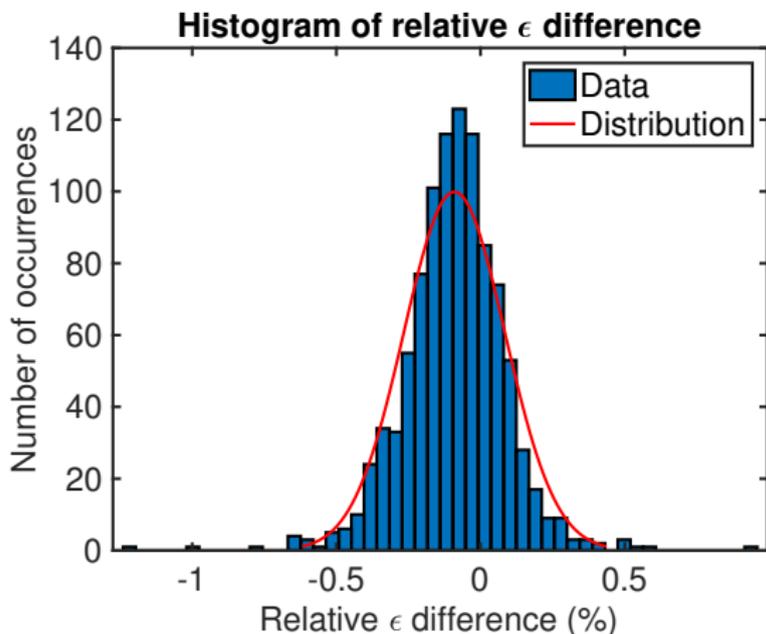
Our method took 101 iterations.

⇒ Tridiagonal reduction prior to applying the Givens rotations reduces the number of iterations for PEVD.



⇒ Our method achieved an average of 12% reduction in L over SBR2.

⇒ Reduction in L was achieved in 82% of the trials.



- ⇒ Our method achieved an average of 0.1% reduction in ϵ .
- ⇒ Both methods were consistent to $\pm 1\%$ in ϵ .

Conclusion

- Proposed the use of Householder reduction before applying the Givens rotations at the zeroing step in SBR2.
- An average of 12% reduction in iteration counts is achievable.
- An average of 0.1% improvement in reconstruction error is achievable.
- Further reduction in iteration counts is expected as the matrix dimension increases.



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