

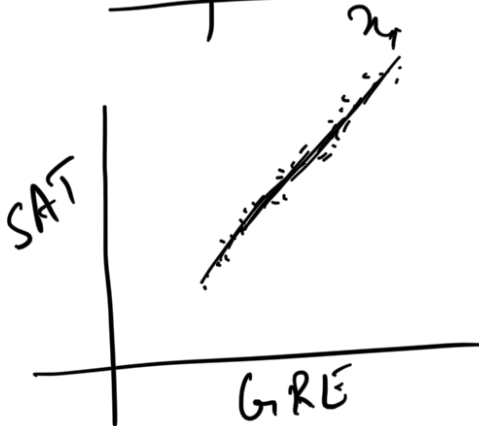
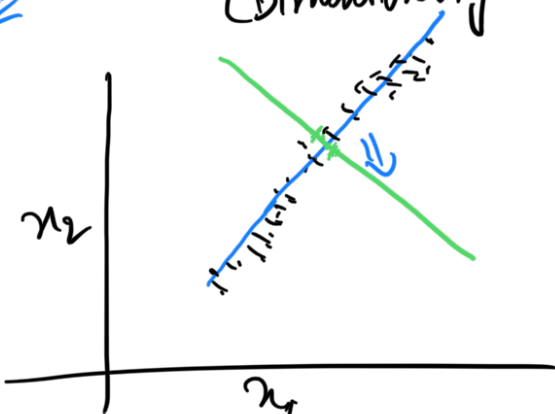
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Assignment 5

Learning Theory

Unsupervised Techniques

PCA: Principal Component Analysis  
(Dimensionality Reduction)  
(Linear)



$\{x^{(i)}\}_{i=1}^m$   $x^{(i)} \in \mathbb{R}^n$   
 $n$ : very very large  
 (Pre-processing)  
 step

such that  $k \ll n$   
 most of the variation (variance) in the data can be captured by projecting  $\{x^{(i)}\}_{i=1}^m$  to a lower dimensional sub-space  
 $(u_1 \dots u_k)$   $u_k \in \mathbb{R}^n$

Eigenfaces:

$u_k^T u_{k+1} = 0$   
 $u_k^T u_k = 1$   
 orthogonal basis



$\mathbb{R}^{(h \times w) \times 3}$   $h, w = 1000$

$\Rightarrow [u_1 \dots u_{100}]$   
 will capture "most" of the features in the data

$$x^{(i)} = \sum_{k=1}^{100} z_k^{(i)} u_k$$

is helpful with computational efficiency  
 avoids overfitting by eliminating noise  
 you will get original data back in projected space  
 $k = n$  :-

$K < \infty$ :- We can reduce <sup>dim</sup> of the important features in the data.

$$z_k^{(i)} = x^{(i)T} u_k \quad \begin{matrix} \{x^{(i)}\}_{i=1}^m \\ u_1 \dots u_k \end{matrix}$$

$z_k^{(i)}$  coefficient of projection along  $u_k$

Goal of PCA :- To find (given  $K$ ), the

Principal Components "optimal" set of orthonormal vectors  $u_1, \dots, u_k$  such that the variance of projections  $x^{(i)} \in \mathbb{R}^n$  is maximized. Goal:  $u_1, \dots, u_k$   $u_k \in \mathbb{R}^n$

PCA:-  $\{x^{(i)}\}_{i=1}^m$

Pre-processing:-

$\{x^{(i)}\}_{i=1}^m$

are converted to be zero mean & unit variance.

$x_j^{(i)} \leftarrow \frac{x_j^{(i)} - \mu_j}{\sigma_j}$

$$\mu_j = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m x_j^{(i)}$$

$$\sigma_j^2 = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (x_j^{(i)} - \mu_j)^2$$

After the derive the expression for  $u_1, \dots, u_k$  when  $k=1$

$u$ :-

$$z^{(i)} = x^{(i)T} u$$

Variance of the projected data:-  $\{z^{(i)}\}_{i=1}^m$

$$\mu_z = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m z^{(i)} = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (x^{(i)T} u)$$

$$= \frac{1}{m} \left[ \sum_{i=1}^m x^{(i)} \right]^T u$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Var}(z) &= \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m z^{(i)2} & z^{(i)} &= x^{(i)T} u \\
 &= \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (x^{(i)T} u)^2 \\
 &= \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (u^T x^{(i)})(x^{(i)T} u) \\
 &= \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m u^T (x^{(i)} x^{(i)T}) u & \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (x^{(i)} - \mu)(x^{(i)} - \mu)^T &= 0 \\
 &= u^T \left[ \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m x^{(i)} x^{(i)T} \right] u
 \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow$  Empirical Co-variance (Recall:  $\mu_{\text{data}} = 0$ )

$$= u^T \Sigma u$$

Therefore:- The objective is to find  $u$  s.t  
 $\text{Var}(z)$  is maximized; empirical covariance matrix  
 $\max_u u^T \Sigma u$   $\therefore$  objective

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Sigma &= X^T X \quad (\text{to prove}) \\
 &= \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m x^{(i)} x^{(i)T}
 \end{aligned}$$

Aside / Note:-  
 $X =$   
 Design matrix

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc} & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \end{array} x^{(i)T} \right]$$

→ Solution to

$\max_u u^T \hat{\Sigma} u$  is the principal  
eigenvector of  $\hat{\Sigma}$   $\Sigma \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$   
 $u \in \mathbb{R}^n$

∴  $\hat{\Sigma}$  is symmetric  $= \hat{\Sigma}^T$

↳ +ve semi-definite

⇒ All eigenvalues of  $\hat{\Sigma}$  are  
real & non negative

$$\hat{\Sigma} u = \lambda u$$

max eigenvalue

$$\begin{cases} P^T (X^T X) P \geq 0 \\ (X P)^T (X P) \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\max_u u^T \hat{\Sigma} u \\ \text{subject to } &u^T u = 1 \end{aligned}$$

⇒ Theory of Lagrangian.

$$L(u, \lambda) = u^T \hat{\Sigma} u + \lambda(1 - u^T u)$$

Primal:  $\max_u \min_{\lambda} [u^T \hat{\Sigma} u + \lambda(1 - u^T u)]$

Dual:  $\min_{\lambda} [\max_u [u^T \hat{\Sigma} u + \lambda(1 - u^T u)]]$

$$\nabla_u [u^T \hat{\Sigma} u + \lambda(1 - u^T u)] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \hat{\Sigma} u + 2(-\lambda)u = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{\Sigma} u = \lambda u$$

maximum eigenvalue

In order to project on  $u$ , s.t. variance on projection is maximized  
 $u$ :- (principal) eigenvector of  $\hat{\Sigma}$

$$(u_1 \dots u_k) \therefore \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^m z_i^2 \right\}$$

$$\text{Var}(z)$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^K u_k^T \hat{\Sigma} u$$

$$z^T z = \frac{R^2}{K}$$

$$\left( z_1^2 \dots z_K^2 \right)$$

$\therefore$  Objective:-

$$\begin{cases} \max_{u_1 \dots u_K} \sum_{k=1}^K u_k^T \hat{\Sigma} u \\ u_k^T u_k = 1 \quad u_{k_1}^T u_{k_2} = 0 \quad k_1 \neq k_2 \end{cases}$$

[ In one dim.  
 $\text{Var}(z) = u^T \hat{\Sigma} u$   
 constrained  
 optimization  
 problem.

$\Rightarrow$  You can show that

$(u_1 \dots u_k)$  correspond to eigenvectors of  $\hat{\Sigma}$  corresponding to  $K$  eigenvalues.

$$\hat{\Sigma} u_k = \lambda_k u_k \quad (\lambda_1 \dots \lambda_K) \therefore \text{Highest eigenvalues of } \hat{\Sigma}$$

$\Rightarrow (u_1 \dots u_k) \therefore$  Principal components.  
Objective:- finding top  $K$  eigenvectors of  $\hat{\Sigma}$   
 $\hat{\Sigma} = \frac{X^T X}{n}$  - find the above

⇒ Different ways of solving problem.

SVD:- Singular Value Decomposition

$X \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$  :- Help us get  
eigenvalues of  $(X^T X)$   
eigenvectors