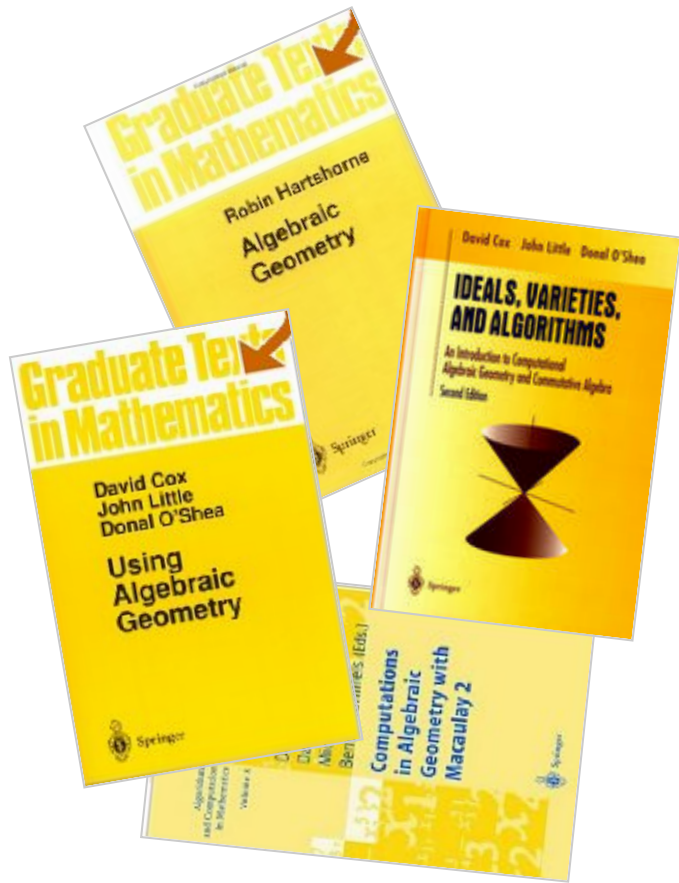


Advanced Robotics

Lecture 10

SOLVING ALGEBRAIC EQUATIONS



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Quotient ring



$1+1=?$

action matrix

field

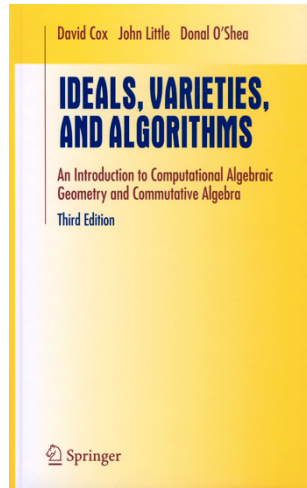
ideal

$xy^2+7y+..$

LOOKS AS “the MATHEMATICS” !!!

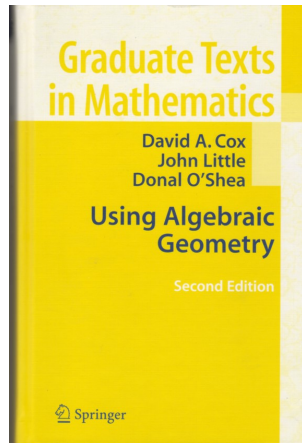
LET'S TAKE AN ENGINEERING APPROACH

LITERATURE



Mathematics

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(An Introduction to Algebraic Geometry ... New edition!)
2. Cox et al. Using Algebraic Geometry. Springer 1998.
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Computing All Solutions to Polynomial Equations in Economics
(Very lightweight intro to polynomial system solving).



Minimal problem papers

cmp.felk.cvut.cz/minimal

SINGLE UNKNOWN \rightarrow EIGENVALUES

1 equation, 1 variable \rightarrow companion matrix \rightarrow eigenvalues

$$f(x) = x^3 + 4x^2 + x - 6 = -6 + 1x + 4x^2 + 1x^3$$

$$M_x = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 6 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

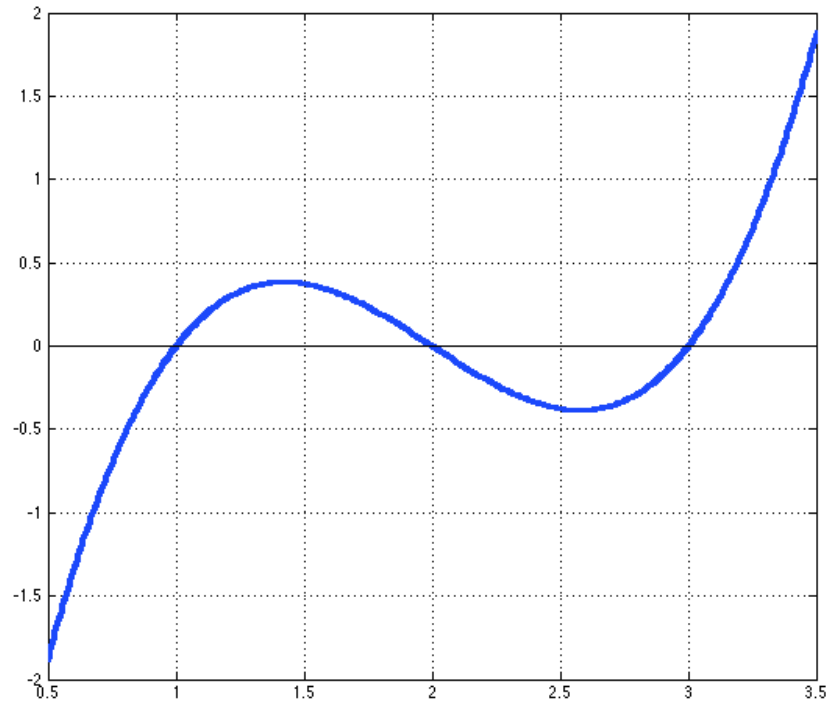
... a simple rule

`>> e=eig(Mx)`

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

$$x_1 = 1, x_2 = -2, x_3 = -3$$

Towards the MULTIPLICATION MATRIX M_x



a polynomial

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= (x-1)(x-2)(x-3) \\ &= x^3 - 6x^2 + 11x - 6 \end{aligned}$$

with roots

$$x_1 = 1, x_2 = 2, x_3 = 3$$

i.e.

$$f(x) : f(x_1) = f(x_2) = f(x_3) = 0$$

REMAINDERS are a linear space

$r(x) = h(x) \bmod f(x)$... remainder on division by $f(x)$

$$h(x) = q(x) f(x) + r(x)$$

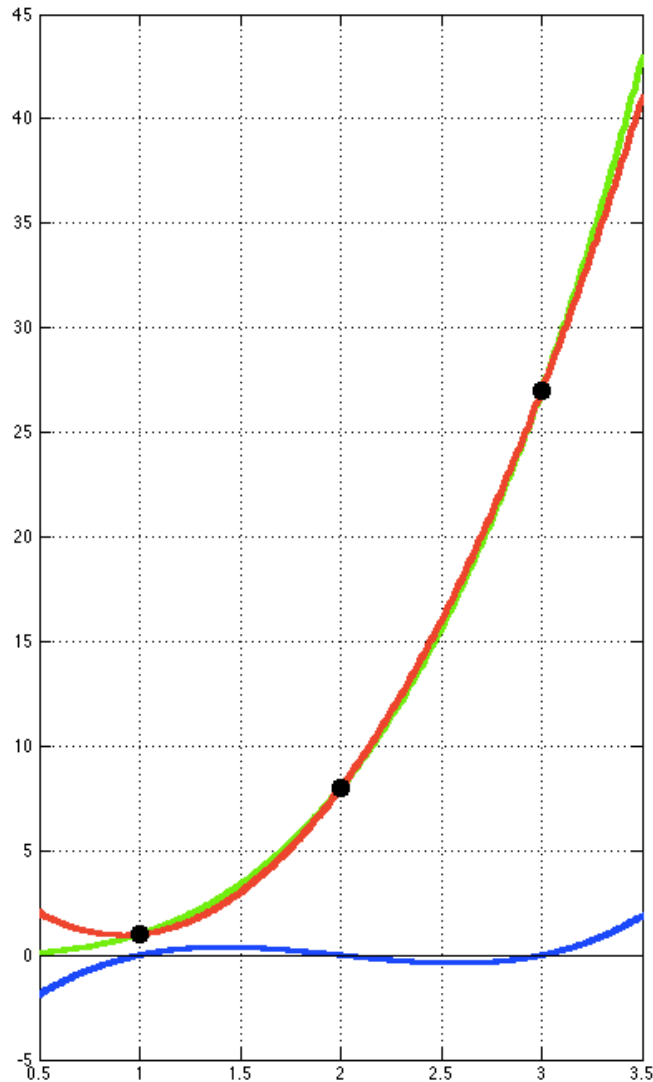
such that $\deg r(x) < \deg f(x)$ or $r(x) = 0$

- remainders have low degrees
- can be represented by finite vectors

e.g. for $f(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 11x - 6$ \deg of $r(x)$ is smaller than 3:

$$r(x) = a_2 x^2 + a_1 x + a_0 \equiv \begin{bmatrix} a_0 \\ a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3$$

REMAINDERS evaluate



Evaluate a general polynomial $h(x)$ on roots of $f(x)$: $x_1 = 1$, $x_2 = 2$, $x_3 = 3$ using the the reminder $r(x)$

$$\begin{aligned} h(x_i) &= q(x_i) f(x_i) + r(x_i) \\ &= q(x_i) 0 + r(x_i) = r(x_i) \end{aligned}$$

$$h(x_i) = r(x_i) \quad i = 1, 2, 3$$

Example

$$\underline{h(x) = x^3} \quad \underline{f(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 11x - 6}$$

$$h(x) = 1 f(x) + (6x^2 - 11x + 6)$$

$$\underline{r(x) = 6x^2 - 11x + 6}$$

MAPPING by MULTIPLICATION

Consider a mapping M of polynomials to polynomials generated by multiplication by x

$$h(x) \rightarrow x h(x)$$

It generates a mapping on remainders on division by $f(x)$

$$h(x) \bmod f(x) \xrightarrow{M} (x h(x)) \bmod f(x)$$
$$a_2 x^2 + a_1 x + a_0 \rightarrow b_2 x^2 + b_1 x + b_0$$

... can be seen as a mapping in the linear space of vectors of coefficients

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_0 \\ a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{M} \begin{bmatrix} b_0 \\ b_1 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \dots \quad M: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$$

... IS LINEAR

$$M: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3 \quad h(x) \bmod f(x) \xrightarrow{M} (x h(x)) \bmod f(x)$$

is a LINEAR MAPPING! ... can be represented by a matrix

Example $f(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 11x - 6$

$$\begin{aligned}
 M(1) &= x \cdot 1 = x & \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} &\xrightarrow{M} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, & \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} &\xrightarrow{M} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, & \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} &\xrightarrow{M} \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -11 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} \\
 M(x) &= x \cdot x = x^2 \\
 M(x^2) &= x^3 \bmod f(x) \\
 &= 6x^2 - 11x + 6 & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 6 \\ 1 & 0 & -11 \\ 0 & 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 6 \\ 1 & 0 & -11 \\ 0 & 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_0 \\ a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{M} \begin{bmatrix} b_0 \\ b_1 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} b_0 \\ b_1 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix} = M_x \begin{bmatrix} a_0 \\ a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Putting it all together

Evaluate reminder

$$r(x_i) = a_2x_i^2 + a_1x_i + a_0$$

and its image

$$x_i r(x_i) = b_2x_i^2 + b_1x_i + b_0$$

$$(x_i a_2) x_i^2 + (x_i a_1) x_i + (x_i a_0) = b_2 x_i^2 + b_1 x_i + b_0$$

For all generic roots \rightarrow

- use monic
- use LA

$$x_i \begin{bmatrix} a_0 \\ a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_i a_0 \\ x_i a_1 \\ x_i a_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_0 \\ b_1 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix} = M_x \begin{bmatrix} a_0 \\ a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M_x \mathbf{a} = x_i \mathbf{a}$$

Roots of $f(x)$ are eigenvalues of M_x

SOLVING ALGEBRAIC EQUATIONS & GB

→ generalize remainder on division to
m equations & n vars

$$h(x, y, \dots) = q_1(x, y, \dots) f_1(x, y, \dots) + q_2(x, y, \dots) f_2(x, y, \dots) + \dots + r(x, y, \dots)$$

← divisors → remainder →

For general $f_i(x, y, \dots)$ reminder $r(x, y, \dots)$ not well defined
... depends on the ordering of divisors!

→ Groebner basis ... divisors for which remainder well defined
→ does not depend on the ordering of
divisors

SOLVING ALGEBRAIC EQUATIONS & GB

Linear equations are algebraic equations

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{linear} \\ \text{equations} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} 4x + 8y + 7z = 0 \\ 6x + 3y + 2z = 0 \\ 7x + 7y + 1z = 0 \end{array}$$

Gaussian elimination

$$\begin{array}{l} \downarrow \\ \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 4 & 8 & 7 \\ 0 & 36 & 34 \\ 0 & 0 & -167 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} x \\ y \\ z \end{array} = 0 \end{array}$$

Groebner basis

$$\begin{array}{l} 4x + 8y + 7z = 0 \\ 36y + 34z = 0 \\ 167z = 0 \end{array}$$

SOLVING ALGEBRAIC EQUATIONS & GB

m equations, n variables (an example for m = 2 & n = 2)

$$0 = 25xy - 20y - 15x + 12$$

$$0 = y^2 + x^2 - 1$$

→ Groebner basis

(polynomials with the same solutions but **easy** to solve
lexicographical ordering of monomials)

$$f_1 \rightarrow 0 = 25xy - 20y - 15x + 12$$

$$f_2 \rightarrow 0 = y^2 + x^2 - 1$$

$$0 = 125y^3 - 75y^2 + 27 - 45y \quad \leftarrow \text{how to get it?}$$

$$= (-5x - 4)f_1 + (125y - 75)f_2$$

... a polynomial combination of f_1, f_2

MATRIX FORM OF POLYNOMIALS (F4 - Like Approach)

$$f_1 = 25xy - 20y - 15x + 12$$

$$f_2 = y^2 + x^2 - 1$$

$$f_3 = (-5x - 4)f_1 + (125y - 75)f_2$$

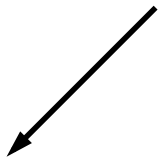
$$\begin{array}{l} f_1 \rightarrow \\ f_2 \rightarrow \end{array} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 25 & -15 & 0 & -20 & 12 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x^2 \\ xy \\ x \\ y^2 \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

ADDING MULTIPLES

$$f_1 = 25xy - 20y - 15x + 12$$

$$f_2 = y^2 + x^2 - 1$$

$$f_3 = (-5x - 4)f_1 + (125y - 75)f_2 = a \boxed{x f_1} + b \boxed{y f_2} + c$$



$$\begin{array}{l}
 f_1 \rightarrow \\
 f_2 \rightarrow \\
 x f_1 \rightarrow \\
 y f_2 \rightarrow
 \end{array}
 \begin{bmatrix}
 0 & 0 & 25 & -15 & 0 & 0 & -20 & 12 \\
 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\
 25 & -15 & -20 & 12 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0
 \end{bmatrix}
 \begin{bmatrix}
 \boxed{x^2 y} \\
 x^2 \\
 xy \\
 x \\
 \boxed{y^3} \\
 y^2 \\
 y \\
 1
 \end{bmatrix}$$

GAUSSIAN ELIMINATION

$$f_1 = 25xy - 20y - 15x + 12$$

$$f_2 = y^2 + x^2 - 1$$

$$f_3 = (-5x - 4)f_1 + (125y - 75)f_2 = axf_1 + byf_2 + c$$

$$= 125y^3 - 75y^2 - 45y + 27$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & -3 & -4 & \frac{12}{5} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 5 & 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 125 & -75 & 0 & 0 & -100 & 60 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 125 & -75 & -45 & 27 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x^2 \\ y \\ x^2 \\ xy \\ x \\ y^3 \\ y^2 \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Gaussian elimination

SOLVING POLYNOMIAL EQUATIONS BY CONSTRUCTING GROEBNER BASIS

A generalization of the Gaussian elimination

multiplication by scalars



multiplication by scalars & **variables**

PRACTICAL CASES – (10 eqns, 10 vars, deg 3)

m equations, n variables

$$f_1(x, y) = 25xy - 15x - 20y + 12$$

$$f_2(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 - 1$$

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→ Groebner basis
(e.g. in grevlex ordering)

→ generalized
companion

matrix (multiplication in $\mathbb{Q}[x_1, \dots]/I(f_1, \dots)$)

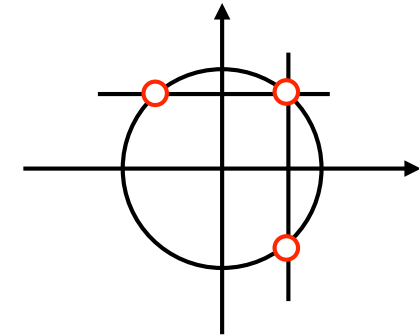
$$M_{x+y} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 125 & 0 & 125 \\ -60 & 100 & 125 & 75 \\ -63 & 45 & 175 & 45 \\ 65 & 100 & -125 & 75 \end{bmatrix}$$

SOLVING ALGEBRAIC EQUATIONS

m equations, n variables

$$f_1(x, y) = 25xy - 15x - 20y + 12$$

$$f_2(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 - 1$$



→ Groebner basis → generalized companion matrix → eigenvectors

$$v \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -\frac{4}{5} & \frac{4}{5} & \frac{4}{5} & \frac{4}{5} \\ \frac{3}{5} & -\frac{3}{5} & \frac{3}{5} & \frac{3}{5} \\ \frac{16}{25} & \frac{16}{25} & \frac{16}{25} & \frac{16}{25} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 &= -\frac{4}{5}, & y_1 &= \frac{3}{5} \\ x_2 &= \frac{4}{5}, & y_2 &= -\frac{3}{5} \\ x_3 &= \frac{4}{5}, & y_3 &= \frac{3}{5} \end{aligned}$$