## PCA example I

#### Stock data

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#### summary(stock[,1:3]);summary(stock[,4:5])

```
##
                           Citibank
                                               WellsFargo
       JPMorgan
           :-0.04587
                                :-0.059792
                                                     :-0.03621
                                             Min.
    Min.
                        Min.
    1st Qu.:-0.01356
                        1st Qu.:-0.013241
                                             1st Qu.:-0.0080{
    Median: 0.00336
                        Median: 0.001734
                                             Median: 0.00033
           : 0.00106
                               : 0.000655
                                                    : 0.00162
    Mean
                        Mean
                                             Mean
                                             3rd Qu.: 0.01001
    3rd Qu.: 0.01680
                        3rd Qu.: 0.014029
    Max.
           : 0.04848
                        Max.
                               : 0.052527
                                             Max.
                                                     : 0.04069
##
        Shell
                            Exxon
           :-0.05395
                                :-0.06360
    Min.
                        Min.
    1st Qu.:-0.01447
                        1st Qu.:-0.01254
    Median: 0.00634
                        Median: 0.00522
           : 0.00405
                               : 0.00404
    Mean
                        Mean
    3rd Qu.: 0.02224
                        3rd Qu.: 0.02162
           : 0.06199
    Max.
                        Max.
                               : 0.07842
```

### Stock price data

```
Data: Weekly rates of return for five stocks
```

```
stock = read.table("T8-4.DAT")
colnames(stock) =
 c("JPMorgan", "Citibank", "WellsFargo", "Shell", "Exxon")
attach(stock)
```

#### str(stock)

```
## 'data.frame':
                    103 obs. of 5 variables:
   $ JPMorgan : num 0.01303 0.00849 -0.01792 0.02156 0.(
   $ Citibank : num
                      -0.00784 0.01669 -0.00864 -0.00349 (
   $ WellsFargo: num
                      -0.00319 -0.00621 0.01004 0.01744 -(
   $ Shell
                      -0.0448 0.012 0 -0.0286 0.0292 ...
   $ Exxon
                : num 0.00522 0.01349 -0.00614 -0.00695 0
```

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#### Plot raw data

# pairs(stock,cex=.5,col=3) 0.00 0.04 -0.04 0.02 0.06 **JPMorgan** Citibank WellsFargo Shell -0.04 0.00 0.04 -0.02 -0.06 0.00 0.06

## Sample variance-covariance matrix S

To have a sense of relative magnitudes: Check  $S \times 10^5$ 

```
round(cov(stock)*10^5);
```

##		JPMorgan	${\tt Citibank}$	WellsFargo	Shell	Exxon
## JPMo	rgan	43	28	16	6	9
## Citi	bank	28	44	18	18	12
## Well	sFargo	16	18	22	7	6
## Shel	1	6	18	7	72	51
## Exxo	n	9	12	6	51	77

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## Sample correlation matrix R

#### cor(stock)

```
##
              JPMorgan Citibank WellsFargo
                                             Shell
                                                    Exxon
## JPMorgan
              1.00000 0.63229
                                   0.51050 0.11460 0.15446
## Citibank
              0.63229 1.00000
                                   0.57414 0.32229 0.21267
## WellsFargo 0.51050 0.57414
                                   1.00000 0.18250 0.14621
## Shell
                                   0.18250 1.00000 0.68338
              0.11460 0.32229
## Exxon
               0.15446 0.21267
                                   0.14621 0.68338 1.00000
```

Better view:

#### round(cor(stock),2)

##		${\tt JPMorgan}$	${\tt Citibank}$	WellsFargo	Shell	Exxon
##	JPMorgan	1.00	0.63	0.51	0.11	0.15
##	Citibank	0.63	1.00	0.57	0.32	0.21
##	WellsFargo	0.51	0.57	1.00	0.18	0.15
##	Shell	0.11	0.32	0.18	1.00	0.68
##	Exxon	0.15	0.21	0.15	0.68	1.00

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## Eigenvalues and eigenvectors of S (sanity check)

```
eigen(cov(stock))
## eigen() decomposition
## $values
## [1] 0.00136768 0.00070116 0.00025380 0.00014260 0.000118
##
## $vectors
           [,1]
                    [,2]
                              [,3]
                                       [,4]
                                                 [,5]
## [1.] 0.22282 -0.62523 0.326112 0.66276 0.117660
## [2,] 0.30729 -0.57039 -0.249590 -0.41409 -0.588608
## [3,] 0.15481 -0.34450 -0.037639 -0.49705 0.780304
## [4,] 0.63897 0.24795 -0.642497 0.30887 0.148455
## [5,] 0.65090 0.32185 0.645861 -0.21638 -0.093718
```

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#### Comparison: PCA and Eigen-Analysis

```
Eigenvalues of covariance matrix S:
```

```
round(eigen(cov(stock))$values,4)
```

## [1] 0.0014 0.0007 0.0003 0.0001 0.0001

Standard deviations of Principal Component variables:

```
round(princomp(stock)$sdev,4)
```

```
## Comp.1 Comp.2 Comp.3 Comp.4 Comp.5 ## 0.0368 0.0264 0.0159 0.0119 0.0109
```

Variance of PC variables:

```
round(princomp(stock)$sdev^2,4)
```

```
## Comp.1 Comp.2 Comp.3 Comp.4 Comp.5 ## 0.0014 0.0007 0.0003 0.0001 0.0001
```

#### PCA on original data (using S)

```
summary(princomp(stock),loading=T)
```

```
## Importance of components:
##
                          Comp.1 Comp.2 Comp.3
## Standard deviation
                       0.036802 0.026351 0.015854 0.0118
## Proportion of Variance 0.529261 0.271333 0.098216 0.0551
## Cumulative Proportion 0.529261 0.800594 0.898809 0.9539
##
## Loadings:
##
            Comp.1 Comp.2 Comp.3 Comp.4 Comp.5
## JPMorgan
             0.223 0.625 0.326 0.663 0.118
             ## Citibank
## WellsFargo 0.155 0.345
                                -0.497 0.780
## Shell
             0.639 -0.248 -0.642 0.309 0.148
## Exxon
             0.651 - 0.322 \quad 0.646 - 0.216
```

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## Eigenvalue of S and PC variance

$$\lambda_i = Var(Y_i), \qquad i = 1, \cdots, p$$

Proportions of variation:

$$\frac{\lambda_i}{\sum_i \lambda_j} = \frac{Var(Y_i)}{\sum_i Var(Y_j)}, \qquad i = 1, \cdots, p$$

round(princomp(stock)\$sdev^2/sum(princomp(stock)\$sdev^2),3)

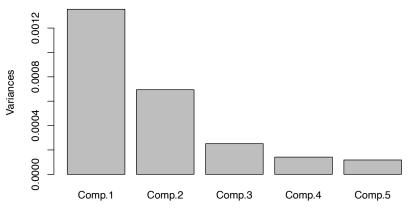
```
## Comp.1 Comp.2 Comp.3 Comp.4 Comp.5
## 0.529 0.271 0.098 0.055 0.046
```

## Scree plot (variance of PCs)

PCA on raw data (no scaling, using the covariance matrix)

par(mfrow=c(1,1)); screeplot(princomp(stock))

#### princomp(stock)



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#### Relation between PCs and original variables (cont.)

The Second principal component:  $Y = a_2'X$ 

$$\lambda_2 = 0.000701 = V(Y_2)$$

$$Y_2 = .63(JPM) + .57(Citibk) + .34(WellsF) - .25(Shell) - .32(Exxon)$$

Interpretations:

 $Y_2$  could be viewed as " **Industry component** "

## Relation between PC variables and original variables

#### PC of the raw data (using covariance matrix)

The first principal component:  $Y_1 = a_1'X$ 

$$\lambda_1 = 0.00136 = V(Y_1)$$
  
 $Y_1 = .22(JPM) + .31(Citibk) + .15(WellsF) + .64(Shell) + .65(Exxon)$ 

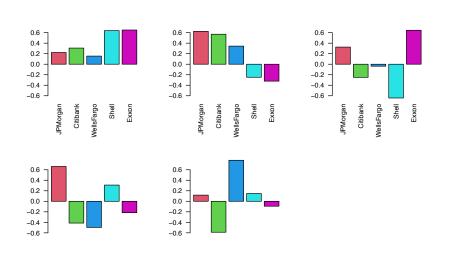
Interpretations?

 $Y_1$  could be viewed as " Market component "

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## PC loadings by original variables -Code

## PC loadings by original variables - Plots



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## Eigenvalue-eigenvectors of correlation matrix (check)

```
eigen(cor(stock))
```

```
## eigen() decomposition
## $values
## [1] 2.43727 1.40701 0.50051 0.40003 0.25517
##
## $vectors
## [1,] [,2] [,3] [,4] [,5]
## [1,] -0.46908 0.36801 0.604315 0.36302 0.384122
## [2,] -0.53241 0.23646 0.136106 -0.62921 -0.496188
## [3,] -0.46516 0.31518 -0.771828 0.28897 0.071169
## [4,] -0.38735 -0.58504 -0.093362 -0.38125 0.594664
## [5,] -0.36068 -0.60585 0.108826 0.49341 -0.497552
```

#### PC variance proportions

#### Other components:

$$\hat{\lambda}_3 = 0.000253 = \hat{V}(Y_3)$$
  $\approx 9.8\% \text{ of } \sum_{i=1}^5 V(Y_i)$ 

$$\hat{\lambda}_4 = 0.000143 = \hat{V}(Y_4)$$
  $\approx \text{ of 5.5\% } \sum_{i=1}^5 V(Y_i)$ 

$$\hat{\lambda}_5 = 0.000119 = \hat{V}(Y_5)$$
  $\approx 4.6\% \text{ of } \sum_{i=1}^5 V(Y_i)$ 

#### Compared with

$$\hat{V}(Y_2) \approx 27.1\%$$
 of  $\sum_{i=1}^{5} V(Y_i)$ ,  $\hat{V}(Y_1) \approx 52.9\%$  of  $\sum_{i=1}^{5} V(Y_i)$ 

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#### PCA using scaled data of variable variance = 1

#### That is, **PCA using correlation matrix**.

summary(princomp(stock,cor=T),loading=T)

```
## Importance of components:
```

## Comp.1 Comp.2 Comp.3 Comp.4

## Standard deviation 1.56118 1.18618 0.70747 0.632481

 $\hbox{\tt \#\# Proportion of Variance 0.48745 0.28140 0.10010 0.080006}$ 

## Cumulative Proportion 0.48745 0.76886 0.86896 0.948966

##

## Loadings:

## Comp.1 Comp.2 Comp.3 Comp.4 Comp.5

## JPMorgan 0.469 0.368 0.604 0.363 0.384

## Citibank 0.532 0.236 0.136 -0.629 -0.496

## WellsFargo 0.465 0.315 -0.772 0.289

## Shell 0.387 -0.585 -0.381 0.595

## Exxon 0.361 -0.606 0.109 0.493 -0.498

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#### Correlation of PC and original variables

#### For PCA on scaled data (using correlation matrix):

The correlation between

the *i*th PC variable  $Y_i$  and the (scaled) kth variable  $X_k$  is

$$\rho_{Y_i,X_k} = a_{ik}\sqrt{\lambda_i}$$

#### For PCA on raw data (using covariance matrix):

$$\rho_{Y_i,X_k} = a_{ik} \sqrt{\lambda_i/\sigma_{kk}}$$

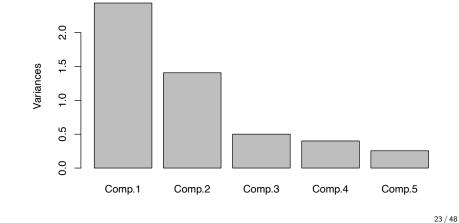
(both ignoring the presence of other  $X_i$  variables)

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## Scree plot (scaled, using correlation matrix)

```
par(mfrow=c(1,1))
screeplot(princomp(stock,cor=T))
```

#### princomp(stock, cor = T)



## PCA vs eigen-alanysis on correlation matrix R

```
Eigenvalues of correlation matrix R:
```

```
round(eigen(cor(stock))$values,4)

## [1] 2.4373 1.4070 0.5005 0.4000 0.2552

Standard deviations of PC variables (scaled data):
round(princomp(stock,cor=T)$sdev,4)

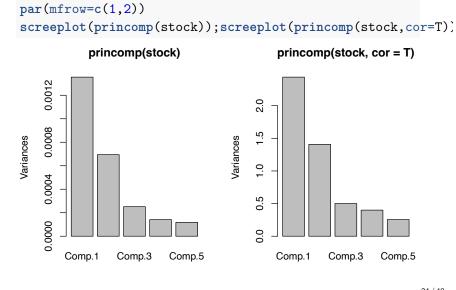
## Comp.1 Comp.2 Comp.3 Comp.4 Comp.5
## 1.5612 1.1862 0.7075 0.6325 0.5051

Variance of PC variables (scaled data):
round(princomp(stock,cor=T)$sdev^2,4)

## Comp.1 Comp.2 Comp.3 Comp.4 Comp.5
## 2.4373 1.4070 0.5005 0.4000 0.2552
```

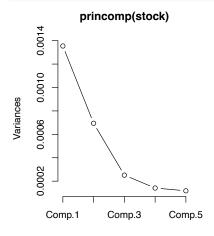
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## Scree plots (scaled vs not scaled)

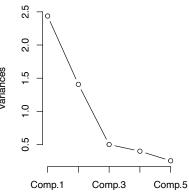


#### Scree plots (To scale or not to scale?)

```
par(mfrow=c(1,2))
screeplot(princomp(stock),type="l")
screeplot(princomp(stock, cor=T),type="l")
```



# princomp(stock, cor = T)



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#### Proportion of total variation explained

• Of sample covariance matrix S

```
cumsum((princomp(stock)$sdev)^2)/
sum((princomp(stock)$sdev)^2)
```

```
## Comp.1 Comp.2 Comp.3 Comp.4 Comp.5
## 0.52926 0.80059 0.89881 0.95399 1.00000
```

• Of sample correlation matrix R

```
cumsum((princomp(stock,cor=T)$sdev)^2)/5
```

```
## Comp.1 Comp.2 Comp.3 Comp.4 Comp.5
## 0.48745 0.76886 0.86896 0.94897 1.00000
```

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Scale sizes

## Sum of eigenvalues

 $\bullet$  Of covariance matrix S

```
sum(eigen(cov(stock))$values)
```

## [1] 0.0025841

• Of correlation matrix R

sum(eigen(cor(stock))\$values)

## [1] 5

• Comparison: What is the dimension of variables?

 $\textbf{Scale} = \textbf{Using sample correlation matrix} \ \ \textit{R}$ 

```
princomp(stock,cor=T)$scale
```

```
## JPMorgan Citibank WellsFargo Shell Exxon
## 0.020714 0.020844 0.014893 0.026748 0.027536
```

- What should the values of the "scale' be?
- Should scaling make a significant difference for this dataset?

**No re-scale** = Using original sample covariance matrix S

```
princomp(stock)$scale
```

```
## JPMorgan Citibank WellsFargo Shell Exxon ## 1 1 1 1 1 1
```

#### Using correlation matrix

Relation between principal components and original variables

$$\hat{\lambda}_1 = 2.437$$

$$Y_1 = .469(JPMorgan) + .532(Citibank) + .465(WellsFargo)$$
  
 $+.387(Shell) + .361(Exxon)$ 

 $Y_1$ : " Market component" (or similar interpretations)

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#### Observed values vs PC values

#### Data:

*n* measurements of the original random vector  $(X_1, \dots, X_p)$ :

$$X_{11} \cdots X_{1p}$$
 $\vdots \cdots \vdots$ 
 $X_{n1} \cdots X_{np}$ 

#### PC scores

*n* "measurements" of principal components  $(Y_1, \dots, Y_p)$ :

$$y_{11} \cdots y_{1p}$$
 $\vdots \cdots \vdots$ 
 $y_{n1} \cdots y_{np}$ 

(Using correlation matrix)

$$\hat{\lambda}_2 = 1.407$$

$$Y_2 = .368(JPMorgan) + .236(Citibank) + .315(WellsFargo)$$
  
 $-.585(Shell) - .606(Exxon)$ 

Y<sub>2</sub>: " Industry component "

$$\hat{\lambda}_3 = 0.501 > \hat{\lambda}_4 = 0.400 > \hat{\lambda}_5 = 0.255$$

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## Weekly rate of returns of the original five stocks

#### head(stock,3)

```
## JPMorgan Citibank WellsFargo Shell Exxon
## 1 0.0130338 -0.0078431 -0.0031889 -0.044769 0.0052151
## 2 0.0084862 0.0166886 -0.0062100 0.011956 0.0134890
## 3 -0.0179153 -0.0086393 0.0100360 0.000000 -0.0061428
tail(stock)
```

```
## 98 0.0217449 0.0229645 0.0291983 0.0084395 0.03192
## 99 0.0033740 -0.0153061 -0.0238245 -0.0016738 -0.01722
## 100 0.0033626 0.0029016 -0.0030507 -0.0012193 -0.00970
## 101 0.0170147 0.0095061 0.0181994 -0.0161758 -0.00756
## 102 0.0103929 -0.0026612 0.0044290 -0.0024818 -0.01648
## 103 -0.0127948 -0.0143678 -0.0187402 -0.0049759 -0.01637
```

## Weekly data of five "PC stocks' (using correlation matrix)

```
head(princomp(stock,cor=T)$scores,3)
                        Comp.3
                                   Comp.4
##
         Comp.1
                  Comp.2
                                             Comp.5
## [1,] -0.78790 1.056230 0.71834 1.089819 -0.7052807
## [2,] 0.57118 -0.232923 0.73713 -0.449297 -0.2764345
## [3,] -0.59651  0.047938 -1.07632 -0.013571  0.0034684
tail(princomp(stock,cor=T)$scores)
##
          Comp.1
                   Comp.2
                            Comp.3
                                     Comp.4
                                              Comp.5
## [98,] 2.32830 0.494367 -0.584970 0.661200 -0.422135
## [99,] -1.51171 -0.085575 1.218117 -0.270965 0.558224
## [101,] 0.66015 1.432133 -0.310988 0.414374 -0.075710
## [102,] -0.14883 0.781089 0.047103 0.043971 0.490387
## [103,] -1.73173 -0.201152 0.503933 -0.421642 0.171508
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```

#### PC score correlation property

## $Y_k = a'_k X$ relates PC scores and data

```
stock[33,]
      JPMorgan Citibank WellsFargo
                                      Shell
## 33 0.027618 0.016832 0.010498 0.0004153 0.00433
princomp(stock,cor=T)$scores[33,]
     Comp.1
             Comp.2 Comp.3 Comp.4
                                        Comp.5
## 1.242857 0.916126 0.434434 0.206232 0.063711
princomp(stock)$scores[33,]
        Comp.1
                   Comp.2
                               Comp.3
                                           Comp.4
                                                       Cor
## 1.0129e-02 2.9694e-02 6.8116e-03 5.3063e-03 -4.13016
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```

Un-correlatedness of PCs is true regardless of scaling

#### round(cor(princomp(stock)\$scores),3)

```
## Comp.1 Comp.2 Comp.3 Comp.4 Comp.5
## Comp.1 1 0 0 0 0
## Comp.2 0 1 0 0 0
## Comp.3 0 0 1 0 0
## Comp.4 0 0 0 1 0
## Comp.5 0 0 0 0 1
```

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#### PC score covariance property

#### round(cov(princomp(stock,cor=T)\$scores),2)

```
##
          Comp.1 Comp.2 Comp.3 Comp.4 Comp.5
            2.46
                    0.00
                           0.00
                                    0.0
                                          0.00
## Comp.1
## Comp.2
            0.00
                    1.42
                           0.00
                                    0.0
                                          0.00
## Comp.3
            0.00
                   0.00
                           0.51
                                          0.00
                                    0.0
                                          0.00
## Comp.4
            0.00
                   0.00
                           0.00
                                    0.4
## Comp.5
                                          0.26
            0.00
                    0.00
                           0.00
                                    0.0
```

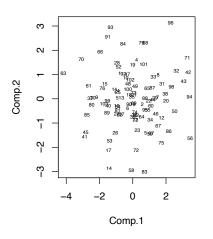
Note the diagonal patterns.

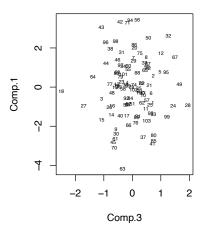
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#### Observations using PC scores as coordinates - Plots

The plots may reveal interesting data patterns sometimes (not here).

#### Stock obs(wks) in PC scores





## Observations using PC scores as coordinates - Code

PC scores can be uses as coordinates of data observation points

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#### Variables using PC loading as coordinates - Code

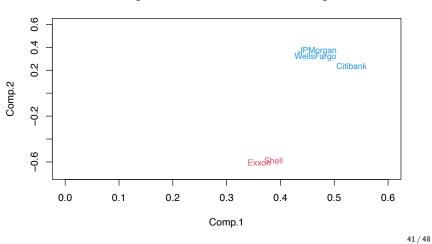
PC loadings  $(a_{ii})$  can be used as coordinates of original variables.

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## Variables using PC loading as coordinates - Plot

The plot may reveal interesting variable patterns.

#### Original stock variables in PC loadings



## Norm-one property of PC loadings

In the derivation of PC variables,

$$Y_k = a_k' X$$
,  $||a_k|| = 1$ ,  $a_i' a_k = 0$ ,  $i \neq k$ ,  $i, k = 1, \dots, p$ .

- The p-vector  $a_i$ 's are restricted to be of length 1.
- The loading vectors of different PCs are mutually orthogonal.
- The loading coefficients should form an orthogonal matrix.

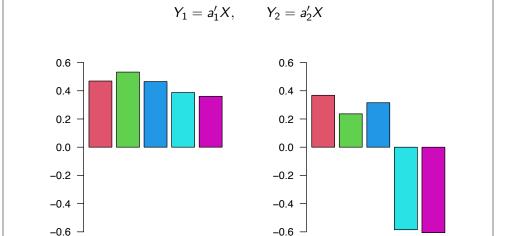
## Variable loading aii's of top PCs

WellsFargo

0.387

Shell

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## Loading coefficients are norm-1: $Y_k = a_k' X$ , $||a_k|| = 1$

```
round(princomp(stock)$loading[,1:5],3)
```

NellsFargo

```
Comp.1 Comp.2 Comp.3 Comp.4 Comp.5
## JPMorgan
             0.223  0.625  0.326  0.663  0.118
## Citibank
             ## WellsFargo
             0.155 0.345 -0.038 -0.497 0.780
## Shell
             0.639 -0.248 -0.642 0.309 0.148
## Exxon
             0.651 -0.322   0.646 -0.216 -0.094
a1 = princomp(stock,cor=T)$loading[,1]; round(a1,3)
    JPMorgan
              Citibank WellsFargo
                                     Shell
                                               Exxon
```

0.465

0.532

sum(a1^2)

0.469

##

## [1] 1

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0.361

## Orthogonality of PC loadings $Y_k = a'_k X$ , $a'_i a_k = 0$ , $i \neq k$

```
a2 = princomp(stock,cor=T)$loading[,2]; round(a2,3)
##
     JPMorgan
                Citibank WellsFargo
                                           Shell
                                                      Exxon
##
        0.368
                    0.236
                               0.315
                                          -0.585
                                                     -0.606
a1%*%a2;
             # (Note the rounsing error)
##
              [,1]
## [1,] 3.6082e-16
round(a1\%\%a2,3)
        [,1]
## [1,]
```

## Loading coefficients form an orthogonal matrix

L=as.matrix(princomp(stock,cor=T)\$loading,5,5);
round(L%\*%t(L),3)

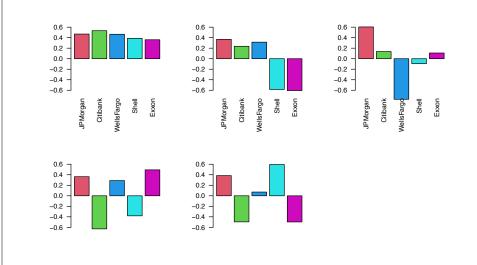
##	${\tt JPMorgan}$	${\tt Citibank}$	WellsFargo	Shell	Exxon
## JPMorgan	1	0	0	0	0
## Citibank	0	1	0	0	0
## WellsFargo	0	0	1	0	0
## Shell	0	0	0	1	0
## Exxon	0	0	0	0	1

$$L^{-1} = L^T, \qquad L^T L = LL^T = I_p$$

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## PC loadings by original variables (scaled data) - Code

## PC loadings by original variables (scaled data) - Plots



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