



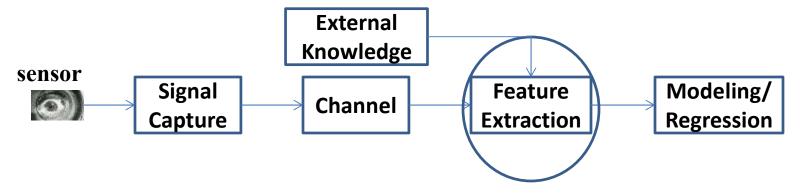
# Machine Learning for Signal Processing Supervised Representations (Slides partially by Najim Dehak)





#### **MLSP**

Application of Machine Learning techniques to the analysis of signals



- Feature Extraction:
  - Supervised (Guided) representation





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## Recall: Data-dependent bases

- What is a good basis?
  - Energy Compaction → Karkhonen-Loève
  - Retain maximum variance → PCA
    - Also uncorrelatedness of representation
  - Sparsity → Overcomplete bases
  - Constructive composability → NMF
  - Statistical Independence → ICA
- We create a narrative about how the data are created





## Task-dependent bases?

- Task: Regression
  - We attempt to predict some variable Y using a variable X
    - Via linear regression
- Standard data-driven bases:
  - Find a representation of X that best captures the characteristics of X
    - Without considering Y
  - Find a representation of Y that best captures the characteristics of Y
    - Without considering X
  - The two representations are independently learned
  - Try to predict (learned representation of) Y from the (learned representation of) X
- Can we do better if the bases used to represent X and Y are jointly learned?
  - Such that the learned representation of X is now better able to predict the learned representation of Y





## Task-dependent bases?

- Task: Classification
  - We attempt to assign a class Y to input data X
- Standard data-driven bases:
  - Find a representation of X that best captures the characteristics of X
    - Without considering Y
  - Try to predict Y from the (learned representation of) X
- Can we do better if the bases used to represent X consider the classes Y?
  - Such that the learned representation of X are more useful for classification of X into Y





# Supervised learning of bases

- Problems are instances of supervised learning of bases
  - Supervision provided by variable Y
- What is a good basis?
  - Basis that gives best classification performance
  - Basis that results in best regression performance
    - Here bases can be jointly learned for both independent variable X and dependent variable Y
  - In general: Basis that maximizes shared information with another 'view'
    - The second "view" is the task





## **Multiple Regression**

- Robot Archer Example
  - A robot fires defective arrows at a target
    - We don't know how wind might affect their movement, but we'd like to correct for it if possible.
  - Predict the distance from the center of a target of a fired arrow
- Measure wind speed in 3 directions

$$X_i = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ w_x \\ w_y \\ w_z \end{bmatrix}$$







# **Multiple Regression**

Wind speed

$$X_i = \begin{vmatrix} 1 \\ w_x \\ w_y \\ w_z \end{vmatrix}$$

- Offset from center in 2 directions  $Y_i = \begin{bmatrix} o_x \\ o_y \end{bmatrix}$
- Model

$$Y_i = \beta^T X_i$$







## **Multiple Regression**

Answer

$$\beta = (XX^T)^{-1}XY^T$$

- Here Y contains measurements of the distance of the arrow from the center
- $-Y_i = \beta^T X_i \rightarrow$ We are fitting a plane
- Correlation is basically just the gradient of the plane

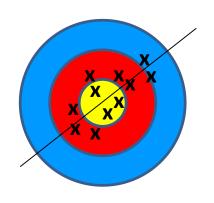






## Focusing on what's important

- Do all wind factors affect the position
  - Or just some low-dimensional combinations  $\hat{X} = U^T X$
- Do they affect both coordinates individually
  - Or just some of combination  $\hat{y} = V^T Y$

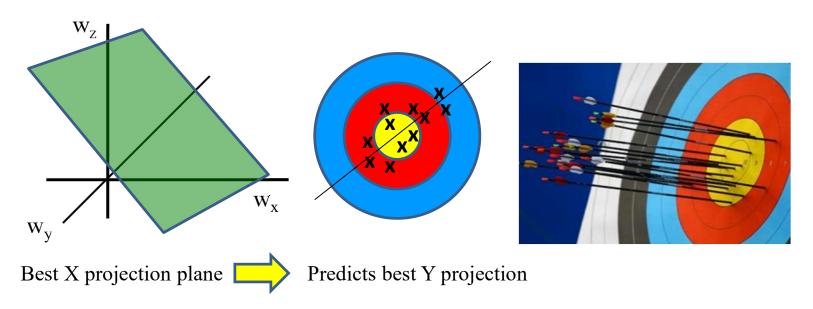








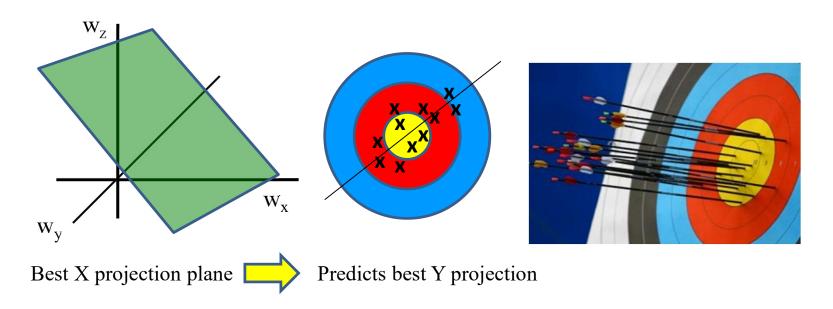
- Find a projection of wind vector X, and a projection of arrow location vector Y such that the projection of X best predicts the projection of Y
  - The projection of the vectors for Y and X respectively that are most correlated







- What do these vectors represent?
  - Direction of max correlation ignores parts of wind and location data that do not affect each other
    - Only information about the defective arrow remains!

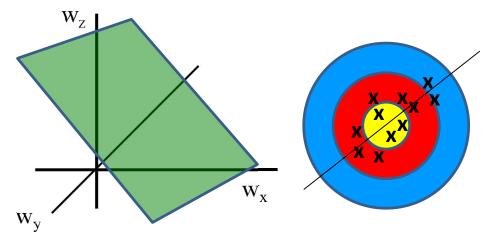






# Why not just jointly analyze

- Why not just concatenate both variables?
  - E.g. create  $Z = [X^T Y^T]^T$  and just perform PCA on Z
- It does not exploit the extra structure of the signal (more on this shortly)
  - PCA on joint data will decorrelate all variables
    - Also mixes X and Y, whereas we want to predict Y from X
  - We want to decorrelate X and Y, but maximize cross-correlation between X and Y









## **A Quick Review**

Matrix representation

$$\mathbf{X} = [X_1, X_2, \dots, X_N] \qquad \mathbf{Y} = [Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_N]$$

$$C_{XX} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i} X_i X_i^T = \frac{1}{N} \mathbf{X} \mathbf{X}^T$$

$$C_{YY} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i} Y_i Y_i^T = \frac{1}{N} \mathbf{Y} \mathbf{Y}^T$$

$$C_{XY} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i} X_i Y_i^T = \frac{1}{N} \mathbf{X} \mathbf{Y}^T$$



#### **Cross Correlation**

Cross correlation between X and Y :

$$C_{XY} = E[XY^T]$$
$$= \frac{1}{N} \mathbf{X} \mathbf{Y}^T$$

• If we project *X* and *Y* down to *k* dimensions:

$$\hat{X} = U^T X$$

$$\hat{Y} = V^T Y$$

- U is  $N \times k$ , V is  $M \times k$ , where N and M are the dimension of X and Y
- Cross correlation between  $\widehat{X}$  and  $\widehat{Y}$  is

$$C_{\widehat{X}\widehat{Y}} = E[\widehat{X}\widehat{Y}^T] = U^T C_{XY} V$$
$$= \frac{1}{N} U^T \mathbf{X} \mathbf{Y}^T V$$



## **Maximizing Cross Correlation**

• Maximize  $C_{\widehat{X}\widehat{Y}}$ 

$$\widehat{U}, \widehat{V} = \underset{U,V}{\operatorname{argmax}} C_{\widehat{X}\widehat{Y}}$$

Which becomes:

$$\widehat{U}, \widehat{V} = \underset{U,V}{\operatorname{argmax}} U^T C_{XY} V$$

Where

$$C_{XY} = \frac{1}{N} \mathbf{X} \mathbf{Y}^T$$

Is this enough?



## **Maximizing Cross Correlation**

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- This can be arbitrarily maximized by simply scaling up U, or V ...
  - Or X or Y
- So how do we constrain this?



#### **Constraints**

$$\widehat{U}, \widehat{V} = \underset{U,V}{\operatorname{argmax}} \frac{1}{N} U^T \mathbf{X} \mathbf{Y}^T V$$

- Options
  - Whiten X
  - Whiten Y
  - Constrain U to be an orthonormal matrix
    - All Eigen values are 1
  - Constrain V to be an orthonormal matrix
- Can we compact these further?





### **A Quick Review**

 The effect of a transform on the covariance of an RV

$$\hat{X} = U^T X$$

$$C_{XX} = E[XX^T]$$

$$C_{\widehat{X}\widehat{X}} = E[\widehat{X}\widehat{X}^T] = U^T C_{XX} U$$



• Constrain  $\widehat{X}$  and to  $\widehat{Y}$  be white

$$\widehat{U}, \widehat{V} = \underset{U,V}{\operatorname{argmax}} U^T C_{XY} V$$

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,  $V^T C_{YY} V = I_k$ 



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How do you maximize a matrix??

$$U^T C_{XX} U = I_k$$
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• Constrain  $\hat{X}$  and to  $\hat{Y}$  be white

$$\widehat{U}, \widehat{V} = \underset{U,V}{\operatorname{argmax}} \operatorname{trace}(U^T C_{XY} V)$$

$$U^T C_{XX} U = I_k, \quad V^T C_{YY} V = I_k$$

- Maximize the sum of the diagonals of the cross correlation matrix
  - I.e. maximize the sum of the Eigen values of the cross correlation matrix



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• Constrain  $\hat{X}$  and to  $\hat{Y}$  be white

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- Maximize the sum of the diagonals of the cross correlation matrix
  - I.e. maximize the sum of the Eigen values of the cross correlation matrix
    - Why the sum?





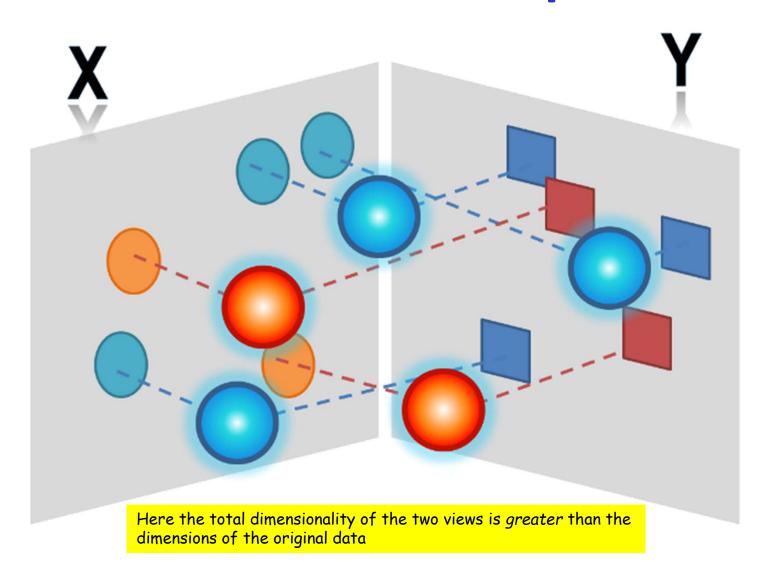
## **Multiview Assumption**

- CCA models both variables as different views of a common reality
  - X and Y are obtained from different views of the same common space
    - The two views are correlated
    - But each of the views also loses some information
      - E.g the total dimensions of the views of X and Y may be fewer than the total dimensions of the space
  - Each view locally perturbed by noise
- Challenge: Extract the correlated subspaces of X and Y from their noise





# **Multiview Examples**

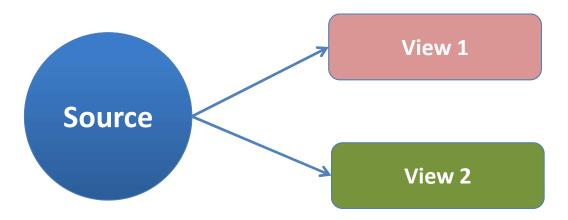






## **Multiview Assumption**

 We can sort of think of a model for how our data might be generated



- We want View 1 independent of View 2 conditioned on knowledge of the source
  - All correlation is due to source





## **Multiview Examples**

- Look at many stocks from different sectors of the economy
  - Conditioned on the fact that they are part of the same economy they might be independent of one another
- Multiple Speakers saying the same sentence
  - The sentence generates signals from many speakers.
     Each speaker might be independent of each other conditioned on the sentence

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View 2

Source



## Recall: Least squares formulae

$$E = \sum_{i} (X_i - Y_i)^2$$

$$\mathbf{X} = [X_1, X_2, ..., X_N]$$
  $\mathbf{Y} = [Y_1, Y_2, ..., Y_N]$ 

$$E = \|\mathbf{X} - \mathbf{Y}\|_F^2$$

Expressing total error as a matrix operation





## **CCA** objective

- CCA attempts to "reconstruct" a shared reality from both views
  - And tries to make them both look the same

$$\underset{U \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times k}, \ V \in \mathbb{R}^{M \times k}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \| U^T \mathbf{X} - V^T \mathbf{Y} \|_F^2 \longleftarrow \underline{\text{minimize}}$$

s.t. 
$$U^T C_{XX} U = I_k$$
,  $V^T C_{YY} V = I_k$ 





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s.t. 
$$U^T \mathbf{X} \mathbf{X}^T U = N I_k$$
,  $V^T \mathbf{Y} \mathbf{Y}^T V = N I_k$ 

s.t. 
$$U^T C_{XX} U = I_k$$
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$$||U^{T}\mathbf{X} - V^{T}\mathbf{Y}||_{F}^{2} = trace(U^{T}\mathbf{X} - V^{T}\mathbf{Y})(U^{T}\mathbf{X} - V^{T}\mathbf{Y})^{T}$$

$$= trace(U^{T}\mathbf{X}\mathbf{X}^{T}U + V^{T}\mathbf{Y}\mathbf{Y}^{T}V - U^{T}\mathbf{X}\mathbf{Y}^{T}V - V^{T}\mathbf{Y}\mathbf{X}^{T}U)$$

$$= 2Nk - 2trace(U^{T}\mathbf{X}\mathbf{Y}^{T}V)$$

• So we can solve the equivalent problem below  $\max_{U,V} trace(U^T C_{XY} V)$ 

s.t. 
$$U^T C_{XX} U = I_k$$
,  $V^T C_{YY} V = I_k$ 





Incorporating Lagrangian, maximize

$$\mathcal{L}(\Lambda_X, \Lambda_Y) = tr(U^T C_{XY} V)$$

$$-tr\left(\left((U^T C_{XX} U) - I_k\right) \Lambda_X\right) - tr\left(\left((V^T C_{YY} V) - I_k\right) \Lambda_Y\right)$$

- Remember that the constraints matrices are symmetric
- Also for any A, B,

$$\nabla_A tr(AB) = B^T$$

$$\nabla_A tr(ABA^T) = A(B + B^T)$$





Taking derivatives and after a few manipulations

$$\Lambda_X = \Lambda_Y = \Lambda$$

We arrive at the following system of equation

$$C_{YX}\tilde{U} = C_{YY}\tilde{V}D$$
$$C_{XY}\tilde{V} = C_{XX}\tilde{U}D$$





#### **CCA Derivation**

• We isolate  $ilde{V}$ 

$$\tilde{V} = C_{YY}^{-1} C_{YX} \tilde{U} D^{-1}$$

We arrive at the following system of equation

$$C_{XX}^{-1}C_{XY}C_{YY}^{-1}C_{YX}\tilde{U} = \tilde{U}D^2$$

$$C_{YY}^{-1}C_{YX}C_{XX}^{-1}C_{XY}\tilde{V} = \tilde{V}D^2$$





#### **CCA Derivation**

• For  $\widetilde{U}$  we just have to find eigenvectors for

$$C_{XX}^{-1}C_{XY}C_{YY}^{-1}C_{YX}$$

- Basically, the Eigen vectors for the correlation of the vector obtained by transforming X to Y and back to X
- After normalizing out the local variance
- We then solve for the other view using the expression for  $\tilde{V}$  on the previous slide.
- In PCA the eigenvalues were the variances in the PCA bases directions
- In CCA the eigenvalues are the squared correlations in the canonical correlation directions



# JOHNS HOPKINS WHITING SCHOOL CCA as Generalized Eigenvalue Problem

Combine the system of eigenvalue eigenvector equations

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & C_{XY} \\ C_{YX} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{U} \\ \tilde{V} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} C_{XX} & 0 \\ 0 & C_{YY} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{U} \\ \tilde{V} \end{bmatrix} D$$

Generalized eigenvalue problem

$$AU = BU\Lambda$$

- We assumed invertible  $C_{XX}, C_{YY} \rightarrow \exists B^{-1}$
- Solve a single eigenvalue/vector equation

$$B^{-1}A\tilde{U} = \tilde{U}D$$





#### **CCA Fixes**

- We assumed invertibility of covariance matrices.
  - Sometimes they are close to singular and we would like stable matrix inverses
  - If we added a small positive diagonal element to the covariances then we could guarantee invertibility.
- It turns out this is equivalent to regularization





#### **CCA Fixes**

- The following problems are equivalent
  - They have the same gradients

$$\min_{U,V} \| U^T \mathbf{X} - V^T \mathbf{Y} \|_F^2 + \lambda_{\mathcal{X}} \| U \|_F^2 + \lambda_{\mathcal{Y}} \| V \|_F^2$$

$$\max_{U,V} trace(U^T \mathbf{X} \mathbf{Y}^T V)$$

s.t. 
$$U^T(C_{XX}+\lambda_x I)U=I_k$$
,  $V^T(C_{YY}+\lambda_y I)V=I_k$ 

- The previous solution still applies but with slightly different autocovariance matrices
  - "Diagonal load" the autocovariances





#### **CCA Fixes**

 Since we now have strictly positive autocovariance matrices, we know they have Cholesky decompositions.

$$(C_{XX} + \lambda_x I) = L_{XX} L_{XX}^T$$

This results in the following problem

$$L_{XX}^{-\frac{1}{2}}C_{XY}(C_{YY} + \lambda_y I)^{-1}C_{YX}(L_{XX}^{-\frac{1}{2}})^T \tilde{U} = \tilde{U}D$$

- We note that the matrix is symmetric and
- So the problem is solved by SVD on the matrix M

$$L_{XX}^{-\frac{1}{2}}C_{XY}(C_{YY}+\lambda_yI)^{-1}C_{YX}(L_{XX}^{-\frac{1}{2}})^T=MM^T \text{ with } M=L_{XX}^{-\frac{1}{2}}C_{XY}(C_{YY}+\lambda_yI)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$



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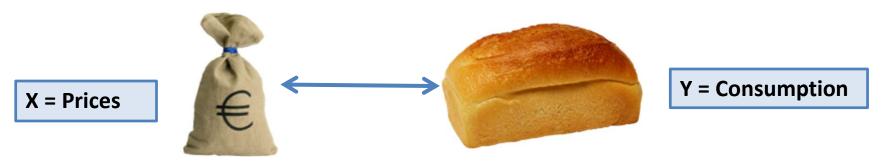


### **CCA Motivation and History**

- Proposed by Hotelling (1936)
- Many real world problems involve 2 'views' of data

#### Economics

- Consumption of wheat is related to the price of potatoes, rice and barley ... and wheat
- Random vector of prices X
- Random vector of consumption Y



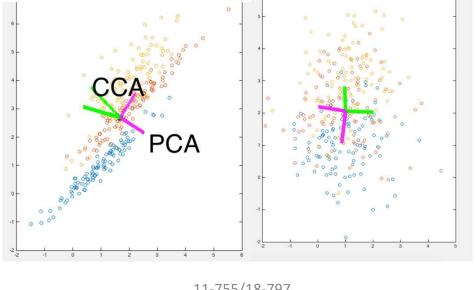
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## **CCA Motivation and History**

- Magnus Borga, David Hardoon popularized CCA as a technique in signal processing and machine learning
- Better for dimensionality reduction in many cases

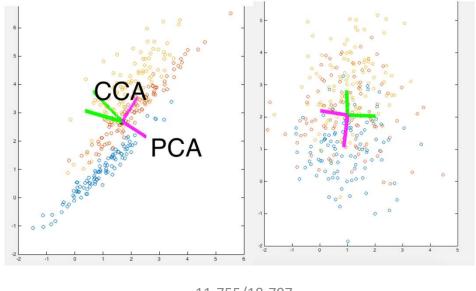






# **CCA Dimensionality Reduction**

- We keep only the correlated subspace
- Is this always good?
  - If we have measured things we care about then we have removed useless information







# **CCA Dimensionality Reduction**

- In this case:
  - CCA found a basis component that preserved class distinctions while reducing dimensionality
  - Able to preserve class in both views







# **Comparison to PCA**

PCA fails to preserve class distinctions as well







#### **Failure of PCA**

- PCA is unsupervised
  - Captures the direction of greatest variance (Energy)
  - No notion of task or hence what is good or bad information
  - The direction of greatest variance can sometimes be noise
  - Ok for reconstruction of signal
  - Catastrophic for preserving class information in some cases





#### **Benefits of CCA**

- Why did CCA work?
  - Supervision
    - External Knowledge
  - The 2 views track each other in a direction that does not correspond to noise
  - Noise suppression (sometimes)
- Preview
  - If one of the sets of signals are true labels, CCA is equivalent to Linear Discriminant Analysis
  - Hard Supervision





# **Multiview Assumption**

- When does CCA work?
  - The correlated subspace must actually have interesting signal
    - If two views have correlated noise then we will learn a bad representation
- Sometimes the correlated subspace can be noise
  - Correlated noise in both sets of views



# JOHNS HOPKINS WHITING SCHOOL CCA as Generalized Eigenvalue Problem

Rayleigh Quotient

$$\lambda_{max}(B^{-1}A) = \max_{x} \frac{x^{T}Ax}{x^{T}Bx}$$

$$\frac{\delta}{\delta x} \frac{x^{T}Ax}{x^{T}Bx} = \frac{\delta}{\delta x} x^{T}Ax(x^{T}Bx)^{-1} = 0$$

$$= 2Ax(x^{T}Bx)^{-1} - x^{T}Ax(x^{T}Bx)^{-2}2Bx = 0$$

$$\implies \frac{1}{x^{T}Bx}(Ax - \frac{x^{T}Ax}{x^{T}Bx}Bx) = 0$$

$$\implies Ax = \frac{x^{T}Ax}{x^{T}Bx}Bx$$



# JOHNS HOPKINS WHITING SCHOOL CCA as Generalized Eigenvalue Problem

- So the solutions to CCA are the same as those to the Rayleigh quotient
- PCA is actually also this problem with

$$A = C_{XX}, B = I$$

 We will see that Linear Discriminant Analysis also takes this form, but first we need to fix a few CCA things





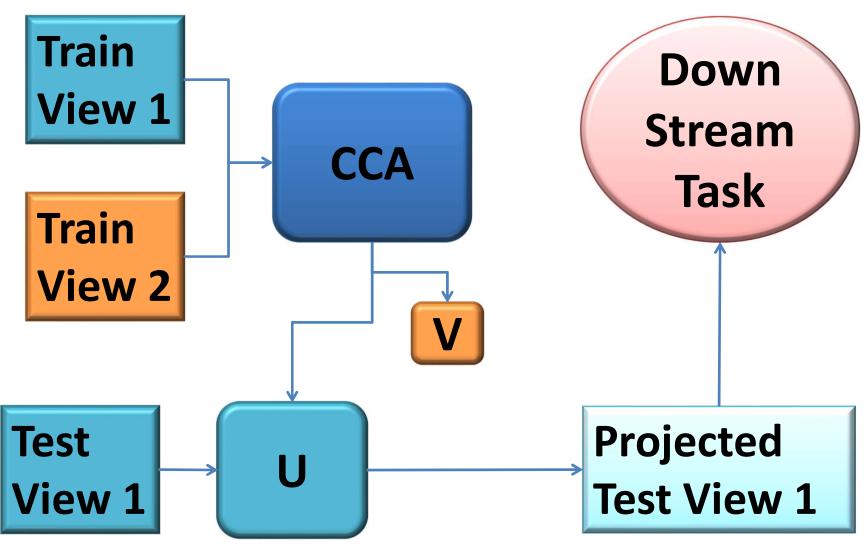
#### What to do with the CCA Bases?

- The CCA Bases are important in their own right.
  - Allow us a generalized measure of correlation
  - Compressing data into a compact correlative basis
- For machine learning we generally ...
  - Learn a CCA basis for a class of data
  - Project new instances of data from that class onto the learned basis
  - This is called multi-view learning





# **Multiview Setup**



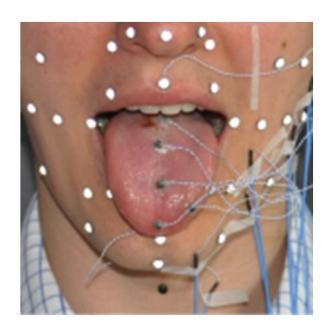
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## **Multiview Setup**

- Often one view consists of measurements that are very hard to collect
  - Speakers all saying the same sentence
  - Articulatory measurements along with speech
  - Odd camera angles
  - Etc.



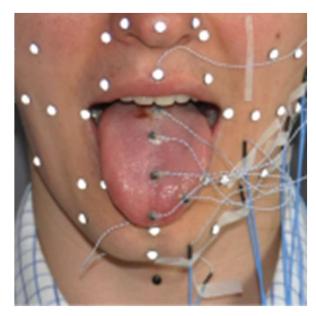
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## **Multiview Setup**

- We learn the correlated direction from data during training
- Constrain the common view to lie in the correlated subspace at test time
  - Removes uselessinformation (Noise)



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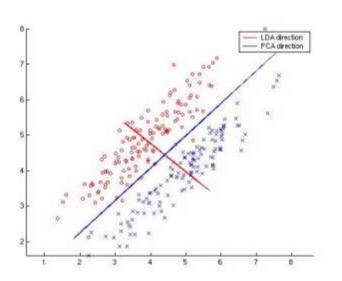


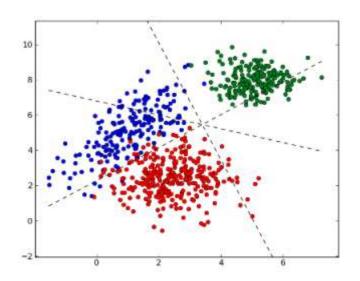
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## **Linear Discriminant Analysis**





- Given data from two classes
- Find the projection U
- Such that the separation between the classes is maximum along U
  - $Y = U^TX$  is the projection bases in U
  - No other basis separates the classes as much as U

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# **Linear Discriminant Analysis**

- We have 2 views as in CCA
- One of the views is the class labels of the data
  - Learn the direction that is maximally correlated with the class labels!
- It turns out that LDA and CCA are equivalent when the situation above is true



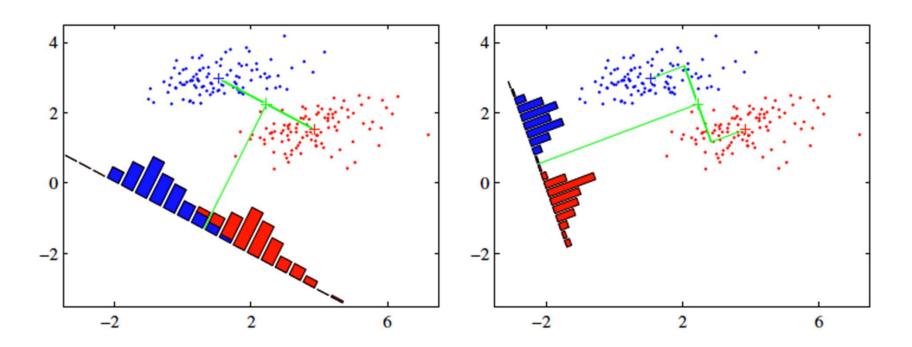


- LDA setup
  - Assume classes are roughly Gaussian
    - Still works if they are not, but not as well
  - We know the class membership of our training data
  - Classes are distinguishable by ...
    - Big gaps between classes with no data points
    - Relatively compact clusters





#### LDA setup







- We define a few Quantities
  - Within-class scatter

$$\mathbf{S}_{\mathrm{W}} = \sum_{k=1}^{K} \mathbf{S}_{k}$$
  $\mathbf{S}_{k} = \sum_{n \in \mathcal{C}_{k}} (\mathbf{x}_{n} - \mathbf{m}_{k}) (\mathbf{x}_{n} - \mathbf{m}_{k})^{\mathrm{T}}$ 

- Minimize how far points can stray from the mean
- Compact classes
- Between-class scatter
  - Maximize the variance of the class means (distance between means)

$$\mathbf{S}_{\mathrm{B}} = \sum_{k=1}^{K} N_k (\mathbf{m}_k - \mathbf{m}) (\mathbf{m}_k - \mathbf{m})^{\mathrm{T}}.$$

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- We want a small within-class variance
- We want a high between-class variance
- Let's maximize the ratio of the two!!

- Remember we are looking for the basis W onto which projections maximize this ratio
  - Key concept: what is the covariance of  $Y = W^T X$  given  $C_{XX}$ ?



# Recall: Effect of projection on scatter

- Let  $Y = W^T X$
- Let  $S_B$  and  $S_W$  be the between and within class scatter of X
- Within class scatter of Y:  $S_W^Y = W^T S_W W$
- Between class scatter of Y:  $S_B^Y = W^T S_B W$
- Must maximize  $S_B^Y$  while minimizing  $S_W^Y$ .

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- We actually have too much freedom
  - Without any constraints on W
  - Let's fix the within-class variance to be 1.  $\operatorname*{argmax} tr(W^TS_BW) \ s.t. \ W^TS_WW = I$   $W \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times k}$
- The Lagrangian is ...

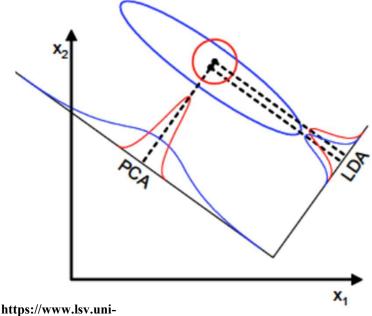
$$L(\Lambda) = \underset{W \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times k}}{\operatorname{argmax}} tr(W^{T}S_{B}W) - tr((W^{T}S_{W}W - I)\Lambda)$$

- So we see that we have a generalized eigenvalue solution  $S_B w = \lambda S_W w$ 
  - w is any column of W and  $\lambda$  is a diagonal entry of  $\Lambda$





- When does LDA fail?
  - When classes do not fit into our model of a blob
  - We assumed classes are separated by means
  - They might be separated by variance
  - We can fix this using heteroscedastic LDA
    - Fixes the assumption of shared covariance across class.



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# Poll 4

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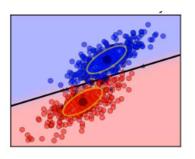
#### LDA for classification

- For each class assume a Gaussian Distribution
  - Estimate parameters of the Gaussian
  - We want argmax P(Y = K | X)
  - We use Bayes rule

$$P(Y = K | X) = P(X | Y = K)P(Y = K)$$

We end up with linear decision surfaces between classes

$$\log\left(\frac{P(y=k|X)}{P(y=l|X)}\right) = 0 \Leftrightarrow (\mu_k - \mu_l)\Sigma^{-1}X = \frac{1}{2}(\mu_k^t \Sigma^{-1} \mu_k - \mu_l^t \Sigma^{-1} \mu_l)$$



For the best classification, perform Bayes classification on the LDA projections

# Bakeoff - PCA, CCA, LDA on Vowel Classification

- Speech is produced by an excitation in the glottis (vocal folds)
- Sound is then shaped with the tongue, teeth, soft palate ...
- This shaping is what generates the different vowels

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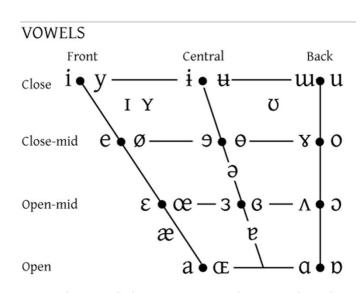
soft palate (velum) upper lip tongue https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=58AJva7 pharynx lower teeth larynx

# Bakeoff – PCA, CCA, LDA on Vowel Classification

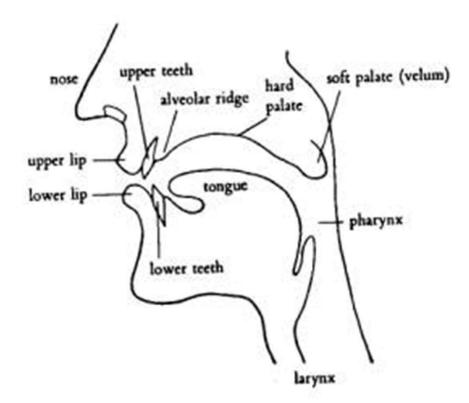
 To represent where in the mouth the vowels are being shaped linguists have something called a vowel diagram

It classifies vowels as front-back, open-closed depending

on tongue position



Where symbols appear in pairs, the one to the right represents a rounded vowel  $% \left\{ 1,2,\ldots,n\right\}$ 

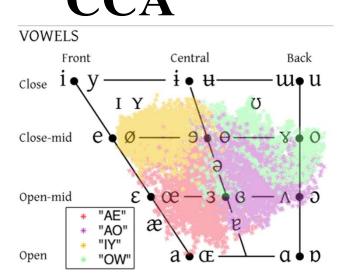


# Bakeoff – PCA, CCA, LDA on Vowel Classification

- Task:
  - Discover the vowel chart from data
- CCA on Acoustic and Articulatory View
  - Project Acoustic data onto top 3 dimensions

# VOWELS Front Central Back Close i y i u u u Close-mid e Ø 9 0 0 0 Open-mid & AE" "AE" "AO" "IY" Open Open

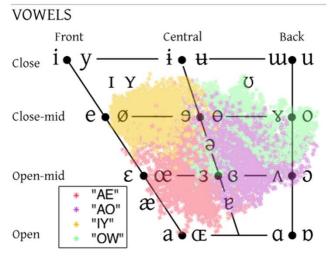
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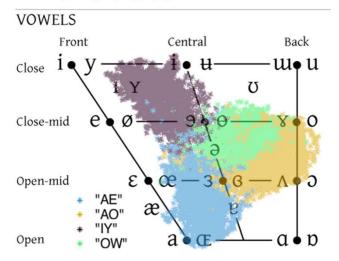
Using a one hot encoding of labels as a view gives LDA

#### **CCA**



Where symbols appear in pairs, the one to the right represents a rounded vowel

#### LDA



Where symbols appear in pairs, the one to the right represents a rounded vowel

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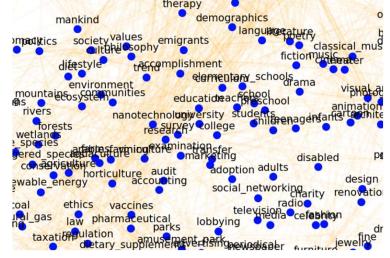




# **Multilingual CCA**

- Another Example of CCA
  - Word is mapped into some vector space
  - A notion of distance between words is defined and the mapping is such that words that are semantically similar are mapped to near to each

other (hopefully)



http://www.tnivial.jo/word2vec-on-databricks/

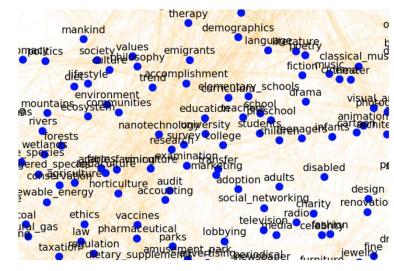
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## **Multilingual CCA**

- What if parallel text in another language exists?
- What if we could generate words in another language?
- Use different languages as different views



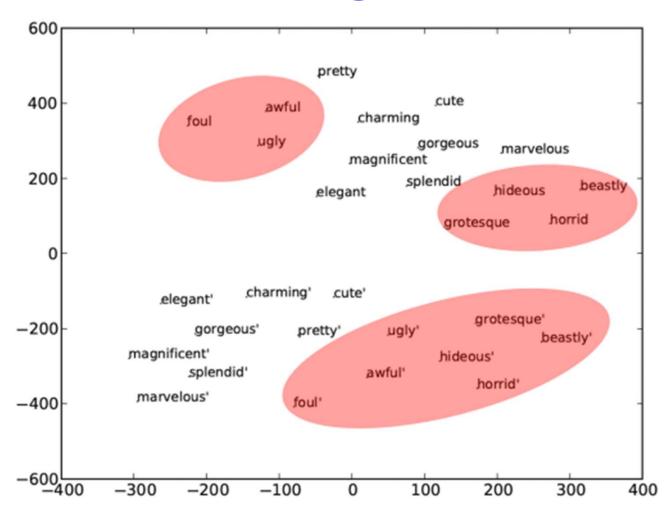
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## **Multilingual CCA**



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#### **Fisher Faces**

- We can apply LDA to the same faces we all know and love.
  - The details, especially stranger ones such as eye

depth emerge as discriminating

features













#### **Conclusions**

- LDA learns discriminative representations by using supervision
  - Knowledge of Labels
- CCA is equivalent to LDA when one view is labels
  - CCA provides soft supervision by exploiting redundant view of data