

On singular values of parameter dependent matrices

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- **Non-generic points on the path**
structural stability? ... a motivation
- **Pathfollowing the simple singular values**
- **An application: computation of pseudospectra**
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an analysis via Singularity Theory
 - nonzero multiple singular value
 - zero simple singular value
 - zero multiple singular value
- **Conclusions**

SVD ... *Singular Value Decomposition*

$$A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}, m \geq n : A = U \Sigma V^T,$$

- $U \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$, $V \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$... orthogonal matrices
- $\Sigma = \text{diag}(s_1, \dots, s_n) \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$... diagonal matrix

s_i ... *singular values*,

$U_i \in \mathbb{R}^m$, $V_i \in \mathbb{R}^n$... *left/right singular vectors*

ASVD ... *Analytic Singular Value Decomposition*

= a version of SVD for
parameter dependent matrices

Kato, *Perturbation Theory for Linear Operators*, 1976.

Bunse-Gerstner, Byers, Mehrmann and Nichols: *Numer.Math.* 60 (1991)

Let $A = A(t)$, $A \in C^\omega([a, b], \mathbb{R}^{m \times n})$... real analytic

Construct a factorisation

$$A(t) = U(t)\Sigma(t)V(t)^T$$

such that

- U , V and Σ are real analytic on $[a, b]$

For each $t \in [a, b]$:

- $U(t) \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$, $V(t) \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$... orthogonal matrices
- $\Sigma(t) = \text{diag}(s_1(t), \dots, s_n(t)) \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$... diagonal matrix

At $t = a$:

- $U(a)$, $\Sigma(a)$, $V(a)$... via SVD of $A(a)$

Specific properties:

The smoothness of $A(t) \implies$ the singular values $s_i(t)$

- may be negative
- their ordering may be arbitrary

Example 1:

$$A(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 1-t & 0 \\ 0 & 1+t \end{bmatrix}$$

ASVD: $A(t) = U(t)\Sigma(t)V(t)^T$, $-0.5 \leq t \leq 1.5$.

e.g.

$$U(t) = V(t) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad s_1(t) = 1-t, \quad s_2(t) = 1+t.$$

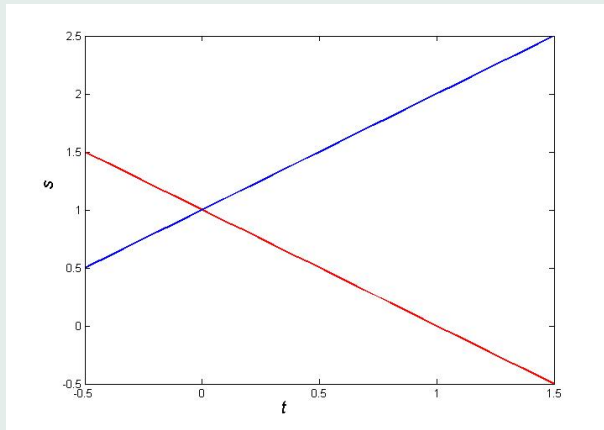
$$A(t) = s_1(t)U_1(t)V_1(t)^T + s_2(t)U_2(t)V_2(t)^T$$

⇒ branches

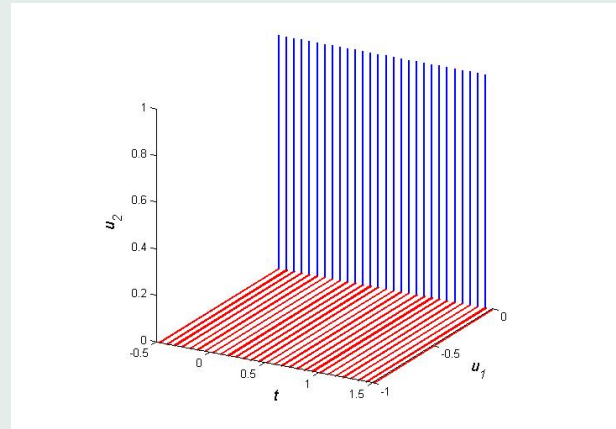
$$t \longmapsto (s_1(t); -1; 0; -1; 0)$$

$$t \longmapsto (s_2(t); 0; 1; 0; 1)$$

Example 1 continued:



$$t \longrightarrow s_1(t), s_2(t)$$



$$t \longrightarrow U_1(t), U_2(t)$$

Non-generic points on the path (\equiv branch):

at $t = 0$: $s_1(0) = s_2(0)$... nonsimple (multiple) singular value of $A(0)$

at $t = 1$: $s_1(1) = 0$... zero singular value of $A(1)$

Branching scenario at non-generic points:

... the branches $t \mapsto s_i(t)$ of singular values, $i = 1, \dots, p$, may intersect at isolated points only, namely, at the points where

$$s_i(t) = s_j(t) \quad \text{or} \quad s_i(t) = -s_j(t)$$

for $i \neq j$

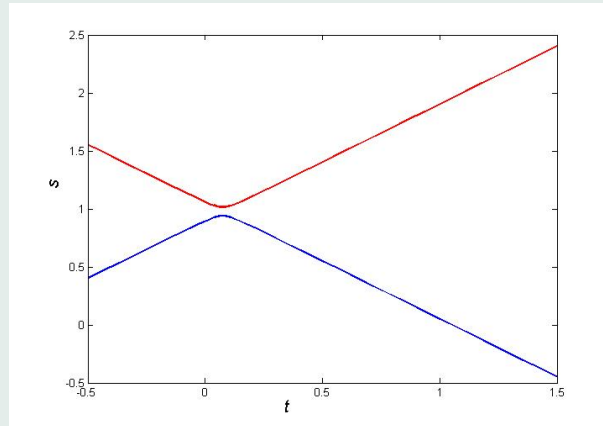
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Is it generic?

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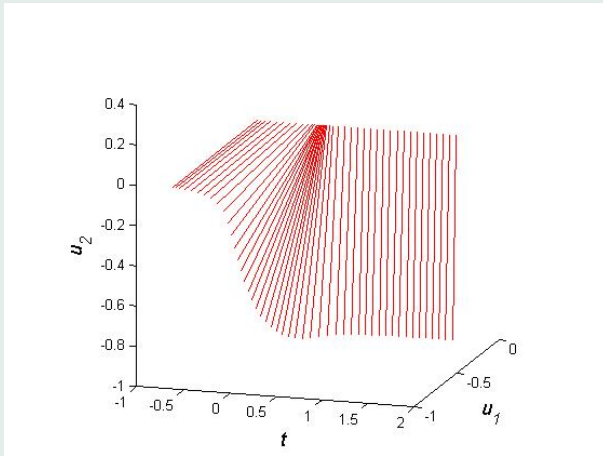
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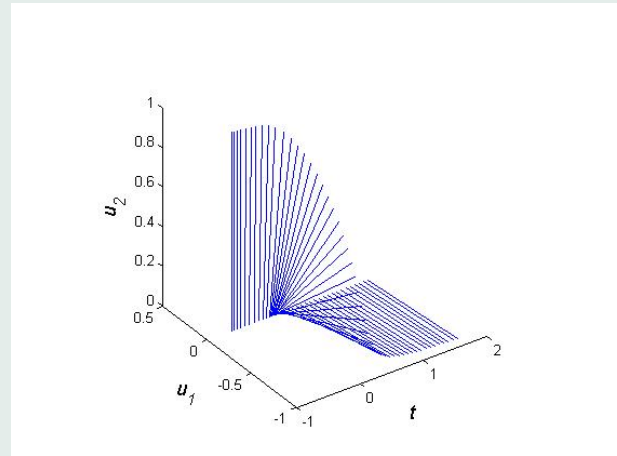
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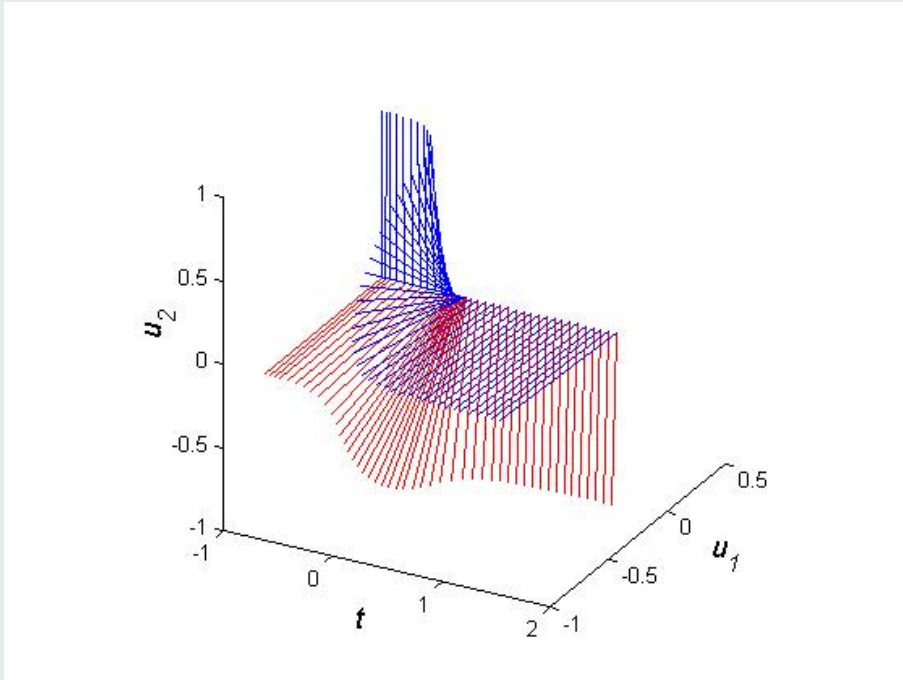


$$t \longrightarrow U_1(t)$$



$$t \longrightarrow U_2(t)$$

Example 1 continued:



$$t \longrightarrow U_1(t), U_2(t)$$

Reducing the problem

ASVD: $A(t) = U(t)\Sigma(t)V(t)^T = \sum s_i(t)U_i(t)V_i(t)^T$

... the left/right singular vectors $U_i(t)$, $V_i(t)$
and corresponding singular values $s_i(t)$

Note: Redundancy in scaling

either $U_i(t)^T U_i(t) = 1$ or $V_i(t)^T V_i(t) = 1$, or a combination,
become redundant
provided that $s_i(t) \neq 0$

Question: \exists branch of
 $s(t) \in \mathbb{R}$, $u(t) \in \mathbb{R}^m$, $v(t) \in \mathbb{R}^n$...
singular value, left/right singular vectors

Let

$$f : \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}^{1+m+n} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{1+m+n}$$
$$t \in \mathbb{R}, \quad x = (s, u, v) \in \mathbb{R}^1 \times \mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R}^n \mapsto f(t, x) \in \mathbb{R}^{1+m+n}$$

$$f(t, x) \equiv \begin{pmatrix} -su + A(t)v \\ A^T(t)u - sv \\ v^T v - 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

alternative:

$$f(t, x) \equiv \begin{pmatrix} -su + A(t)v \\ A^T(t)u - sv \\ u^T u + v^T v - 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Problem 1 Let $t^0 \in \mathcal{J}$ and

$$x^0 = (s^0, u^0, v^0) : f(t^0, x^0) = 0.$$

Find all $(t, x) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}^{1+m+n} : f(t, x) = 0$.

... solution manifold

? ... a branch $f(t, x(t)) = 0$.

Proposition 1 Let $s^0 \neq 0$ be a simple singular value of $A(t^0)$.
Then there exists a smooth

$$t \in \mathcal{I} \longmapsto x(t) \in \mathbb{R}^{1+m+n}$$

such that

$$f(t, x(t)) = 0 \text{ for all } t \in \mathcal{I}$$

$$x(t^0) = x^0.$$

An application: computing pseudospectra

$\forall \varepsilon > 0$, ε -**pseudospectrum** of \mathbf{A}

- the subset of the complex plane bounded by the ε^{-1} level curve of the resolvent norm:

$$\Lambda_\varepsilon(\mathbf{A}) = \{z \in \mathcal{C} : \|(z\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A})^{-1}\| \geq \varepsilon^{-1}\}$$

- the set of all complex numbers that are in the spectrum of some matrix obtained by a perturbation of norm at most ε :

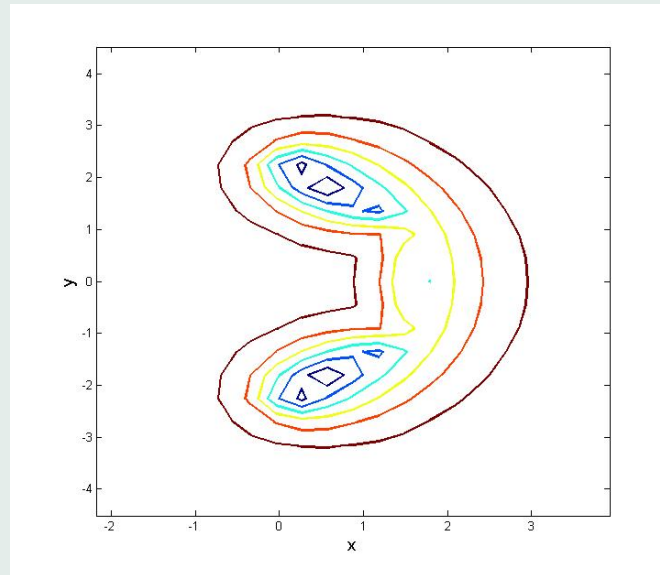
$$\Lambda_\varepsilon(\mathbf{A}) = \{z \in \mathcal{C} : z \in \Lambda(\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{E}) \text{ for some } \mathbf{E} \text{ with } \|\mathbf{E}\| \leq \varepsilon\}$$

- the sets in the z -plane bounded by level curves of the function $\sigma_{\min}(z\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A})$ ($\sigma_{\min}(\mathbf{A}) \dots$ the smallest singular value of \mathbf{A}):

$$\Lambda_\varepsilon(\mathbf{A}) = \{z \in \mathcal{C} : \sigma_{\min}(z\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}) \leq \varepsilon\}.$$

Example: grcar, $n = 50$

see <http://www.comlab.ox.ac.uk/pseudospectra/eigtool>



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[U,T,eigA] = fact(A,1); ... Schur decomposition  
stepx = 20, stepy = 20  
Z1 = psacore(T,1,zeros(50,1),x,y,1e-5,50)  
[X,Y] = meshgrid(x,y);  
contour(X,Y,log10(Z1),6); ... No of isolines
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Problem: Given $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$, follow the contours

$$\partial\Lambda_\epsilon = \{z \mid \sigma_{\min}(zI - A) = \epsilon\}$$

The idea ... curve tracing algorithm:

After a "realification" and some transformations, we consider a curve

$$f : \mathbb{R}^{2+4n} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{1+4n}.$$

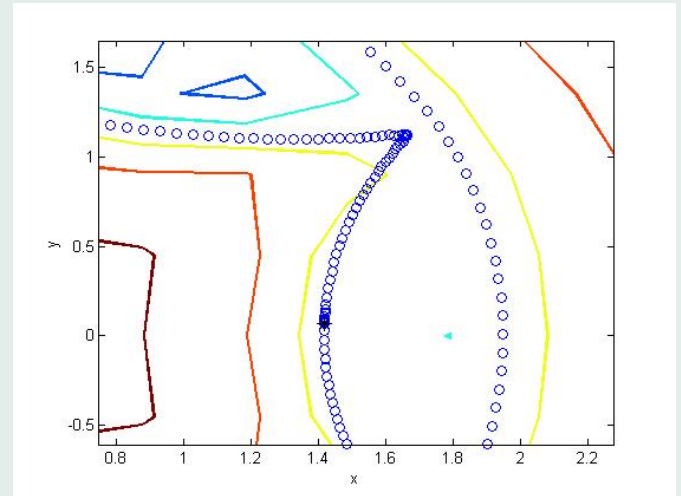
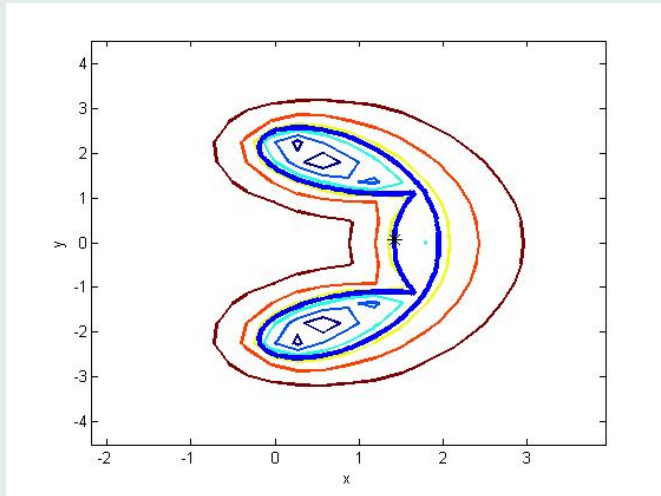
The coordinates of the state space \mathbb{R}^{2+4n} are interpreted as

- the parameter $z \in \mathbb{C}$
- $u, v \in \mathbb{C}^n$, respectively, are the right/left singular vectors of $(zI - A)$, related to $\sigma_{\min}(zI - A) = \epsilon$.

The pathfollowing f yields the contours $\partial\Lambda_\epsilon$.

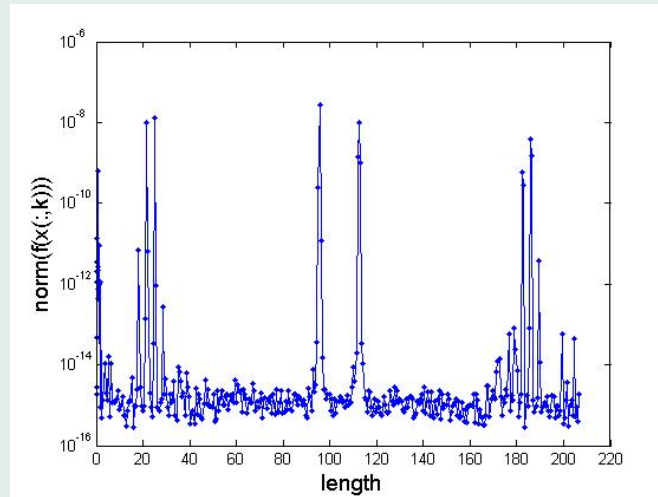
Example continued:

- pathfollowing: blue, $\varepsilon = 1.8373 \cdot 10^{-4}$



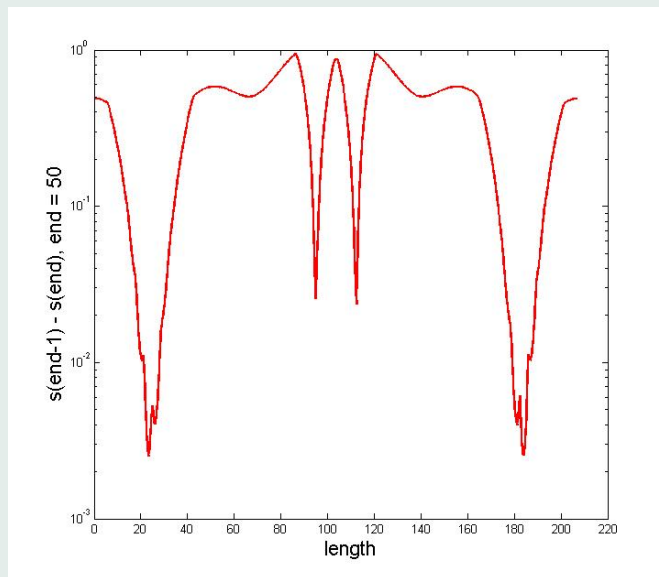
elapsed time = 13.14 secs
npoints curve = 299

Residuum: $1 \leq k \leq 299$, $k \rightarrow \text{arclength}$,
 $k \rightarrow \left\{ z \in \mathbb{C}, u \in \mathbb{C}^{50}, v \in \mathbb{C}^{50} \right\} \equiv x \rightarrow f(x) \rightarrow \text{norm}(f(x))$



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opt=contset(opt,'MaxStepsize', 1);  
opt=contset(opt,'MinStepsize', 1e-5);  
opt=contset(opt,'InitStepsize', 0.1);  
etc
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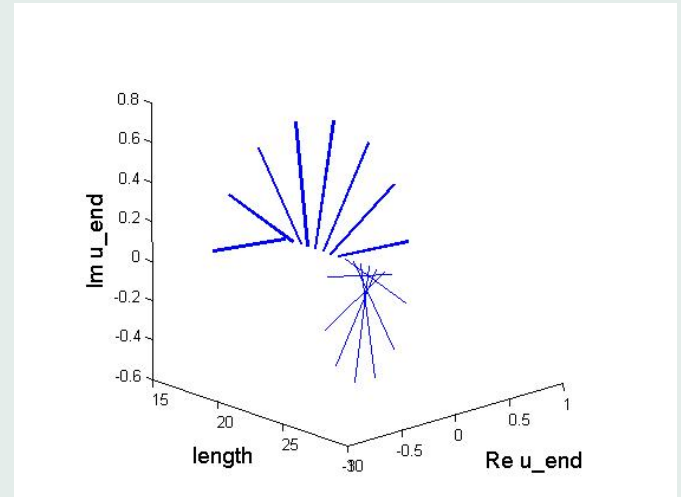
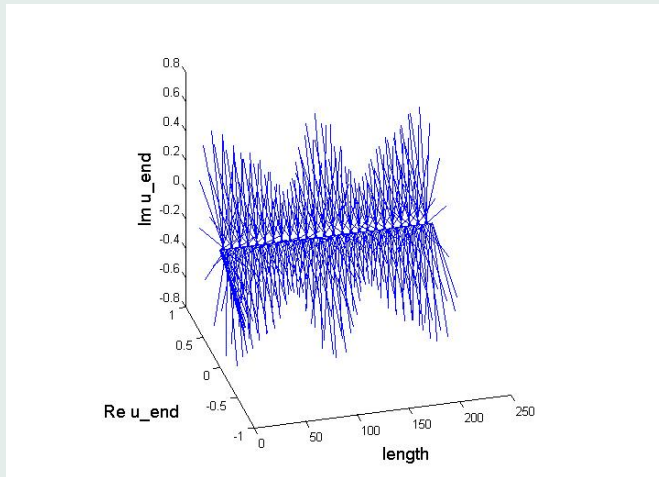
Singularities?



$k \rightarrow x(:, k) \rightarrow [U, S, V] = svd(A - (x(1, k) + i * x(2, k)) * eye(n, n)) \rightarrow$
 $\rightarrow \{s(n) \equiv \varepsilon, s(n - 1)\} \rightarrow s(n - 1) - s(n)$

$k \rightarrow arclength$

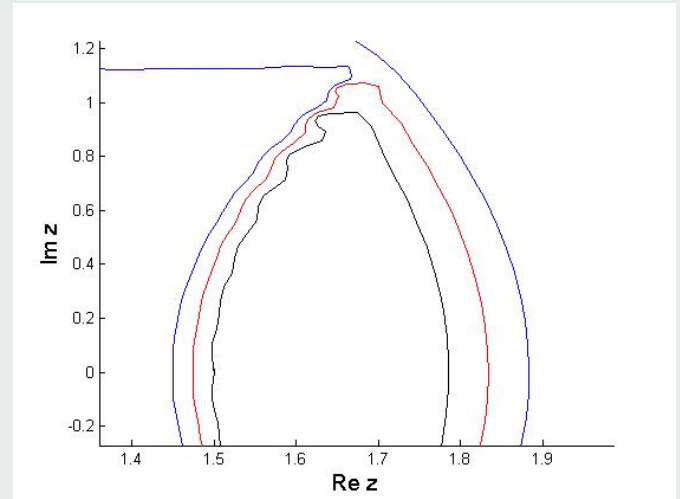
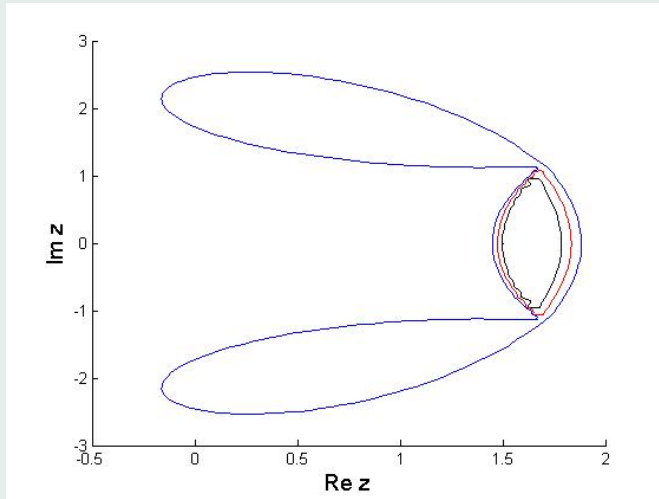
Twisting of u 's, v 's



$$k \rightarrow x(:, k) \in \mathbb{R}^{2+4n} \rightarrow u \in \mathbb{C}^n \rightarrow u_n \in \mathbb{C}$$

$$k \rightarrow \text{arclength}$$

contours:



$\varepsilon = 9.588746417274005e - 005 \dots$ blue

$\varepsilon = 5.808753134673688e - 005 \dots$ red

$\varepsilon = 3.534213595315432e - 005 \dots$ black

Non-generic point = a singular point of the branch

Case: $s^0 \neq 0$... nonsimple singular value of $A(t^0)$

i.e.,

$$f(t^0, x^0) = 0, \quad x^0 = (s^0, u^0, v^0), \quad s^0 \neq 0,$$

$$\dim \text{Ker } f_x(t^0, x^0) \geq 1.$$

Let $\dim \text{Ker } f_x(t^0, x^0) = 1$

\Rightarrow

$$\text{Ker } f_x(t^0, x^0) = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \delta u \\ \delta v \end{pmatrix} \right\}, \quad \|\delta u\| = \|\delta v\| = 1$$

Idea: apply **Singularity Theory**

Govaerts: Numerical Methods for Bifurcation ... , 2000

(t^0, x^0) ... **singular point** of the mapping f
... corank = 1

Ingredients: dimensional reduction
expanding bifurcation equation

The solution manifold $f(t, x) = 0$ is, locally, parametrisable via $\tau \in \mathbb{R}$, $\xi \in \mathbb{R}$... observable such that

$$f(t^0 + \tau, x^0 + \Delta x) = 0, \quad \Delta x = \Delta x(\tau, \xi) \quad (1)$$

Moreover, (1) if and only if

$$\varphi(\tau, \xi) = 0 \quad (2)$$

The scalar equation (2) ... **bifurcation equation**

Ad Dimensional reduction:

Fix matrices $B \in \mathbb{R}^{m+n+1}$, $C \in \mathbb{R}^{1+m+n}$.

Find $\xi \in \mathbb{R}$, $\tau \in \mathbb{R}$, $\Delta x \in \mathbb{R}^{1+m+n}$ and $\varphi \in \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$\begin{aligned} f(t^0 + \tau, x^0 + \Delta x) + \varphi B &= 0 \\ C^T \Delta x &= \xi \end{aligned}$$

Requirement:

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} f_x(t^0, x^0) & B \\ C^T & 0 \end{pmatrix} \neq 0$$

Claim:

$$f(t^0 + \tau, x^0 + \Delta x(\tau, \xi)) = 0 \iff \varphi(\tau, \xi) = 0$$

Bordering option:

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} \delta u \\ \delta v \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad C = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \delta u \\ \delta v \end{pmatrix}$$

Analysing bifurcation equation:

computing *leading terms* of Taylor expansion of $\varphi(\tau, \xi)$ at $(\tau, \xi) = 0 \in \mathbb{R}^2$

Theorem 1 ...

$\varphi_\tau = 0$, $\varphi_{\xi\tau} \neq 0$, $\varphi_{\tau\tau} \neq 0$... codim = 1 *singularity*
 \Rightarrow *branches*

$$\tau = 0$$

$$\xi = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{\varphi_{\tau\tau}}{\varphi_{\xi\tau}} \tau + O(\tau^2)$$

$O(\tau^2)$ link to the solution manifold (1).

where

$$\begin{aligned}2\varphi_\tau &= (\delta u)^T A'(t^0)v^0 + (u^0)^T A'(t^0)\delta v \\2\varphi_{\xi\tau} &= (u^0)^T A'(t^0)v^0 - (\delta u)^T A'(t^0)\delta v \\-\varphi_{\tau\tau} &= \frac{1}{2} \left((\delta u)^T A''(t^0)v^0 + (u^0)^T A''(t^0)\delta u \right) + \\&\quad + (\delta u)^T A'(t^0)\Delta v_\tau + (\Delta u_\tau)^T A'(t^0)\delta v\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \Delta u_\tau \\ \Delta v_\tau \end{pmatrix} = -\mathcal{M}(t^0, s^0)^+ \begin{pmatrix} A'(t^0)v^0 \\ A'(t^0)^T u^0 \end{pmatrix}$$

while

$$\mathcal{M}(t, s) \equiv \begin{pmatrix} -sI_m & A(t) \\ A^T(t) & -sI_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$I_m \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$, $I_n \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$... identities.

Ad: $O(\tau^2)$ link to (1)

$$f(t^0 + \tau, x^0 + \Delta x(\tau, \xi)) = 0,$$
$$\Delta x(\tau, \xi) = (\Delta s(\tau, \xi), \Delta u(\tau, \xi), \Delta v(\tau, \xi)) \in \mathbb{R}^{1+m+n}$$

Expanding $\Delta x(\tau, \xi)$ at $(\tau, \xi) = 0$,

$$\Delta s_\xi = 0, \quad \Delta u_\xi = \frac{1}{2}\delta u, \quad \Delta v_\xi = \frac{1}{2}\delta v,$$
$$\Delta s_\tau = (u^0)^T A'(t^0)v^0,$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \Delta u_\tau \\ \Delta v_\tau \end{pmatrix} = -\mathcal{M}(t^0, s^0)^+ \begin{pmatrix} A'(t^0)v^0 \\ A'(t^0)^T u^0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Delta s_{\xi\tau} = \frac{1}{2}\varphi_\tau,$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \Delta u_{\xi\tau} \\ \Delta v_{\xi\tau} \end{pmatrix} = -\frac{1}{2}\mathcal{M}(t^0, s^0)^+ \begin{pmatrix} A'(t^0)\delta v \\ A'(t^0)^T \delta u \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Delta s_{\xi\xi} = \Delta s_{\xi\xi\xi} = \dots = 0$$

The singular point under a perturbation: unfolding

e.g., let

$$A(t) + \varepsilon Z(t) \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$$

$$? f(t, x; \varepsilon) = 0, \quad x = (s, u, v) \in \mathbb{R}^1 \times \mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R}^n,$$

$$f(t, x; \varepsilon) \equiv \begin{pmatrix} -su + (A(t) + \varepsilon Z(t))v \\ (A(t) + \varepsilon Z(t))^T u - sv \\ u^T u + v^T v - 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Investigate corresponding bifurcation equation

$$\varphi(\tau, \xi; \varepsilon) = 0, \quad (\tau, \xi) \in \mathbb{R}^2, \quad \varepsilon \in \mathbb{R}$$

Bifurcation equation: asymptotic analysis

$$\begin{aligned} & \tau \left(\varphi_{\xi\tau} \xi + \frac{1}{2} \varphi_{\tau\tau} \tau + \text{h.o.t.} \right) + \\ & + \varepsilon \left(\varphi_\varepsilon + \varphi_{\xi\varepsilon} \xi + \varphi_{\tau\varepsilon} \tau + \text{h.o.t.} \right) + \\ & + O(\varepsilon^2) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\varphi_\varepsilon = \frac{1}{2} \delta u^T Z(t^0) v^0 + \frac{1}{2} (u^0)^T Z(t^0) \delta v^T$$

etc.

\implies **structural instability**

compute the *torsion* of the branch

Non-generic point = a singular point of the branch

Case: $s^0 = 0$... **simple** singular value of $A(t^0)$

i.e., $n = m$

$$f(t^0, x^0) = 0, \quad x^0 = (s^0, u^0, v^0), \quad s^0 = 0,$$

$$\dim \text{Ker } f_x(t^0, x^0) \geq 1.$$

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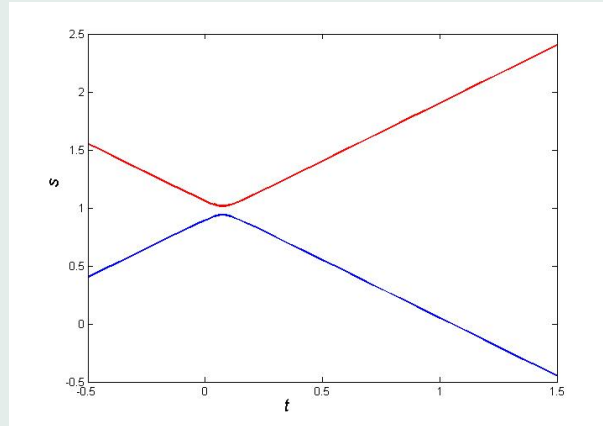
Analysis (dimensional reduction, bifurcation equation, unfolding)

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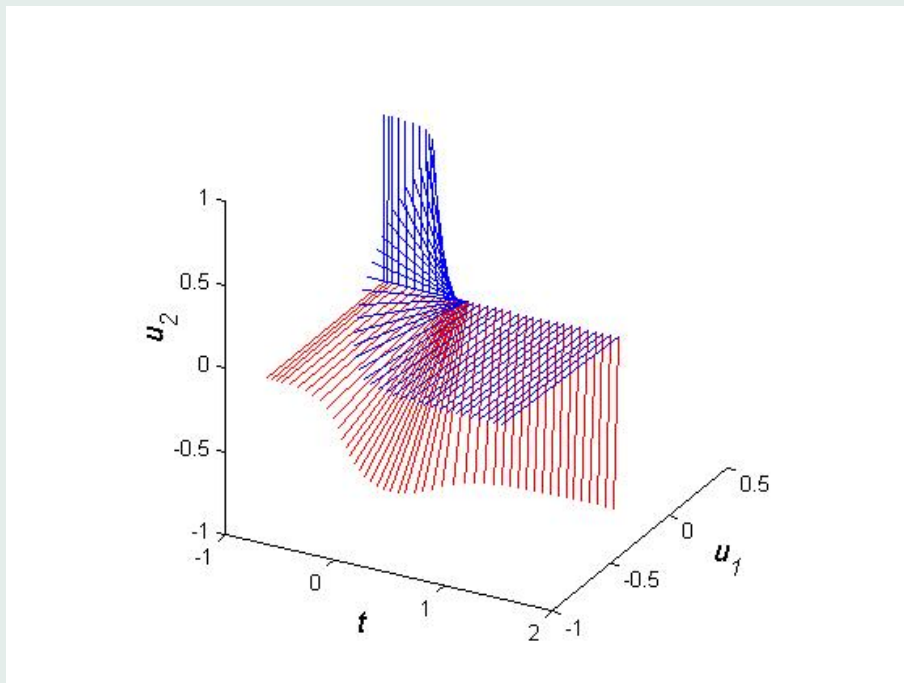
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twist, torsion of the branches

Non-generic point = a singular point of the branch

Case: $s^0 = 0$... nonsimple singular value of $A(t^0)$

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{i.e., } m > n \\ f(t^0, x^0) = 0, \quad x^0 = (s^0, u^0, v^0), \quad s^0 = 0, \\ \dim \text{Ker } f_x(t^0, x^0) \geq 2. \end{aligned}$$

\implies **structural instability**

Example 2:

$$A(t) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1-t & 0 \\ 0 & 1+t \end{bmatrix}$$

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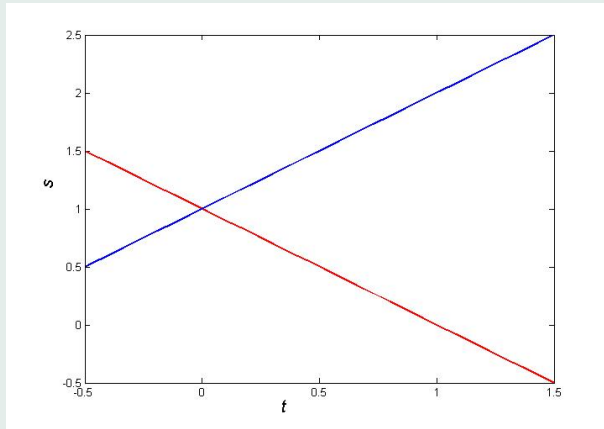
$$U(t) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \\ \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & 0 \end{bmatrix}, V(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, s_1(t) = 1-t, s_2(t) = 1+t.$$

⇒ branches

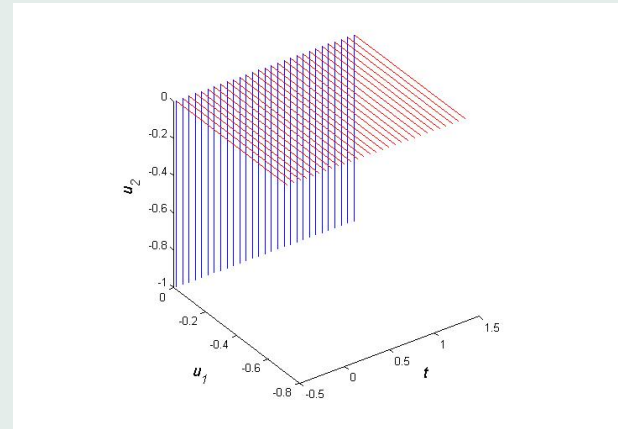
$$t \mapsto (s_1(t); \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}; 0; \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}; 1; 0)$$

$$t \mapsto (s_2(t); 0; -1; 0; 0; -1)$$

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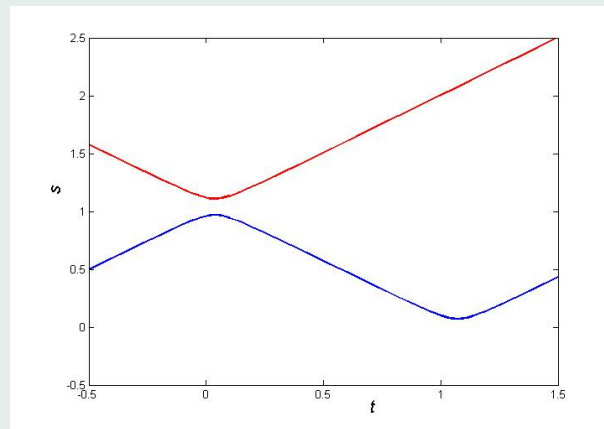
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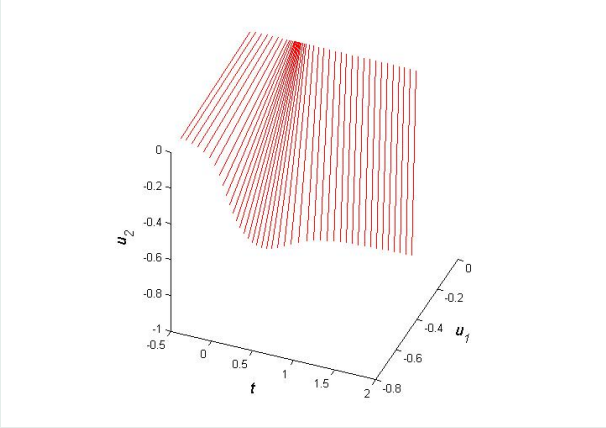
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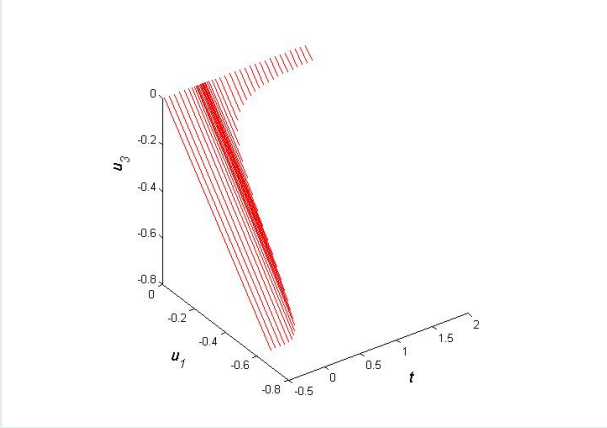
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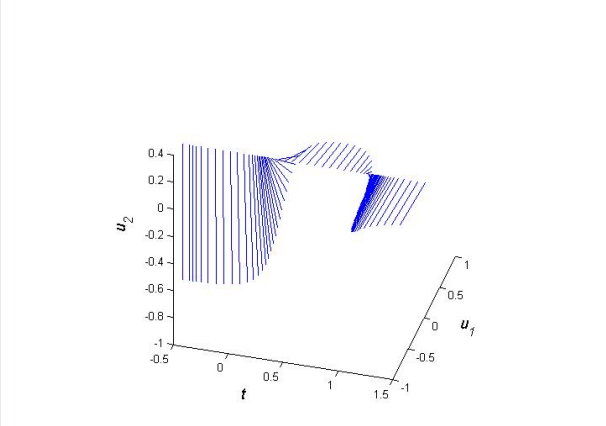


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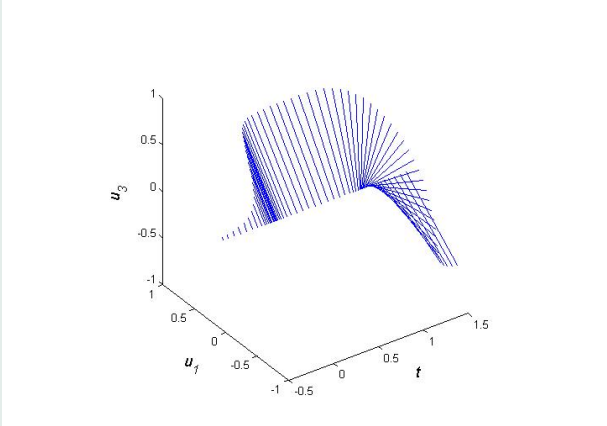


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Example 2 continued:



$$t \longrightarrow U_2(t)$$



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Conclusions

- **ASVD** versus a pathfollowing the simple singular values
- The pathfollowing of the simple nonzero singular value ... an efficient tool to compute pseudospectra
- The pathfollowing may get stuck at isolated points \equiv **singular points**
 \exists a link to the **non-generic points** of **ASVD**
- Singular points can be
 - investigated by reducing the problem to **bifurcation equation**
 - approximated by computing leading terms of bifurcation equation
- An unfolding of the bifurcation equation
 \implies an analysis of the **structural stability**

Supplement:

- **Computing ASVD**
 - all singular values
 - a bunch selected singular values
 - just one singular value

- **Simple singular value**

- **Pseudospectra: motivation**

Ad:

- **Computing ASVD**
 - all singular values

- An incremental technique using the classical SVD, of order $O(\tau^2)$... see Bunse-Gerstner, Byers, Mehrmann, Nichols, Numer. Math. 60 (1991)
- solving ODE: A Cauchy problem for $x' = H(t, x)$, $H : \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}^N \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^N$, $N = n + n^2 + m^2$... see Wright, Numer. Math. 63 (1992)

The comparison: The ODE integration lacks the precision ... see Mehrmann, Rath, Electronic Transactions on Numerical Analysis 1 (1993)

Ad:

- **Computing ASVD**
 - a bunch selected singular values

ASVD ... for large sparse matrices?

Apply

the pathfollowing of an implicitly defined curve

Janovská, Janovský, Tanabe, Proceedings of ENUMATH 2005,
Springer Verlag (2006), 911–918

- Consider *branches* of singular values $s_i(t) \in \mathbb{R}$ and corresponding left/right singular vectors $U_i(t) \in \mathbb{R}^m$, $V_i(t) \in \mathbb{R}^n$:

$$\begin{aligned} A(t)V_i(t) &= s_i(t)U_i(t), \\ A(t)^T U_i(t) &= s_i(t)V_i(t), \\ U_i(t)^T U_i(t) &= V_i(t)^T V_i(t) = 1 \end{aligned}$$

for $t \in [a, b]$.

- Add the natural orthogonality conditions $U_i(t)^T U_j(t) = V_i(t)^T V_j(t) = 0$, $i \neq j$, $t \in [a, b]$.
- Consider just p , $p \leq n$, selected singular values $S(t) = (s_1(t), \dots, s_p(t)) \in \mathbb{R}^p$, and the corresponding left/right singular vectors $U(t) = [U_1(t), \dots, U_p(t)] \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times p}$, $V(t) = [V_1(t), \dots, V_p(t)] \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$ as smooth functions of $t \in [a, b]$.

In the operator setting,

$$F : \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}^p \times \mathbb{R}^{m \times p} \times \mathbb{R}^{n \times p} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{m \times p} \times \mathbb{R}^{n \times p} \times \mathbb{R}^{p \times p} \times \mathbb{R}^{p \times p}$$

i.e.,

$$F : \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}^N \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^M, \quad N = p(1 + n + m), \quad M = p(m + n + 2p),$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} F(t, X) &\equiv (A(t)V - U\Sigma, A^T(t)U - V\Sigma, U^T U - I, V^T V - I), \\ X &\equiv (S, U, V) \in \mathbb{R}^p \times \mathbb{R}^{m \times p} \times \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}, \quad \Sigma \equiv \text{diag}(S) \end{aligned}$$

$$F(t, X) = 0$$

... a system of *overdetermined nonlinear equations*

Computing the curve $F(t, X) = 0$

via a **predictor-corrector** pathfollowing algorithm

In particular, *tangent continuation* is applied

Deufhart, Hohmann,

Numerical Analysis in Modern Scientific Computing, 2003.

Experiment: homotopy

$$A(t) = t A2 + (1 - t) A1, \quad t \in [0, 1]$$

where

$$A1 \equiv \text{well1033.mtx}, \quad A2 \equiv \text{illc1033.mtx}$$

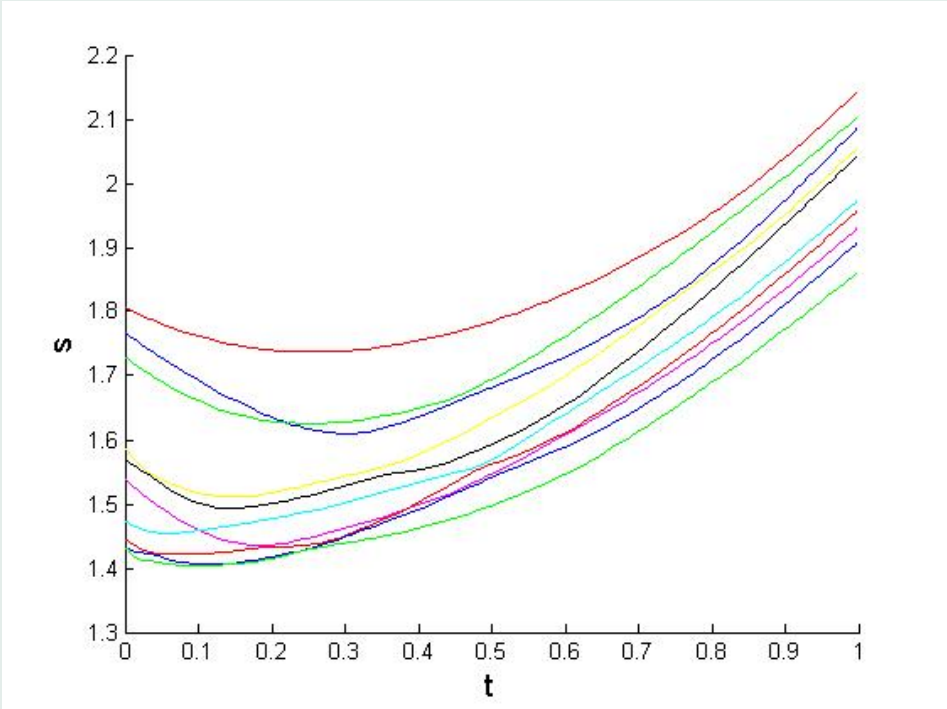
see ... <http://math.nist.gov/MatrixMarket/>

$A1, A2 \in \mathbb{R}^{1033 \times 320}$, sparse, well/ill-conditioned

Initialization: at $t = 0$,

the 10 largest singular values, left/right singular vectors of A
computed via `svds` ... see MATLAB Function Reference

Parameter t vs. the 10 largest singular values s :



Recall

Branching scenario at non-generic points:

... the branches $t \mapsto s_i(t)$ of singular values, $i = 1, \dots, p$, may intersect at isolated points only, namely, at the points where

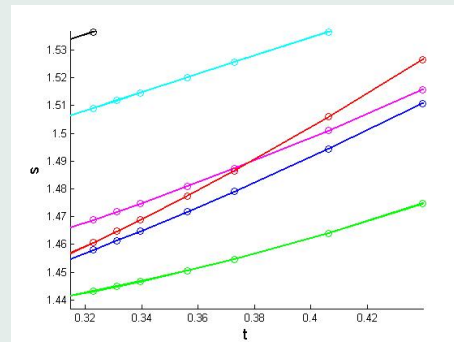
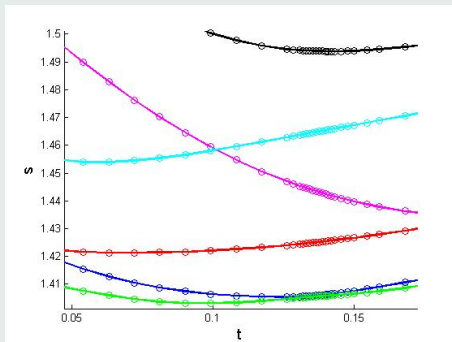
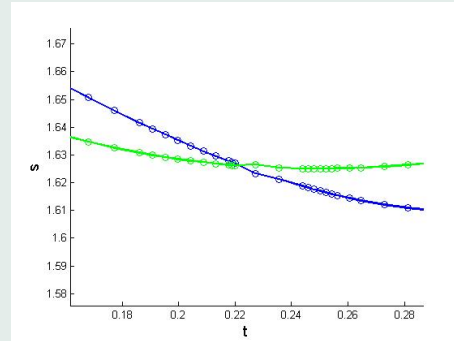
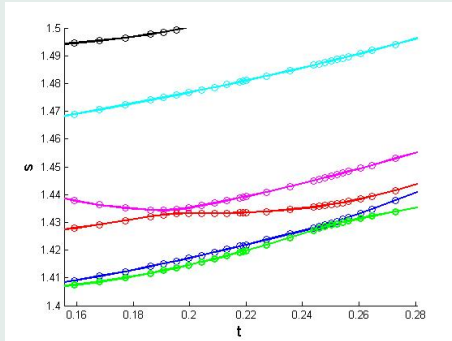
$$s_i(t) = s_j(t) \quad \text{or} \quad s_i(t) = -s_j(t)$$

for $i \neq j$

Bunse-Gerstner, Byers, Mehrmann and Nichols: Numer.Math. 60 (1991)

Wright: Numer.Math. 60 (1992)

Zooms:



Find path: $(t, X(t)), t \in [a, b],$
 $X(t) = (S(t), U(t), V(t)) \in \mathbb{R}^p \times \mathbb{R}^{m \times p} \times \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$

Implementation of the algorithm

- Initialization: $(S(a), U(a), V(a))$... via svd, svds

Assumption: $S(a) = (s_1(a), \dots, s_p(a)), s_i(a)$ are simple for $i = 1, \dots, p.$

\implies a local existence of the branch

- **Non-generic points** on the path
at such $t: s_i(t)$... nonsimple singular value
In practice, the continuation may get stuck.

- **Remedies:** Extrapolation strategies

- "Early Warning" of such values of t
- "Jump Over" singular point

Ad:

- **Computing ASVD**

- just one singular value

Experiment: homotopy

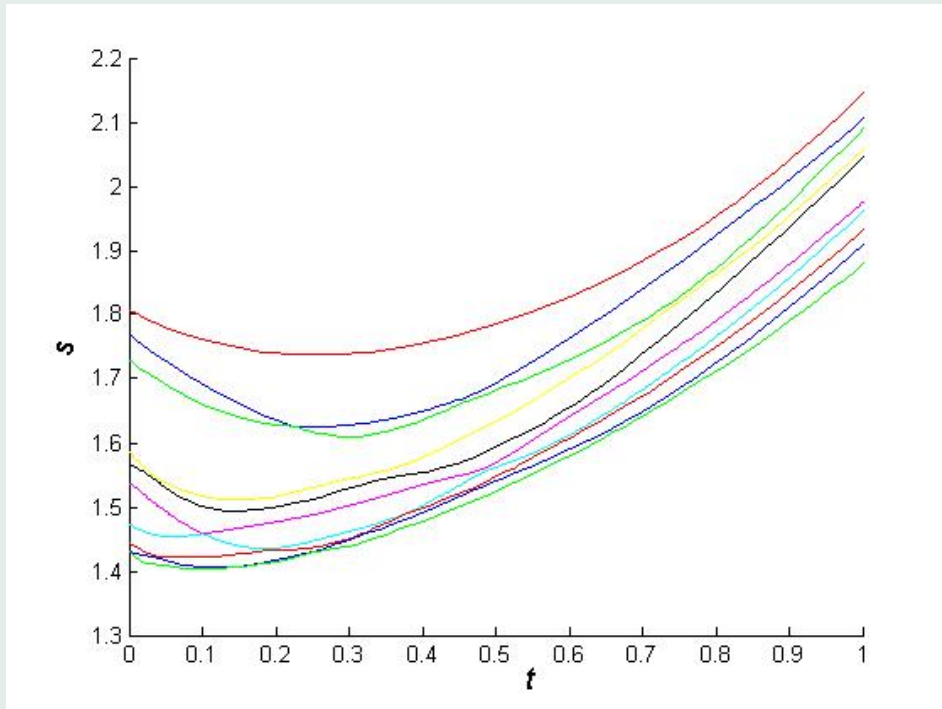
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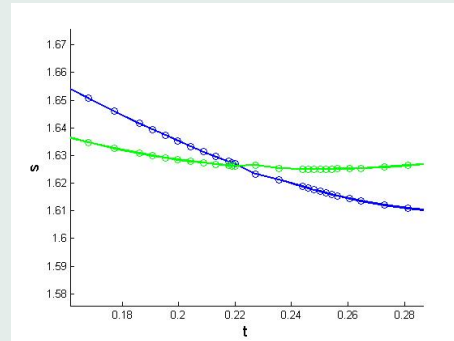
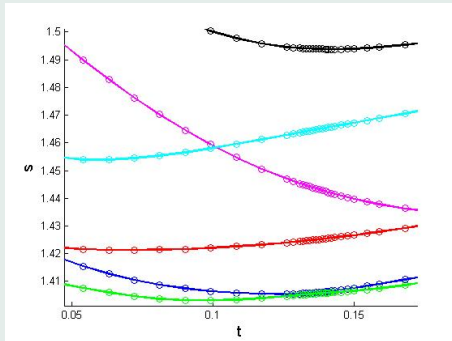
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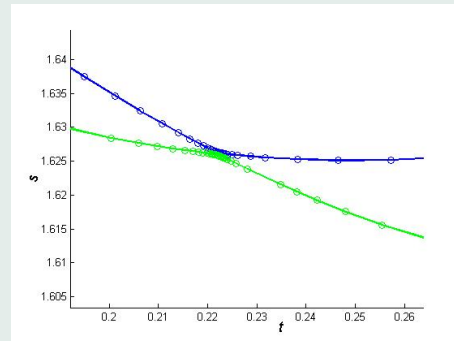
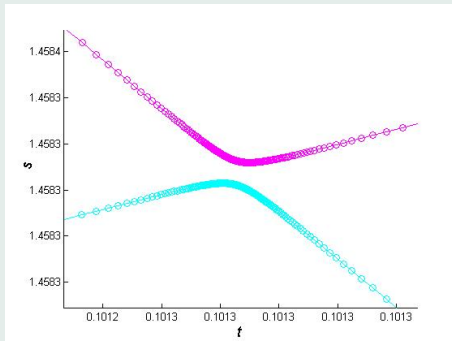
Parameter t vs. the 10 largest singular values s , **revised**



Zooms: former version



Zooms: revised



Ad:

- **Simple singular value**

Definition 1 We say that $s \in \mathbb{R}$ is a **singular value** of the matrix A if there exist $u \in \mathbb{R}^m$ and $v \in \mathbb{R}^n$ such that

$$Av - su = 0, \quad A^T u - sv = 0, \quad \|u\| = \|v\| = 1. \quad (3)$$

The vectors v and u are called the right and the left singular vectors of the matrix A .

Definition 2 $s \in \mathbb{R}$ is a **simple singular value** of the matrix A if there exist $u \in \mathbb{R}^m$ and $v \in \mathbb{R}^n$ such that

$$(s, u, v), \quad (s, -u, -v), \quad (-s, -u, v), \quad (-s, u, -v)$$

are, for the given s , the only solutions to (3).

A singular value s which is not a simple singular value is called **nonsimple (multiple) singular value**.

Lemma 1 A triplet $s \neq 0$, $u \in \mathbb{R}^m$ and $v \in \mathbb{R}^n$ satisfies (1) if and only if

$$A^T A v = s^2 v, \quad u = \frac{1}{s} A v, \quad \|v\| = 1, \quad s \neq 0.$$

Note that a nonzero simple singular value s can be identified with a nonzero simple eigenvalue s^2 of the matrix $A^T A$.

Lemma 2 $s = 0$ is a simple singular value of A if and only if $m = n$ and $\dim \text{Ker} A = 1$.

Let us remark that if $m > n$ then the problem

$$A v = 0, \quad A^T u = 0, \quad \|u\| = \|v\| = 1,$$

has infinitely many solutions.

Ad:

- **Pseudospectra:** motivation

Pseudospectra

$A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$... **nonsymmetric**: small perturbations
can move the eigenvalues dramatically

Effects:

- transient growth for A^k (discrete time stability)
- transient growth for $\exp(t * A)$ (continuous time stability)
- ill-conditioned eigenvalue computations
- convergence of matrix iterations

Remedies?

Computing pseudospectra: early warning