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Step 1: Data - Set

Features	Eg 1	Eg 2	...	example N
X_1	X_{11}	X_{12}	---	X_{1N}
X_2	X_{21}	X_{22}	---	X_{2N}
X_3	X_{31}	X_{32}	---	X_{3N}
\vdots	\vdots	\vdots	\vdots	\vdots
X_n	X_{n1}	X_{n2}	---	X_{nN}

Step 2

Compute the means of the variables
Mean of X_i

$$\bar{X}_i = \frac{1}{N} (X_{i1} + X_{i2} + \dots + X_{iN})$$

Step 3:

Calculate the covariance matrix

Covariance of all the ordered pairs (X_i, X_j)

$$S^0 = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} X_1 & X_2 & \dots & X_n \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \\ \vdots \\ X_n \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} \text{Cov}(X_1, X_1) & \text{Cov}(X_1, X_2) & \dots & \text{Cov}(X_1, X_n) \\ \text{Cov}(X_2, X_1) & \text{Cov}(X_2, X_2) & \dots & \text{Cov}(X_2, X_n) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \text{Cov}(X_n, X_1) & \text{Cov}(X_n, X_2) & \dots & \text{Cov}(X_n, X_n) \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

$$\boxed{\text{Cov}(X_i, X_j) = \frac{1}{N-1} \sum_{k=1}^N (X_{ik} - \bar{X}_i) (X_{jk} - \bar{X}_j)}$$

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Step 4: Calculate the eigenvalues and normalised eigenvectors of the covariance matrix.

(i) \Rightarrow To find eigen values, solve the equation

$$\det(S - \lambda I) = 0$$

We get n roots $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n$ which are eigen values such that $\lambda_1 > \lambda_2 > \lambda_3 > \dots > \lambda_n$

(ii) For each eigen values the corresponding eigen vector is a vector

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ \vdots \\ u_n \end{bmatrix} \quad n \times 1$$

if $\lambda = \lambda'$ is an eigenvalue, then the corresponding eigenvector is a vector

such that $(S - \lambda' I)U = 0$

Steps \Rightarrow = Normalise the eigen vector

Divide the vector U by its length.
i.e. Normalised eigen vectors

$$e_i = \frac{U_i}{\|U_i\|} \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

where $\|U\| = \sqrt{u_1^2 + u_2^2 + \dots + u_n^2}$

* * The unit eigen vector corresponding to the largest eigen value is the first principal component.

Step 6:

Derive the new dataset

New dataset with reduced dimension is

Feature	Example 1	Example 2	...	Example N
PC_1	P_{11}	P_{12}	...	P_{1N}
PC_2	P_{21}	P_{22}	...	P_{2N}
\vdots	\vdots	\vdots	\vdots	\vdots
PC_n	P_{n1}	P_{n2}	\vdots	P_{nN}

such that

$$P_{ij} = e_i^T \begin{bmatrix} x_{1j} - \bar{x}_1 \\ x_{2j} - \bar{x}_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_{nj} - \bar{x}_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Problem Set: Given the data in below table, use PCA to reduce the dimension from 2 to 1

Feature	Example 1	Example 2	Example 3	Example 4
x_1	4	8	13	7
x_2	11	4	5	14

Solution

X_1	X_2	$(X_1 - \bar{X})$	$(X_1 - \bar{X})^2$	$(X_2 - \bar{X})$	$(X_2 - \bar{X})^2$
4	11	-4	16	2.5	6.25
8	4	0	0	-4.5	20.25
13	5	5	25	-3.5	12.25
7	14	-1	1	5.5	30.25
$\sum X_1 = 32$		$\sum (X_1 - \bar{X})^2 = 42$		$\sum (X_2 - \bar{X})^2 = 69$	

$$\bar{x}_1 = \frac{32}{4} = 8 \quad \bar{x}_2 = \frac{34}{4} = 8.5$$

Step 1

Mean $\bar{x}_1 = 8$ $\bar{x}_2 = 8.5$

Step 2:

Covariance Matrix

$$S = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} \text{Cov}(X_1, X_1) & \text{Cov}(X_1, X_2) \\ \text{Cov}(X_2, X_1) & \text{Cov}(X_2, X_2) \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \text{Var}(X_1) & \text{Cov}(X_1, X_2) \\ \text{Cov}(X_2, X_1) & \text{Var}(X_2) \end{bmatrix}$$

We know that

$$\text{Cov}(X_1, X_1) = \frac{1}{N-1} \sum_{k=1}^N (X_{1k} - \bar{X}_1)^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \times 42 = 14$$

$$\text{Cov}(X_1, X_2) = \frac{1}{N-1} \sum_{k=1}^N (X_{1k} - \bar{X}_1)(X_{2k} - \bar{X}_2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} [(-4 \times 2.5) + (0 \times -4.5) + (5 \times 3.5) + (-1 \times 5.5)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} [-10 + 0 - 17.5 - 5.5] = \frac{1}{3} \times -33 = -11$$

$$\text{Cov}(X_2, X_1) = \text{Cov}(X_1, X_2) = -11$$

$$\text{Cov}(X_2, X_2) = \frac{1}{N-1} \sum_{k=1}^N (X_{2k} - \bar{X}_2)^2 = \frac{1}{3} \times 69 = 23$$

$$\therefore S = \begin{bmatrix} 14 & -11 \\ -11 & 23 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 3

Eigen value of the covariance matrix

$$\det(S - \lambda I) = 0$$

$$\lambda I = \lambda \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 14 - \lambda & -11 \\ -11 & 23 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\lambda I = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(14 - \lambda)(23 - \lambda) - (-11)(-11) = \lambda^2 - 37\lambda + 201$$

$$\lambda = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} = \frac{37 \pm \sqrt{(37)^2 - 4 \times 1 \times 201}}{2} = \frac{37 \pm \sqrt{565}}{2}$$

$$\lambda = \left(\frac{37 + 23.77}{2}, \frac{37 - 23.77}{2} \right)$$

$$30.3849, 6.6151$$

$$\lambda_1 = 30.3849$$

$$\lambda_2 = 6.6151$$

Step 1: Computation of the eigenvector

Eigen vector corresponding to $\lambda = \lambda_1$ is a vector $U = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$(S - \lambda_1 I)U = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 14 - \lambda_1 & -11 \\ -11 & 23 - \lambda_1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$(14 - \lambda_1)u_1 - 11u_2 = 0$$

$$-11u_1 + (23 - \lambda_1)u_2 = 0$$

$$\frac{u_1}{11} = \frac{u_2}{14 - \lambda_1} = t \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} u_1 = 11t \\ u_2 = (14 - \lambda_1)t \end{matrix}$$

$$U_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 11 \\ 14 - \lambda_1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ eigen vector}$$

To find a unit eigen vector we compute the length of U_1

$$\|U_1\| = \sqrt{11^2 + (14 - \lambda_1)^2} = \sqrt{121 + (14 - 30.3849)^2} = 19.7348$$

\therefore Unit Vector corresponding to $\lambda_1 = 30.3849$ is

$$e_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{u_1}{\|U_1\|} \\ \frac{u_2}{\|U_1\|} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{11}{19.7348} \\ \frac{(14 - 30.3849)}{19.7348} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5574 \\ -0.8303 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now By carrying out similar computation the unit eigenvector e_2 corresponding to the eigenvalue $\lambda = \lambda_2$ can be shown to be

$$\lambda_2 = 6.6151$$

$$e_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0.8303 \\ 0.5574 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(S - \lambda_2 I)U_2 = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 14 - \lambda_2 & -11 \\ -11 & 23 - \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$(14 - \lambda_2)u_1 - 11u_2 = 0$$

$$-11u_1 + (23 - \lambda_2)u_2 = 0$$

$$\frac{u_1}{11} = \frac{u_2}{14 - \lambda_2} = t \Rightarrow U_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 11 \\ 14 - \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ unit eigenvector}$$

Second Unit eigen vector corresponding to $\lambda_2 = 6.6151$

$$e_i = \frac{v_2}{\|v_2\|}$$

$$\|v_2\| = \sqrt{11^2 + (14 - \lambda_2)^2} = 13.249$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 11/\|v_2\| \\ \frac{14 - \lambda_2}{\|v_2\|} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 11/13.249 \\ \frac{14 - 6.6151}{13.249} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.8303 \\ 0.5574 \end{bmatrix}$$

Steps

Computation of first principal components

$$\text{First PC1} = e_1^T \begin{bmatrix} x_{1k} - \bar{x}_1 \\ x_{2k} - \bar{x}_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_{nk} - \bar{x}_n \end{bmatrix}$$

we have

$$e_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5574 \\ -0.8303 \end{bmatrix} \quad e_1^T = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5574 & -0.8303 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$PC1_{i1} = e_1^T \begin{bmatrix} x_{1i} - \bar{x}_1 \\ x_{2i} - \bar{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5574 & -0.8303 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 - 8 \\ 11 - 8.5 \end{bmatrix} = -4.30535$$

x_1	4	8	13	7
x_2	11	4	5	14
First PC	-4.30535	3.7361	5.6928	-5.1238

$$PC2_{i2} = e_2^T \begin{bmatrix} x_{1i} - \bar{x}_1 \\ x_{2i} - \bar{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5574 & -0.8303 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 8 - 8 \\ 4 - 8.5 \end{bmatrix} = 3.7361 \text{ \& so on.}$$

