

# CH3.8 Component Analysis and Discriminants

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# Component Analysis and Discriminants

- Cope with the problem of excessive dimensionality: reduce the dimensionality by combining features.
- approaches
  - Principal Component Analysis (PCA)
  - Fisher Linear Discriminant
  - Multiple Discriminant Analysis

# Principal Component Analysis

- Seek a projection that best represents the data in a least-squares sense.
- Three cases of projecting the data set with the high dimension onto a lower dimension:

*Zero-dimensional representation*

*One-dimensional representation*

*d-dimensional representation*

## Zero-Dimensional Representation

Representing all of the vectors in a data set  $D = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$  by a single vector  $x_0$ . Define the squared-error criterion function  $J_0(x_0)$ :

$$J_0(x_0) = \sum_{k=1}^n (\|x_0 - x_k\|)^2$$

GOAL: Seek the value  $x_0$  that minimizes  $J_0$ .

# Zero-Dimensional Representation(cond.) I

The sample mean of set  $D = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$ :

$$m = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n x_k$$

## Zero-Dimensional Representation(cond.) II

then we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} J_0(x_0) &= \sum_{k=1}^n \|(x_0 - m) - (x_k - m)\|^2 \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^n \|(x_0 - m)\|^2 - 2 \sum_{k=1}^n (x_0 - m)^t (x_k - m) + \sum_{k=1}^n \|(x_k - m)\|^2 \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^n \|(x_0 - m)\|^2 - 2 \sum_{k=1}^n (x_0 - m)^t (x_k - m) + \sum_{k=1}^n \|(x_k - m)\|^2 \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^n \|(x_0 - m)\|^2 + \sum_{k=1}^n \|(x_k - m)\|^2 \end{aligned}$$

$J_0$  is minimized by the choice  $x_0 = m$

# One-Dimensional Representation

Projecting all of the vectors in a data set  $D = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$  onto a line running through the sample space.

The equation of the line:

$$x = m + \alpha e$$

Where  $e$  be a unit vector.

We represent  $x_k$  by  $m + \alpha_k e$



# One-Dimensional Representation (cond.) I

Find an optimal set of coefficients  $a_k$  by minimizing the squared-error criterion function:

$$\begin{aligned} J_1(a_1, \dots, a_n, e) &= \sum_{k=1}^n \|(m + a_k e) - x_k\|^2 \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^n \|a_k e - (x_k - m)\|^2 \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^n a_k^2 \|e\|^2 - 2 \sum_{k=1}^n a_k e^t (x_k - m) + \sum_{k=1}^n \|(x_k - m)\|^2 \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

## One-Dimensional Representation (cond.) II

Recognizing  $\|e\| = 1$  and Partially differentiating w.r.t  $a_k$  :

$$a_k = e^t(x_k - m)$$

So far, we only obtain the coefficient  $a_k$  for the vector  $x_k$  projected onto the line in the direction of  $e$ .

Next step is to determine the line direction  $e$ .

Define scatter-matrix  $S$ :

$$S = \sum_{k=1}^n (x_k - m)(x_k - m)^t$$

# One-Dimensional Representation (cond.) III

From following two Eqs.

$$J_1(a_1, \dots, a_n, e) = \sum_{k=1}^n a_k^2 - 2 \sum_{k=1}^n a_k e^t (x_k - m) + \sum_{k=1}^n \|x_k - m\|^2$$

$$a_k = e^t (x_k - m)$$

# One-Dimensional Representation (cond.) IV

We obtain:

$$\begin{aligned}
 J_1(e) &= \sum_{k=1}^n a_k^2 \|e\|^2 - 2 \sum_{k=1}^n a_k^2 + \sum_{k=1}^n \|(x_k - m)\|^2 \\
 &= - \sum_{k=1}^n [e^t (x_k - m)]^2 + \sum_{k=1}^n \|x_k - m\|^2 \\
 &= - \sum_{k=1}^n e^t (x_k - m) (x_k - m)^t e + \sum_{k=1}^n \|x_k - m\|^2 \\
 &= - e^t S e + \sum_{k=1}^n \|x_k - m\|^2
 \end{aligned}$$

## One-Dimensional Representation (cond.) V

Use the Lagrange multiplier method to maximize  $e^t S e$  subject to the constraint  $\|e\|^2 = 1$ . Letting  $\lambda$  be the undetermined multiplier. We differentiate  $u = e^t S e - \lambda e^t e + \lambda$

w. r. t.  $e$  to obtain:

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial e} = 2S e - 2\lambda e$$

$e$  must be the eigenvector corresponding to the largest eigenvalue of the scatter matrix  $S$ .

$$S e = \lambda e$$

## $d'$ -Dimensional Representation

Projecting all of the vectors in a data set  $D = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$ , onto  $d$  dimensional space.

$$x = m + \sum_{i=1}^{d'} a_i e_i$$

Where  $d' \leq d$ , we can obtain that the criterion function:

$$J_{d'} = \sum_{k=1}^n \left\| \left( m + \sum_{i=1}^{d'} a_{k_i} e_i \right) - x_k \right\|^2$$

is minimized when the vectors  $e_1, e_2, \dots$  are the eigenvectors of the scatter matrix having the largest eigenvalues.

# Fisher Linear Discriminant I

- PCA: seeks directions that are efficient for presentation.
- Discriminant analysis: Seeks directions that are efficient for discrimination.

Suppose that we have a set of  $n$   $d$ -dimensional samples  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$ .  $n_1$  samples in the subset  $D_1$  labeled  $\Omega_1$  and  $n_2$  samples in the subset  $D_2$  labeled  $\Omega_2$  we form a linear combination of the components of  $x$  as:

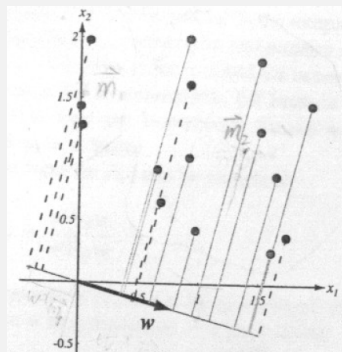
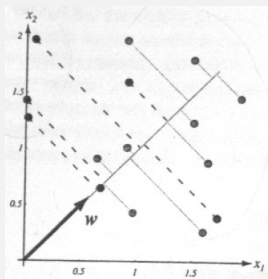
$$y = w^t x$$

## Fisher Linear Discriminant II

A corresponding set of  $\{y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n\}$  divided into the subset  $Y1$  and  $Y2$ . if  $\|w\| = 1$ , each  $y_i$  is the projection of the corresponding onto a line in the direction  $w$ .



# Fisher Linear Discriminant III



The figure on the right shows greater separation between subsets, one set of the points with dashed line, another with solid line.

## Fisher Linear Discriminant (cond.) I

- Find the best direction  $w$  that we will obtain accurate classification.

A measure of the separation between the projected points is the difference of the sample means.

If  $m_i$  is the  $d$ -dimensional sample mean from  $D_i$  given by  $m_i = \frac{1}{n_i} \sum_{x \in D_i} x$  the sample mean from the projected points  $Y_i$  given by:

$$\tilde{m}_i = \frac{1}{n_i} \sum_{y \in Y_i} y = \frac{1}{n_i} \sum_{x \in D_i} w^t x = w^t m_i$$

## Fisher Linear Discriminant (cond.) II

the difference of the projected sample means is:

$$\|\tilde{m}_1 - \tilde{m}_2\| = \|w^t(m_1 - m_2)\|$$

Goal: maximize this difference.

Define scatter for projected samples labeled  $\omega_i$ :

$$\tilde{s}_i^2 = \sum_{y \in Y_i} (y - \tilde{m}_i)^2$$

## Fisher Linear Discriminant (cond.) III

The FLD employs that linear function  $w_t x$  for which the following criterion function is maximum:

$$J(W) = \frac{\|\tilde{m}_1 - \tilde{m}_2\|^2}{\tilde{s}_1^2 + \tilde{s}_2^2}$$

$\tilde{s}_1^2 + \tilde{s}_2^2$  is called *the total within-class scatter*.

To obtain  $J(w)$  as explicit function of  $w$ , we define scatter matrices  $S_i (i = 1, 2)$  and  $S_w$  by:

$$S_i = \sum_{x \in D_i} (x - m_i)(x - m_i)^t$$

$$S_w = S_1 + S_2$$

## Fisher Linear Discriminant (cond.) IV

From the following Eqs.

$$y = w^t x \quad (2)$$

$$\tilde{m}_i = \frac{1}{n_i} \sum_{y \in Y_i} y = \frac{1}{n_i} \sum_{x \in D_i} w^t x = w^t m_i \quad (3)$$

$$\tilde{s}_i^2 = \sum_{y \in Y_i} (y - \tilde{m}_i)^2 \quad (4)$$

# Fisher Linear Discriminant (cond.) V

We can write

$$\begin{aligned}
 \tilde{s}_i^2 &= \sum_{x \in D_i} (w^t x - w^t m_i)^2 \\
 &= \sum_{x \in D_i} w^t (x - m_i)(x - m_i)^t w \\
 &= w^t S_i w
 \end{aligned}$$

We obtain:

$$\tilde{s}_1^2 + \tilde{s}_2^2 = w^t S_w w$$

From the Eq.  $\|\tilde{m}_1 - \tilde{m}_2\| = \|w^t(m_1 - m_2)\|$

## Fisher Linear Discriminant (cond.) VI

We obtain:

$$\begin{aligned}\|\tilde{m}_1 - \tilde{m}_2\| &= (w^t m_1 - w^t m_2)^2 \\ &= w^t (m_1 - m_2)(m_1 - m_2)^t w \\ &= w^t S_B w\end{aligned}$$

where:  $S_B = (m_1 - m_2)(m_1 - m_2)^t$

In terms of  $S_B$  and  $S_W$ ,  $J(w)$  can be written as:

$$J(w) = \frac{w^t S_B w}{w^t S_W w}$$

## Fisher Linear Discriminant (cond.) VII

A vector  $w$  that maximizes  $J(w)$  must satisfy:

$$S_B w = \lambda S_W w$$

In the case that  $S_W$  is nonsingular.

$$S_W^{-1} S_B w = \lambda w$$

Due to the fact that  $S_B w$  is always in the direction of  $m_1 - m_2$ ,  
we obtain:

$$w = S_W^{-1} (m_1 - m_2)$$



# Multiple Discriminant Analysis I

- For the  $c$ -class problem, the nature generalization of Fisher's linear discriminant involves  $c - 1$  discriminant functions
- The projection is from a  $d$ -dimensional space to a  $(c - 1)$ -dimensional space.
- It is tacitly assumed that  $d \geq c$

## Multiple Discriminant Analysis II

The generalization for the within-class scatter matrix is :

$$S_W = \sum_{i=1}^c S_i$$

where, as before:

$$S_i = \sum_{x \in D_i} (x - m_i)(x - m_i)^t$$

and :

$$m_i = \frac{1}{n_i} \sum_{x \in D_i} x$$

## Multiple Discriminant Analysis III

The generalization for  $S_B$  is not so obvious.

- Define the total mean vector  $m$  and total scatter matrix  $S_T$  as follows:

$$m = \frac{1}{n} \sum_x x = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^c n_i m_i$$

$$S_T = \sum_x (x - m)(x - m)^t$$

## Multiple Discriminant Analysis IV

Then it follows that:

$$\begin{aligned} S_T &= \sum_{i=1}^c \sum_{x \in D_i} (x - m_i + m_i - m)(x - m_i + m_i - m)^t \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^c \sum_{x \in D_i} (x - m_i)(x - m_i)^t + \sum_{i=1}^c \sum_{x \in D_i} (m_i - m)(m_i - m)^t \end{aligned}$$

- Define the between-class scatter matrix as:

$$S_B = \sum_{i=1}^c n_i (m_i - m)(m_i - m)^t$$

# Multiple Discriminant Analysis V

- The total scatter is:  $S_T = S_W + S_B$
- The projection from  $d$ -dimensional space to  $(c - 1)$ -dimensional space is accomplished by  $(c - 1)$  discriminant functions.

$$y_i = w_i^t x (i = 1, \dots, c - 1)$$

## Multiple Discriminant Analysis VI

- Define vector  $Y$  from  $y_i$ ,  $d$ -by- $(c - 1)$  matrix  $W$  from vector  $w_i$ , the projection can be written as :

$$Y = W^t X$$

## Multiple Discriminant Analysis VII

- The samples  $x_1, \dots, x_n$  project to a corresponding set  $y_1, \dots, y_n$ , which can be described by their own mean vectors and scatter matrix. Define:

$$\tilde{m}_i = \frac{1}{n_i} \sum_{y \in Y_i} y$$

$$\tilde{m} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^c n_i \tilde{m}_i$$

$$\tilde{S}_W = \sum_{i=1}^c \sum_{y \in Y_i} (y - \tilde{m}_i)(y - \tilde{m}_i)^t$$

$$\tilde{S}_B = \sum_{i=1}^c n_i (\tilde{m}_i - \tilde{m})(\tilde{m}_i - \tilde{m})^t$$

## Multiple Discriminant Analysis VIII

it is a straightforward matter to show that:

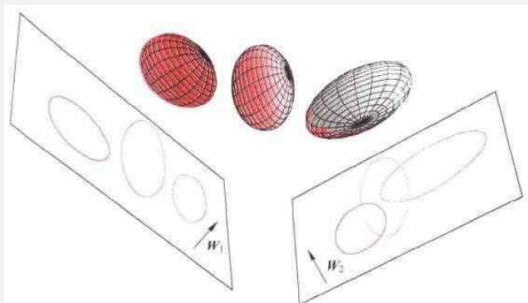
$$\tilde{S}_W = W^t S_W W$$

$$\tilde{S}_B = W^t S_B W$$



## Multiple Discriminant Analysis IX

These equations shows how the within-class and between-class scatter matrices transformed by the projection.



Three-dimensional distributions are projected onto two-dimensional subspaces, described by vectors  $w_1$  and  $w_2$

## Multiple Discriminant Analysis X

GOAL: Find transformation matrix  $W$  maximizes the ratio :

$$J_W = \frac{\tilde{S}_B}{\tilde{S}_W} = \frac{W^t S_B W}{W^t S_W W}$$

Find  $W$ :

- The columns of an optimal  $W$  are the generalized eigenvectors that correspond to the largest eigenvalues in:

$$S_B w_i = \lambda_i S_W w_i$$

## Multiple Discriminant Analysis XI

- We can find the eigenvalues as the root of the characteristic polynomial :

$$|S_B - \lambda_i S_W| = 0$$

and then solve:

$$(S_B - \lambda_i S_W) w_i = 0$$

to find the eigenvectors  $w_i$

*THE END*