

# Updating and downdating algorithms for polynomial least squares fitting

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This was considered by [Elhay, Golub and Kautsky \(1991\)](#)

## Theorem

Let  $\sigma_m = (w_1^2 + \dots + w_m^2)^{1/2}$ . The solution is

$$J_{m+1} = Q \begin{pmatrix} J_m & 0 \\ 0 & t_{m+1} \end{pmatrix} Q^T$$

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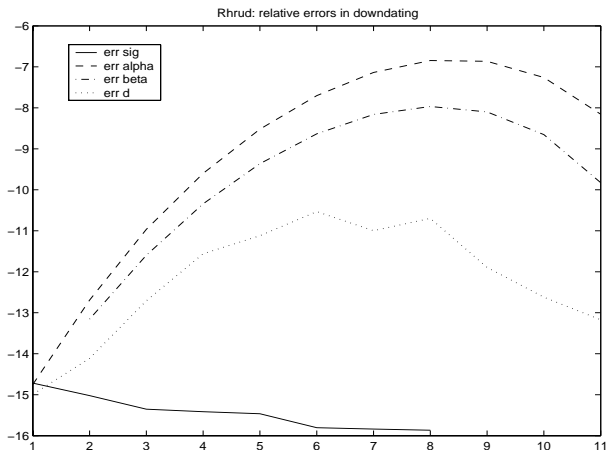
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## Reversed rotations

Theorem (Elhay, Golub, Kautsky)

*Given  $\sigma_{m+1}$ ,  $J_{m+1}$  and  $d^{m+1}$ , the solution when removing the triplet  $\{t_{m+1}, w_{m+1}, y_{m+1}\}$  from the data is*

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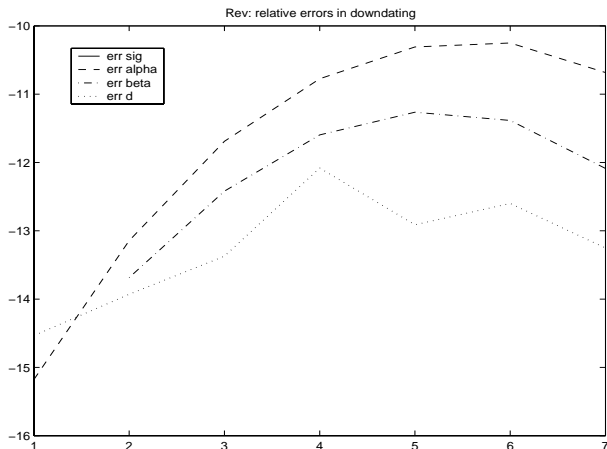
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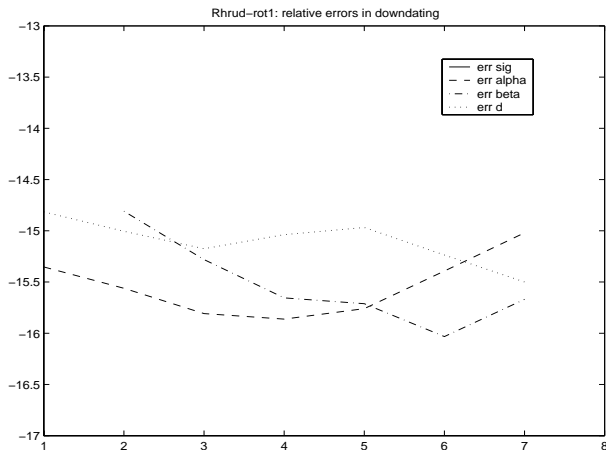
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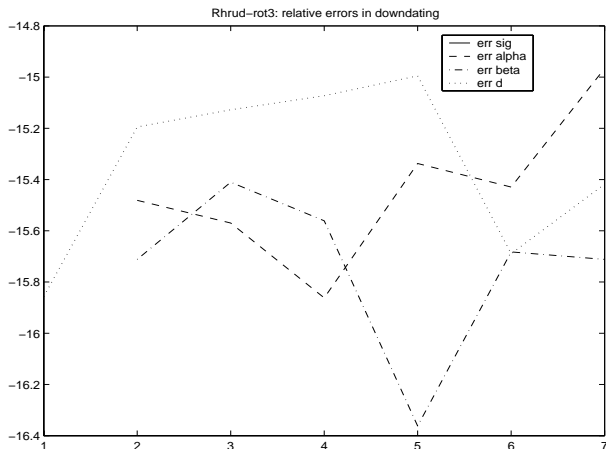
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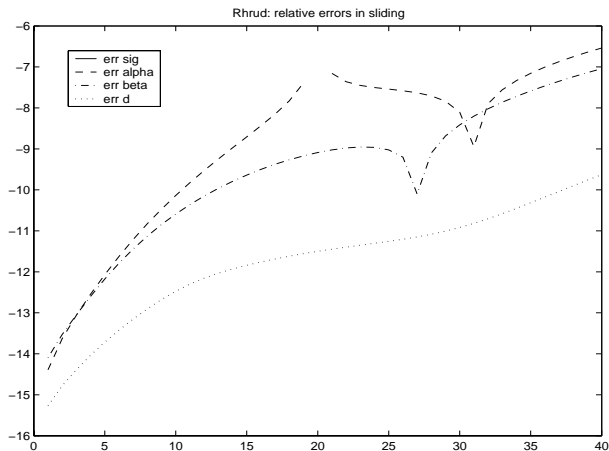
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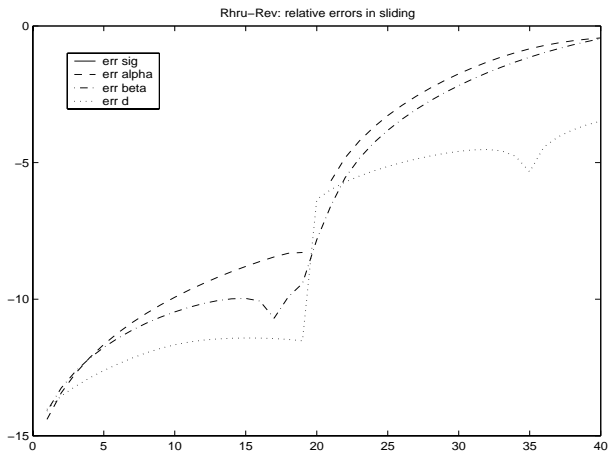
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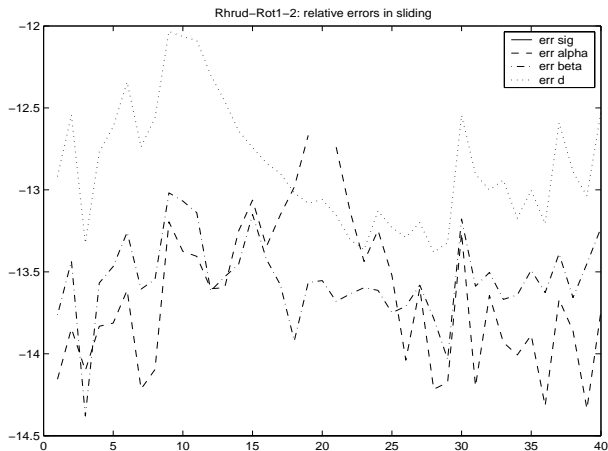
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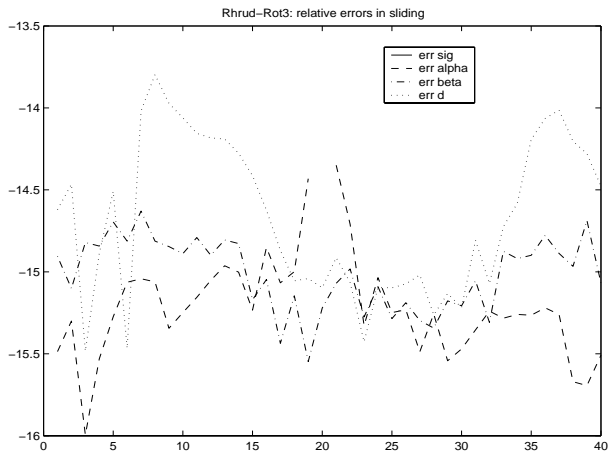
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