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UNIT 1- EIGEN VALUE PROBLEMS

LESLIE MODELS

Eigen values problem arising from  
Population models :- (leslie models) Period : 1

1, It is the method for representing dynamics of age (or) size structure combination.

2, It combines the population process (birth and death). into a single model.

3, By convergent, the use only female part of population.



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### Problems:-

Q. The leslie model describes age specified population growth as follows. let the oldest age attained by the females in some animal population be six years. Divide the population into 3 age classes of 2 years each. let the leslie matrix be  $L = [l_{jk}]$  which is equal to

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0.3 & 0.4 \\ 0.6 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

A) what is the number of the females in each class. After 2, 4, 6 years. If each class initially consist of 500 females?

B) for what initial distribution will number of females in each class change by same proportion. what is the rate of change.

Soln:-

Initially  $x_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 500 \\ 500 \\ 500 \end{pmatrix}$

After 2 years, the no. of females in each class

$$x_2 = Lx_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0.3 & 0.4 \\ 0.6 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 500 \\ 500 \\ 500 \end{pmatrix}_{3 \times 1}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1350 \\ 300 \\ 150 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x_4 = Lx_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0.3 & 0.4 \\ 0.6 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1350 \\ 300 \\ 150 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 750 \\ 810 \\ 90 \end{pmatrix}$$



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$$x_6 = L x_4$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2.3 & 0.4 \\ 0.6 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 750 \\ 810 \\ 90 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1899 \\ 450 \\ 243 \end{pmatrix}$$

Q1, Distribution vectors :-

The characteristic equation is

$$\lambda^3 - D_1 \lambda^2 + D_2 \lambda - D_3 = 0$$

$$D_1 = 0$$

$$D_2 = 0 + 0 + (0 - 1.38)$$

$$= -1.38$$

$$D_3 = 0 - 2.3(0) + 0.4(0.18 - 0)$$

$$= 0.4(0.18)$$

$$= 0.072$$

$$\therefore \lambda^3 - 1.38\lambda - 0.072 = 0$$

Eigen values:-

$$\lambda = 1.2, -1.14, -0.05$$

$\lambda = 1.2$  (only +ve value)

Eigen vectors:-

$$(A - \lambda I)x = 0$$

$$\text{Now, } (L - \lambda I)x = 0$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0-\lambda & 2.3 & 0.4 \\ 0.6 & 0-\lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0.3 & 0-\lambda \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -1.2 & 2.3 & 0.4 \\ 0.6 & -1.2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.3 & -1.2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



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By cross multiplication rules,

$$\begin{array}{cccc} & x_1 & x_2 & x_3 \\ 2 \cdot 3 & 0 \cdot 4 & -1 \cdot 2 & 2 \cdot 3 \\ -1 \cdot 2 & 0 & 0 \cdot 6 & -1 \cdot 2 \end{array}$$

$$\frac{x_1}{(0 + 0.48)} = \frac{x_2}{(0.24 + 0)} = \frac{x_3}{(1.44 - 1.38)}$$

$$\frac{x_1}{0.48} = \frac{x_2}{0.24} = \frac{x_3}{0.06}$$

$$\frac{x_1}{8} = \frac{x_2}{4} = \frac{x_3}{1}$$

$$\therefore x = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Now,

$$8x + 4x + 1x = 1500$$

$$13x = 1500$$

$$x = \frac{1500}{13}$$

$$\boxed{x = 115.4}$$

In class I,

$$\text{The no. of females} = 8x$$

$$= 8(115.4)$$

$$= 923$$

In class II

$$\text{The no. of females} = 4x$$

$$= 4(115.4)$$

$$= 461$$

In class III

$$\text{The no. of females} = 1x$$



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$$= 1(115 \cdot 4)$$

$$= 115$$

$\therefore$  The rate of change is  $\lambda = 1 \cdot 2$

- Q) what is the number of females in each class after 3, 6, 9 years if each class initially consist of 400 females. Let Leslie matrix be,  $L = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0.3 & 0.4 \\ 0.6 & -1.2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.3 & -1.2 \end{bmatrix}$
- B) For what initial distribution will number of females in each class change by same proportion. what is the rate of change.

Soln:- Initially  $x_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 400 \\ 400 \\ 400 \end{pmatrix}$

After 3 years, the no. of females in each class

$$x_3 = Lx_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0.3 & 0.4 \\ 0.6 & -1.2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.3 & -1.2 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 3} \begin{bmatrix} 400 \\ 400 \\ 400 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 1}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1080 \\ -240 \\ -360 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x_6 = Lx_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0.3 & 0.4 \\ 0.6 & -1.2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.3 & -1.2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1080 \\ -240 \\ -360 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -696 \\ 936 \\ 360 \end{pmatrix}$$



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$$x_1 = L x_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0.3 & 0.4 \\ 0.6 & -1.2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.3 & -1.2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -696 \\ 936 \\ 360 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 22.96.8 \\ -1540.8 \\ -151.2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Q1) Distribution vectors

The characteristic equation is

$$\lambda^3 - D_1 \lambda^2 + D_2 \lambda - D_3 = 0$$

$$D_1 = -2.4$$

$$D_2 = (1.44 - 0) + 0 + (0 - 1.38)$$

$$= 1.44 - 1.38$$

$$= 0.06$$

$$D_3 = 0 (1.44 - 0) - 0.3 (-0.72 - 0) + 0.4 (0.18 - 0)$$

$$= 0 - 2.3 (-0.72) + 0.4 (0.18)$$

$$= 1.656 + 0.072$$

$$= 1.728$$

$$\therefore \lambda^3 + 2.4 \lambda^2 + 0.06 \lambda - 1.728 = 0$$

Eigen values

$$\lambda = 0.73, -1.87, -1.25$$

$$\lambda = 0.73 \text{ (only +ve value)}$$

Eigen vectors :-

$$(A - \lambda I) x = 0$$

$$\text{Now, } (L - \lambda I) x = 0$$



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$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 - \lambda & 2.3 & 0.4 \\ 0.6 & -1.2 - \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0.3 & -1.2 - \lambda \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -0.73 & 2.3 & 0.4 \\ 0.6 & -1.93 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.3 & -1.93 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

By cross multiplication rules,

$$\frac{x_1}{2.3} = \frac{x_2}{0.4} = \frac{x_3}{-0.73} = \frac{x_1}{2.3}$$

$$\frac{x_1}{-1.93} = \frac{x_2}{0} = \frac{x_3}{0.6} = \frac{x_1}{-1.93}$$

$$\frac{x_1}{(0 + 0.78)} = \frac{x_2}{(0.24 + 0)} = \frac{x_3}{(1.40 - 1.38)}$$

$$\frac{x_1}{0.78} = \frac{x_2}{0.24} = \frac{x_3}{0.02}$$

$$\frac{x_1}{39} = \frac{x_2}{12} = \frac{x_3}{1}$$

$$\therefore x = \begin{pmatrix} 39 \\ 12 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Now,

$$39x + 12x + 1x = 1200$$

$$52x = 1200$$

$$x = \frac{1200}{52}$$

$$\boxed{x = 23.07}$$

In class I

The no. of females =  $39x$



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$$= 39(23.07) = 899$$

In class II:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{The no. of females} &= 12x \\ &= 12(23.07) \\ &= 276 \end{aligned}$$

In class III:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{The no. of females} &= 12x \\ &= 1(23.07) \end{aligned}$$

i.e. The rate of change is

$$12x - 12 = 12(23.07) - 12 = 12(0.73) = 8.76$$