

PCA example

- In this example we have a three-dimensional Gaussian distribution with the following parameters

$$\mu = [0 \ 5 \ 2]^T \text{ and } \Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 25 & -1 & 7 \\ -1 & 4 & -4 \\ 7 & -4 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

- The three pairs of principal component projections are shown below
 - Notice that the first projection has the largest variance, followed by the second projection
 - Also notice that the PCA projections de-correlates the axis

