

Principal Component Analysis.

Suppose each data point is stored in a p -dimensional vector. and there are N data pts. Then

One may take a data matrix $X = (\vec{x}_1 \vec{x}_2 \dots \vec{x}_N) \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times N}$.

Mean: sample mean $M = \frac{1}{N} (\vec{x}_1 + \dots + \vec{x}_N)$

normalised data: take $\hat{x}_i = \vec{x}_i - M$ and take normalized data matrix $B = (\hat{x}_1 \dots \hat{x}_N)$.

\Rightarrow The normalized data set has mean zero.

Covariance matrix: $S = \frac{1}{N-1} B B^T = (S_{ij}) \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times p}$

For $i \neq j$: S_{ij} is called the covariance of x_i and x_j ; if $S_{ij} = 0$, x_i and x_j is called uncorrelated.

S_{ii} is called the variance of x_i . $\sum_{i=1}^p S_{ii} = \text{total variance} = \text{Tr}(S)$.

Goal: Find uncorrelated directions and get the maximal variance directions.

Linear Algebra: S is symmetric \Rightarrow By Spectral Thm \exists orthogonal matrix P and diagonal matrix $D \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times p}$

such that $S = P D P^T$. In particular we arrange D such that $D = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_p \end{pmatrix}$ w/ $\lambda_1 \geq \dots \geq \lambda_p$.

($\Rightarrow P^T S P = D \Rightarrow P^T B B^T P = D$)
(\Rightarrow Find SVD of B^T : $B^T = U \Sigma V^T \Rightarrow S = \frac{1}{N-1} V \Sigma U^T U \Sigma V^T = \frac{1}{N-1} V \Sigma^2 V^T$.)
Then $P = V$, $D = \frac{1}{N-1} \Sigma^2$.

Denote $P = (\vec{u}_1 \dots \vec{u}_p)$, then $\vec{u}_1, \vec{u}_2, \dots, \vec{u}_p$ are called the principal components of the data.
orthogonal change of basis.

Take $Y = P^T X$. Take $C = P^T (\hat{x}_1 \dots \hat{x}_N) = P^T B$

Then: $S_{\text{new}} = \frac{1}{N-1} C C^T = \frac{1}{N-1} P^T B B^T P = P^T S P = P^T (P D P^T) P = D$

$\Rightarrow y_i$ and y_j are uncorrelated for any $i \neq j$.

Remarks: The total variance of $x_1, \dots, x_p = \text{total variance of } y_1, \dots, y_p$.
 $= \lambda_1 + \dots + \lambda_p$.

- Principal components analysis is potentially valuable for applications in which most of the variation (indicated by the total variance) or dynamic change is due to variations in only the first few of the new variable of y_1, \dots, y_p . (Often times the first few of $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_p$ takes a high percentage of $\lambda_1 + \dots + \lambda_p$).

Jordan Canonical Form.

A matrix $J \in F^{n \times n}$ is called in Jordan canonical form if it is a block diagonal matrix in the following form:

$$J = \begin{pmatrix} J_1 & & \\ & J_2 & \\ & & \ddots \\ & & & J_k \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{where } J_i \in F^{d_i \times d_i} \text{ is a Jordan block of the form}$$

$$J_i = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_i & 1 & & \\ & \lambda_i & \ddots & \\ & & \ddots & 1 \\ & & & \lambda_i \end{pmatrix} \in F^{d_i \times d_i}.$$

Main Theorem 1). Let $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$. Then there exists an invertible matrix P and J in Jordan canonical form such that $A = PJP^{-1}$.

2). Let V be a finite dimensional vector space. Let $T: V \rightarrow V$ be a linear transformation. Then there exists a basis B of V such that $[T]_B$ is in Jordan canonical form.

Definition: Let $T: V \rightarrow V$ be a linear transformation. A non-zero vector $\vec{x} \in V$ is called a generalized eigenvector

of T if there exists $\lambda \in F$ and a positive integer $p \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ such that

$$(T - \lambda I)^p \vec{x} = \vec{0}.$$

The set $\{ \vec{0} \} \neq K_\lambda = \{ \vec{x} \in V : (T - \lambda I)^p \vec{x} = \vec{0} \text{ for some } p \in \mathbb{Z}^+ \}$ is called the generalized eigenspace of T associated with eigenvalue λ .

Proposition: K_λ is a subspace of V .

Proof: ① $\vec{0} \in K_\lambda$

② $\forall \vec{x}, \vec{y} \in K_\lambda$: $(T - \lambda I)^p (\vec{x}) = \vec{0}$ and $(T - \lambda I)^q (\vec{y}) = \vec{0}$ for some $p, q \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

$$\forall c \in F: (T - \lambda I)^{p+q} (c\vec{x} + \vec{y}) = c(T - \lambda I)^{p+q} (\vec{x}) + (T - \lambda I)^{p+q} (\vec{y}) = \vec{0}.$$

$$\Rightarrow c\vec{x} + \vec{y} \in K_\lambda.$$

Remarks: 1). $E_\lambda \subseteq K_\lambda$.

2). For $\vec{0} \neq \vec{x} \in K_\lambda$, let $p_x \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ be the smallest positive integer such that $(T - \lambda I)^{p_x} (\vec{x}) = \vec{0}$.

$$\Rightarrow \text{define } \vec{y} = (T - \lambda I)^{p_x - 1} (\vec{x}) \neq \vec{0}$$

$$\text{Then } (T - \lambda I)\vec{y} = (T - \lambda I)^{p_x}(\vec{x}) = \vec{0} \\ \Rightarrow \vec{y} \in E_\lambda.$$

Example Let $A \in \mathbb{C}^{6 \times 6}$ and $P \in \mathbb{C}^{6 \times 6}$ such that $A = PJP^{-1}$ where $J = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{array} \right)_{6 \times 6}$

$$\text{Then } f(x) = \det(A - \lambda I) = \det(J - \lambda I) = (2 - \lambda)^4 (3 - \lambda)^2.$$

$$\text{Eigenvalues: } \lambda = 2 \text{ (multiplicity } = 4), \quad \lambda = 3 \text{ (multiplicity } = 2).$$

$$\text{Denote } P = [\vec{p}_1 \ \vec{p}_2 \ \vec{p}_3 \ \vec{p}_4 \ \vec{p}_5 \ \vec{p}_6]. \text{ Then } A = PJP^{-1} \Leftrightarrow AP = PJ$$

$$\Leftrightarrow A\vec{p}_1 = 2\vec{p}_1 \Leftrightarrow (A - 2I)\vec{p}_1 = \vec{0} \Rightarrow \vec{p}_1 \in \text{Null}(A - 2I)$$

$$A\vec{p}_2 = \vec{p}_1 + 2\vec{p}_2 \Leftrightarrow (A - 2I)\vec{p}_2 = \vec{p}_1 \Rightarrow \vec{p}_2 \in \text{Null}(A - 2I)^2$$

$$A\vec{p}_3 = \vec{p}_2 + 2\vec{p}_3 \Leftrightarrow (A - 2I)\vec{p}_3 = \vec{p}_2 \Rightarrow \vec{p}_3 \in \text{Null}(A - 2I)^3$$

$$A\vec{p}_4 = 2\vec{p}_4 \Leftrightarrow (A - 2I)\vec{p}_4 = \vec{0} \Rightarrow \vec{p}_4 \in \text{Null}(A - 2I)$$

$$A\vec{p}_5 = 3\vec{p}_5 \Leftrightarrow (A - 3I)\vec{p}_5 = \vec{0} \Rightarrow \vec{p}_5 \in \text{Null}(A - 3I)$$

$$A\vec{p}_6 = \vec{p}_5 + 3\vec{p}_6 \Leftrightarrow (A - 3I)\vec{p}_6 = \vec{p}_5 \Rightarrow \vec{p}_6 \in \text{Null}(A - 3I)^2$$

Remarks: 1) $\{\vec{p}_1, \vec{p}_2, \dots, \vec{p}_6\}$ is a set of generalized eigenvectors

$$2). \{\vec{p}_1, \vec{p}_2, \vec{p}_3, \vec{p}_4\} \in K_2. \quad \dim K_2 = 4 = \text{multiplicity of } \lambda = 2?$$

$$. \{\vec{p}_5, \vec{p}_6\} \in K_2, \quad \dim K_2 = 2 = \text{multiplicity of } \lambda = 3?$$

$$3). \{\vec{p}_1, \vec{p}_2, \vec{p}_3, \vec{p}_4\} \in \text{Null}(A - 2I)^3 \quad K_2 = \text{Null}(A - 2I)^4?$$

$$\{\vec{p}_5, \vec{p}_6\} \in \text{Null}(A - 3I)^2 \quad K_4 = \text{Null}(A - 3I)^2?$$

$$4). \# \text{ of Jordan blocks with diagonal } \lambda = 2 = 2 = \dim E_2$$

$$\# \text{ of Jordan blocks with diagonal } \lambda = 3 = 1 = \dim E_3. \quad // \text{ end of March 5}$$

Conjectures: Let $T: V \rightarrow V$ be a linear transformation.

1). There exists a basis of V which consists of generalized eigenvectors of T .