

Consider we are using PCA to compress face images using top  $K$  eigenvectors and then we do the reconstruction. Then

- (A) **[Ans]** Compression (for face images) is lossy
- (B) Compression (for face images) is lossless
- (C) **[Ans]** Reconstruction will be bad for non-face images (say buildings)
- (D) Reconstruction will be good for non-face images (say buildings)
- (E) None of these

Consider we are doing PCA to go from  $R^2$  data to  $R^1$ . Consider each point is denoted by  $(X_i, Y_i)$ . Then in which of these situations will PCA work reasonably well:

- (A) **[Ans]**  $Y_i = X_i + 10$
- (B) **[Ans]**  $Y_i = X_i + 10 + \epsilon_i$  where  $\epsilon_i \sim N(0, 1)$
- (C)  $X_i^2 + Y_i^2 = 10$
- (D)  $X_i^2 + Y_i^2 \leq 10$
- (E) None of these

Consider we have data in  $R^2$ . Then the linear regression line and the PCA line

- (A) will always be the same
- (B) will never be the same
- (C) **[Ans]** can sometimes be the same
- (D) None of these

We want to do PCA using gradient descent. Assume that  $\Sigma$  is the covariance matrix,  $\eta$  is the learning rate. Then the update rule is

(A)  $u_{k+1} = \eta \Sigma u_k$

(B) **[Ans]**  $u_{k+1} = (I + \eta \Sigma) u_k$

(C)  $u_{k+1} = (I - \eta \Sigma) u_k$

(D) None of these

PCA solves this problem:

$$\max_u u^T \Sigma u - \lambda(u^T u - 1)$$

where  $\Sigma$  is the covariance matrix. Which of the following are true regarding PCA

- (A) **[Ans]**  $\lambda$  is the variance captured by the eigen vector  $u$
- (B) **[Ans]** Sum of variances captured by all eigenvectors is  $\text{tr}(\Sigma)$
- (C) If all data points are on a line then at least one of the eigenvalues is 1
- (D) **[Ans]** If all data points are on a line then at least one of the eigenvalues is 0