

## 0 Essentials

### Matrix/Vector

**Range, Kernel, Nullity:**  $\text{range}(\mathbf{A}) = \{\mathbf{z} | \exists \mathbf{x} : \mathbf{z} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}\} = \text{span}(\text{columns of } \mathbf{A})$   
 $\text{rank}(\mathbf{A}) = \dim(\text{range}(\mathbf{A}))$   
 $\text{kernel}(\mathbf{A}) = \{\mathbf{x} : \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}\}$  (spans nullspace)  
 $\text{nullity}(\mathbf{A}) = \dim(\text{kernel}(\mathbf{A}))$

**Rank-nullity Theorem:**  $\dim(\text{kernel}(\mathbf{A})) + \dim(\text{range}(\mathbf{A})) = n$

**Orthogonal Matrix:**  $\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \mathbf{A}^\top$ ,  $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}^\top = \mathbf{A}^\top\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{I}$ ,  $\det(\mathbf{A}) \in \{+1, -1\}$ ,  $\det(\mathbf{A}^\top\mathbf{A}) = 1$ , preserves inner product, norm, distance, angle, rank, matrix orthogonality

**Inner Product:**  $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \mathbf{x}^\top \mathbf{y} = \sum_{i=1}^N \mathbf{x}_i \mathbf{y}_i$   
•  $\langle \mathbf{x} \pm \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \pm \mathbf{y} \rangle = \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle \pm 2\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle$   
•  $(\mathbf{u}_i^\top \mathbf{v}_j) \mathbf{v}_j = (\mathbf{v}_j \mathbf{v}_j^\top) \mathbf{u}_i$

**Outer Product:**  $\mathbf{u}\mathbf{v}^\top$ ,  $(\mathbf{u}\mathbf{v}^\top)_{i,j} = \mathbf{u}_i \mathbf{v}_j$

**Trace:**  $\text{trace}(\mathbf{XYZ}) = \text{trace}(\mathbf{ZXY})$

**Transpose:**  $(\mathbf{A}^\top)^{-1} = (\mathbf{A}^{-1})^\top$ ,  $(\mathbf{AB})^\top = \mathbf{B}^\top \mathbf{A}^\top$ ,  $(\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B})^\top = \mathbf{A}^\top + \mathbf{B}^\top$

**Cross product:**  $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = (a_2b_3 - a_3b_2, a_3b_1 - a_1b_3, a_1b_2 - a_2b_1)^\top$

**Cauchy-Schwarz inequality:**  $|\langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \rangle| \leq \|\mathbf{u}\| \|\mathbf{v}\|$

### Norms

- $\|\mathbf{x}\|_0 = |\{i | x_i \neq 0\}|$
- $\|\mathbf{x}\|_2 = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^N \mathbf{x}_i^2} = \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle}$
- $\|\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}\|_2 = \sqrt{(\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v})^\top (\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v})}$
- $\|\mathbf{x}\|_p = \left(\sum_{i=1}^N |x_i|^p\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$

•  $\|\mathbf{M}\|_F = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^n \mathbf{m}_{i,j}^2} = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^{\min\{m,n\}} \sigma_i^2} = \|\sigma(\mathbf{A})\|_2 = \sqrt{\text{trace}(\mathbf{M}^\top \mathbf{M})}$

•  $\|\mathbf{M}\|_G = \sqrt{\sum_{i,j} g_{ij} x_{ij}^2}$  (weighted Frobenius)

•  $\|\mathbf{M}\|_1 = \sum_{i,j} |m_{i,j}|$

•  $\|\mathbf{M}\|_2 = \sigma_{\max}(\mathbf{M}) = \|\sigma((\mathbf{M}))\|_\infty$

•  $\|\mathbf{M}\|_p = \max_{\mathbf{v} \neq 0} \frac{\|\mathbf{M}\mathbf{v}\|_p}{\|\mathbf{v}\|_p}$

•  $\|\mathbf{M}\|_\star = \sum_{i=1}^{\min(m,n)} \sigma_i = \|\sigma(\mathbf{A})\|_1$  (nuclear)

### Derivatives

$\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{x}} (\mathbf{b}^\top \mathbf{x}) = \frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{x}} (\mathbf{x}^\top \mathbf{b}) = \mathbf{b}$      $\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{x}} (\mathbf{x}^\top \mathbf{x}) = 2\mathbf{x}$   
 $\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{x}} (\mathbf{x}^\top \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}) = (\mathbf{A}^\top + \mathbf{A})\mathbf{x}$      $\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{x}} (\mathbf{b}^\top \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{A}^\top \mathbf{b}$   
 $\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{X}} (\mathbf{c}^\top \mathbf{X}\mathbf{b}) = \mathbf{c}\mathbf{b}^\top$      $\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{X}} (\mathbf{c}^\top \mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{b}) = \mathbf{b}\mathbf{c}^\top$   
 $\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{x}} (\|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2) = \frac{\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}}{\|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2}$      $\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{x}} (\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^2) = \frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{x}} (\mathbf{x}^\top \mathbf{x}) = 2\mathbf{x}$   
 $\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{X}} (\|\mathbf{X}\|_F^2) = 2\mathbf{X}$      $\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{x}} \log(x) = \frac{1}{x}$

### Eigendecomposition

$\mathbf{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times N}$  then  $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{Q}\mathbf{\Lambda}\mathbf{Q}^{-1}$  with  $\mathbf{Q} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times N}$ .  
if fullrank:  $\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \mathbf{Q}\mathbf{\Lambda}^{-1}\mathbf{Q}^{-1}$  and  $(\mathbf{\Lambda}^{-1})_{i,i} = \frac{1}{\lambda_i}$ .

if  $\mathbf{A}$  symmetric:  $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{Q}\mathbf{\Lambda}\mathbf{Q}^\top$  ( $\mathbf{Q}$  orthogonal).

### Probability / Statistics

•  $P(x) := \Pr[X = x] := \sum_{y \in Y} P(x, y) \cdot P(x|y) := \Pr[X = x | Y = y] := \frac{P(x, y)}{P(y)}$ , if  $P(y) > 0$  •  $\forall y \in Y : \sum_{x \in X} P(x|y) = 1$  (property for any fixed  $y$ ) •  $P(x, y) = P(x|y)P(y) \cdot P(x|y) = \frac{P(y|x)P(x)}{P(y)}$  (Bayes' rule) •  $P(x|y) = P(x) \Leftrightarrow P(y|x) = P(y)$  (iff  $X, Y$  independent) •  $P(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \prod_{i=1}^n P(x_i)$  (iff IID) • Variance  $\text{Var}[X] := E[(X - \mu_x)^2] := \sum_{x \in X} (x - \mu_x)^2 P(x) = E(X^2) - E(X)^2$  • expectation  $\mu_x := E[X] := \sum_{x \in X} x P(x)$  • standard deviation  $\sigma_x := \sqrt{\text{Var}[X]}$

### Lagrangian Multipliers

Minimize  $f(\mathbf{x})$  s.t.  $g_i(\mathbf{x}) \leq 0$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, m$  (inequality constr.) and  $h_i(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{a}_i^\top \mathbf{x} - b_i = 0$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, p$  (equality constraint)

$L(\mathbf{x}, \boldsymbol{\lambda}, \mathbf{v}) := f(\mathbf{x}) + \sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i g_i(\mathbf{x}) + \sum_{i=1}^p v_i h_i(\mathbf{x})$

### 1 Principal Component Analysis

$\mathbf{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{D \times N}$ .  $N$  observations,  $K$  rank.

- Empirical Mean:  $\bar{\mathbf{x}} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N \mathbf{x}_n$ .
- Center Data:  $\bar{\mathbf{X}} = \mathbf{X} - [\bar{\mathbf{x}}, \dots, \bar{\mathbf{x}}] = \mathbf{X} - \mathbf{M}$ .
- Cov.:  $\Sigma = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N (\mathbf{x}_n - \bar{\mathbf{x}})(\mathbf{x}_n - \bar{\mathbf{x}})^\top = \frac{1}{N} \bar{\mathbf{X}} \bar{\mathbf{X}}^\top$ .
- Eigenvalue Decomposition:  $\Sigma = \mathbf{U} \mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{U}^\top$ .
- Select  $K < D$ , only keep  $\mathbf{U}_K, \boldsymbol{\lambda}_K$ .
- Transform data onto new Basis:  $\bar{\mathbf{Z}}_K = \mathbf{U}_K^\top \bar{\mathbf{X}}$ .
- Reconstruct to original Basis:  $\tilde{\bar{\mathbf{X}}} = \mathbf{U}_K \bar{\mathbf{Z}}_K$ .
- Reverse centering:  $\tilde{\mathbf{X}} = \tilde{\bar{\mathbf{X}}} + \mathbf{M}$ .

For compression save  $\mathbf{U}_k, \bar{\mathbf{Z}}_K, \bar{\mathbf{x}}$ .

$\mathbf{U}_k \in \mathbb{R}^{D \times K}$ ,  $\Sigma \in \mathbb{R}^{D \times D}$ ,  $\bar{\mathbf{Z}}_K \in \mathbb{R}^{K \times N}$ ,  $\bar{\mathbf{X}} \in \mathbb{R}^{D \times N}$

### Iterative View

Residual  $\mathbf{r}_i$ :  $\mathbf{x}_i - \tilde{\mathbf{x}}_i = \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{u}\mathbf{u}^\top \mathbf{x}_i$   
Cov of  $\mathbf{r}$ :  $\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{u}\mathbf{u}^\top) \mathbf{x}_i \mathbf{x}_i^\top (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{u}\mathbf{u}^\top)^\top = (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{u}\mathbf{u}^\top) \Sigma (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{u}\mathbf{u}^\top)^\top = \Sigma - 2\Sigma \mathbf{u}\mathbf{u}^\top + \mathbf{u}\mathbf{u}^\top \Sigma \mathbf{u}\mathbf{u}^\top = \Sigma - \lambda \mathbf{u}\mathbf{u}^\top$

- Find principal eigenvector of  $(\Sigma - \lambda \mathbf{u}\mathbf{u}^\top)$
- which is the second eigenvector of  $\Sigma$
- iterating to get  $d$  principal eigenvector of  $\Sigma$

### Power Method

Power iteration:  $\mathbf{v}_{t+1} = \frac{\mathbf{A}\mathbf{v}_t}{\|\mathbf{A}\mathbf{v}_t\|}$ ,  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \mathbf{v}_t = \mathbf{u}_1$

Assuming  $\langle \mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{v}_0 \rangle \neq 0$  and  $|\lambda_1| > |\lambda_j| (\forall j \geq 2)$

### 2 Singular Value Decomposition

$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{U}\mathbf{D}\mathbf{V}^\top = \sum_{k=1}^{\text{rank}(\mathbf{A})} d_{k,k} \mathbf{u}_k (\mathbf{v}_k)^\top$   
 $\mathbf{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times P}$ ,  $\mathbf{U} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times N}$ ,  $\mathbf{D} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times P}$ ,  $\mathbf{V} \in \mathbb{R}^{P \times P}$   
 $\mathbf{U}^\top \mathbf{U} = \mathbf{I} = \mathbf{V}^\top \mathbf{V}$  ( $\mathbf{U}, \mathbf{V}$  orthonormal)

$\mathbf{U}$  columns are eigenvectors of  $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}^\top$ ,  $\mathbf{V}$  columns are eigenvectors of  $\mathbf{A}^\top \mathbf{A}$ ,  $\mathbf{D}$  diagonal elements are singular values.

$(\mathbf{D}^{-1})_{i,i} = \frac{1}{d_{i,i}}$  (don't forget to transpose)

- calculate  $\mathbf{A}^\top \mathbf{A}$ .
- calculate eigenvalues of  $\mathbf{A}^\top \mathbf{A}$ , the square root of them, in descending order, are the diagonal elements of  $\mathbf{D}$ .
- calculate eigenvectors of  $\mathbf{A}^\top \mathbf{A}$  using the eigenvalues resulting in the columns of  $\mathbf{V}$ .
- calculate the missing matrix:  $\mathbf{U} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{V}\mathbf{D}^{-1}$ .
- normalize each column of  $\mathbf{U}$  and  $\mathbf{V}$ .

### Low-Rank approximation

Using only  $K$  largest eigenvalues and corresponding eigenvectors.  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_{i,j} = \sum_{k=1}^K \mathbf{U}_{i,k} \mathbf{D}_{k,k} \mathbf{V}_{j,k} = \sum_{k=1}^K \mathbf{U}_{i,k} \mathbf{D}_{k,k} (\mathbf{V}^\top)_{k,j}$ .

### Echart-Young Theorem

$\mathbf{A}_k = \arg \min_{\text{rank}(\mathbf{B})=k} \|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B}\|_F^2$  (not convex)

$\min_{\text{rank}(\mathbf{B})=K} \|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B}\|_F^2 = \|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{A}_K\|_F^2 = \sum_{r=K+1}^{\text{rank}(\mathbf{A})} \sigma_r^2$   
 $\min_{\text{rank}(\mathbf{B})=K} \|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B}\|_2 = \|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{A}_K\|_2 = \sigma_{K+1}$

### 3 Matrix Approximation & Reconstruction

$\min_{\text{rank}(\mathbf{B})=k} [\sum_{(i,j) \in I} (a_{ij} - b_{ij})^2]$ ,  $I = \{(i, j) : \text{ob.}\}$

### Alternating Least Squares

$f(\mathbf{U}, \mathbf{v}_i) = \sum_{(i,j) \in I} (a_{i,j} - \langle \mathbf{u}_j, \mathbf{v}_i \rangle)^2$

$f(\mathbf{u}_i, \mathbf{V}) = \sum_{(i,j) \in I} (a_{i,j} - \langle \mathbf{u}_j, \mathbf{v}_i \rangle)^2$

Convex when fixed one.

### Convex Optimization

Def.:  $\{(x, t) | x \in \text{dom } f, f(x) \leq t\}$ ,  $f : \mathbb{R}^D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is convex, if  $\text{dom } f$  is a convex set, and if  $\forall \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \in \text{dom } f$ , and  $\forall \alpha \in [0, 1]$ :  $f(\alpha \mathbf{x} + (1 - \alpha) \mathbf{y}) \leq \alpha f(\mathbf{x}) + (1 - \alpha) f(\mathbf{y})$ . Convex  $\iff$  Hessian p.s.d  $\iff$  local=global

Positive semi-definite: all principal minors (same-indexed rows and columns)  $\geq 0$   
Positive definite: leading principal minors  $> 0$

### Convex Relaxation

Replace non-convex rank constraints by convex norm constraints (superset). Then project optimum back (hopefully still optimal).

$\min_{\mathbf{B} \in P_k} \|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B}\|_G^2, P_k = \{\mathbf{B} : \|\mathbf{B}\|_* \leq k\} \supseteq Q_k = \{\mathbf{B} : \text{rank}(\mathbf{B}) \leq k\}$  (in fact tightest convex lower-bound  $\text{rank}(\mathbf{B}) \geq \|\mathbf{B}\|_*, \text{for } \|\mathbf{B}\|_2 \leq 1$ )

### SVD Thresholding

$\mathbf{B}^* = \text{shrink}_\tau(\mathbf{A}) = \arg \min_{\mathbf{B}} \{\|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B}\|_F^2 + \tau \|\mathbf{B}\|_*\}$   
Then with SVD  $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{U}\mathbf{D}\mathbf{V}^\top$ ,  $\mathbf{D} = \text{diag}(\sigma_i)$ , holds  $\mathbf{B}^* = \mathbf{U}\mathbf{D}_\tau \mathbf{V}^\top$ ,  $\mathbf{D}_\tau = \text{diag}(\max\{0, \sigma_i - \tau\})$   
Iteration:  $\mathbf{B}_{t+1} = \mathbf{B}_t + \eta_t \Pi(\mathbf{A} - \text{shrink}_\tau(\mathbf{B}_t))$

### 4 Non-Negative Matrix Factorization

$\mathbf{X} \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}^{N \times M}$ , NMF:  $\mathbf{X} \approx \mathbf{U}^\top \mathbf{V}$ ,  $x_{ij} = \sum_z u_{zi} v_{zj} = \langle \mathbf{u}_i \mathbf{v}_j \rangle$  Decompose object into features: topics, face parts, etc..  $\mathbf{u}$  weights on parts,  $\mathbf{v}$  parts (bases). More interpretable (PCA: holistic repre.).

### EM for MLE for pLSA (No global opt guarantee)

**Context Model:**  $p(w|d) = \sum_{z=1}^K p(w|z)p(z|d)$   
**Conditional independence assumption (\*):**  
 $p(w|d) = \sum_z p(w, z|d) = \sum_z p(w|d, z)p(z|d) = \sum_z p(w|z)p(z|d)$

### Symmetric parameterization:

$p(w, d) = \sum_z p(z)p(w|z)p(d|z)$   
Log-Likelihood:  $L(\mathbf{U}, \mathbf{V}) = \sum_{i,j} x_{i,j} \log p(w_j | d_i) = \sum_{(i,j) \in X} \log \sum_{z=1}^K p(w_j | z) p(z | d_i)$   
 $p(w_j | z) = v_{zj}$ ,  $p(z | d_i) = u_{zi}$ ,  $\sum_j v_{zj} = \sum_z u_{zi} = 1$   
E-Step (optimal q: posterior of  $z$  over  $(d_i, w_j)$ ):  
 $q_{zij} = \frac{p(w_j | z) p(z | d_i)}{\sum_{k=1}^K p(w_j | k) p(k | d_i)} := \frac{v_{zj} u_{zi}}{\sum_{k=1}^K v_{kj} u_{ki}}$ ,  $\sum_z q_{zij} = 1$

M-Steps:  
 $p(z | d_i) = \frac{\sum_j x_{ij} q_{zij}}{\sum_j x_{ij}}$ ,  $p(w_j | z) = \frac{\sum_i x_{ij} q_{zij}}{\sum_{i,l} x_{il} q_{zil}}$

### Latent Dirichlet Allocation

To sample a new document, we need to extend  $\mathbf{X}$  and  $\mathbf{U}^T$  with a new row, s.t.  $\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{U}^T \mathbf{V}$ . (While pLSA fixes both dimensions)

For each  $d_i$  sample topic weights  $\mathbf{u}_i \sim \text{Dirichlet}(\alpha)$ :  $p(u_i | \alpha) = \prod_{z=1}^K u_{zi}^{\alpha_z - 1}$ , then topic  $z^t \sim \text{Multi}(u_i)$ , word  $w^t \sim \text{Multi}(v_{z^t})$

Multinomial obsv. model on wc vec:  $p(\mathbf{x} | \mathbf{V}, \mathbf{u}) = \frac{1}{\prod_j x_j!} \prod_j \pi_j^{x_j}$  where  $\pi_j = \sum_z v_{zj} u_{zi}$ ,  $l = \sum_j x_j$

Bayesian averaging over  $\mathbf{u}$ :  $p(\mathbf{x} | \mathbf{V}, \alpha) = \int p(\mathbf{x} | \mathbf{V}, \mathbf{u}) p(\mathbf{u} | \alpha) d\mathbf{u}$

### NMF Algorithm for quadratic cost function

$\min_{\mathbf{U}, \mathbf{V}} J(\mathbf{U}, \mathbf{V}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{X} - \mathbf{U}^\top \mathbf{V}\|_F^2$  (non-negativity) s.t.  $\forall i, j, z : u_{zi}, v_{zj} \geq 0$

Comparison with pLSA:

- sampling model: Gaussian vs multinomial 2. objective: quadratic vs KL divergence 3. constraints: not normalized

Alternating least squares:

- init:  $\mathbf{U}, \mathbf{V} = \text{rand}()$
- repeat 3~4 for  $\text{maxIters}$ :
- upd.  $(\mathbf{V}\mathbf{V}^\top) \mathbf{U} = \mathbf{V}\mathbf{X}^\top$ , proj.  $u_{zi} = \max\{0, u_{zi}\}$
- update  $(\mathbf{U}\mathbf{U}^\top) \mathbf{V} = \mathbf{U}\mathbf{X}$ , proj.  $v_{zj} = \max\{0, v_{zj}\}$

### 5 Word Embeddings

#### Distributional Model:

$p_\theta(w|w') = \Pr[w \text{ occurs in context of } w']$

#### Log-likelihood:

$L(\theta; \mathbf{w}) = \sum_{t=1}^T \sum_{\Delta \in I} \log p_\theta(w^{(t+\Delta)} | w^{(t)})$

**Latent Vector Model:**  $w \rightarrow (\mathbf{x}_w, b_w) \in \mathbb{R}^{D+1}$

$p_\theta(w|w') = \frac{\exp(\langle \mathbf{x}_w, \mathbf{x}_{w'} \rangle + b_w)}{\sum_{v \in V} \exp(\langle \mathbf{x}_v, \mathbf{x}_{w'} \rangle + b_v)}$  (soft-max).

#### Modifications:

$\log p_\theta(w|w') = \langle y_w, \mathbf{x}_{w'} \rangle + b_w$ , word  $y_w$ , c'txt  $x_w$ , use GloVe objective

negative sampling (logistic classification)

## GoVe (Weighted Square Loss)

**Co-occurrence Matrix:**

$\mathbf{N} = (n_{ij}) \in \mathbb{R}^{V \times |C|} = \# \text{ of word } w_i \text{ in context } w_j$

**Objective:**  $H(\theta; \mathbf{N})$

$= \sum_{n_{ij} > 0} f(n_{ij})(\log n_{ij} - \log \exp[\langle \mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{y}_j \rangle + b_i + d_j])^2$

with  $f(n) = \min\{1, (\frac{n}{n_{\max}})^\alpha\}$ ,  $\alpha \in (0; 1]$ .

unnormalized distr.  $\rightarrow$  2-sided loss function

1. sample  $(i, j) u.a.r. s.t. n_{ij} > 0$

2.  $\mathbf{x}_i^{new} \leftarrow \mathbf{x}_i + 2\eta f(n_{ij})(\log n_{ij} - \langle \mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{y}_j \rangle) \mathbf{y}_j$

3.  $\mathbf{y}_j^{new} \leftarrow \mathbf{y}_j + 2\eta f(n_{ij})(\log n_{ij} - \langle \mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{y}_j \rangle) \mathbf{x}_i$

## Discussion

Word embeddings can model analogies and relatedness, but antonyms are usually not well captured.

## 6 Data Clustering & Mixture Models

### KMeans

**Target:**  $\min_{\mathbf{U}, \mathbf{Z}} J(\mathbf{U}, \mathbf{Z}) = \|\mathbf{X} - \mathbf{UZ}\|_F^2$

$= \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K z_{k,n} \|\mathbf{x}_n - \mathbf{u}_k\|_2^2$

1. **Initiate:** choose  $K$  centroids  $\mathbf{U} = [\mathbf{u}_1, \dots, \mathbf{u}_K]$

2. **Cluster Assign:** data points to clusters.

$k^*(\mathbf{x}_n) = \arg \min_k \{\|\mathbf{x}_n - \mathbf{u}_k\|_2\}$  returns cluster  $k^*$ , whose centroid  $\mathbf{u}_{k^*}$  is closest to data point  $\mathbf{x}_n$ .

Set  $\mathbf{z}_{k^*,n} = 1$ , and for  $l \neq k^*$   $\mathbf{z}_{l,n} = 0$ .

3. **Update centroids:**  $\mathbf{u}_k = \frac{\sum_{n=1}^N z_{k,n} \mathbf{x}_n}{\sum_{n=1}^N z_{k,n}}$ .

4. Repeat from step 2, stops if  $\|\mathbf{Z} - \mathbf{Z}^{new}\|_0 = \|\mathbf{Z} - \mathbf{Z}^{new}\|_F^2 = 0$ .

Computational cost:  $O(k \cdot n \cdot d)$

### Gaussian Mixture Models (GMM)

Gaussian  $p(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp(-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2})$  Multivariate

$p(\mathbf{x}; \mu; \Sigma) = \frac{1}{|\Sigma|^{\frac{1}{2}} (2\pi)^{\frac{D}{2}}} \exp[-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{x} - \mu)^T \Sigma^{-1}(\mathbf{x} - \mu)]$

For GMM let  $\theta_k = (\mu_k, \Sigma_k)$ ;  $p_{\theta_k}(\mathbf{x}) = \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{x} | \mu_k, \Sigma_k)$

**Mixture Models:**  $p_{\theta}(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{k=1}^K \pi_k p_{\theta_k}(\mathbf{x})$

**Assignment variable (generative model):**

$z_{ij} \in \{0, 1\}$ ,  $\sum_{j=1}^k z_{ij} = 1$

$\Pr(z_k = 1) = \pi_k \Leftrightarrow p(\mathbf{z}) = \prod_{k=1}^K \pi_k^{z_k}$

**Complete data distribution:**

$p_{\theta}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{z}) = \prod_{k=1}^K (\pi_k p_{\theta_k}(\mathbf{x}))^{z_k}$

**Posterior Probabilities:**

$\Pr(z_k = 1 | \mathbf{x}) = \frac{\Pr(z_k=1)p(\mathbf{x}|z_k=1)}{\sum_{i=1}^K \Pr(z_i=1)p(\mathbf{x}|z_i=1)} = \frac{\pi_k p_{\theta_k}(\mathbf{x})}{\sum_{i=1}^K \pi_i p_{\theta_i}(\mathbf{x})}$

posterior  $p(A|B) = \frac{\text{prior } p(A) \times \text{likelihood } p(B|A)}{\text{evidence } p(B)}$

**Likelihood of observed data X:**

$p_{\theta}(\mathbf{X}) = \prod_{n=1}^N p_{\theta}(\mathbf{x}_n) = \prod_{n=1}^N (\sum_{k=1}^K \pi_k p_{\theta_k}(\mathbf{x}_n))$

**Max. Likelihood Estimation (MLE):**

$\arg \max_{\theta} \sum_{n=1}^N \log(\sum_{k=1}^K \pi_k p_{\theta_k}(\mathbf{x}_n))$

$\geq \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K q_k [\log p_{\theta_k}(\mathbf{x}_n) + \log \pi_k - \log q_k]$  with  $\sum_{k=1}^K q_k = 1$  by Jensen Inequality.

### Generative Model

1. sample cluster index  $j \sim \text{Categorical}(\pi)$

2. given  $j$ , sample data  $\mathbf{x} \sim \text{Normal}(\mu_j, \Sigma_j)$

### Expectation-Maximization (EM) for GMM

E-Step:  $\Pr[z_{k,n} = 1 | \mathbf{x}_n] = q_{k,n} =$

$$\frac{\pi_k^{(t-1)} \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{x}_n | \mu_k^{(t-1)}, \Sigma_k^{(t-1)})}{\sum_{j=1}^K \pi_j^{(t-1)} \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{x}_n | \mu_j^{(t-1)}, \Sigma_j^{(t-1)})}$$

M-Step:  $\mu_k^{(t)} := \frac{\sum_{n=1}^N q_{k,n} \mathbf{x}_n}{\sum_{n=1}^N q_{k,n}}$ ,  $\pi_k^{(t)} := \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N q_{k,n}$

$$\Sigma_k^{(t)} = \frac{\sum_{n=1}^N q_{k,n} (\mathbf{x}_n - \mu_k^{(t)}) (\mathbf{x}_n - \mu_k^{(t)})^T}{\sum_{n=1}^N q_{k,n}}$$

### Discussion K-means vs. EM

hard assignment vs soft. spherical clusters shapes vs covariance matrix. fast vs slow and more iteration. K-means can be used as initialization for EM.

K-means as a special case of GMM with covariances  $\Sigma_j = \sigma^2 I$ . in the limit of  $\sigma \rightarrow 0$ , recover K-means (hard assignments).

### Model Order Selection (AIC / BIC for GMM)

Trade-off between data fit (i.e. likelihood  $p(\mathbf{X}|\theta)$ ) and complexity (i.e. # of free parameters  $\kappa(\cdot)$ ). For choosing  $K$ :

Akaike Information Criterion:  $\text{AIC}(\theta|\mathbf{X}) = -\log p_{\theta}(\mathbf{X}) + \kappa(\theta)$

Bayesian Information Criterion:  $\text{BIC}(\theta|\mathbf{X}) = -\log p_{\theta}(\mathbf{X}) + \frac{1}{2} \kappa(\theta) \log N$

# of free params, fixed covariance matrix:

$\kappa(\theta) = K \cdot D + (K - 1)$  ( $K$ : # clusters,  $D$ : dim(data) = dim( $\mu_i$ ),  $K - 1$ :  $\pi$  of # free clusters),

full covariance matrix:  $\kappa(\theta) = K(D + \frac{D(D+1)}{2}) + (K - 1)$ .

Compare AIC/BIC for different  $K$  – the smaller the better. BIC penalizes complexity more.

### 7 Sparse Coding

#### Orthogonal Basis

Pros: fast inverse; preserves energy. For  $\mathbf{x}$  and orthog. mat.  $\mathbf{U}$  compute  $\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{U}^T \mathbf{x}$ . Approx

$\hat{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{U} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ ,  $\hat{z}_i = z_i$  if  $|z_i| > \epsilon$  else 0. Reconstruction Error  $\|\mathbf{x} - \hat{\mathbf{x}}\|^2 = \sum_{d \notin \sigma} \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{u}_d \rangle^2$ . Choice of base depends on signal. Fourier for global, wavelet for local support. PCA basis optimal for given  $\Sigma$ . Stripes & check patterns: hi-freq in Fourier.

#### Haar Wavelets (form orthogonal basis)

scaling fcn  $\phi(x) = [1, 1, 1, 1]$ , mother  $W(x) = [1, 1, -1, -1]$ , dilated  $W(2x) = [1, -1, 0, 0]$ , translated  $W(2x - 1) = [0, 0, 1, -1]$

#### Overcomplete Basis

$\mathbf{U} \in \mathbb{R}^{D \times L}$  for # atoms =  $L > D = \text{dim}(\text{data})$ . Decoding involved  $\rightarrow$  add constraint  $\mathbf{z}^* \in$

$\arg \min_{\mathbf{z}} \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{Uz}\|_0$  s.t.  $\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{Uz}$ . NP-hard  $\rightarrow$  approximate with 1-norm (convex) or with MP.

**Coherence** •  $m(\mathbf{U}) = \max_{i,j:i \neq j} |\mathbf{u}_i^T \mathbf{u}_j|$  •  $m(\mathbf{B}) = 0$  if  $\mathbf{B}$  orthogonal matrix •  $m([\mathbf{B}, \mathbf{u}]) \geq \frac{1}{\sqrt{D}}$  if atom  $\mathbf{u}$  is added to orthogonal basis  $\mathbf{B}$  (o.n.b. = orthonormal base)

**Matching Pursuit (MP)** approximation of  $\mathbf{x}$  onto  $\mathbf{U}$ , using  $K$  entries. Objective:  $\mathbf{z}^* \in \arg \min_{\mathbf{z}} \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{Uz}\|_2$ , s.t.  $\|\mathbf{z}\|_0 \leq K$  1. init:  $\mathbf{z} \leftarrow 0$ ,  $r \leftarrow \mathbf{x}$  2. while  $\|\mathbf{z}\|_0 < K$  do 3. select atom with smallest angle  $i^* = \arg \max_i |\langle \mathbf{u}_i, \mathbf{r} \rangle|$  4. update coefficients:  $z_{i^*} \leftarrow z_{i^*} + \langle \mathbf{u}_{i^*}, \mathbf{r} \rangle$  5. update residual:  $\mathbf{r} \leftarrow \mathbf{r} - \langle \mathbf{u}_{i^*}, \mathbf{r} \rangle \mathbf{u}_{i^*}$ .

**Exact recovery** when:  $K < 1/2(1 + 1/m(\mathbf{U}))$

**Compressive Sensing:** Compress data while gathering: •  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^D$ ,  $K$ -sparse in o.n.b.  $\mathbf{U}$ .  $\mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^M$  with  $y_i = \langle \mathbf{w}_i, \mathbf{x} \rangle$ :  $M$  lin. combinations of signal;  $\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{Wx} = \mathbf{WUz} = \mathbf{\Theta z}$ ,  $\mathbf{\Theta} \in \mathbb{R}^{M \times D}$  • Reconstruct  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^D$  from  $\mathbf{y}$ ; find  $\mathbf{z}^* \in \arg \min_{\mathbf{z}} \|\mathbf{z}\|_0$ , s.t.  $\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{\Theta z}$  (e.g. with MP, or convex it with 1-norm: can be eq!). Given  $\mathbf{z}$ , reconstruct  $\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{Uz}$  Any orthogonal  $\mathbf{U}$  sufficient if: •  $\mathbf{W} =$  Gaussian random projection, i.e.  $w_{ij} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \frac{1}{D})$  •  $M \geq cK \log(\frac{D}{K})$ , where  $c$  is some constant

### 8 Dictionary Learning

Adapt the dictionary to signal characteristics. Objective:  $(\mathbf{U}^*, \mathbf{Z}^*) \in \arg \min_{\mathbf{U}, \mathbf{Z}} \|\mathbf{X} - \mathbf{UZ}\|_F^2$  not jointly convex but convex in 1 argument.

**Matrix Factorization by Iter Greedy**

**Minimization** 1. Coding step:  $\mathbf{Z}^{t+1} \in \arg \min_{\mathbf{Z}} \|\mathbf{X} - \mathbf{U}^t \mathbf{Z}\|_F^2$  subject to  $\mathbf{Z}$  being sparse ( $\mathbf{z}_i^{t+1} \in \arg \min_{\mathbf{z}} \|\mathbf{z}\|_0$  s.t.  $\|\mathbf{x}_n - \mathbf{U}^t \mathbf{z}\|_2 \leq \sigma \|\mathbf{x}_n\|_2$ )

2. Dict update step:  $\mathbf{U}^{t+1} \in \arg \min_{\mathbf{U}} \|\mathbf{X} - \mathbf{UZ}^{t+1}\|_F^2$ , subj to  $\forall l \in [L] : \|\mathbf{u}_l\|_2 = 1$ . (set  $\mathbf{U} = [\mathbf{u}_1^T \dots \mathbf{u}_l^T \dots \mathbf{u}_L^T]$ ,  $\min_{\mathbf{u}_l} \|\mathbf{X} - \mathbf{UZ}^{t+1}\|_F^2 = \min_{\mathbf{u}_l} \|\mathbf{R}_l^t - \mathbf{u}_l (\mathbf{z}_l^{t+1})^T\|_F^2$  with  $\mathbf{R}_l^t = \tilde{\mathbf{U}} \Sigma \tilde{\mathbf{V}}^T$  by  $\mathbf{u}_l^* = \tilde{\mathbf{u}}_1$ )

### 9 Neural Networks

**Activation:**  $\tanh(x) = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}}$  sigmoid  $s(x) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-x}}$ ,  $s'(x) = s(x)(1 - s(x))$ , ReLU  $\max(0, x)$

**Neurons:**  $F_{\sigma}(\mathbf{x}; \mathbf{w}) = \sigma(w_0 + \sum_{i=1}^M x_i w_i)$ .

**Output:** linear regression  $\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{W}^L \mathbf{x}^{L-1}$ , binary (logistic)  $y_1 = P[Y = 1 | \mathbf{x}] = \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x}^{L-1})}$ , multiclass (soft-max)  $y_k = P[Y = k | \mathbf{x}] =$

$\frac{\exp(\mathbf{w}_k^T \mathbf{x}^{L-1})}{\sum_{m=1}^K \exp(\mathbf{w}_m^T \mathbf{x}^{L-1})}$ . **Loss function**  $l(y, \hat{y})$ : squared loss  $\frac{1}{2}(y - \hat{y})^2$ , cross-entropy loss  $-y \log \hat{y} - (1 - y) \log(1 - \hat{y})$ . **Units and Layers:** layer-to-layer fwd. prop. notati-

on:  $\mathbf{x}^l = \sigma^l(\mathbf{W}^{(l)} \mathbf{x}^{(l-1)})$ . L-layer network:

$\mathbf{y} = \sigma^{(L)}(\mathbf{W}^{(L)} \sigma^{(L-1)}(\dots(\sigma^{(1)}(\mathbf{W}^{(1)} \mathbf{x}) \dots)))$

### Backpropagation

Layer-to-layer Jacobian:  $\mathbf{x} =$  prev. layer activation,  $\mathbf{x}^+ =$  next layer activation. Jacobian matrix  $\mathbf{J} = J_{ij}$  of mapping  $\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{x}^+$ ,  $\mathbf{x}_i^+ = \sigma(\mathbf{w}_i^T \mathbf{x})$ ,  $J_{ij} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{x}_i^+}{\partial \mathbf{x}_j} = w_{ij} \cdot \sigma'(\mathbf{w}_i^T \mathbf{x})$ . Across multiple layers:

$\frac{\partial \mathbf{x}^{(l)}}{\partial \mathbf{x}^{(l-n)}} = \mathbf{J}^{(l)} \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{x}^{(l-1)}}{\partial \mathbf{x}^{(l-n)}} = \mathbf{J}^{(l)} \cdot \mathbf{J}^{(l-1)} \dots \mathbf{J}^{(l-n+1)}$  and then back prop.  $\nabla_{\mathbf{x}^{(l)}} \ell = \nabla_{\mathbf{y}}^T \ell \cdot \mathbf{J}^{(L)} \dots \mathbf{J}^{(l+1)}$

Weights:  $\frac{\partial \ell}{\partial w_{ij}^{(l)}} = \frac{\partial \ell}{\partial x_i^{(l)}} \frac{\partial x_i^{(l)}}{\partial w_{ij}^{(l)}}$ ,  $\frac{\partial x_i^l}{\partial w_{ij}^l} =$

$\sigma'([\mathbf{w}_i^{(l)}]^T \mathbf{x}^{(l-1)}) \cdot x_j^{(l-1)}$  (sensitivity of downstream unit · activation of up-stream unit)

### Gradient Descent (or Deepest Descent)

**Gradient:**  $\nabla f(\mathbf{x}) := (\frac{\partial f(\mathbf{x})}{\partial x_1}, \dots, \frac{\partial f(\mathbf{x})}{\partial x_D})^T$

1. init:  $\mathbf{x}^{(0)} \in \mathbb{R}^D$   
2. for  $t = 0$  to  $\text{maxIter}$ :  
3.  $\mathbf{x}^{(t+1)} = \mathbf{x}^{(t)} - \gamma \nabla f(\mathbf{x}^{(t)})$ , usually  $\gamma \approx \frac{1}{t}$

### Stochastic Gradient Descent (SGD)

Assume **Additive Objective:**

$f(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N f_n(\mathbf{x})$

1. init:  $\mathbf{x}^{(0)} \in \mathbb{R}^D$   
2. for  $t = 0$  to  $\text{maxIter}$ :  
3. sample  $n \in_{u.a.r.} \{1, \dots, N\}$   
4.  $\mathbf{x}^{(t+1)} = \mathbf{x}^{(t)} - \gamma \nabla f_n(\mathbf{x}^{(t)})$ , typically  $\gamma \approx \frac{1}{t}$ .

### Neural Networks for Images (CNN)

Translation invariance of images  $\rightarrow$  neurons compute same fct, shift invariant filters; weights defined as filter masks, e.g. convolution:  $F_{n,m}(\mathbf{x}; \mathbf{w}) = \sigma(b + \sum_{k=-2}^2 \sum_{l=-2}^2 w_{k,l} x_{n+k,m+l})$ . To reduce dimension of convolution, use {max, avg}-pooling

### 10 Deep Unsupervised Learning

#### Autoregressive

Image  $p(\mathbf{x}) = \prod_i^{n^2} p(x_i | x_1, \dots, x_{i-1})$

#### Variational Autoencoder

$D_{KL}(P||Q) = \sum_i P(i) \log \frac{P(i)}{Q(i)} = \mathbb{E}_i [\frac{\log P_i}{\log Q_i}]$  (0: similar)

Elbo  $\mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{x} \sim P_{\mathbf{x}}} [\mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{z} \sim Q} \log P_g(\mathbf{x} | \mathbf{z}) - D^{KL}(Q(\mathbf{z} | \mathbf{x}) || P(\mathbf{z}))]$   
 $Q$  enc. posterior distr.,  $P(\mathbf{z})$  prior distr. on latent var  $\mathbf{z}$ ,  $P_g$  likelihood of dec. generated  $\mathbf{x}$

Jointly trained: enc. optimize regularizer term, sample  $\mathbf{z} \sim Q$ , feed to dec., produce  $\hat{\mathbf{x}}$  to max. reconstruction quality. Both terms diff'able, can use SGD to train end-to-end.