

# метод сопряженных градиентов

квадрат. 2

## Conjugate gradient method

$$\|x^{k+1} - x^*\|_2 \leq \left(\frac{\alpha-1}{\alpha+1}\right)^k \|x^0 - x^*\|$$

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Optimization methods. MIPT

## Strongly convex quadratics

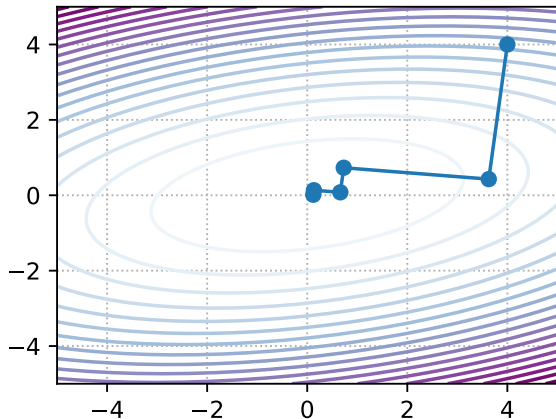
Consider the following quadratic optimization problem:

$$\min_{x \in \mathbb{R}^d} f(x) = \min_{x \in \mathbb{R}^d} \frac{1}{2} x^\top A x - b^\top x + c, \text{ where } A \in \mathbb{S}_{++}^d.$$

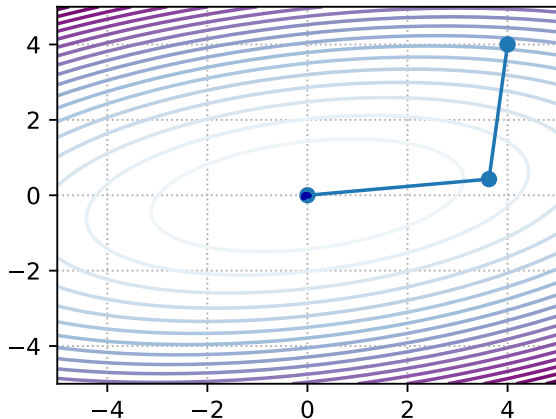
Optimality conditions

$$Ax^* = b$$

### Steepest Descent



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Optimality conditions:

$$\nabla f(x^k)^T (Ax^{k+1} - b) = 0$$

$$g^k = \nabla f(x^k)$$

$$\nabla f(x^k)^T (A(x^k - \alpha^k \nabla f(x^k)) - b) = 0$$

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🔥 Optimal value for quadratics



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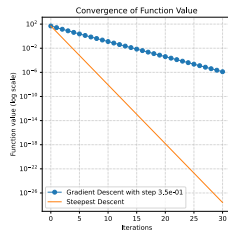
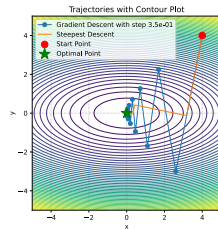


Figure 1: Steepest Descent

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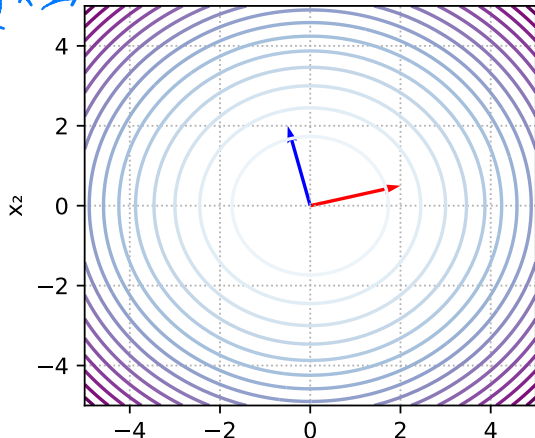
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$v_1$  and  $v_2$  are orthogonal

$$v_1^T v_2 = 0.00$$

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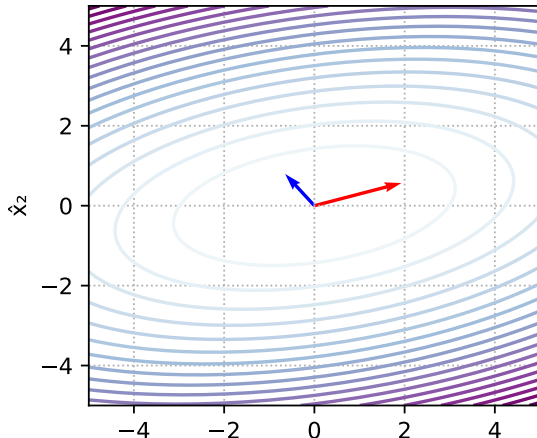


Реальный  $\frac{1}{2} x^T A x$

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КАК ПРОСЛУЖИВАТЬСЯ  
НА ЭТОМ ?

$$\frac{1}{2}\|x - y\|_2^2 \Rightarrow \min_{x^T A x \leq 1}$$

$$L = \frac{1}{2}\|x - y\|_2^2 + \lambda(x^T A x - 1) \Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x} = x - y + 2\lambda A x = 0$$

$$x(I + 2\lambda A) = y$$

$x^T A x = 1$

$$x^* = y(\lambda A + I)^{-1}$$

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### $A$ -orthogonal vectors

Vectors  $x \in \mathbb{R}^d$  and  $y \in \mathbb{R}^d$  are called  $A$ -orthogonal (or  $A$ -conjugate) if

$$x^T A y = 0 \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad x \perp_A y$$

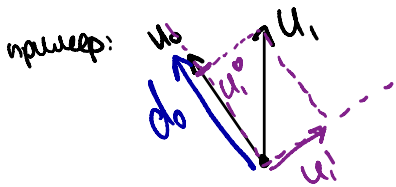
When  $A = I$ ,  $A$ -orthogonality becomes orthogonality.

$$\|x\|_A^2 = x^T A x$$

# Gram-Schmidt process OPTORO KANUZACUW

**Вход:**  $u_0, \dots, u_{n-1}$  n ЛНЗ векторов

**Выход:**  $d_0, \dots, d_{n-1}$  n ЛНЗ  $\perp$  попарно векторов



$$d_0 = u_0$$

$$d_1 = u_1 - \Pi_{d_0}(u_1)$$

$$d_2 = u_2 - \Pi_{d_0}(u_2) - \Pi_{d_1}(u_2)$$

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$$\Pi_{d_i}(u_k) = \frac{d_i^T u_k}{d_i^T d_i} d_i$$

$$\beta_{ik} = - \frac{d_i^T u_k}{d_i^T d_i}$$

## Gram-Schmidt process

Угол метода комп напр.  
РА ЗНО ХУТБ векто P

$$x^0 - x^* = \sum_{i=0}^{d-1} \alpha_i \cdot d_i$$

$\alpha_i$  неискор. спуск

$d_i$  Грам-Шмидт

в смысле  $\perp A$

$d_i$  - орто

A-ортogonal

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5. Repeat steps 2-4 until  $n$  directions are built, where  $n$  is the dimension of space (dimension of  $x$ ).

## Method of Conjugate Directions

МАМ. НЕМУЖ НУЖАБ  $d \neq 0$

If a set of vectors  $d_1, \dots, d_n$  are  $A$ -conjugate (each pair of vectors is  $A$ -conjugate), these vectors are linearly independent.  $A \in \mathbb{S}_{++}^n$ .

Proof

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We'll show, that if  $\sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i d_i = 0$ , then all coefficients should be equal to zero:

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i d_i = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i d_i \\ &= d_j^T A \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i d_i \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$| d_j^T A \cdot$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i d_j^T A d_i \\ 0 &= \alpha_j d_j^T A d_j + 0 + \dots + 0 \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $\alpha_j = 0$ , for all other indices one have perform the same process

Conjugate Gradients обозначения:  $r^k = b - Ax^k$  - невязка (residual)

$$\nabla f = Ax - b$$

$$r^k = -Ae^k$$

$$e^k = x^k - x^* \text{ - ошибка (error)}$$

потому что  $Ax^* = b$

Док-во

Лемма 1 процедуры ск-ся ровно  $3A$  и шагов ( $n$ -размерность  $n$ -ва)

пусть есть  $n$  LA кспр:

$$d_0, \dots, d_{n-1}$$

$$x^{k+1} = x^0 + \sum_{i=0}^k \alpha_i d_i,$$

$$\min_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n} f(x)$$

где  $\alpha_i$  подбирается из Line Search:

$$\alpha_i = \frac{d_i^T r_i}{d_i^T A d_i}$$

1) Пусть  $\delta_i = -\alpha_i$

$$x^0 + \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \delta_i d_i = x^*$$

2) Фиксируем индекс  $k$

то есть: 
$$e^0 = x^0 - x^* = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \delta_i d_i \quad (*)$$

$$d_k^T A (*) : d_k^T A e^0 = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \delta_i d_k^T A d_i = \delta_k d_k^T A d_k$$

(из-за A опт.)  $\Rightarrow$

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А OPT.)  $\Rightarrow$

$$d_k^T A \left( e^0 + \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} \alpha_i d_i \right) = \delta_k d_k^T A d_k$$

$e^k$  — отрезком

$$\delta_k = \frac{d_k^T A e^k}{d_k^T A d_k} = - \frac{d_k^T r_k}{d_k^T A d_k} = -\alpha_k$$

з.т.г.

# Conjugate Gradients

conjugate directions,  $r_{ij}$

б канониче векторов  $d_0, \dots, d_{n-1}$   
вычисляем

$$GS \left( r_0, \dots, r_{n-1} \right)$$

⊥  
A

# Conjugate Gradients

$$GS \perp A: \quad \text{Byxog} : u_0, \dots, u_{n-1}$$

$$\text{Byxog} : d_0, \dots, d_{n-1}$$

$$d_i = u_i + \sum_{j=0}^{i-1} \beta_{ij} d_j \quad (GS), \quad \beta_{ij} = -\frac{u_i^T A d_j}{d_j^T A d_j} \quad (B)$$

Lemma 2

$$e^i = e^0 + \sum_{j=0}^{i-1} \alpha_j d_j \Leftrightarrow e^0 = x^0 - x^* = -\sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \alpha_j d_j$$

$$\Leftrightarrow -\sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \alpha_j d_j + \sum_{j=0}^{i-1} \alpha_j d_j = \sum_{j=i}^{n-1} -\alpha_j d_j \quad (ER)$$

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**Лемма 3**  $(ER)$  для фикс.  $k$ :  $e^k = -\sum_{j=k}^{n-1} d_j d_j^T (E_k)$

для некоторого  $i$

$$-d_i^T A \cdot (E_k)$$

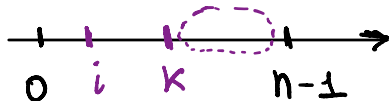
$$-d_i^T A e^k = +\sum_{j=k}^{n-1} d_j d_j^T A d_j$$

если  $i < k$

$$-d_i^T A e^k = 0$$

$$d_i^T r^k = 0$$

предыдущим направлениям  $d_i$



ТАКИМ ОБРАЗОМ,  $r^k$  перпендикулярна всем



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**Лемма 4**

$$r^{kT} \cdot (GS) \quad d_i = u_i + \sum_{j=0}^{i-1} \beta_{ij} d_j \quad (GS)$$

$j < k$

$$r^{kT} d_i = r^{kT} u_i + \sum_{j=0}^{i-1} \beta_{ij} r^{kT} d_j$$

Пусть  $k > i$ :  
 ( $i < k$ )  $r^{kT} d_i = r^{kT} u_i$

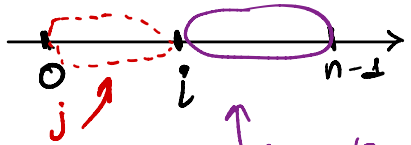
0 Лемма 3

$$u_i^T r^k = 0 \quad i < k$$

В CG:

$$u_i = r^i \Rightarrow$$

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невозможна  
 +  
 всем предыдущим  
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nycm6  $k=i$

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$$r^{kT} d_k = r^{kT} u_k + 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$u_k^T r^k = d_k^T r^k$$

Лемма 5

$$\begin{aligned} r^{i+1} &= -A e^{i+1} = -A(e^i + \alpha_i d_i) = -A e^i - \alpha_i A d_i \\ &= r^i - \alpha_i A d_i \end{aligned}$$

$$r^{i+1} = r^i - \alpha_i A d_i$$

Conjugate Gradients Рекуррентный  $\beta_{ij}$  в (GS) В выводе CG:  $u_i = r_i$

$$\beta_{ij} = -\frac{u_i^T A d_j}{d_j^T A d_j} = -\frac{r_i^T A d_j}{d_j^T A d_j}$$

ОКАЗЫВАЕТСЯ, ЧТО  $\beta_{ij}$  ПОЛУЧАЕТСЯ ВСЕГДА  $\Rightarrow$  , кроме соседних

Для этого рекуррентно:

$$\langle r^i, r^{j+1} \rangle = \langle r^i, r^j - \alpha_j A d_j \rangle = \langle r^i, r^j \rangle - \alpha_j \langle r^i, A d_j \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha_j \langle r^i, A d_j \rangle = \langle r^i, r^j \rangle - \langle r^i, r^{j+1} \rangle$$

если  $i=j$

$$\alpha_j \langle r^i, A d_j \rangle = \langle r^i, r^i \rangle - \langle r^i, r^{j+1} \rangle \rightarrow 0$$

если  $i=j+1$

$$\alpha_j \langle r^i, A d_j \rangle = -\langle r^i, r^i \rangle$$

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$$\Rightarrow \langle r^i, A d_j \rangle = 0$$

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$$\begin{aligned} j < i \\ j = i - 1 \end{aligned}$$

KOMMENT:

$$x^0, d_0 = -\nabla f(x^0) = r^0$$

$$x^{k+1} = x^k + \alpha^k \cdot d^k$$

$$d^{k+1} = \text{GS}(r_0, \dots)$$

$$\beta_{is} = \frac{-r_i^T A d_j}{d_j^T A d_j} =$$

$$= + \frac{1}{\alpha_j} \frac{\langle r^i, r^i \rangle}{d_j^T A d_j} = + \frac{d_j^T A d_j}{d_j^T r_j} \cdot \frac{\langle r^i, r^i \rangle}{d_j^T A d_j} = \frac{\langle r^i, r^i \rangle}{\langle r^i, d^j \rangle} =$$

$$\alpha_j = \frac{d_j^T r_i}{d_j^T A d_j}$$

$$= \frac{\langle r^i, r^i \rangle}{\langle r^{i-1}, r^{i-1} \rangle} \cdot$$

# Conjugate gradient method



Conjugate Gradient = Conjugate Directions  
+ Residuals as starting vectors for Gram-Schmidt

$$\mathbf{r}_0 := \mathbf{b} - \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}_0$$

if  $\mathbf{r}_0$  is sufficiently small, then return  $\mathbf{x}_0$  as the result

$$\mathbf{d}_0 := \mathbf{r}_0$$

$$k := 0$$

repeat

$$\alpha_k := \frac{\mathbf{r}_k^\top \mathbf{r}_k}{\mathbf{d}_k^\top \mathbf{A} \mathbf{d}_k} \quad \text{HAUCK. ENYCK}$$

$$\mathbf{x}_{k+1} := \mathbf{x}_k + \alpha_k \mathbf{d}_k$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{k+1} := \mathbf{r}_k - \alpha_k \mathbf{A} \mathbf{d}_k$$

if  $\mathbf{r}_{k+1}$  is sufficiently small, then exit loop

$$\beta_k := \frac{\mathbf{r}_{k+1}^\top \mathbf{r}_{k+1}}{\mathbf{r}_k^\top \mathbf{r}_k} \quad \left. \vphantom{\beta_k} \right\} \text{GS}$$

$$\mathbf{d}_{k+1} := \mathbf{r}_{k+1} + \beta_k \mathbf{d}_k$$

$$k := k + 1$$

end repeat

return  $\mathbf{x}_{k+1}$  as the result

# Convergence

**Theorem 1.** If matrix  $A$  has only  $r$  different eigenvalues, then the conjugate gradient method converges in  $r$  iterations.

**Theorem 2.** The following convergence bound holds

$$\|x_k - x^*\|_A \leq 2 \left( \frac{\sqrt{\kappa(A)} - 1}{\sqrt{\kappa(A)} + 1} \right)^k \|x_0 - x^*\|_A,$$

where  $\|x\|_A^2 = x^\top Ax$  and  $\kappa(A) = \frac{\lambda_1(A)}{\lambda_n(A)}$  is the conditioning number of matrix  $A$ ,  $\lambda_1(A) \geq \dots \geq \lambda_n(A)$  are the eigenvalues of matrix  $A$

**Note:** compare the coefficient of the geometric progression with its analog in gradient descent.



## Non-linear conjugate gradient method

In case we do not have an analytic expression for a function or its gradient, we will most likely not be able to solve the one-dimensional minimization problem analytically. Therefore, step 2 of the algorithm is replaced by the usual line search procedure. But there is the following mathematical trick for the fourth point:

For two iterations, it is fair:

$$x_{k+1} - x_k = cd_k,$$

where  $c$  is some kind of constant. Then for the quadratic case, we have:

$$\nabla f(x_{k+1}) - \nabla f(x_k) = (Ax_{k+1} - b) - (Ax_k - b) = A(x_{k+1} - x_k) = cAd_k$$

Expressing from this equation the work  $Ad_k = \frac{1}{c} (\nabla f(x_{k+1}) - \nabla f(x_k))$ , we get rid of the “knowledge” of the function in step definition  $\beta_k$ , then point 4 will be rewritten as:

$$\beta_k = \frac{\nabla f(x_{k+1})^\top (\nabla f(x_{k+1}) - \nabla f(x_k))}{d_k^\top (\nabla f(x_{k+1}) - \nabla f(x_k))}.$$

This method is called the Polack - Ribier method.

# Preconditioned conjugate gradient method