

$$\Phi\left(\text{img}_1\right) = \text{img}_2 \quad \Phi\left(\text{img}_3\right) = \text{img}_4$$

$$K\left(\text{img}_1, \text{img}_3\right) = \left(\text{img}_2\right) \cdot \left(\text{img}_4\right)$$

Kernel-based Learning: Theoretical Foundation

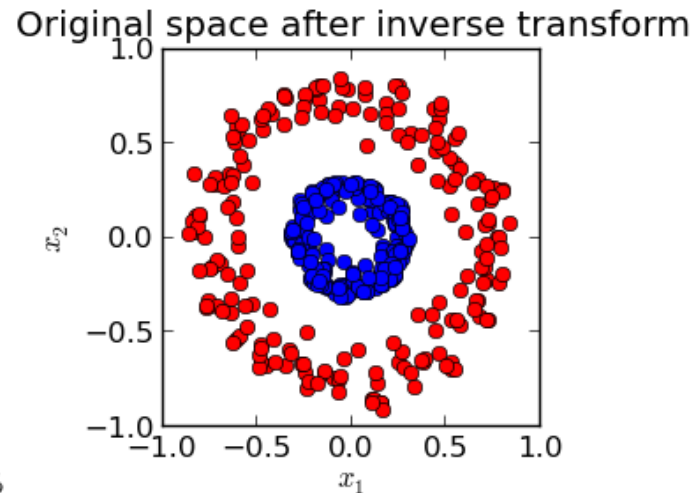
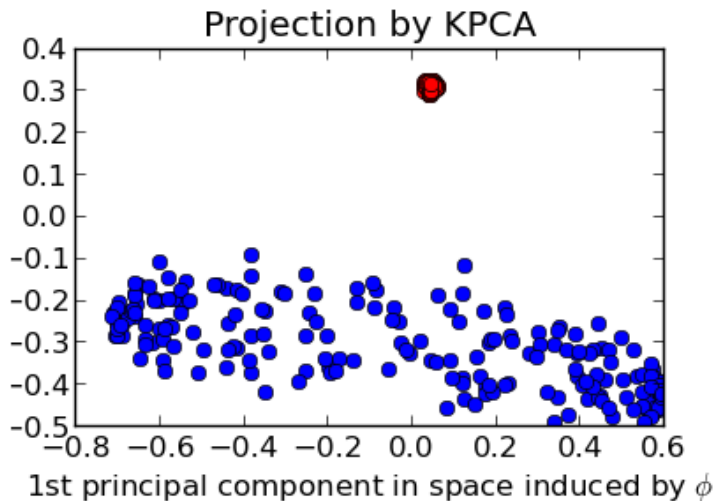
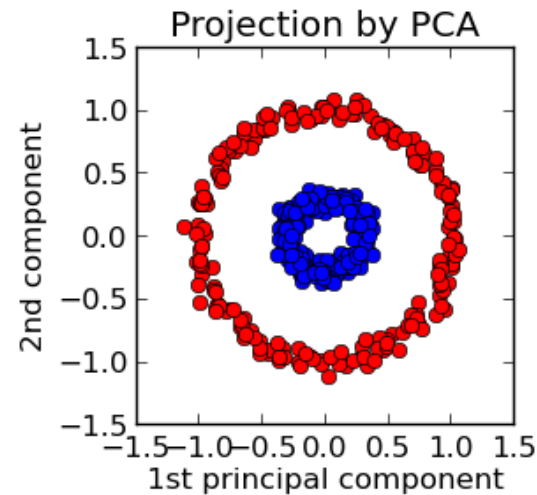
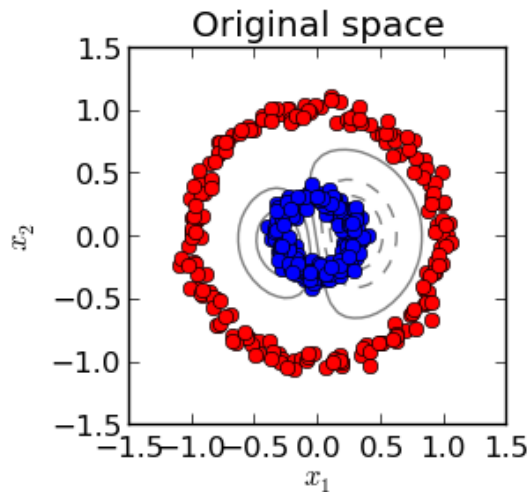
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Kernel PCA

- What if the embedding is not linear?



Kernel PCA

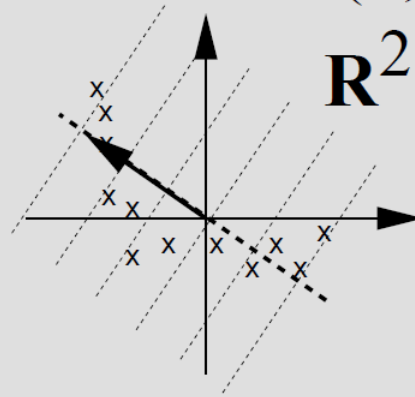
Schölkopf et al. (1998)

- Motivation

linear PCA

$$k(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) = (\mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{y})$$

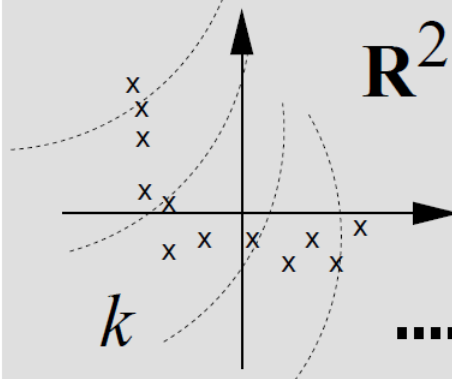
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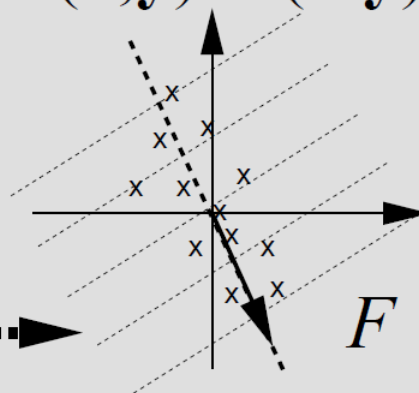
kernel PCA

$$\text{e.g. } k(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) = (\mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{y})^d$$

\mathbf{R}^2



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Kernel PCA

- Kernel PCA Procedure

- ✓ Assumption: the projected new features have zero mean

$$\mathbf{m}^{\Phi} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \Phi(\mathbf{x}_i) = \mathbf{0}$$

- ✓ The covariance matrix of the projected features is M by M, calculated by

$$\mathbf{C}^{\Phi} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (\Phi(\mathbf{x}_i) - \mathbf{m}^{\Phi})(\Phi(\mathbf{x}_i) - \mathbf{m}^{\Phi})^T = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \Phi(\mathbf{x}_i)\Phi(\mathbf{x}_i)^T$$

- ✓ Its eigenvalues and eigenvectors are given by

$$\mathbf{C}^{\Phi} \mathbf{v}_k = \lambda_k \mathbf{v}_k$$

- where $k = 1, 2, \dots, M$.

Kernel PCA

- Kernel PCA Procedure

✓ From the previous two equations, we have

$$\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \Phi(\mathbf{x}_i) (\Phi(\mathbf{x}_i)^T \mathbf{v}_k) = \lambda_k \mathbf{v}_k$$

✓ which can be rewritten as

$$\mathbf{v}_k = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \alpha_{ki} \Phi(\mathbf{x}_i)$$

✓ By substituting \mathbf{v}_k above, we have

$$\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \Phi(\mathbf{x}_i) \Phi(\mathbf{x}_i)^T \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_{kj} \Phi(\mathbf{x}_j) = \lambda_k \sum_{i=1}^N \alpha_{ki} \Phi(\mathbf{x}_i)$$

Kernel PCA

✓ If we define the kernel function

$$\mathbf{K}(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}_j) = \Phi(\mathbf{x}_i)^T \Phi(\mathbf{x}_j)$$

✓ And multiply both side of the last equation in the previous page by $\Phi(\mathbf{x}_l)$

$$\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \Phi(\mathbf{x}_l)^T \Phi(\mathbf{x}_i) \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_{kj} \Phi(\mathbf{x}_i)^T \Phi(\mathbf{x}_j) = \lambda_k \sum_{i=1}^N \alpha_{kj} \Phi(\mathbf{x}_l)^T \Phi(\mathbf{x}_i)$$

$$\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \mathbf{K}(\mathbf{x}_l, \mathbf{x}_i) \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_{kj} \mathbf{K}(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}_j) = \lambda_k \sum_{i=1}^N \alpha_{kj} \mathbf{K}(\mathbf{x}_l, \mathbf{x}_i)$$

✓ Then, we can use the matrix notation

$$\mathbf{K}^2 \boldsymbol{\alpha}_k = \lambda_k N \mathbf{K} \boldsymbol{\alpha}_k$$

- Where $\boldsymbol{\alpha}_k$ is the N-dimensional column vector $\boldsymbol{\alpha}_k = (\alpha_{k1}, \alpha_{k2}, \dots, \alpha_{kN})^T$

Kernel PCA

✓ The eigenvector problem becomes

$$\mathbf{K}\boldsymbol{\alpha}_k = \lambda_k N \boldsymbol{\alpha}_k$$

✓ And the resulting kernel PCA can be calculated using

$$y_k(\mathbf{x}) = \Phi(\mathbf{x})^T \mathbf{v}_k = \sum_{i=1}^N \alpha_{ki} \mathbf{K}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}_i)$$

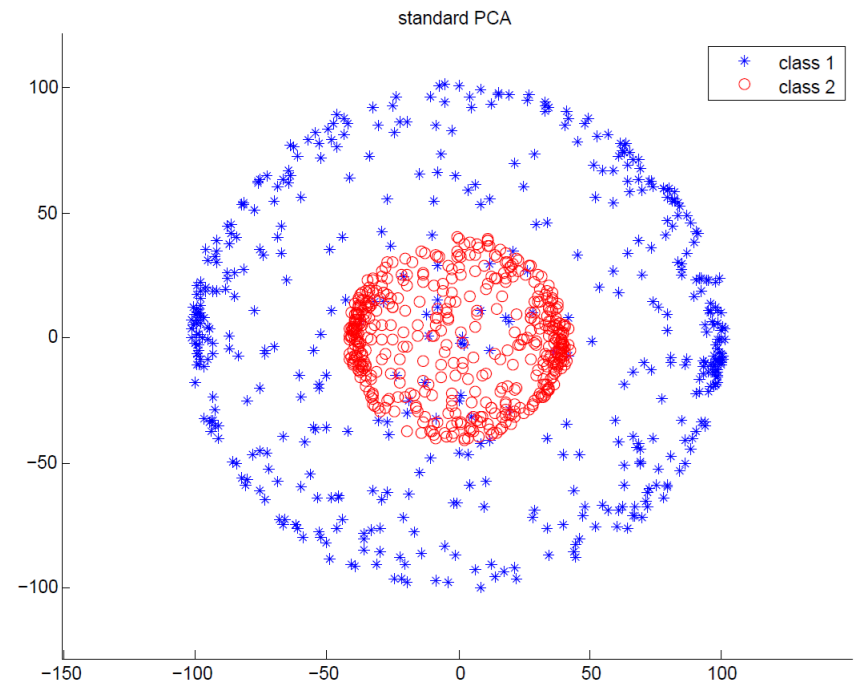
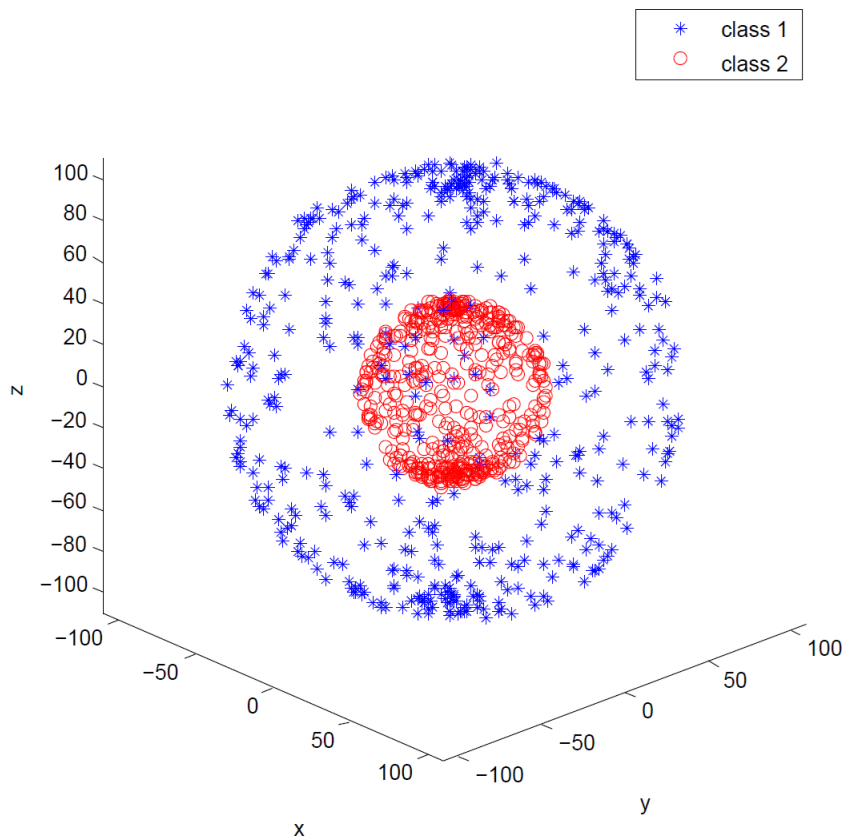
✓ If the projected dataset does not have zero mean, use the Gram matrix

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\mathbf{K}} &= (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{1}_N) \mathbf{K} (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{1}_N) \\ &= \mathbf{K} - \mathbf{1}_N \mathbf{K} - \mathbf{K} \mathbf{1}_N + \mathbf{1}_N \mathbf{K} \mathbf{1}_N \end{aligned}$$

- Where $\mathbf{1}_N$ is the N by N matrix with all elements equal to $1/N$

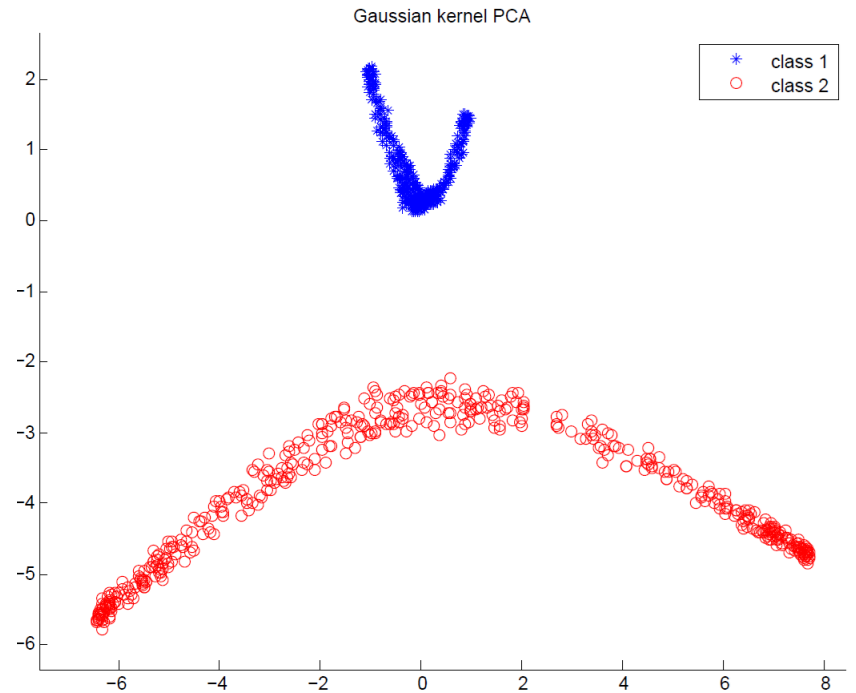
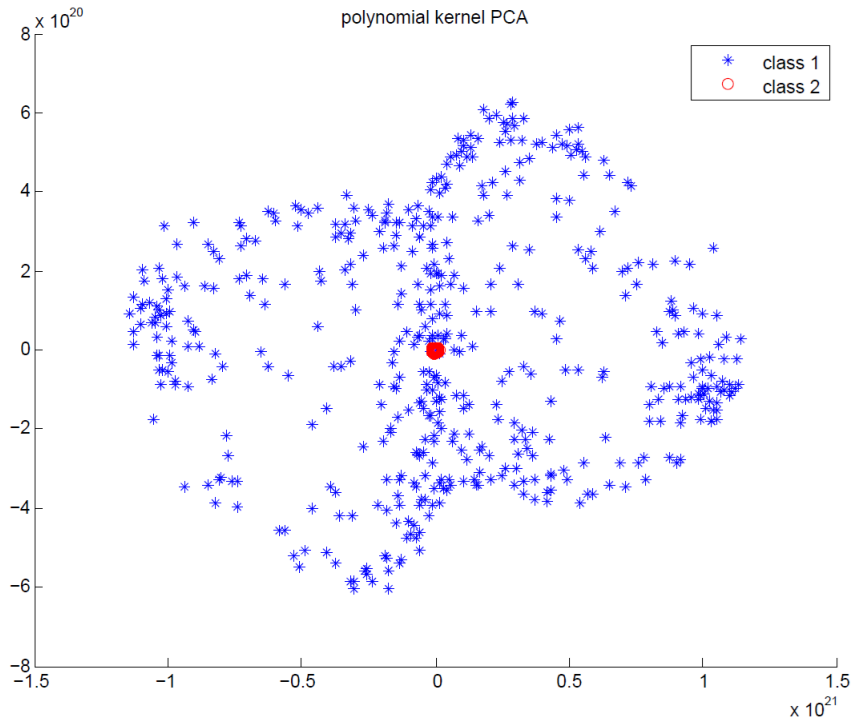
Kernel PCA

- PCA for two sphere sets



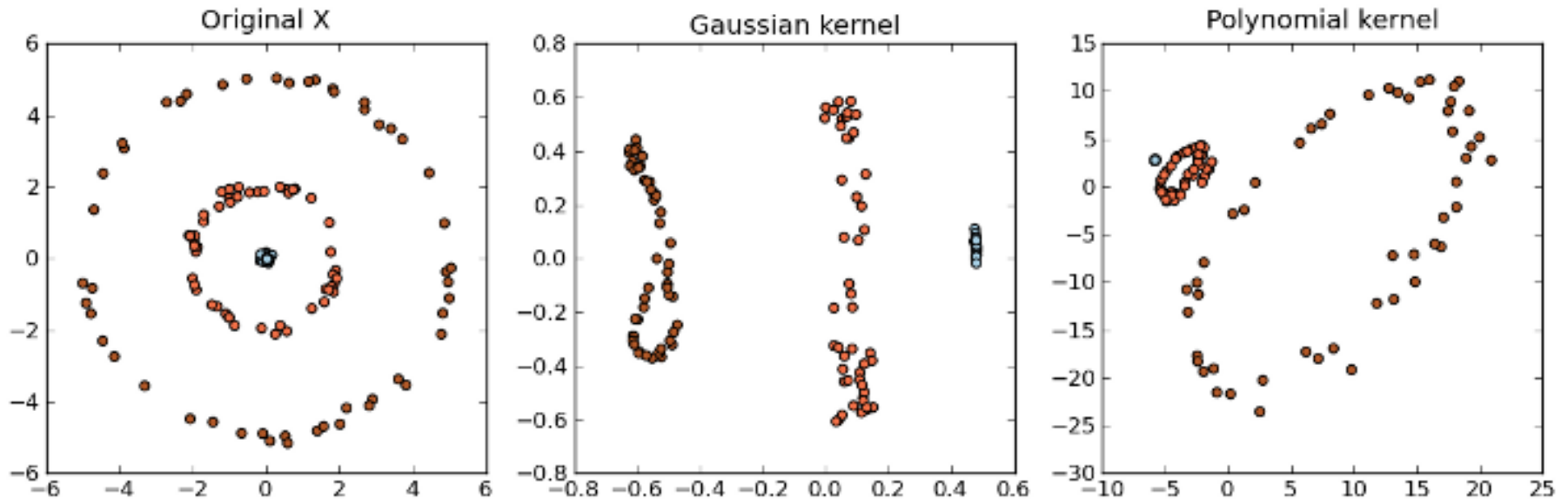
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- KPCA for two sphere sets



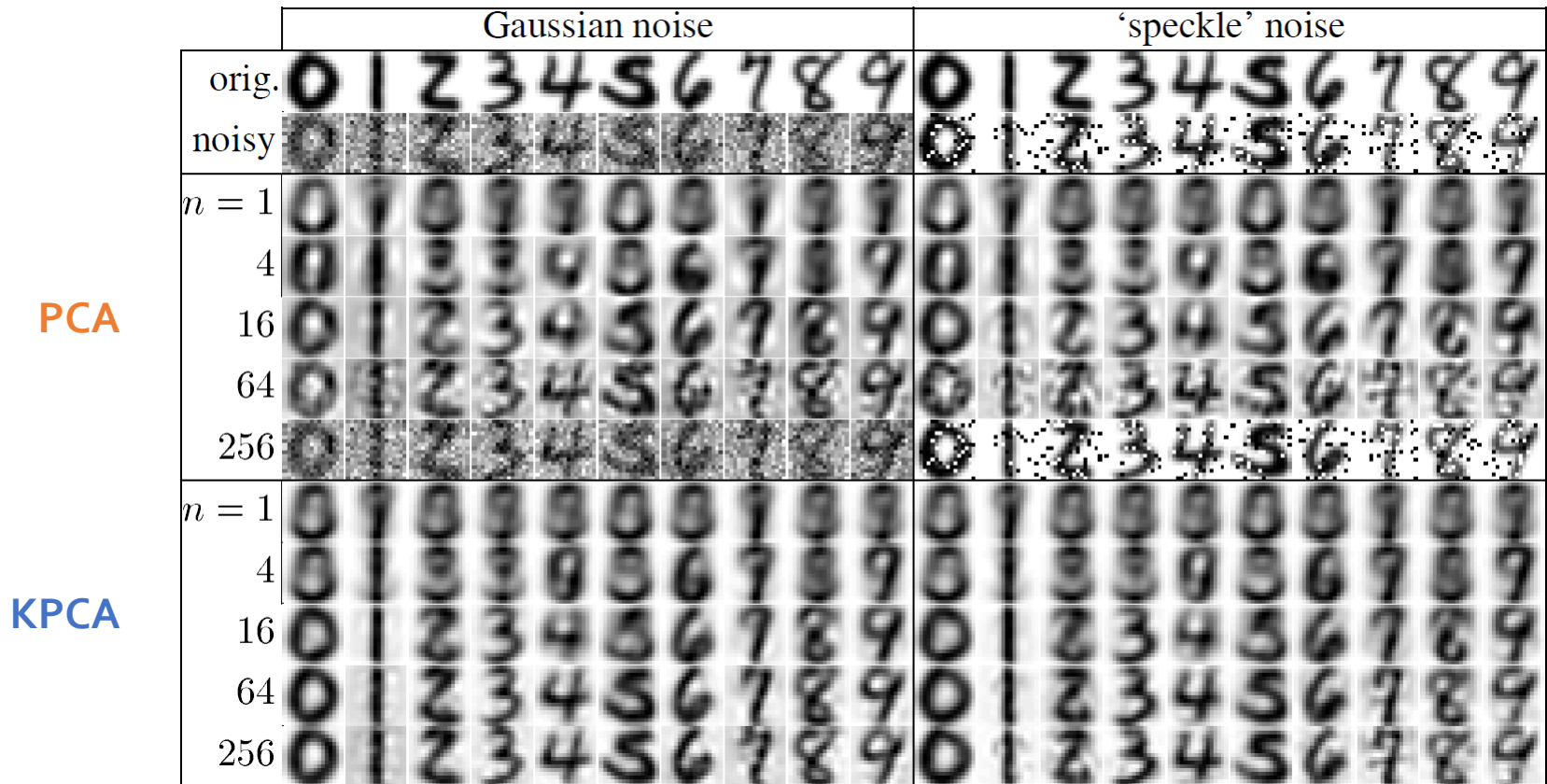
Kernel PCA

- Projection result according to different kernel types



Kernel PCA: Application

- De-noising images





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