
Subject: SVD and Other things Linear

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Hellu,

I am trying to find the non trivial solution for the equation $Ax=0$ where A is a known $n \times m$ matrix, and x is an unknown $1 \times n$ (or $1 \times m$, I get that confused) vector. I was using SVD and SVSOL to get the answer, but then I got to this case, and all I get is $x = [0, \dots, 0]$. Does anyone know if I can get SVD and SVSOL to find the non-trivial solution, or of any other way to do this linearly. I have tried to do it nonlinearly, with BROYDEN, but I keep running into local minimums(maximums), or it not even being able to converge.

Thank You,

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