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Machine Learning

Deep Learning Basics
Lecture 07: Factor Analysis

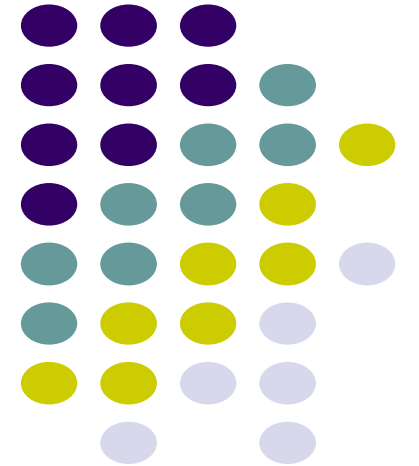
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Supervised v.s. Unsupervised

Math formulation for supervised learning

- Given training data $\{(x_i, y_i) : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ i.i.d. from distribution D
- Find $y = f(x) \in \mathcal{H}$ that minimizes $\hat{E}(f) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n l(f, x_i, y_i)$
- s.t. the expected loss is small

$$L(f) = \mathbb{E}_{(x,y) \sim D} [l(f, x, y)]$$

Unsupervised learning

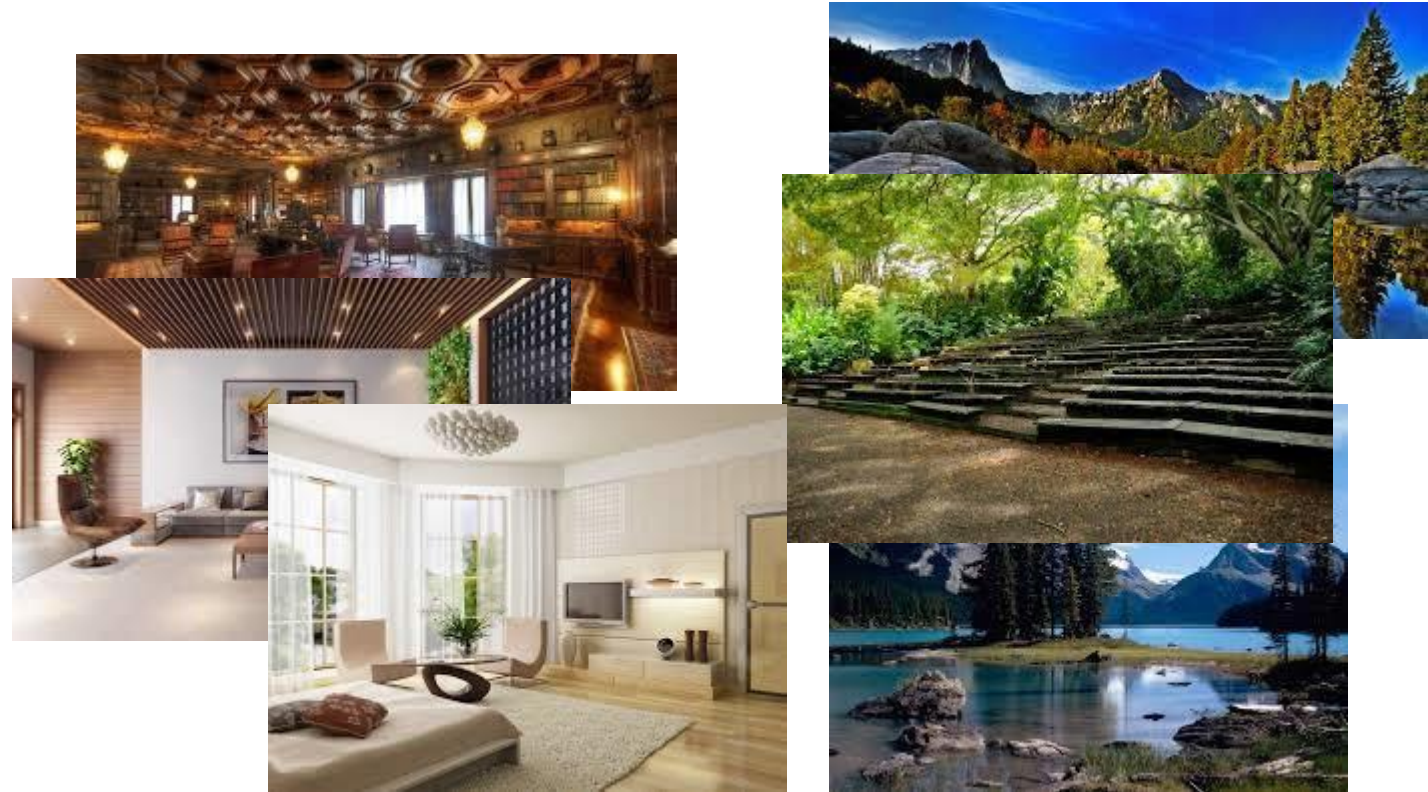
- Given training data $\{x_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ i.i.d. from distribution D
- Extract some “structure” from the data
- Do not have a general framework
- Typical unsupervised tasks:
 - Summarization: clustering, dimension reduction
 - Learning probabilistic models: latent variable model, density estimation

Principal Component Analysis (PCA)

Linear

High dimensional data

- Example 1: images



Dimension: $300 \times 300 = 90,000$

High dimensional data

- Example 2: documents
- Features:
 - Unigram (count of each word): thousands
 - Bigram (co-occurrence contextual information): millions
- Netflix survey: 480189 users x 17770 movies

	Movie 1	Movie 2	Movie 3	Movie 4	Movie 5	Movie 6	...
User 1	5	?	?	1	3	?	
User 2	?	?	3	1	2	5	
User 3	4	3	1	?	5	1	
...							

Example from Nina Balcan

~~Principal Component Analysis (PCA)~~

- ~~Data analysis point of view: dimension reduction technique on a given set of high dimensional data $\{x_i: 1 \leq i \leq n\}$~~
- ~~Math point of view: eigen-decomposition of the covariance (or singular value decomposition of the data)~~
- ~~Classic, commonly used tool~~

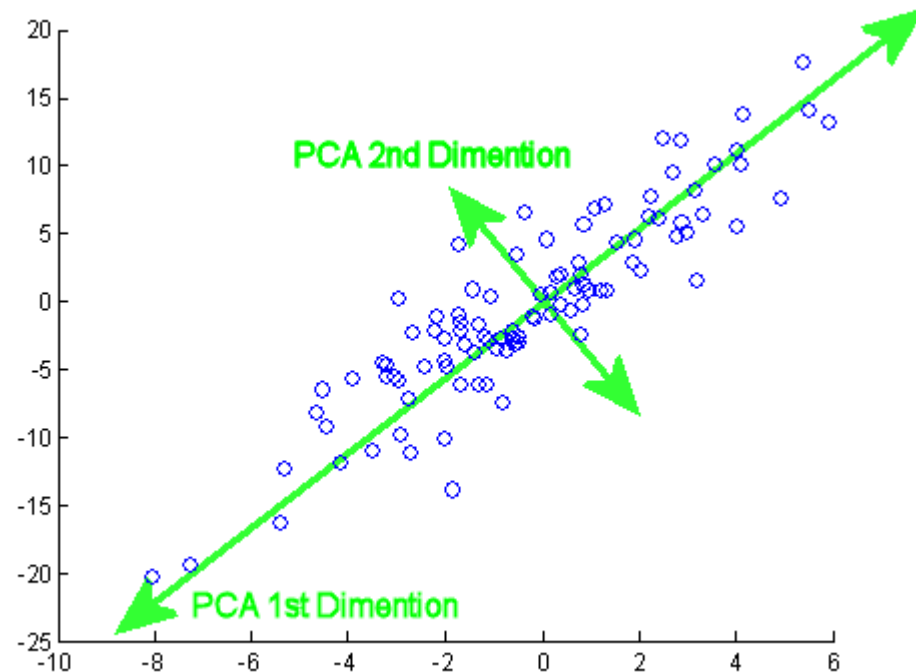
Principal Component Analysis (PCA)

- ✓ ✓ • Extract hidden lower dimensional structure of the data
 - ✓ • Try to capture the variance structure as much as possible
- ✓ • Computation: solved by singular value decomposition (SVD)

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Principal Component Analysis (PCA)

- **Definition:** an orthogonal projection or transformation of the data into a (typically lower dimensional) subspace so that the variance of the projected data is maximized.



Principal Component Analysis (PCA)

- An illustration of the projection to 1 dim
- Pay attention to the variance of the projected points

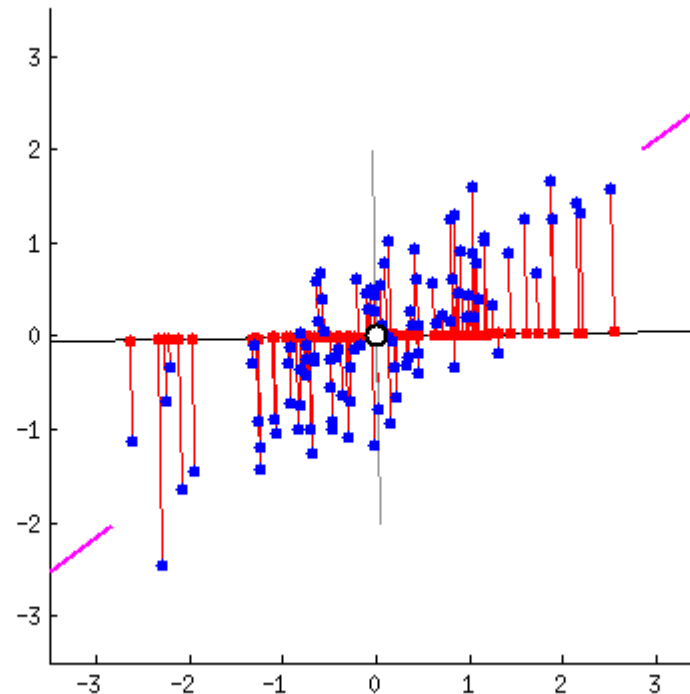


Figure from amoeba@stackexchange

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Principal Component Analysis (PCA)

- Principal Components (PC) are directions that capture most of the variance in the data
 - First PC: direction of greatest variability in data
 - Data points are most spread out when projected on the first PC compared to any other direction
 - Second PC: next direction of greatest variability, orthogonal to first PC
 - Third PC: next direction of greatest variability, orthogonal to first and second PC's
 - ...
- highest variance axis*

~~Math~~ formulation

- Suppose the data are centered: $\sum_{i=1}^n x_i = 0$
- Then their projections on any direction v are centered: $\sum_{i=1}^n v^T x_i = 0$
- First PC: maximize the variance of the projections

$$\max_v \sum_{i=1}^n (v^T x_i)^2, \quad \text{s.t. } v^T v = 1$$

equivalent to

$$\max_v v^T X X^T v, \quad \text{s.t. } v^T v = 1$$

where the columns of X are the data points

Math formulation

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- Solved by Lagrangian: exists λ , so that

$$\begin{aligned} & \max_v v^T X X^T v - \lambda v^T v \\ & \frac{\partial}{\partial v} = 0 \rightarrow (X X^T - \lambda I) v = 0 \rightarrow X X^T v = \lambda v \end{aligned}$$

Computation: Eigen-decomposition

- First PC: $XX^T v = \lambda v$
- XX^T : covariance matrix
- v : eigen-vector of the covariance matrix
- First PC: first eigen-vector of the covariance matrix
- Top k PC's: similar argument shows they are the top k eigen-vectors

Computation: Eigen-decomposition

- Top k PC's: the top k eigen-vectors $XX^T U = \Lambda U$
where Λ is a diagonal matrix
- U are the left singular vectors of X
- Recall SVD decomposition theorem:
- An $m \times n$ real matrix M has factorization $M = U\Sigma V^T$ where U is an $m \times m$ orthogonal matrix, Σ is a $m \times n$ rectangular diagonal matrix with non-negative real numbers on the diagonal, and V is an $n \times n$ orthogonal matrix.

Equivalent view: low rank approximation

- First PC maximizes variance:

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- Alternative viewpoint: find vector v such that the projection yields minimum MSE reconstruction

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$$\text{blue}^2 + \text{green}^2 = \text{black}^2$$

black² is fixed (it's just the data)

So, maximizing blue² is
equivalent to minimizing green²

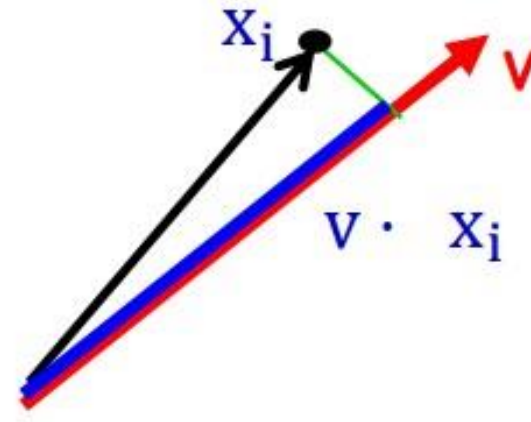


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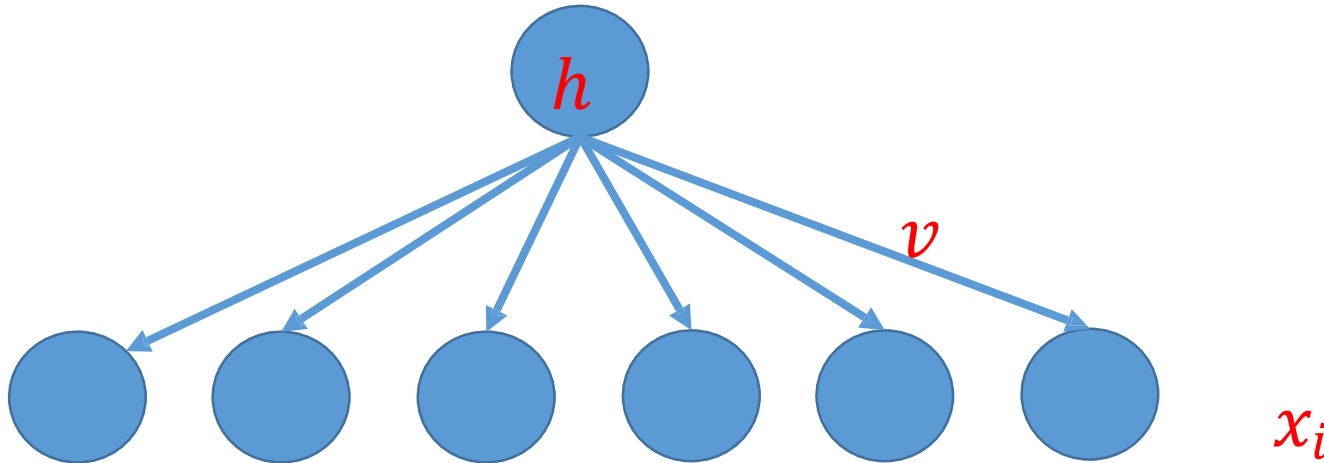
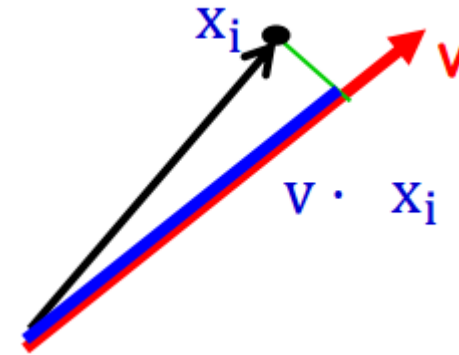
Summary

- ✓ PCA: orthogonal projection that maximizes variance
- ✓ Low rank approximation: orthogonal projection that minimizes error
- ✓ Eigen-decomposition/SVD
- All equivalent for centered data

Sparse coding

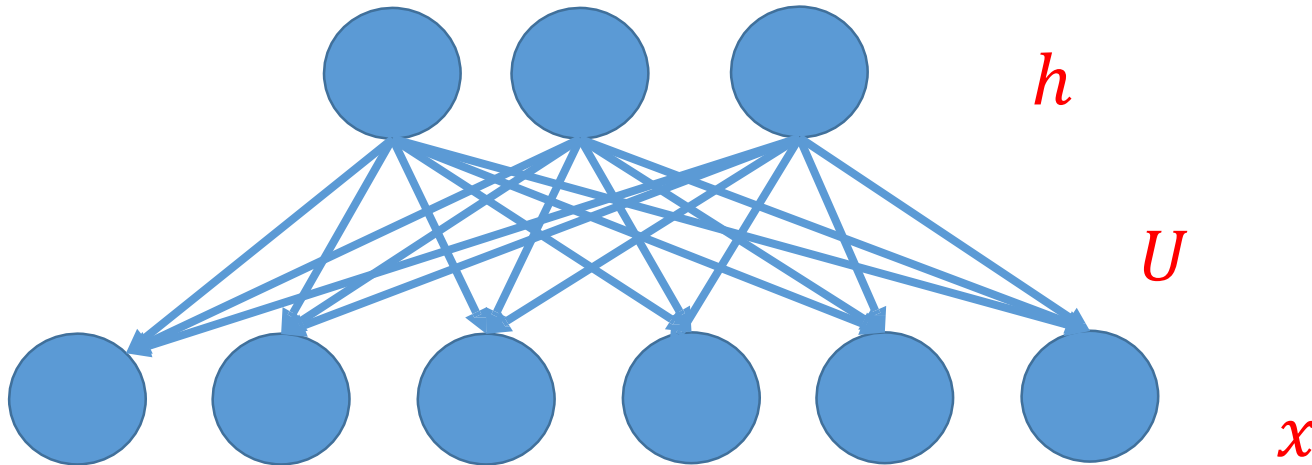
A latent variable view of PCA

- Let $h_i = v^T x_i$
- Data point viewed as $x_i = v h_i + \text{noise}$



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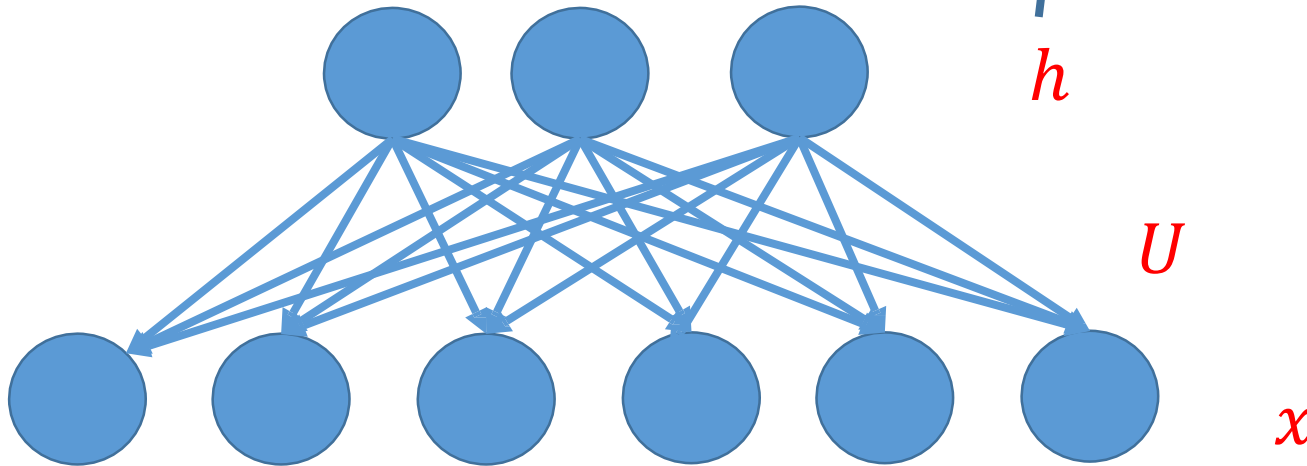
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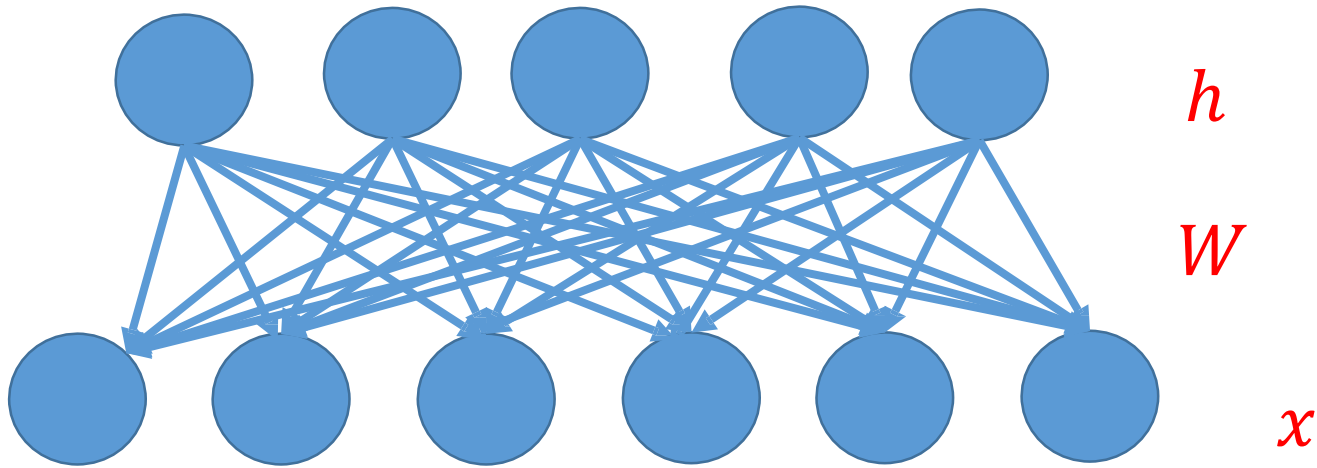
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PCA structure assumption: h
low dimension. What about
other assumptions?



Sparse coding

- Structure assumption: h is sparse, i.e., $\|h\|_0$ is small
- Dimension of h can be large

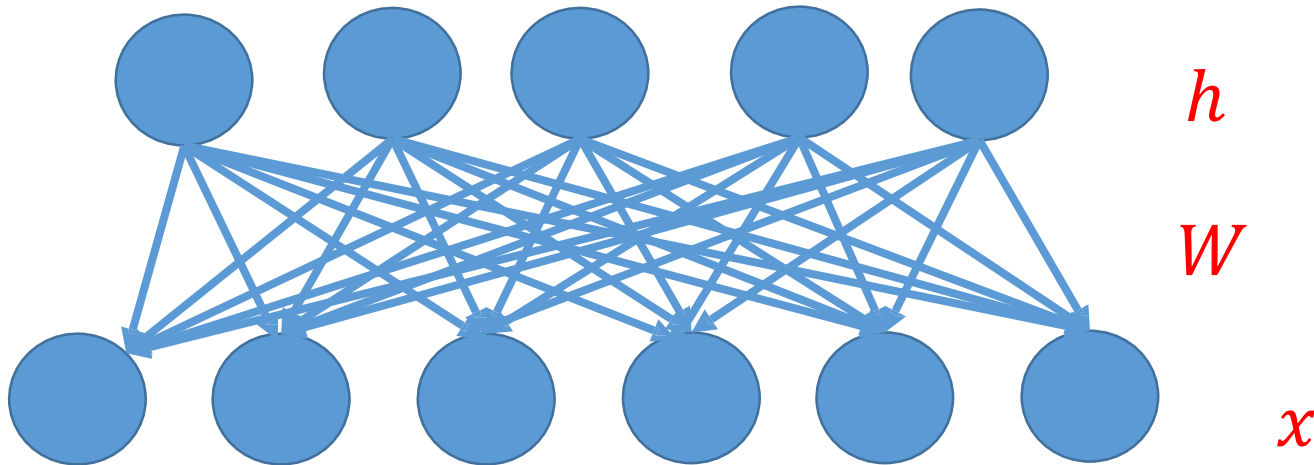


Sparse coding

- Latent variable probabilistic model view:

$$p(x|h) = Wh + N\left(0, \frac{1}{\beta_\lambda} I\right), h \text{ is sparse,}$$

- E.g., from Laplacian prior: $p(h) = \frac{\lambda}{2} \exp\left(-\frac{\lambda}{2} \|h\|_1\right)$



Sparse coding

- Suppose W is known. MLE on h is

$$h^* = \arg \max_h \log p(h|x)$$

$$h^* = \arg \min_h \lambda \|h\|_1 + \beta \|x - Wh\|_2^2$$

- Suppose both W, h unknown.
 - Typically alternate between updating W, h

Sparse coding

- Historical note: study on visual system
- Bruno A Olshausen, and David Field. "Emergence of simple-cell receptive field properties by learning a sparse code for natural images." *Nature* 381.6583 (1996): 607-609.

Project paper list

Supervised learning

- AlexNet: [ImageNet Classification with Deep Convolutional Neural Networks](#)
- GoogLeNet: [Going Deeper with Convolutions](#)
- Residue Network: [Deep Residual Learning for Image Recognition](#)

Unsupervised learning

- Deep belief networks: [A fast learning algorithm for deep belief nets](#)
- [Reducing the Dimensionality of Data with Neural Networks](#)
- Variational autoencoder: [Auto-Encoding Variational Bayes](#)
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