

# LSA is SVD

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Table 1: Example matrix of words counts

	college	education	family	health	medicaid
document.1	4	6	0	2	2
document.2	0	0	4	8	12
document.3	6	9	1	5	6
document.4	2	3	3	7	10
document.5	0	0	3	6	9
document.6	4	6	1	4	5

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svd_W = svd(W) # Singular Value Decomposition applied to the data
svd_W

## $d
## [1] 26.449198194252684146 12.427385681676595297 0.0000000000000001342
## [4] 0.0000000000000000636 0.0000000000000000150
##
## $u
##      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4] [,5]
## [1,] -0.201 0.454 -0.5762 0.5340 0.165
## [2,] -0.521 -0.471 -0.6059 -0.3134 -0.138
## [3,] -0.431 0.564 0.2008 -0.3494 -0.556
## [4,] -0.491 -0.126 0.3540 -0.1690 0.616
## [5,] -0.391 -0.353 0.3544 0.6785 -0.367
## [6,] -0.331 0.336 0.0981 0.0746 0.361
##
## $v
##      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4] [,5]
## [1,] -0.215 0.506 -0.158 -0.1736 -0.8014
## [2,] -0.323 0.760 0.125 -0.0352 0.5495
## [3,] -0.208 -0.195 -0.460 -0.8169 0.2001
## [4,] -0.523 -0.137 -0.641 0.5416 0.0628
## [5,] -0.730 -0.332 0.581 -0.0888 -0.1086

library(lsa) # Needed to access the lsa function
lsa_W = lsa(W)
lsa_W # print the output

## $tk
##      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4] [,5]
## document.1 -0.201 0.454 -0.5762 0.5340 0.165
## document.2 -0.521 -0.471 -0.6059 -0.3134 -0.138
## document.3 -0.431 0.564 0.2008 -0.3494 -0.556
## document.4 -0.491 -0.126 0.3540 -0.1690 0.616
## document.5 -0.391 -0.353 0.3544 0.6785 -0.367
## document.6 -0.331 0.336 0.0981 0.0746 0.361
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##
## $dk
##      [,1]  [,2]  [,3]  [,4]  [,5]
## college -0.215  0.506 -0.158 -0.1736 -0.8014
## education -0.323  0.760  0.125 -0.0352  0.5495
## family    -0.208 -0.195 -0.460 -0.8169  0.2001
## health    -0.523 -0.137 -0.641  0.5416  0.0628
## medicaid -0.730 -0.332  0.581 -0.0888 -0.1086
##
## $sk
## [1] 26.449198194252684146 12.427385681676595297 0.000000000000001342
## [4] 0.000000000000000636 0.000000000000000150
##
## attr("class")
## [1] "LSAspace"
# lsa_W$tk%*%diag(lsa_W$sk) # to check equality of pc-scores
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