

Principal Component Analysis


Main feature selection

Which components (features) are important to keep?

significance = variance

intelligence = recognize significance

starting point is a file with a table.

features					
	x_1	x_2	x_3	...	x_n
1					
2					
3					
:					
n					

observations

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} X \cdot X^T$$

$$n = |x| \quad (\text{cardinality of } x)$$

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad x^T = [1 \ 2 \ 3]$$

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{1}{2} [1+4+9]$$

$$\Sigma = E[(x - E[x])(x - E[x])^T]$$

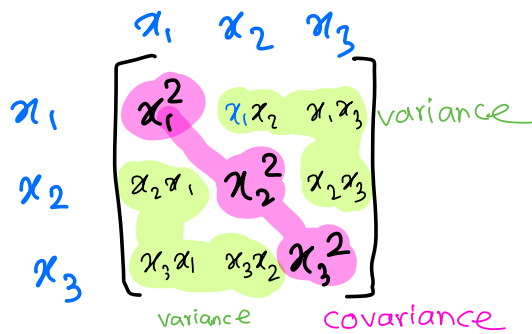
$$C = E[xx^T]$$

$$\sigma^2 = \text{variance}(x) = E[(x - E(x))^2]$$

variance \longrightarrow 1D does x_3 change?

covariance \longrightarrow 2D does x_2, x_3 change?

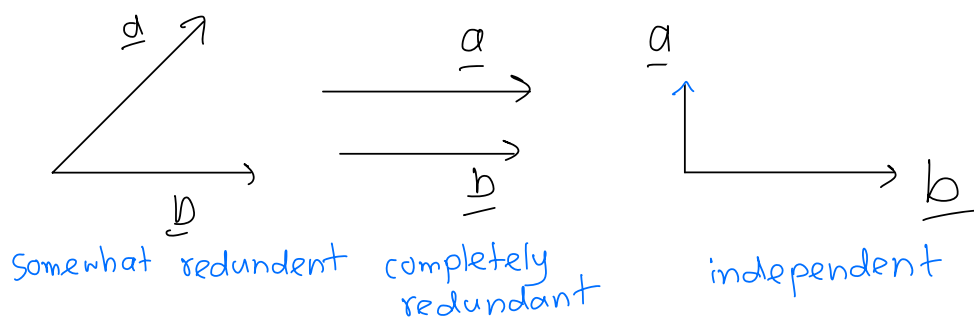
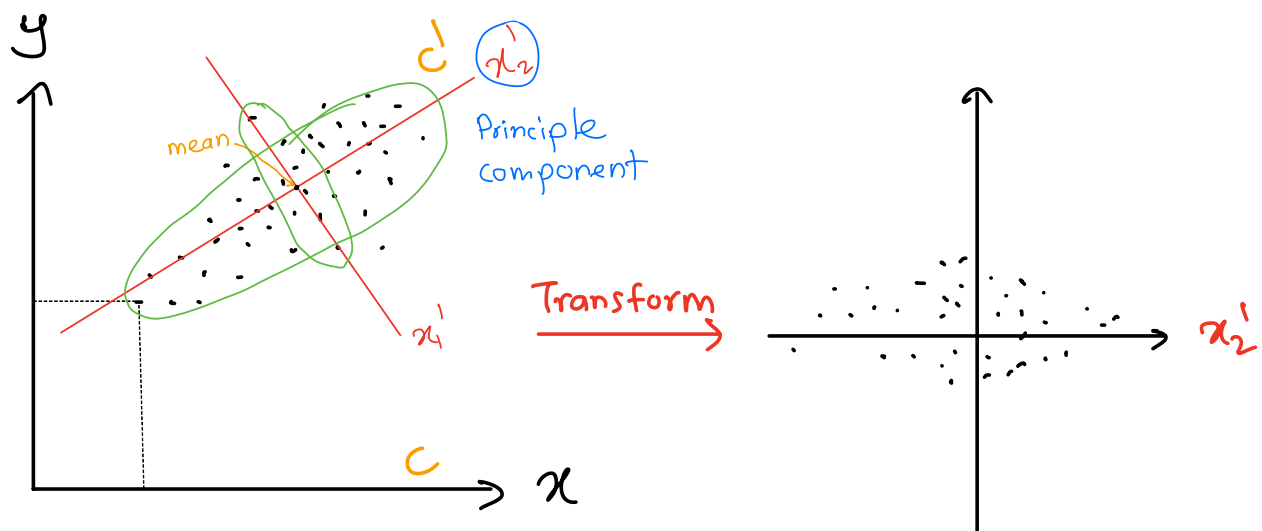
covariance $\Sigma = X X^T$



things against same thing \longrightarrow variance

change of 2 different things \longrightarrow covariance

Diagonalizing C using a suitable **orthogonal transformation** matrix A by obtaining N orthogonal "special vectors" u_i with "special parameters" λ_i



$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}}_C \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{u_i} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \underbrace{3}_{\lambda} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{u_i}$$

C - covariance matrix eigen vector eigen value

Apple Banana

	Apple	Banana	
mean	1	0	
A	1	0	
B	0	1	

$Cov(A,B) = E(AB) - E(A)E(B) = E(AB) = 0$

$Cov(A,A) = E(A^2) - E(A)^2 = 1 - 1^2 = 0$

$Cov(B,B) = E(B^2) - E(B)^2 = 1 - 0^2 = 1$

Covariance matrix

$Cov(A,A) = var(A)$

$Cov(A,B) = Cov(B,A)$

$C_m = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Linear Transformation

$$u_i = A(x_i - m)$$

$$x_i = m + A^T u_i$$

$$C \longrightarrow \text{symmetric}$$

$$C = C^T$$

since $A^{-1} = A^T$ for orthogonal matrices
so $C' = ACA^T$ s.t

$$C' = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \dots & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}$$

most important

least important

In an orthogonal transformation, the trace of a matrix remain the same. (inherent characteristic of Data)

$$\text{trace}(C) = \text{trace}(C') = \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i$$

Principal Components $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_{N-1}, \lambda_N$

pick $N' \ll N$

↳ dimensionality reduction



$$\text{var}(A) = \text{cov}(A, A)$$

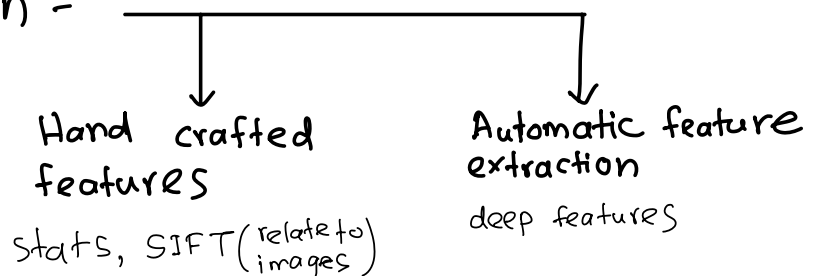
- PCA \longrightarrow a linear transformation
- \longrightarrow unsupervised
 - \longrightarrow uses statistics, calculus
 - \longrightarrow dimensionality reduction algo
 - \longrightarrow a visualization algorithm
 - \longrightarrow intelligent (Recognize significance)

AI and Data

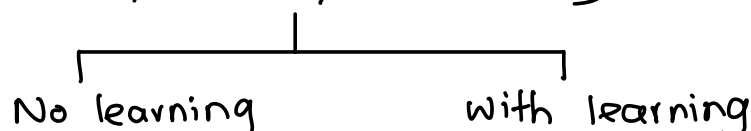
Data types - numbers, symbols, text, images, videos, audio files

Preprocessing - filtering, normalization, outlier detection
dim reduction, augmentation

Data representation -



Encoding - compression/embedding



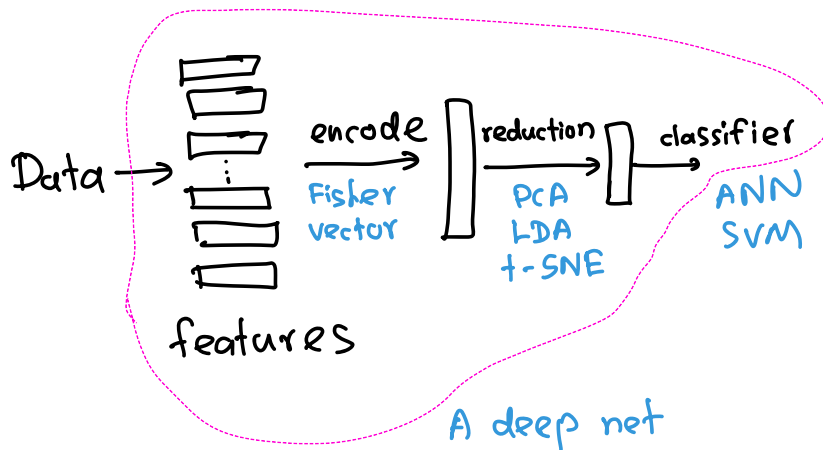
PCA, Fisher Vector
LDA, VLAD

Auto encoders $x \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{c} \square \\ \square \\ \square \end{array} \right] \rightarrow x$
(painful:c)
t-SNE
compressed x

Applications of PCA

- * Data reduction
- * Data visualization
- * Data classification
- * Factor analysis
- * Trend analysis
- * Noise removal

A meaningful chain :



Project

1. Find a problem
2. Analyse the problem (input/output/knowledge)

3. Select approach (architecture, parameters.)
4. Design the approach
5. Training
6. Retrain if needs
7. Recall phase (unseen data)
8. Compare against other methods