

# Eigenfaces vs. Fisherfaces: Recognition Using Class Specific Linear Projection

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# Chapter 1

## Methods

### 1.1 Correlation

attr database Accuracy: 0.14

Yale database Accuracy: 0.7

Observation: Does't handle pose and illumination changes

### 1.2 EigenFace

#### 1.2.1 Experiments

X-axis: Number of eigen Vectors(k)

Y-axis: Recognition rate

1. Attr Database

**Accuracy: 0.95 for k=29**

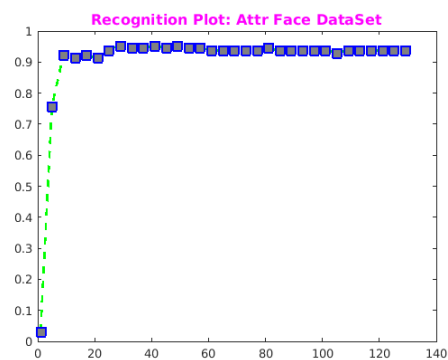


Figure 1.1: attr database

2. Yale Database  
Accuracy: 0.39 for k=289

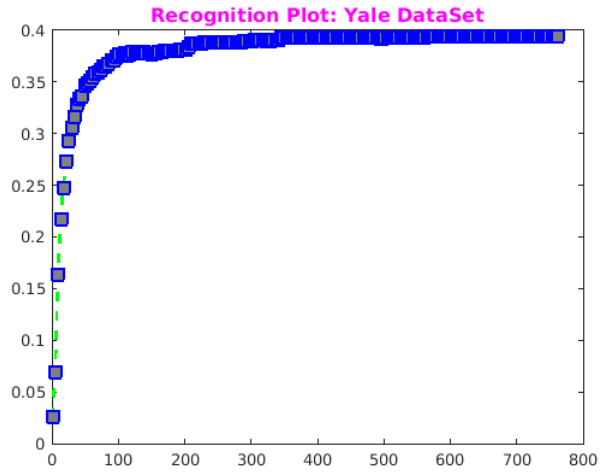


Figure 1.2: Yale database

3. Yale Database handling Illumination changes  
Accuracy: 0.68 for k=477

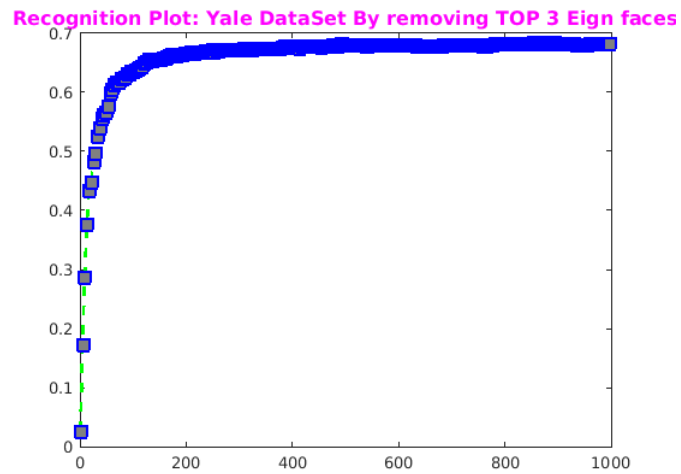


Figure 1.3: Yale database handling illumination changes

Yale Database handling Illumination changes with subsample images **Accuracy: 0.68**

## 1.3 Fisher Face

**Function for Fisher Face :**

$$W_{opt} = \operatorname{argmax}_W | W_T S_B W | / | W_T S_W W |$$

where  $W_{opt}$  is optimal projection

$S_B$  is between class scatter

$S_W$  is within class scatter

**Problem:** To obtain the Fisherfaces, we need to compute the inverse of  $S_w$ , i.e.,  $S_w^{-1}$ . If the sample feature vectors are defined in a p-dimensional space and p is larger than the total number of samples n, then  $S_w$  is singular.

**Solutions:** There are three typically used solutions to this problem.

1. In the first solution, we project the sample vectors onto the PCA space of r dimensions, with  $r \leq \operatorname{rank}(S_w)$  and compute the Fisherfaces in this PCA space.
2. The second solution is to project the between- and within-class scatter matrices onto the PCA space of r dimensions, with  $r \leq \operatorname{rank}(S_w)$  and compute the Fisherfaces in this PCA space.
3. The third solution is to add a regularising term to  $S_w$ . That is,  $S_w + \epsilon I$ , where I is the identity matrix and  $\epsilon$  is a small constant.

**We have tested for both Second and third Method.** Both methods give almost same results.

### 1.3.1 Optimization used for second method

**Problem:** Size of image vector was i.e  $d = H \times W (32256 \times 1)$  for Yale database). So Size of  $S_B$  and  $S_W$  (scatter matrix) was  $d \times d$  (i.e  $32256 \times 32256$ ), which is equal to 7.8 gb each. Finding  $S_W$  and  $S_B$  was a computation and memory overhead.

**Optimization:** To reduce computation and memory overhead we have used following method.

1. For finding projected value of  $S_B$  :

Mean vector for a particular class of Image =  $\mu_i$

Mean Image vector all class images =  $\bar{\mu}$

$$\bar{\mu}_i = \mu_i - \bar{\mu}$$

$$A = [ \bar{\mu}_1 * \sqrt{n_1} \quad \bar{\mu}_2 * \sqrt{n_2} \quad \dots ]$$

$$S_B = A A^T$$

$$W_{PCA}^T S_B W_{PCA} = W_{PCA}^T A A^T W_{PCA}$$

$$W_{PCA}^T S_B W_{PCA} = (W_{PCA}^T A) (A^T W_{PCA})$$

Dimension of  $W_{PCA}^T A = (N - c) \times (N)$  ,where N in number of images and c in number of class

2. For finding projected value of  $S_W$

Image vector of a class= $X_i$

Mean Image vector of a particular class =  $\overline{\mu_{ci}}$

$$\overline{X_i} = X_i - \overline{\mu_{ci}}$$

$$B = [ \overline{X_1} \quad \overline{X_2} \quad \dots ]$$

$$S_W = B B^T$$

$$W_{PCA}^T S_W W_{PCA} = W_{PCA}^T B B^T W_{PCA}$$

$$W_{PCA}^T S_W W_{PCA} = (W_{PCA}^T B) (B^T W_{PCA})$$

Dimension of  $W_{PCA}^T B = (N - c) \times (N)$  ,where N in number of images and c in number of class

### 1.3.2 Experiments

#### 1. Attr Database

**Accuracy: 0.906250**

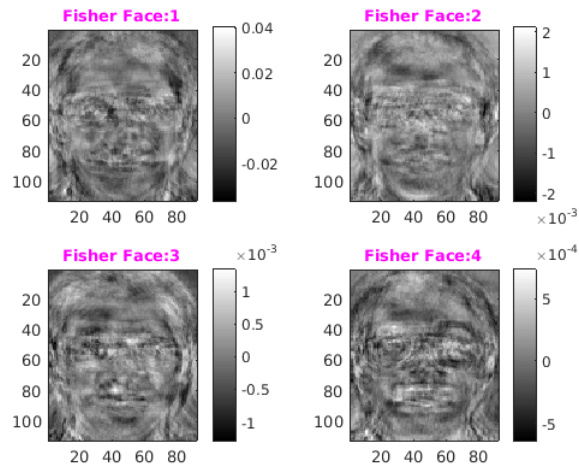


Figure 1.4: Fisher Faces for Attr Databse

#### 2. Yale Database

**Scaling: 1**

Taking (N-c) vectors from  $W_{PCA}$  for Dimensionality reduction of image space

**Accuracy: 0.739474**

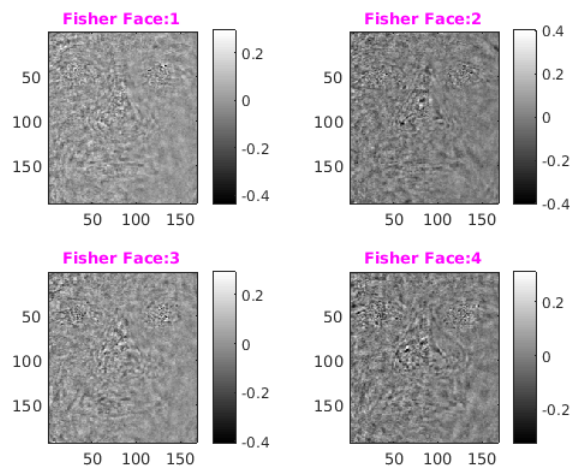


Figure 1.5: Fisher Faces for Yale Databse

3. Yale Database Removing first three vectors of PCA in calculation of Fisher faces then taking (N-c) vectors for Dimensionality reduction  
**Scaling: 1**  
**Accuracy: 0.752**
4. Yale Database  
**Scaling: 0.5**  
**Accuracy: 0.781579**

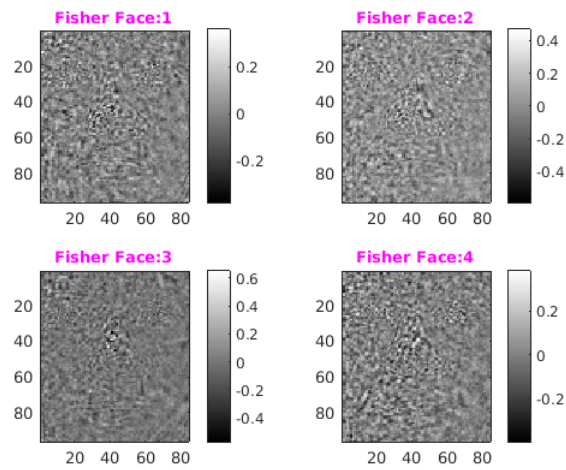


Figure 1.6: Fisher Faces for Yale Databse

5. Extended Yale Database  
**Accuracy: 0.93**

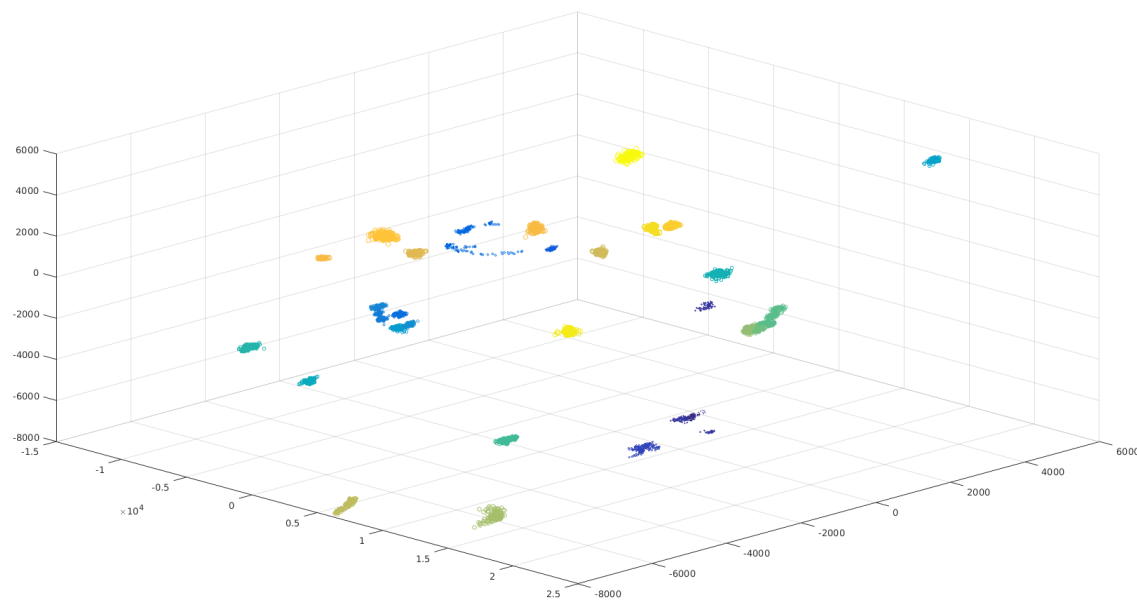


Figure 1.7: projection of test images on first 3 Fisher Face Vectors