

2. If the ~~reduced~~ covariance<sup>matrix</sup> of the reduced matrix is diagonal and if the squared projection error (distance b/w data points and the low-dimensional linear subspace) is being minimized (or) not.

Where PCA fails?

- (1) If the values in a single dimension are so large then PCA ends up in taking that dimension as the principal component as the variance is high.
- (2) PCA tries to map the data to a lower dimensional linear subspace but if the data is spread non-linearly in  $\mathbb{R}^D$  then applying PCA leads to a straight line.
- (3) It doesn't take the information of the classes when it is used in the classification.

3.

(a) Binomial:  $\{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m\} \Rightarrow$  i.i.d samples.

$$f_x(x, n; \theta) = \binom{n}{x} \cdot (p)^x \cdot (1-p)^{n-x} \quad (\theta = p)$$

$$L(x; n; \theta) = \prod_{i=1}^m f_x(x_i, n; \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow \log(L(x, n; \theta)) = \log\left(\prod_{i=1}^m f_x(x_i, n; \theta)\right)$$

$$= \log(f_x(x_1, n; \theta)) + \log(f_x(x_2, n; \theta)) + \dots$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^m \log(f_x(x_i, n; \theta))$$

$$\Rightarrow \log(L(x, n; \theta)) = \sum_{i=1}^m \log\left(\binom{n}{x_i} \cdot p^{x_i} \cdot (1-p)^{n-x_i}\right)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^m \log\left(\binom{n}{x_i}\right) + \log p^{x_i} + \log (1-p)^{n-x_i}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^m \log\left(\binom{n}{x_i}\right) + x_i \cdot \log p + (n - x_i) \log(1-p)$$

$$\Rightarrow \log(L(x, n; \theta)) = \sum_{i=1}^m \log\left(\binom{n}{x_i}\right) + \left(\sum_{i=1}^m x_i\right) \cdot \log p + \cancel{mn \cdot \log(1-p)}$$

$$+ (mn - \sum_{i=1}^m x_i) \cdot \log(1-p)$$

$$p_{MLE} = \arg \max_p \log [L(x, n; \theta)]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial p} \log [L(x, n; \theta)] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 + \left( \sum_{i=1}^m x_i \right) \cdot \frac{1}{p} + (-1) \cdot \frac{1}{1-p} \cdot \left( mn - \sum_{i=1}^m x_i \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \sum_{i=1}^m x_i \right) \cdot \frac{1}{p} = \frac{1}{1-p} \cdot \left( mn - \sum_{i=1}^m x_i \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{p_{MLE} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^m x_i}{mn}}$$

(b) Poisson:  $\{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\} \Rightarrow i.i.d$  samples

$$f_X(x; \theta) = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \cdot \lambda^x}{x!} \quad (\theta = \lambda)$$

$$L(x; \theta) = \prod_{i=1}^n f_X(x_i; \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow \log(L(x; \theta)) = \sum_{i=1}^n \log(f_X(x_i; \theta))$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ -\lambda + x_i \log \lambda - \log x_i! \right]$$

$$\lambda_{MLE} = \arg \max_{\lambda} \log [L(x; \theta)]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial \lambda} \log [L(x; \theta)] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (-1) \cdot \left( \sum_{i=1}^n 1 \right) + \frac{1}{\lambda} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n x_i + 0 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow n = \frac{1}{\lambda} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \Rightarrow \boxed{\lambda_{MLE} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{n}}$$

(c) Exponential:  $\{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\} \Rightarrow$  i.i.d samples

$$f_X(x; \theta) = \lambda \cdot e^{-\lambda x}$$

$$L(x; \theta) = \prod_{i=1}^n f_X(x_i; \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow \log(L(x; \theta)) = \sum_{i=1}^n \log(f_X(x_i; \theta))$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \log(\lambda \cdot e^{-\lambda x_i})$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n [\log \lambda - \lambda x_i]$$

$$\log(L(x; \theta)) = \left( \sum_{i=1}^n 1 \right) \cdot \log \lambda - \lambda \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$$

$$= n \cdot \log \lambda - \lambda \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$$

$$\lambda_{MLE} = \arg \max_{\lambda} \log [L(x; \theta)]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial \lambda} \log[L(x; \theta)] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow n \cdot \frac{1}{\lambda} - 1 \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\lambda_{ME} = \frac{n}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i}}$$

(d) Gaussian:  $\{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\} \Rightarrow$  i.i.d samples

$$f_X(x; \theta) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \cdot \exp\left[-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right] \quad (\theta = [\mu, \sigma])$$

$$L(x; \theta) = \prod_{i=1}^n f_X(x_i; \theta)$$

$$\log[L(x; \theta)] = \sum_{i=1}^n \log(f_X(x_i; \theta))$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \log\left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \cdot \exp\left[-\frac{(x_i - \mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right]\right]$$

$$\log[L(x; \theta)] = \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \log\left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma}\right] - \frac{(x_i - \mu)^2}{2\sigma^2} \right]$$

$$= n \cdot \log\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma}\right) - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu)^2$$

$$\mu_{MLE} = \arg \max_{\mu} \log [L(x; \theta)]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial \mu} \log [L(x; \theta)] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n 2(x_i - \mu)(-1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n x_i - \mu n = 0 \rightarrow \boxed{\mu_{MLE} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{n}}$$

$$\sigma_{MLE}^2 = \arg \max_{\sigma} \log [L(x; \theta)]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial \sigma} \log [L(x; \theta)] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow n \cdot \sqrt{2\pi} \sigma \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \cdot \frac{-1}{\sigma^2} - \frac{-2}{2\sigma^3} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-n}{\sigma} + \frac{1}{\sigma^3} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu)^2 = 0$$

$$\rightarrow n\sigma^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\sigma_{MLE}^2 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu)^2}{n}}$$

(e) Laplacian:  $\{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\} \Rightarrow \text{i.i.d samples}$

$$f_x(x; \underline{\theta}) = \frac{1}{2b} \cdot e^{-\frac{|x-\mu|}{b}} \quad (\underline{\theta} = [\mu, b]^T)$$

$$L(x; \underline{\theta}) = \prod_{i=1}^n f_x(x_i; \underline{\theta})$$

$$\log [L(x; \underline{\theta})] = \sum_{i=1}^n \log [f_x(x_i; \underline{\theta})]$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \log \left[ \frac{1}{2b} \cdot e^{-\frac{|x_i - \mu|}{b}} \right]$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ -\log 2b - \frac{|x_i - \mu|}{b} \right]$$

$$\log [L(x; \underline{\theta})] = -n \log 2b - \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i - \mu|}{b}$$

$$b_{MLE} = \arg \max_b \log [L(x; \underline{\theta})]$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial b} \log [L(x; \underline{\theta})] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{n}{b} + \frac{1}{b^2} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i - \mu| = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \therefore b_{MLE} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i - \mu|}{n}$$

$$\mu_{MLE} = \arg \max_{\mu} \log[L(x; \theta)]$$

$$\frac{\partial \log[L(x; \theta)]}{\partial \mu} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 - \frac{1}{b} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial |x_i - \mu|}{\partial \mu} = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} |x_i - \mu| = \begin{array}{ll} x_i - \mu & \text{if } x_i > \mu \\ \mu - x_i & \text{if } x_i < \mu \\ 0 & x_i = \mu \end{array} \Rightarrow \frac{\partial |x_i - \mu|}{\partial \mu} = \begin{array}{ll} -1 & x_i > \mu \\ 1 & x_i < \mu \\ 0 & x_i = \mu \end{array} \end{array} \right]$$

Now for eq (1) to be zero

No. of -1's must be equal to No. of 1's

$\therefore \mu$  must be the median

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\mu_{MLE} = \text{Median}(x)}$$