

# Principle Component Analysis For Dimension Reduction

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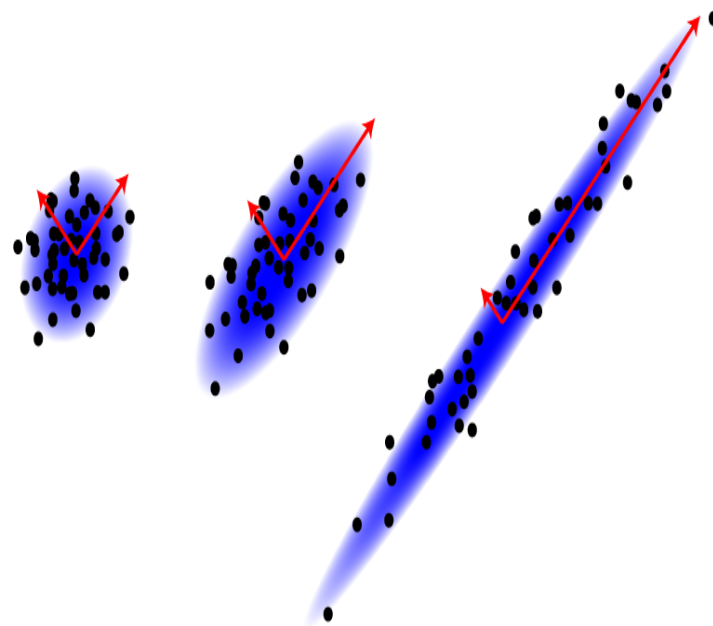
# Motivation: Data Redundancy

- Data may contain very similar or even the same columns

**Highly Correlated Data!**

**Curse of Dimensionality for Big Data!**

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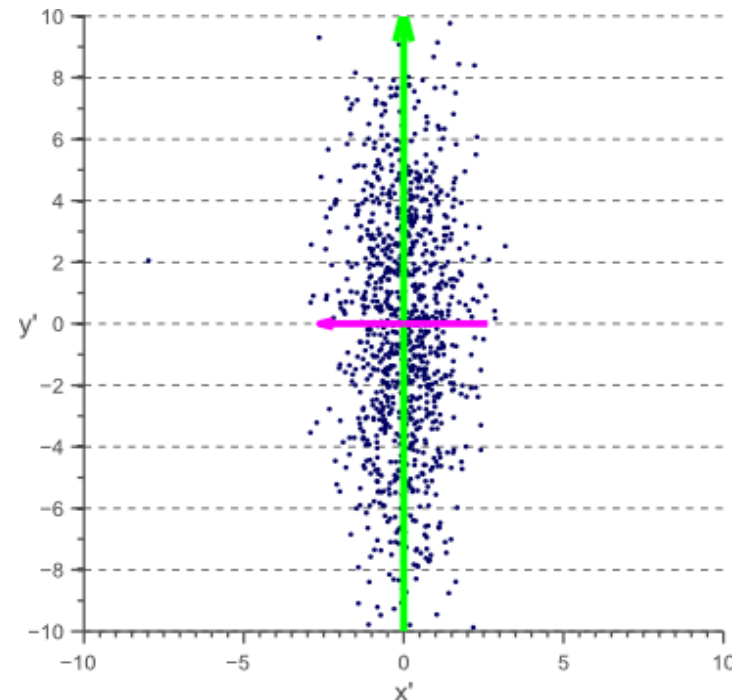


# Motivation: Noise

- Some columns are random noises

**Highly contaminated!**

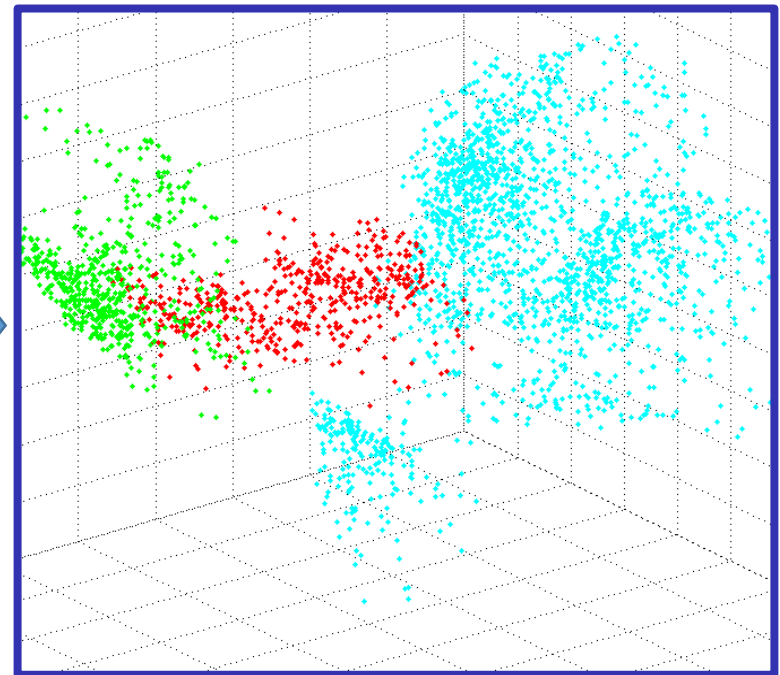
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# Motivation: Data Visualization

- We are only interested in some useful column

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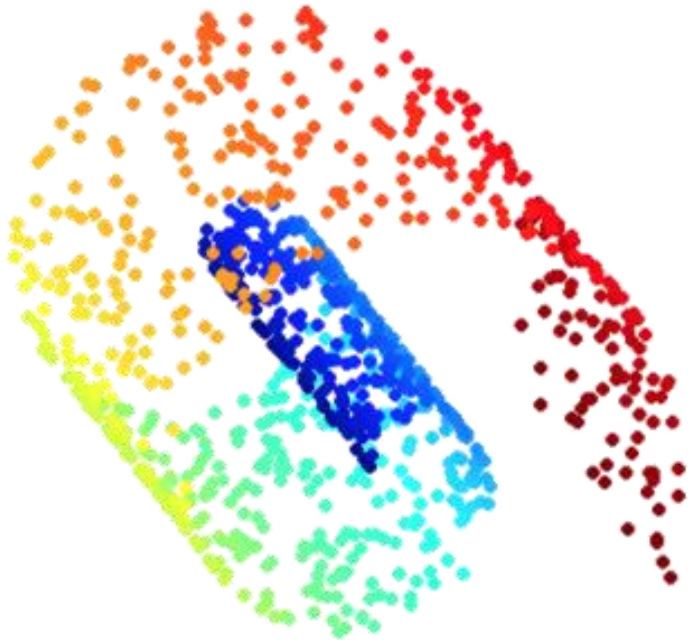


# Motivation: Dimension Reduction

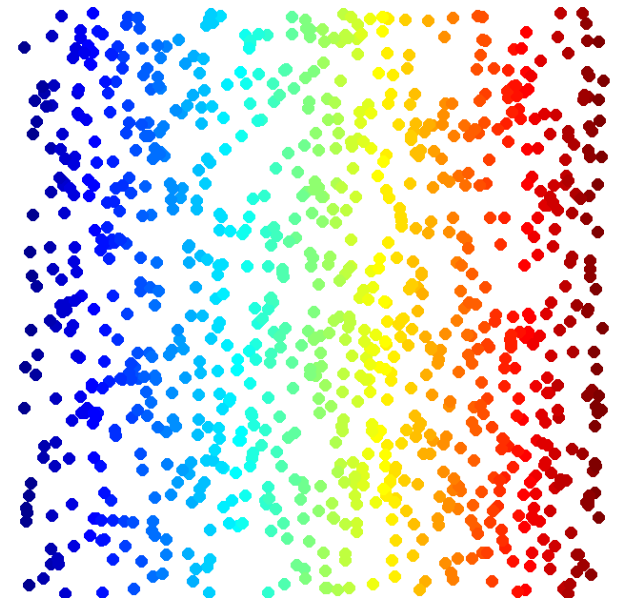
**High dimension  
vector**



**Low dimension  
vector**



Looks like 3-D



Actually 2-D

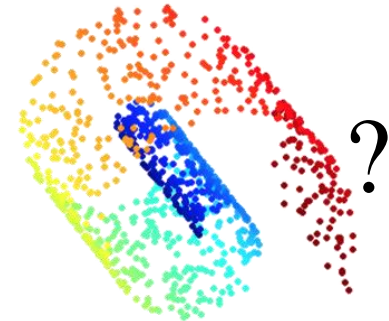
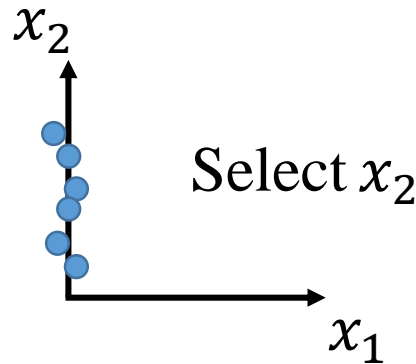
# Motivation: Distributed Representation

High dimension  
vector  $\mathbf{x}$



Low dimension  
vector  $\mathbf{z}$

- Feature selection



- Principle component analysis (PCA)  $\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{W}\mathbf{x}$



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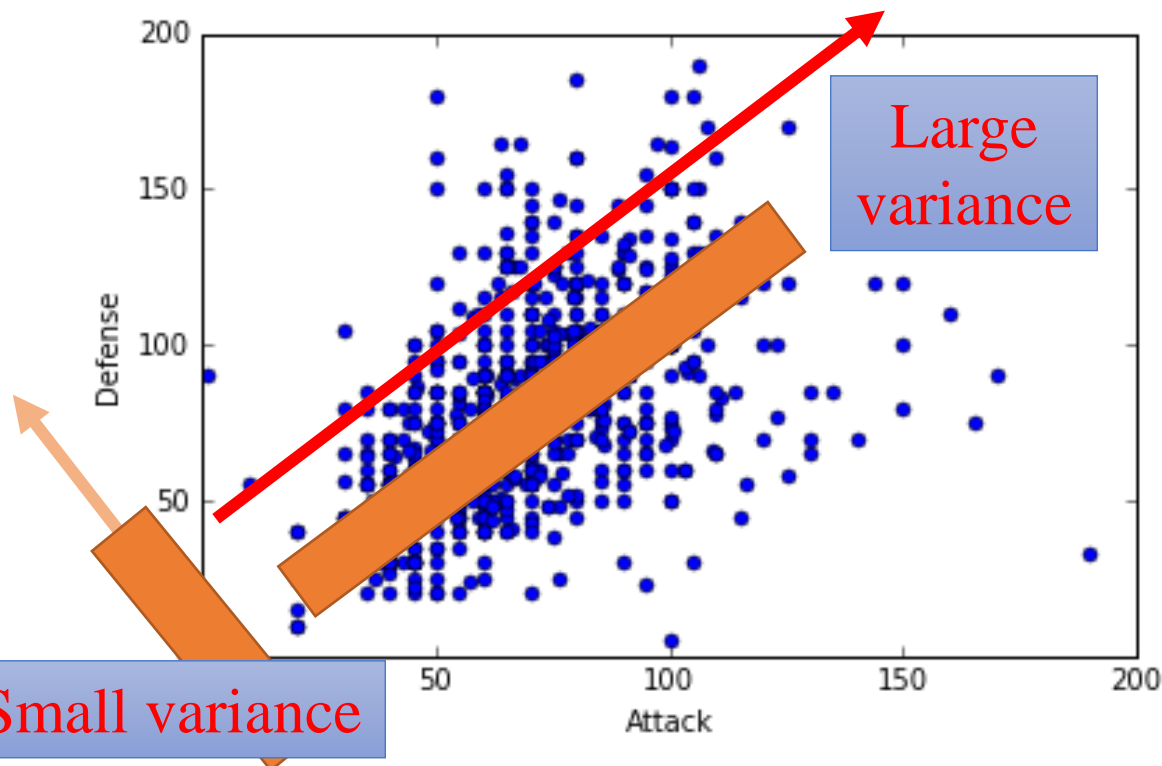
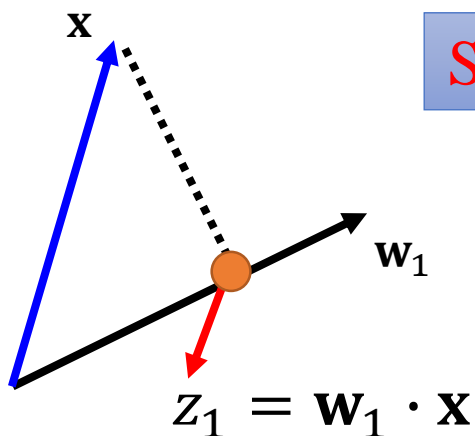
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# Maximum Variance Formulation

$$\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{W}\mathbf{x}$$

Reduce to 1-D:

$$z_1 = \mathbf{w}_1 \cdot \mathbf{x}$$



Project data  $\mathbf{x}$  onto  $\mathbf{w}_1$ , and obtain  $\mathbf{z}_1$

We want the variance of  $\mathbf{z}_1$  as large as possible

$$\operatorname{argmax}_{\mathbf{w}_1} \operatorname{var}(z_1) = \frac{1}{N} \sum (z_1 - \bar{z}_1)^2$$

$$\text{s.t. } \|\mathbf{w}_1\|_2 = 1$$

Where  $N$  is the number of samples

# Maximum Variance Formulation

$$\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{W}\mathbf{x}$$

Reduce to 1-D:

$$z_1 = \mathbf{w}_1 \cdot \mathbf{x}$$

$$z_2 = \mathbf{w}_2 \cdot \mathbf{x}$$

$$\mathbf{W} = \begin{bmatrix} (\mathbf{w}_1)^T \\ (\mathbf{w}_2)^T \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

Orthogonal  
matrix

Project data  $\mathbf{x}$  onto  $\mathbf{w}_1$  and obtain  $z_1$

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$$s.t. \|\mathbf{w}_1\|_2 = 1$$

Project data  $\mathbf{x}$  onto  $\mathbf{w}_2$  and obtain  $z_2$

We want the variance of  $z_2$  as large as possible

$$\operatorname{argmax}_{\mathbf{w}_2} \operatorname{var}(z_2) = \frac{1}{N} \sum (z_2 - \bar{z}_2)^2$$

$$s.t. \|\mathbf{w}_2\|_2 = 1 \quad \mathbf{w}_1 \cdot \mathbf{w}_2 = 0$$

# Formula Derivation

$$Var(\mathbf{Z}_1) = \frac{1}{N} \sum (z_1 - \bar{z}_1)^2$$

$$\mathbf{w}_1 \cdot \mathbf{x}$$

$$= \frac{1}{N} \sum (\mathbf{w}_1 \cdot \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{w}_1 \cdot \bar{\mathbf{x}})^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{N} \sum (\mathbf{w}_1 \cdot (\mathbf{x} - \bar{\mathbf{x}}))^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{N} \sum ((\mathbf{w}_1)^T (\mathbf{x} - \bar{\mathbf{x}}) (\mathbf{x} - \bar{\mathbf{x}})^T \mathbf{w}_1)$$

$$= (\mathbf{w}_1)^T \left[ \frac{1}{N} \sum ((\mathbf{x} - \bar{\mathbf{x}}) (\mathbf{x} - \bar{\mathbf{x}})^T) \right] \mathbf{w}_1$$

$$= (\mathbf{w}_1)^T \text{Cov}(\mathbf{X}) \mathbf{w}_1$$

$$= (\mathbf{w}_1)^T \mathbf{S} \mathbf{w}_1$$

$$\mathbf{S} = \text{Cov}(\mathbf{X})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{z}_1 &= \frac{1}{N} \sum z_1 = \frac{1}{N} \sum \mathbf{w}_1 \cdot \mathbf{x} \\ &= \mathbf{w}_1 \cdot \frac{1}{N} \sum \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{w}_1 \cdot \bar{\mathbf{x}} \end{aligned}$$

Find  $\mathbf{w}_1$  maximizing  $(\mathbf{w}_1)^T \mathbf{S} \mathbf{w}_1$   
where  $\|\mathbf{w}_1\|_2^2 = (\mathbf{w}_1)^T \mathbf{w}_1 = 1$

# Formula Derivation

$$\underset{\mathbf{w}_1}{\operatorname{argmax}} (\mathbf{w}_1)^T \mathbf{S} \mathbf{w}_1 \quad s.t. \quad (\mathbf{w}_1)^T \mathbf{w}_1 = 1$$

$\mathbf{S} = \operatorname{Cov}(\mathbf{X})$	Symmetric	Positive-semidefinite (non-negative eigenvalues)
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Using Lagrange multiplier:

$$g(\mathbf{w}_1) = (\mathbf{w}_1)^T \mathbf{S} \mathbf{w}_1 - \alpha ((\mathbf{w}_1)^T \mathbf{w}_1 - 1)$$

$$\partial g(\mathbf{w}_1) / \partial w_{11} = 0$$

$$\partial g(\mathbf{w}_1) / \partial w_{12} = 0$$

$$\vdots$$

$$\mathbf{S} \mathbf{w}_1 - \alpha \mathbf{w}_1 = 0$$

$$\mathbf{S} \mathbf{w}_1 = \alpha \mathbf{w}_1$$

$\mathbf{w}_1$  : eigenvector

$$(\mathbf{w}_1)^T \mathbf{S} \mathbf{w}_1 = \alpha (\mathbf{w}_1)^T \mathbf{w}_1 = 0$$

Choose the maximum one

$\mathbf{w}_1$  is the eigenvector of the covariance  $\mathbf{S}$  matrix, corresponding to the largest eigenvalue  $\lambda_1$

# Formula Derivation

$$\operatorname{argmax}_{\mathbf{w}_2} (\mathbf{w}_2)^T \mathbf{S} \mathbf{w}_2 \quad s.t. \quad (\mathbf{w}_2)^T \mathbf{w}_2 = 1 \quad (\mathbf{w}_2)^T \mathbf{w}_1 = 0$$

$$g(\mathbf{w}_2) = (\mathbf{w}_2)^T \mathbf{S} \mathbf{w}_2 - \alpha ((\mathbf{w}_2)^T \mathbf{w}_2 - 1) - \beta ((\mathbf{w}_2)^T \mathbf{w}_1 - 0)$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \partial g(\mathbf{w}_2) / \partial w_{21} = 0 \\ \partial g(\mathbf{w}_2) / \partial w_{22} = 0 \\ \vdots \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \mathbf{S} \mathbf{w}_2 - \alpha \mathbf{w}_2 - \beta \mathbf{w}_1 = 0 \\ (\mathbf{w}_1)^T \mathbf{S} \mathbf{w}_2 - \underbrace{\alpha (\mathbf{w}_1)^T \mathbf{w}_2}_{0} - \underbrace{\beta (\mathbf{w}_1)^T \mathbf{w}_1}_{1} = 0 \\ \vdots \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (\mathbf{w}_1)^T \mathbf{S} \mathbf{w}_2 = (\mathbf{w}_2)^T \mathbf{S} \mathbf{w}_1 \\ &= \lambda_1 (\mathbf{w}_2)^T \mathbf{w}_1 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$\mathbf{S} \mathbf{w}_1 = \lambda_1 \mathbf{w}_1$

$\beta = 0: \mathbf{S} \mathbf{w}_2 - \alpha \mathbf{w}_2 = 0 \Rightarrow \mathbf{S} \mathbf{w}_2 = \alpha \mathbf{w}_2$

$\mathbf{w}_2$  is the eigenvector of the covariance matrix  $\mathbf{S}$ , corresponding to the 2<sup>nd</sup> largest eigenvalue  $\lambda_2$

# How to Reduce Dimension?

To reduce dimension of data  $\mathbf{X}$  from  $d$  to  $k$  ( $k < d$ ), we perform:

- **Step1:** Calculate the covariance matrix  $\mathbf{S} = \text{Cov}(\mathbf{X})$
- **Step2:** Select a set of orthonormal eigenvectors corresponding to the  $k$  largest eigenvalues, resulting in the projection matrix  $\mathbf{W}$
- **Step3:** Reduce the dimension by calculating:

$$\mathbf{Z} = \mathbf{W}\mathbf{X} = \begin{bmatrix} (\mathbf{w}_1)^T \\ (\mathbf{w}_2)^T \\ \vdots \\ (\mathbf{w}_k)^T \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{X}$$

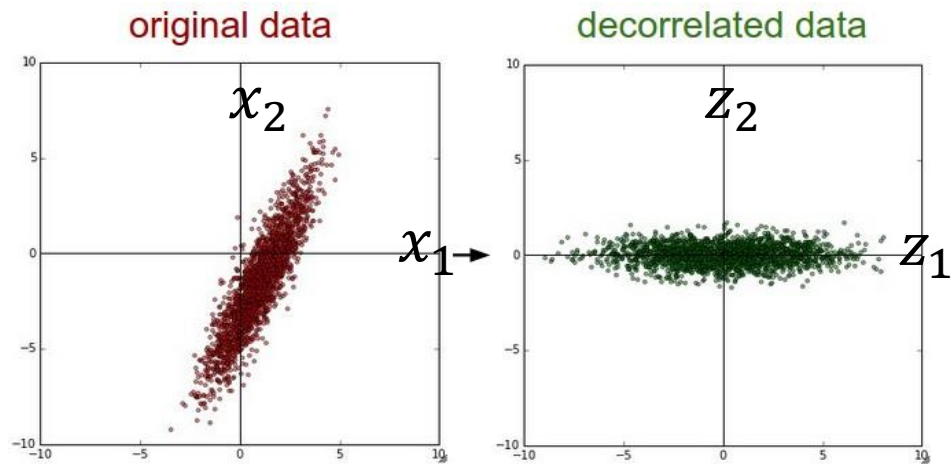
# Example: Decorrelation

$$\mathbf{Z} = \mathbf{W}\mathbf{X}$$

$$\text{Cov}(\mathbf{Z}) = \mathbf{D}$$



Diagonal matrix



$$\text{Cov}(\mathbf{Z}) = \frac{1}{n} \sum (\mathbf{z} - \bar{\mathbf{z}})(\mathbf{z} - \bar{\mathbf{z}})^T = \mathbf{W}\mathbf{S}\mathbf{W}^T$$

$\text{Cov}(\mathbf{X})$

$$= \mathbf{W}[\mathbf{S}\mathbf{w}_1 \cdots \mathbf{S}\mathbf{w}_k]$$

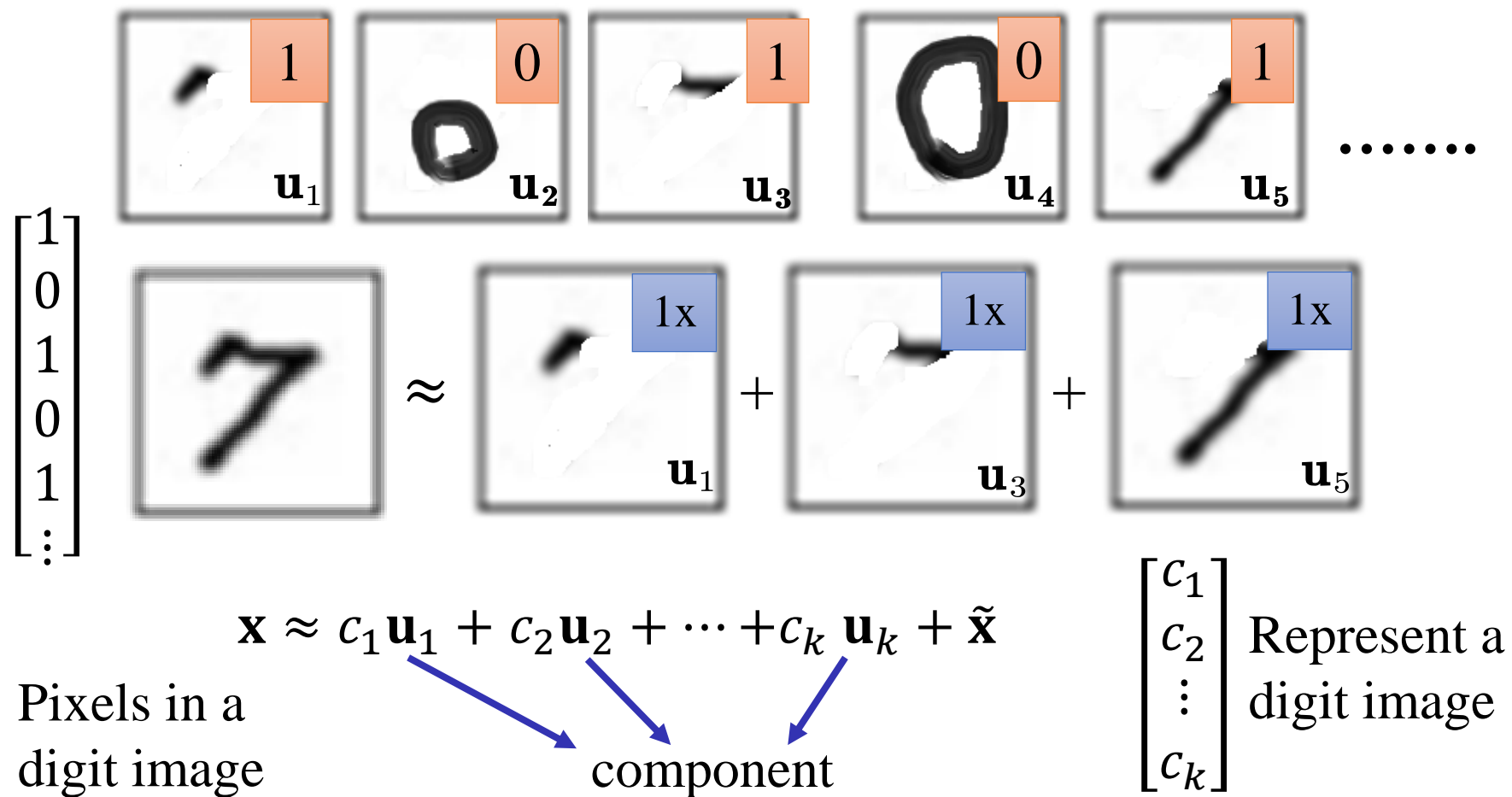
$$= \mathbf{W}[\lambda_1 \mathbf{S}\mathbf{w}_1 \cdots \lambda_k \mathbf{S}\mathbf{w}_k]$$

$$= [\lambda_1 \mathbf{e}_1 \cdots \lambda_k \mathbf{e}_k] = \mathbf{D} \rightarrow \text{Diagonal matrix}$$




# Minimum Error Formulation

Basic Component:



# Minimum Error Formulation

$$\mathbf{x} - \tilde{\mathbf{x}} \approx c_1 \mathbf{u}_1 + c_2 \mathbf{u}_2 + \cdots + c_k \mathbf{u}_k = \hat{\mathbf{x}}$$


Find  $\{\mathbf{u}_1, \dots, \mathbf{u}_k\}$  to minimize the following reconstruction error:

$$L = \underset{\{\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \dots, \mathbf{u}_k\}}{\operatorname{argmax}} \left\| (\mathbf{x} - \tilde{\mathbf{x}}) - \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^k c_i \mathbf{u}_i}_{\hat{\mathbf{x}}} \right\|_2$$


PCA:  $\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{W}\mathbf{x}$

$$\mathbf{z} = \begin{bmatrix} (\mathbf{w}_1)^T \\ (\mathbf{w}_2)^T \\ \vdots \\ (\mathbf{w}_k)^T \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}$$

$\{\mathbf{w}_1, \mathbf{w}_2, \dots, \mathbf{w}_k\}$  (from PCA) is the component  
 $\{\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \dots, \mathbf{u}_k\}$  (minimizing  $L$ )

Proof in [Bishop, Chapter 12.1.2]

# Minimum Error Formulation

$$\mathbf{x} - \tilde{\mathbf{x}} \approx c_1 \mathbf{u}_1 + c_2 \mathbf{u}_2 + \cdots + c_k \mathbf{u}_k = \hat{\mathbf{x}}$$


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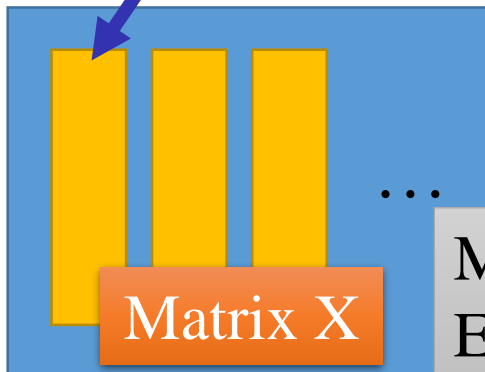
$$\|(\mathbf{x} - \tilde{\mathbf{x}}) - \hat{\mathbf{x}}\|_2$$

$$\underline{\mathbf{x}_1 - \tilde{\mathbf{x}}} \approx \underline{c_{11}} \underline{\mathbf{u}_1} + \underline{c_{12}} \underline{\mathbf{u}_2} + \cdots$$

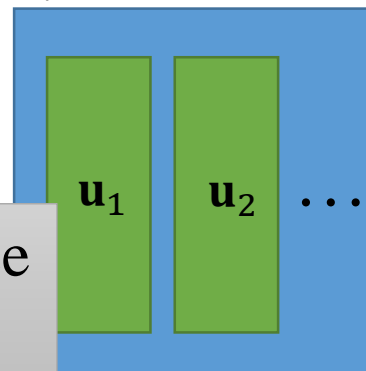
$$\mathbf{x}_2 - \tilde{\mathbf{x}} \approx c_{21} \mathbf{u}_1 + c_{22} \mathbf{u}_2 + \cdots$$

$$\mathbf{x}_3 - \tilde{\mathbf{x}} \approx c_{31} \mathbf{u}_1 + c_{32} \mathbf{u}_2 + \cdots$$

$$\vdots$$



$\approx$



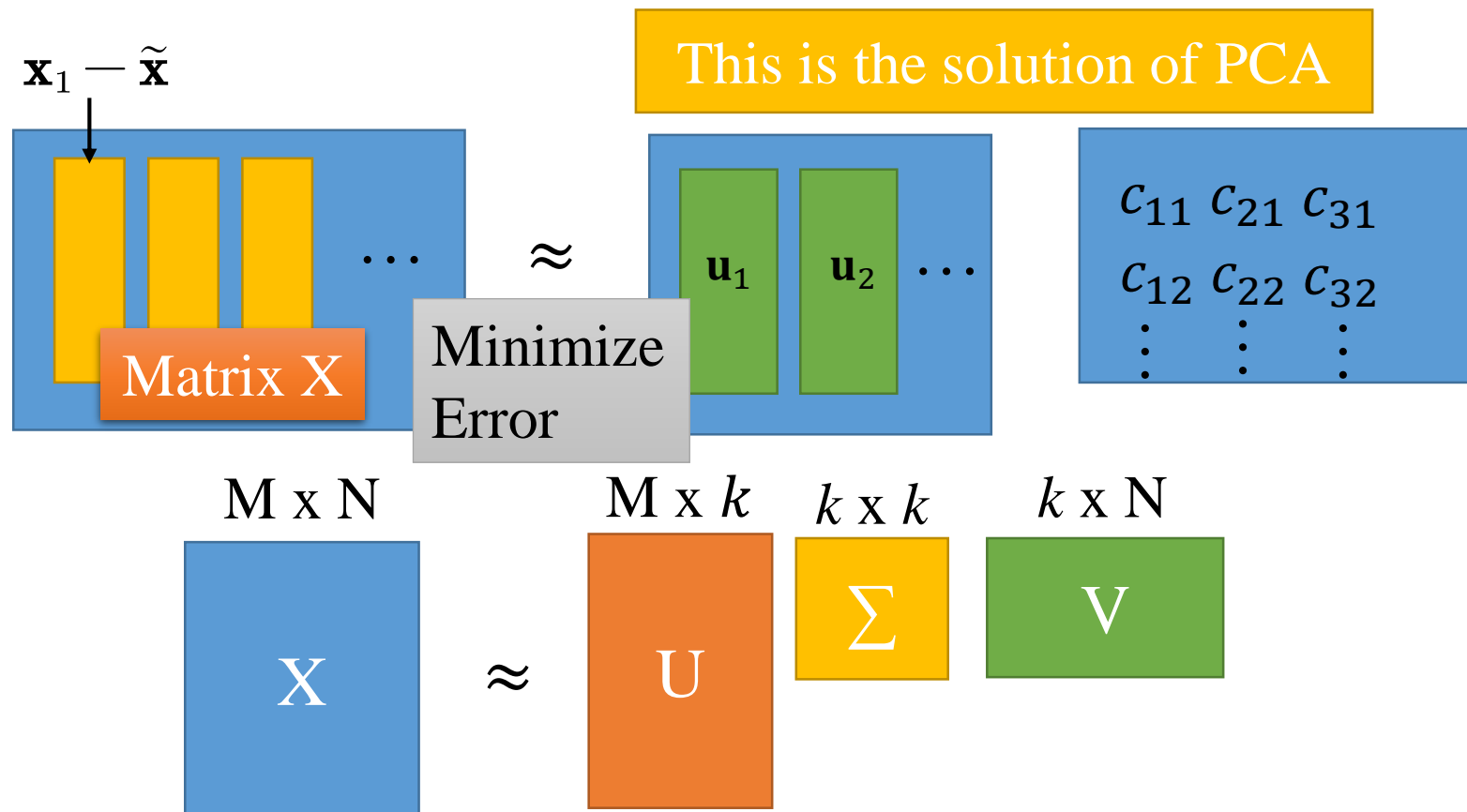
$$\begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & c_{21} & c_{31} \\ c_{12} & c_{22} & c_{32} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

Minimize  
Error

# Minimum Error Formulation

■  $k$  columns of  $\mathbf{U}$ :

a set of orthonormal eigenvectors corresponding to the top  $k$  eigenvalues of  $\mathbf{X}\mathbf{X}^T$



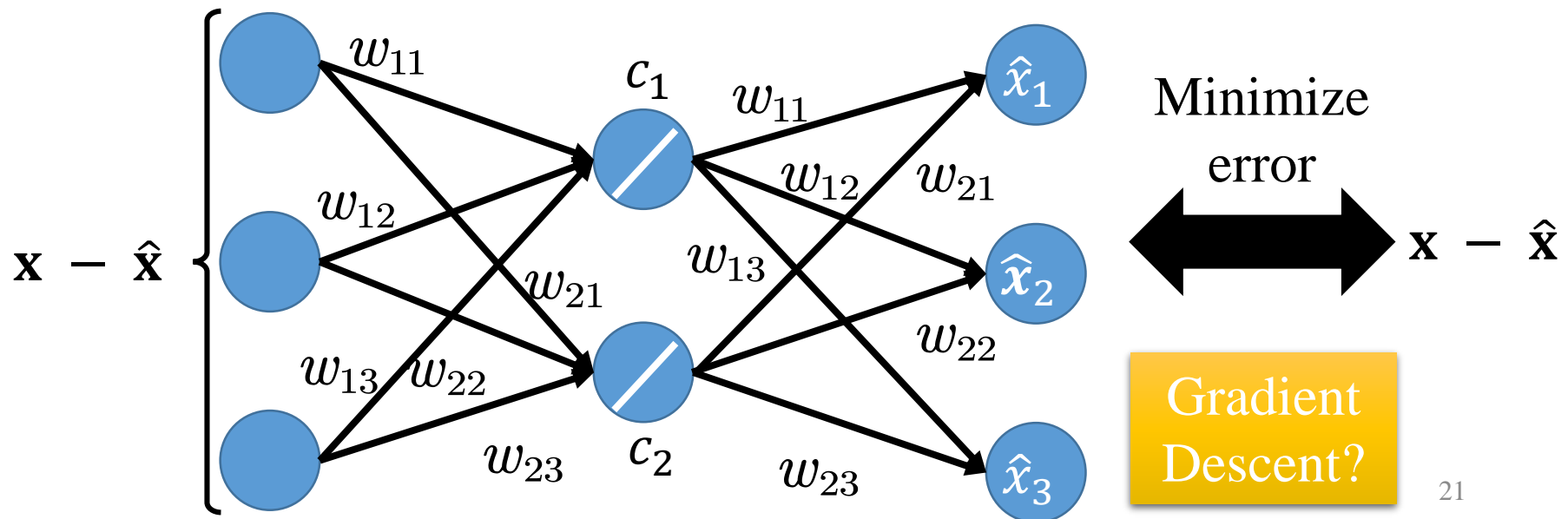
# Autoencoder

PCA looks like a neural network with one hidden layer (linear activation function)

If  $\{\mathbf{w}_1, \mathbf{w}_2, \dots, \mathbf{w}_k\}$  is the component  $\{\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \dots, \mathbf{u}_k\}$ , then we have

$$\hat{\mathbf{x}} = \sum_{i=1}^k c_i \mathbf{w}_i \quad \longleftrightarrow \quad \mathbf{x} - \hat{\mathbf{x}}$$

For the case where  $k=2$ :



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# Example: Pokemon

- Inspired from:

<https://www.kaggle.com/strakul5/d/abcsds/pokemon/principal-component-analysis-of-pokemon-data>

- 800 Pokemons with 6 features:

HP, Atk, Def, Sp Atk, Sp Def, Speed

- How many principle components?

$$\frac{\lambda_i}{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 + \lambda_3 + \lambda_4 + \lambda_5 + \lambda_6}$$

	$\lambda_1$	$\lambda_2$	$\lambda_3$	$\lambda_4$	$\lambda_5$	$\lambda_6$
ratio	0.45	0.18	0.13	0.12	0.07	0.04

Using 4 components is good enough

# Example: MNIST



$$= \mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{w}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2 \mathbf{w}_2 + \dots$$

images

30 components:

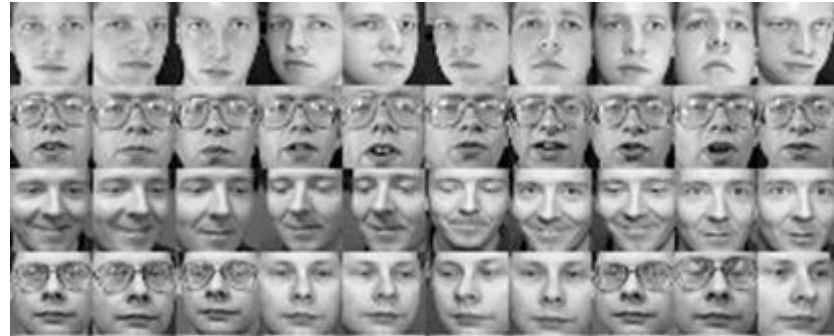




# Example: Face

Eigen-face

30 components:



<http://www.cs.unc.edu/~lazechnik/research/spring08/assignment3.html>

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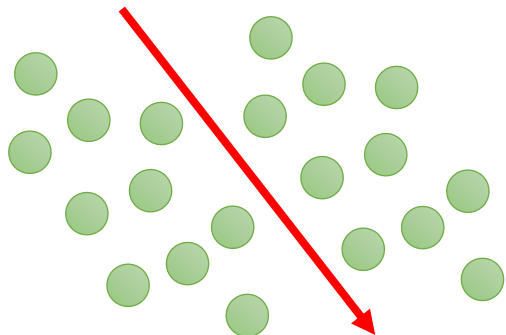
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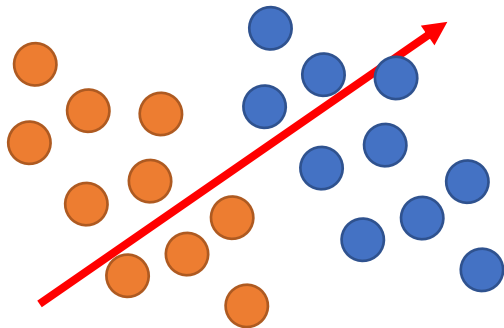
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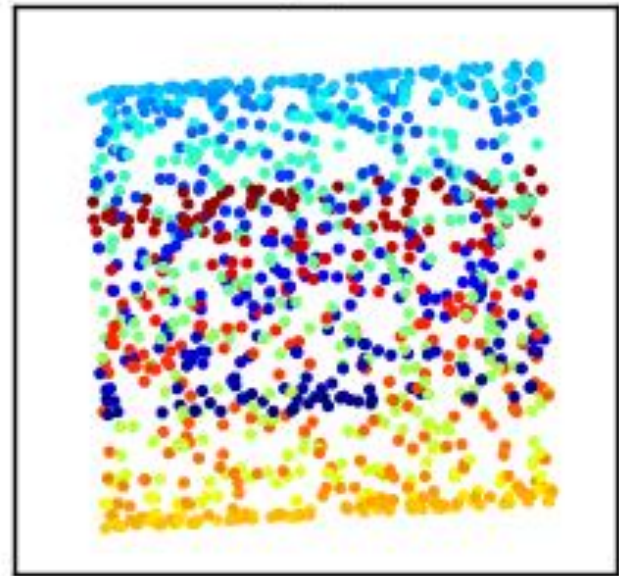
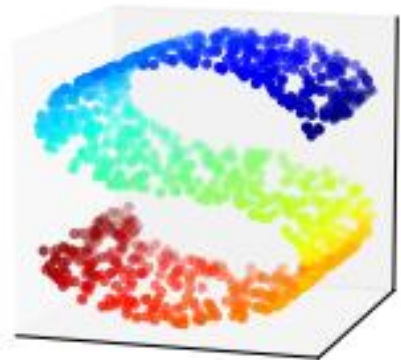
PCA



LDA

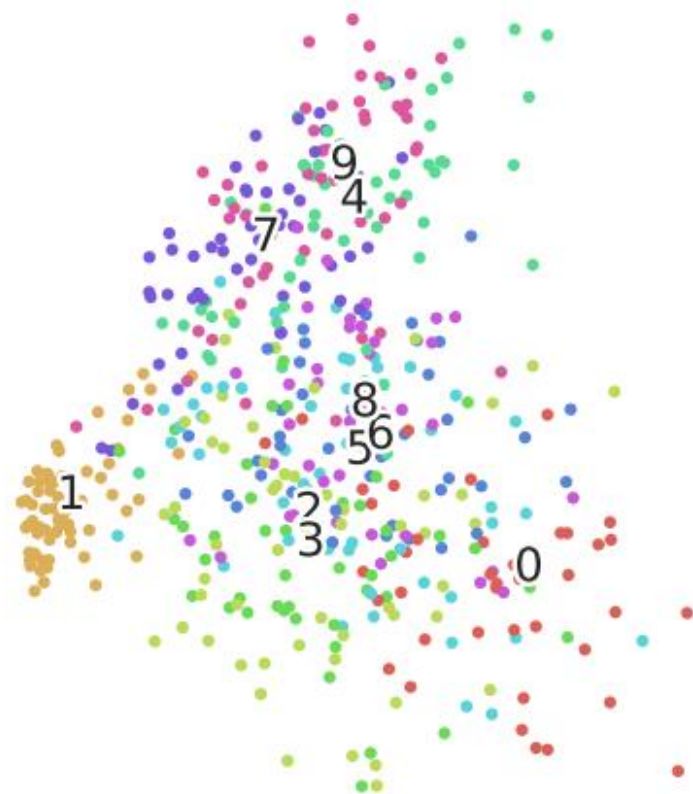


- Linear

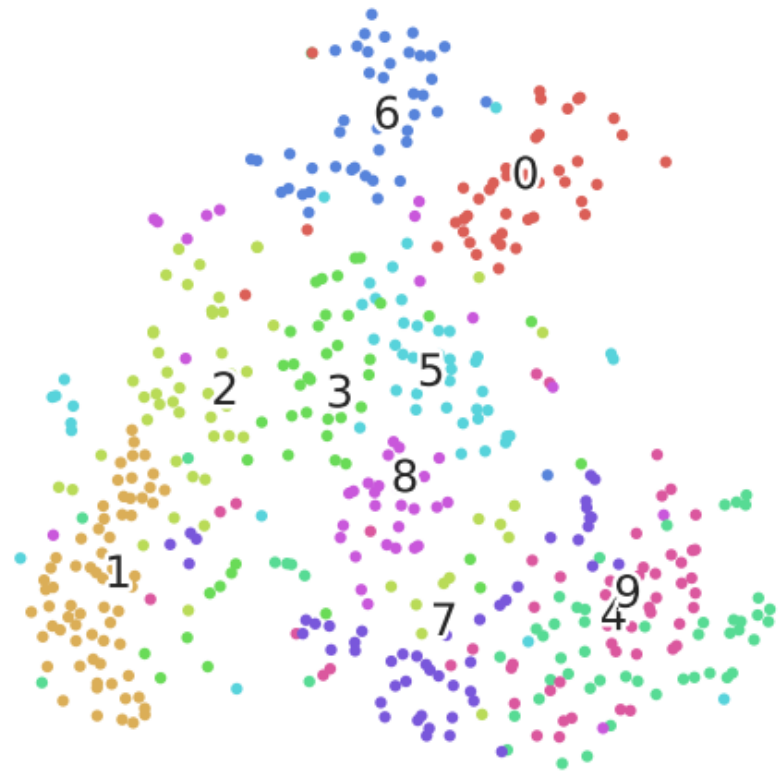


[http://www.astroml.org/book\\_figures/chapter7/fig\\_S\\_manifold\\_PCA.html](http://www.astroml.org/book_figures/chapter7/fig_S_manifold_PCA.html)

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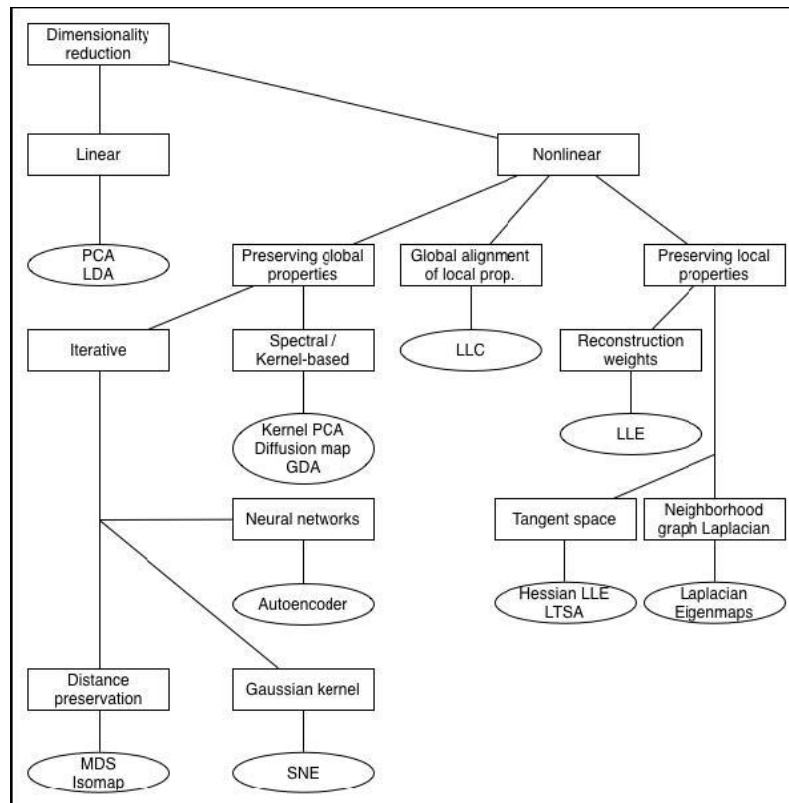
Pixel (28x28)  $\rightarrow$  PCA  
(2)



Pixel (28x28)  $\rightarrow$  tSNE  
(2)

# Appendix

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- [https://lvdmaaten.github.io/publications/papers/TR\\_Dimensionality\\_Reduction\\_Review\\_2009.pdf](https://lvdmaaten.github.io/publications/papers/TR_Dimensionality_Reduction_Review_2009.pdf)



Thank You