Considerations for Reverse-Time migration and

Modelling, migration, and inversion with Multilinear Algebra

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Motivation



Outline

- Diffractions and Multilinear Algebra
- Modelling, migration and inversion
- Reverse-time migration problems
- Do we want the full wavefield
- Visualizing 1D wave propagation
- Finite difference
- Reverse time and downward continuation
- Imaging condition1D Modelling

Diffractions

a.
$$T^2 = T_0^2 + \frac{4x^2}{v^2}$$

 $b = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ time or sample number b) $\begin{bmatrix} 0.2 & 0.5 & 1.0 & 0.5 & 0.2 \end{bmatrix}$ spatial amplitude of the diffraction



Modelling and migration

Reflectivity

$$\mathbf{r} = \begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & \mathbf{2} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{4} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$



Migrated

$$\mathbf{m} = \mathbf{D}_{2D}^{T} \mathbf{s}_{v}$$

Least squares inversion

Reflectivity

Least squares inverted data

-2.2204e-016	2.0000e+000	2.6645e-015	-6.6613e-016	-6.6613e-016
-8.4377e-015	9.4369e-015	-4.4409e-015	-1.7764e-015	4.0000e+000
1.0936e-014	-8.4377e-015	-1.5543e-015	8.8818e-016	2.8866e-015

$$\mathbf{r}_{\mathbf{v}} = \left(\mathbf{D}_{\mathbf{2}\mathbf{D}}^{\mathbf{T}}\mathbf{D}_{\mathbf{2}\mathbf{D}}\right)^{-1}\mathbf{D}_{\mathbf{2}\mathbf{D}}^{\mathbf{T}}\mathbf{s}_{\mathbf{v}}$$

Only works for 2D matrix and two vectors



4D diffraction matrix **D**

Reflectivity matrix to vector

Reflectivity



Convert a 2D matrix to a vector Unwrapping

 $\mathbf{r}_{\mathbf{v}} =$



Diffraction matrix

Reflectivity



 $\mathbf{D}\mathbf{v}^{\mathrm{T}} = \mathbf{D}_{11} \ \mathbf{D}_{21} \ \mathbf{D}_{31} \ \mathbf{D}_{21} \ \mathbf{D}_{22} \ \mathbf{D}_{23} \ \mathbf{D}_{31} \ \mathbf{D}_{32} \ \mathbf{D}_{33} \ \mathbf{D}_{41} \ \mathbf{D}_{42} \ \mathbf{D}_{43} \ \mathbf{D}_{51} \ \mathbf{D}_{52} \ \mathbf{D}_{53}$



Comments on linear algebra

- Cannot handle arrays > 2D
- Diffractions 2D matrix
- Reflectivity 1D vector
- Seismic 1D vector
- Transpose, Least-squares 2D and 1D
- Unwrap higher dimensions to 1D and 2D
- Data stored in a computer is 1D (???)

2D transpose of 4D diff. matrix



Intermission

Problems with Reverse-time migration

- Cross correlation
 Only zero lag
- DC bias on the cross-correlation
- Does not reconstruct the complete wavefield
- Believed to be required for FWI

Problems with Reverse-time migration



Laplacian [1 -2 1] (second derivative) Derivative [1 -1]

Claerbout's imaging condition





Claerbout's imaging condition





Claerbout's imaging condition





Waves on 1D model



Locally constant Very fine sampling Forward time Reverse time Downward cont. Upward cont.

Waves on 1D model



Phase-shift solution

$$P(z+\delta z,\omega) = P(z,\omega)e^{\pm\frac{i\delta z\omega}{v}}$$

Downward cont. Upward cont.

Waves: Forward modelling



Wavefield reconstruction B.C.





Waves on 1D model



Waves on 1D model



Waves: Downward continuation



Complete recovery of the wavefield

Cross-correlation



Waves: RT, DC, Phase-shift



Waves: Reflectivity



Waves: Reflectivity



Reflectivity: FM with RT



Reflectivity: FM with surf. RT



Reflectivity: FM with surf. DC



Reflectivity: FM with Phase-shift



Reflectivity: windowed FM with RT



Reflectivity: windowed FM with RT



Maybe both with one-way propagation

Observations for Imm. Cond.

- Corresponding movement of multiples causes constant value.
- Surface IC establishes one-way motion
- Reverse time not necessary.
 Only one lag in CC.
- One-way is preferable.
- Downward continuation good.

Allows true cross-correlation.

- Laplacian filter very poor. [1 -2 1]
- Windowing the forward model may be of value.

Conclusions

- ID modelling aids in choosing an algorithm.
- Only part of the wave field is recovered.
- Multiple energy aligns to cause DC.
- Any migration is OK.
- Windowing the forward model is of value.
- Alternate algorithms to RT should be considered.

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Percent difference in FM and DC wavefields

Bipolar wavelet

