



# Principal Component Analysis and Linear Discriminant Analysis

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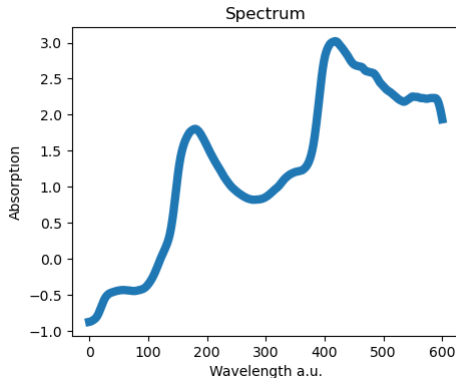


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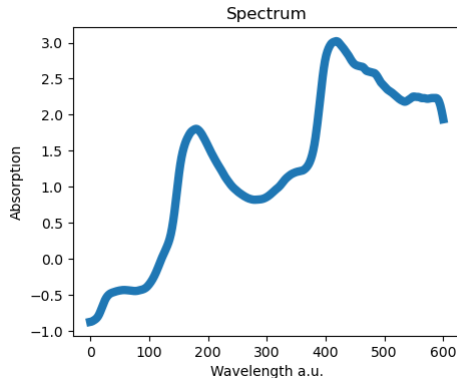


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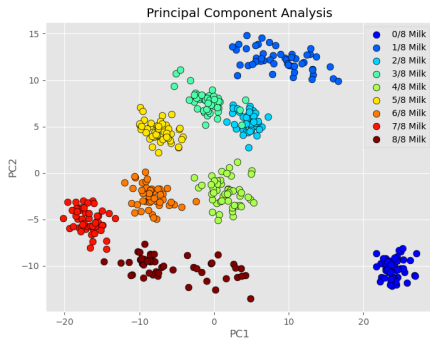


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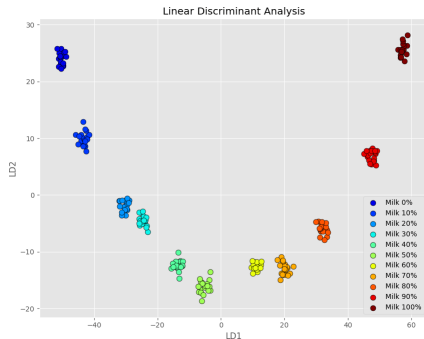


Figure: Easier to decide between classes

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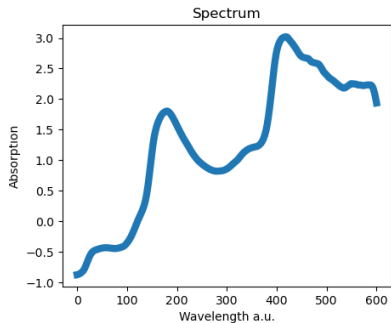


# Principal Component Analysis

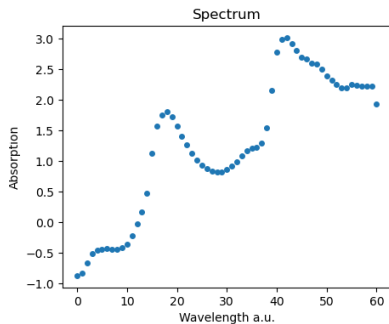




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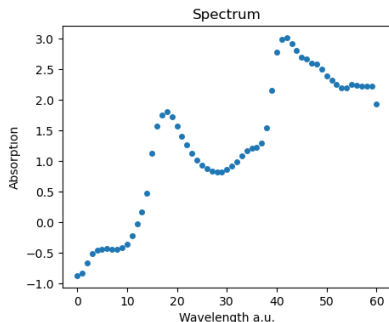


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## Prerequisites for PCA

- ▶ Standardize (0 mean and unit variance)
- ▶ Correlated data

## Mathematical formulation

Let  $v^1, v^2$  be two instances (e.g. spectra) and *mean-free*. Recall, the correlation of both vectors is given by the scalar product:

$$\langle v^1, v^2 \rangle = \sum_{i=1}^n v_i^1 v_i^2 \quad (1)$$

Input:  $m$  instances with  $n$  attributes each

See the data as an  $m \times n$ -matrix  $A$

The covariance matrix is

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- ▶ Compute Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors of  $A^T A$  (or SVD from  $A$ )
- ▶ Eigenvectors are called principal components (PCs)
- ▶ Eigenvalues are the relevance of the PC



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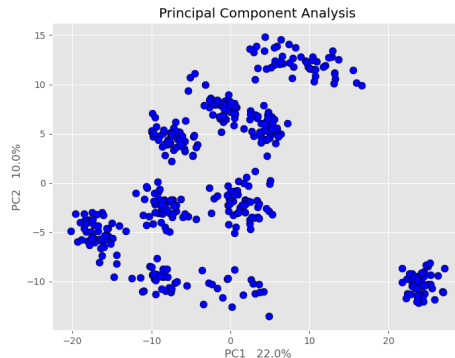


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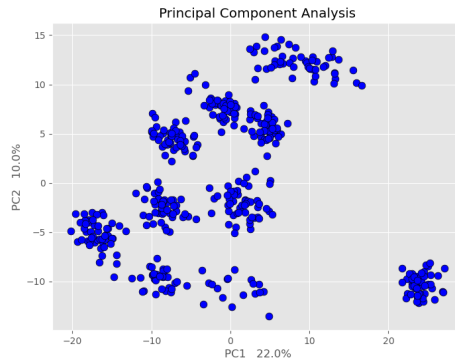


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# Linear Discriminant Analysis

# Overview LDA

## Linear Discriminant Analysis (**LDA**):

- ▶ classifier (sorts unknown data into known classes)
- ▶ LDA is a supervised method
- ▶ maximizes between-class variance
- ▶ minimizes within-class variance
- ▶ finds a decision boundary

## Prerequisites for LDA

- ▶ data is linearly independent
- ▶ Gaussian distributed

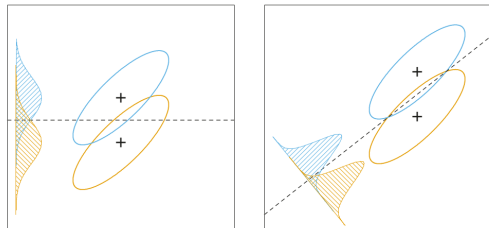


Figure: Idea of LDA

## Mathematical formulation

Given  $N$  instances  $v_i \in \mathbb{R}^d$ , separated into  $K$  classes  $C_1, \dots, C_K$ . Define mean vector for each class  $C_i$ ,  $m_i = \frac{1}{|C_i|} \sum_{v \in C_i} v \in \mathbb{R}^d$  and the overall mean,

$$m = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=0}^N v_i \in \mathbb{R}^d$$

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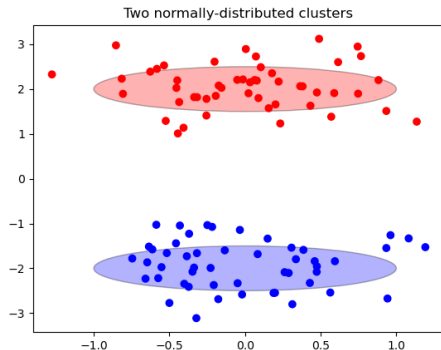


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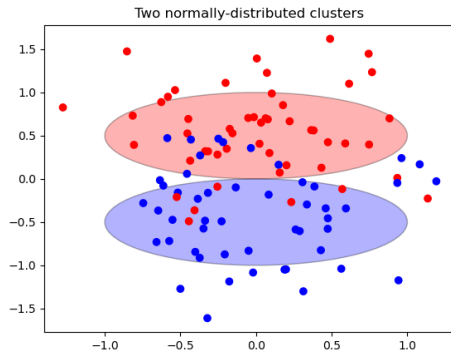
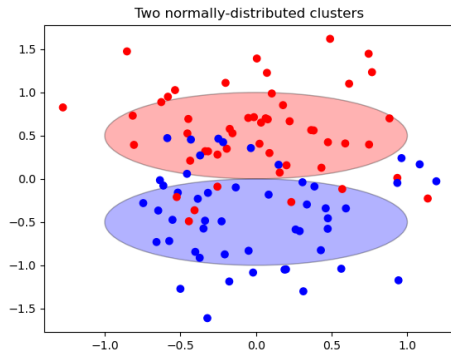


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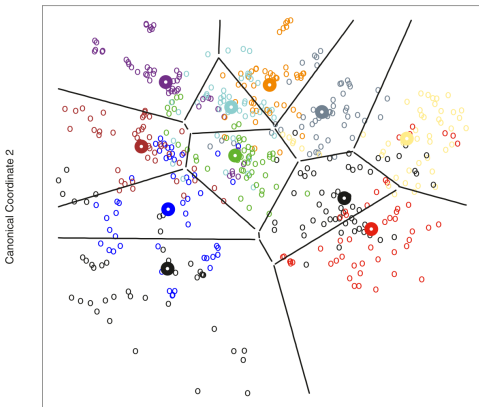
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- ▶ Do this in 2d successively,



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