## Practical Machine Learning

Lecture 6<br>Principal Components Analysis (PCA)

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## Where we are <br> (



## You are going to learn

Why we need PCA
$\square$ How to obtain principal components

- Eigen value decomposition and singular value decomposition
$\square$ SVD: data compression and visualization
$\square$ How to apply PCA for machine learning


## Principal Component Analysis (PCA): definition

A statistical procedure that uses an orthogonal transformation to convert a set of observations of possibly correlated variables into a set of values of linearly uncorrelated variables called principal components.


## Principal Component Analysis (PCA): intuition

$\square$ How to select a principal component?

- One that captures the largest variance of the data points.
$\square$ Why?
- Because we want to clearly see how each data point is related (close) each other.
- Then, which one (PC1 or PC2) is better?



## How to find the principal components showing the largest variance?



$$
\mathrm{X}=\left[\begin{array}{l}
\mathrm{x}_{1} \\
\mathrm{x}_{2} \\
\mathrm{x}_{3} \\
\mathrm{x}_{4} \\
\mathrm{x}_{5} \\
\mathrm{x}_{6}
\end{array}\right]=\left[\begin{array}{cc}
-2 & -2 \\
-1 & -1 \\
1 & -1 \\
-1 & 1 \\
1 & 1 \\
2 & 2
\end{array}\right]
$$

$\square \operatorname{cov}(\mathrm{x})=V \Lambda V^{T}$

- Distance to data points from the mean along the axis of " $\mathrm{v}_{1}$ "

$$
=[-2 \sqrt{2},-\sqrt{2}, 0,0, \sqrt{2}, 2 \sqrt{2}] \quad \text { variance }=4
$$

- Distance to data points from the mean along the axis of " $\mathrm{v}_{2}$ "

$$
=[0,0,-\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}, 0,0] \quad \text { variance }=0.8
$$

$\square \operatorname{cov}(\mathrm{X})=\left[\begin{array}{ll}2.4 & 1.6 \\ 1.6 & 2.4\end{array}\right] \quad \begin{aligned} & \text { variance along the axis of " } x_{1} \text { " } \\ & \text { variance along the axis of " } x_{2} \text { " }\end{aligned}$


- " $m_{i}$ " shows the distance between 0 (mean) to the point where " $x_{i}$ " is projected on the vector " $V$ ".

$$
\mathrm{m}_{i}=\mathrm{x}_{i} \mathrm{~V}
$$

Let's define the variance of data points " $m$ "

$$
\operatorname{var}(\mathrm{m})=\frac{1}{N-1} \sum_{i=1}^{N}\left(\mathrm{~m}_{\mathrm{i}}-\mu \mathrm{v}\right)^{2}=\frac{1}{N-1} \sum_{i=1}^{N}\left(\mathrm{x}_{\mathrm{i}} \mathrm{v}\right)^{2}
$$

$\square$ Let's maximize the variance with a constraint (v must be an
 unit vector). Then, see what it would be.

$$
\max \frac{1}{N-1} \sum_{i=1}^{N}\left(\mathrm{x}_{\mathrm{i}} \mathrm{v}\right)^{2} \quad \text { s.t. } \quad \sum_{\mathrm{i}=1}^{d} \mathrm{v}_{\mathrm{i}}^{2}=1
$$

$\square$ Let's convert the constrained problem to unconstrained problem using Lagrange method (again!).

$$
L(\mathrm{v})=\frac{1}{N-1} \sum_{i=1}^{N}\left(\mathrm{x}_{\mathrm{i}} \mathrm{v}\right)^{2}-\lambda_{i}\left(\sum_{i=i}^{d} \mathrm{v}_{i}^{2}-1\right)
$$

$\square$ We look for the vector " $v$ " which maximizes the variance. Thus, differentiating the above with respect to " $v$ "

$$
\frac{\partial L(\mathrm{v})}{\partial \mathrm{v}}=\frac{2}{N-1} \sum_{i=1}^{N}\left(\mathrm{x}_{\mathrm{i}} \mathrm{v}\right)\left(\mathrm{x}_{\mathrm{i}}\right)-2 \lambda_{i}\left(\sum_{i=i}^{d} \mathrm{v}_{i}\right)=0
$$



- When " $v$ " is selected to maximize the variance, covariance matrix becomes equivalent to its own eigen value.
- Eigen value has diagonal elements, which represent variances along eigen vectors - no correlation.


## How to find the principal components showing the largest variance?

1) Find the covariance matrix of data points.
2) Obtain the eigen values and vectors of the covariance matrix: eigen decomposition.
3) Sort the eigen vectors in descending order in terms of their corresponding eigen values.

- an eigen vector with the largest eigen value becomes the first principal component.


$\gg[$ vec, val $]=\operatorname{eig}(\operatorname{cov}(x))$
vec $=$
$2^{\text {nd }}$ principal component



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$\square$ It is called "Singular Value Decomposition" or SVD.

## Eigen decomposition

$$
\mathrm{X}^{\mathrm{T}} \mathrm{X}=\mathrm{V} \Lambda \mathrm{~V}^{\mathrm{T}}
$$

| $\gg$ [vec, val] $=\operatorname{eig}(\operatorname{cov}(x))$ |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| vec $=$ |  |
| -0.70711 | 0.70711 |
| 0.70711 | 0.70711 |
| val $=$ |  |
| Diagonal Matrix |  |
| 0.80000 | 0 |
| 0 | 4.00000 |


| ```>> [vec, val]=eig(transpose(x)*x) vec =``` |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| -0.70711 | 0.70711 |
| 0.70711 | 0.70711 |
| val = |  |
| Diagonal Matrix |  |
| 4.0000 | 0 |
|  | 20.0000 |

Singular Value Decomposition (SVD)

$$
\mathrm{X}=\mathrm{U} \Sigma \mathrm{~V}^{\mathrm{T}}
$$

$$
\begin{aligned}
\mathrm{X}^{\mathrm{T}} \mathrm{X} & =\left(U \Sigma \mathrm{~V}^{\mathrm{T}}\right)^{\mathrm{T}}\left(\mathrm{U} \Sigma \mathrm{~V}^{\mathrm{T}}\right) \\
& =\mathrm{V} \Sigma^{\mathrm{T}} \mathrm{U}^{\mathrm{T}} U \Sigma \mathrm{~V}^{\mathrm{T}} \\
& =\mathrm{V} \Sigma^{2} V^{\mathrm{T}} \quad \Lambda=\Sigma^{2}
\end{aligned}
$$



Eigen value


Singular value

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Singular Value Decomposition (SVD)

$$
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$$

| >> x |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathrm{x}=$ |  |  |
| -2 | -2 |  |
| -1 | -1 |  |
|  | -1 |  |
| -1 | 1 |  |
| 1 | 1 |  |
| 2 | 2 |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \gg \operatorname{cov}(x) \\ & \text { ans }= \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
|  | 000 | 1.6000 |
|  | 000 | 2.4000 |



## Singular Value Decomposition (SVD): data compression

## $\mathrm{X} \in \mathbf{R}^{\mathrm{n} \times \mathrm{m}}$

$\mathrm{X}=\mathrm{U} \mathrm{V}^{\mathrm{T}}$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \mathrm{U} \in \mathbf{R}^{\mathrm{n} \times \mathrm{n}} \\
& \Sigma \in \mathbf{R}^{\mathrm{n} \times \mathrm{m}} \\
& \mathrm{~V} \in \mathbf{R}^{\mathrm{m} \times \mathrm{m}}
\end{aligned}
$$



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& \Sigma \in \mathbf{R}^{\mathrm{n} \times \mathrm{m}} \\
& \mathrm{~V} \in \mathbf{R}^{\mathrm{m} \times \mathrm{m}} \\
& \mathrm{X}=u_{1} \sigma_{1} v_{1}^{\mathrm{T}}+u_{2} \sigma_{2} v_{2}^{\mathrm{T}} \\
& \text { - New coordination system which has two basis (v1 and v2) }
\end{aligned}
$$

## Singular Value Decomposition (SVD): data compression





## Back to PCA: dimension reduction



$$
\mathrm{v}_{2}=\left[\begin{array}{c}
-0.70711 \\
0.70711
\end{array}\right]
$$



$$
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1 & 1 \\
2 & 2
\end{array}\right]=\left[\begin{array}{lll}
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\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{ll}
\sigma_{1} & \\
& \sigma_{2}
\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{cc}
v_{1}^{T} \\
\hdashline v_{2}^{T}
\end{array}\right]
$$

$$
\left[\begin{array}{cc}
-2 \sqrt{2} & 0 \\
-\sqrt{2} & 0 \\
0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 \\
\sqrt{2} & 0 \\
2 \sqrt{2} & 0
\end{array}\right]
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2 dimension data points can be represented
into one dimension space $\left(\mathrm{v}_{1}\right)$

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& \sigma_{2}
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v_{2}^{T}
\end{array}\right]
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2 dimension data points can be represented into one dimension space $\left(\mathrm{v}_{1}\right)$

$1^{\text {st }}$ Principal Component


Set the " $\mathrm{v}_{2}$ " into zero
$\mathrm{X} \_$rot_zero $=\mathrm{X} \_$rot $\cdot \mathrm{V}^{-1}$


$$
\begin{aligned}
\mathrm{X}^{\prime} & =\mathrm{X} \_ \text {rot_zero } \cdot \mathrm{V}^{-1} \\
& =\mathrm{X} \_ \text {rot_zero } \cdot \mathrm{V}^{\mathrm{T}}
\end{aligned}
$$

## Back to PCA: example



## How to use PCA for machine learning?

A digit number with 64 dimension can be shown in 2 dimension space ( $v_{1}$ and $v_{2}$ ).



$$
\begin{gathered}
\left.\begin{array}{cccc}
\mathrm{v}_{1} & \mathrm{v}_{2} \\
a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1 m} \\
\vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\
a_{n 1} & a_{n 2} & \cdots & a_{n m}
\end{array}\right]
\end{gathered}
$$

## How to use PCA for machine learning？ <br> ？

Each digit number has 8 by $8=64$ dimensions．
$\square$ After SVD，the first two principal components are selected，and the data points with 64 dimension are plotted in two dimension．

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { sions. } \\
& \text { eats are selected, and the data } \\
& \text { wo dimension. }
\end{aligned}
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$$ points with 64 dimension are plated in two dimension．

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## One that you need to be careful when carrying out PCA

Centering the data before applying PCA.
$\square$ Normalizing or standardizing the data when features have different scale.

|  | population | area |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Country 1 | $5^{*} 10^{\wedge 7}$ | 92 |
| Country 2 | $2^{* 10^{\wedge} 7}$ | 74 |
| ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |
| Country n | $5{ }^{*} 10^{\wedge} 8$ | 150 |


|  | feature1 | feature2 | $\cdots$ | feature m |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Data 1 |  |  |  |  |
| Data 2 |  |  |  |  |
| $\vdots$ |  |  |  |  |
| Data n | $\left[\begin{array}{cccc}a_{11} \\ \vdots \\ a_{m 1}\end{array}\right.$ | $a_{12}$ <br> $\vdots$ | $\cdots$ | $a_{1 n}$ |
| $a_{m 2}$ | $\cdots$ | $\vdots$ |  |  |
|  | That needs to be normalized |  |  |  |

## Backup Slides

## Singular Value Decomposition (SVD): data compression



```
img = imread("sample_BW.png")[:,:]
imshow(img)
show()
# Top 100
U,S,Vt = svd(img)
S = resize(S, [m,1])*eye(m,n)
imshow(dot(U[:,0:100], dot(S[0:100,0:100], Vt[0:100,:])))
show()
```

