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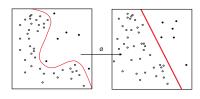


#### Problem statement

#### Computational expensive analysis of large datasets

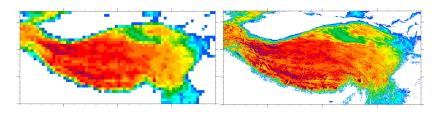
- Large *n* which limits available computation per item
- Desired analysis is computationally expensive for n
- A subset of size  $m \ll n$  is representative of the entire dataset

## Example: kernel learning on large datasets



- Naive kernel based learning requires kernel (Gram) matrix A<sup>T</sup>A
  - $\mathcal{O}(n^2)$  + "analysis cost"
- Nyström approximation to the kernel matrix A<sup>T</sup>A
  - Select a subset  $\mathbf{C}$  of size  $m \ll n$
  - $\bullet \ \mathbf{A}^\mathsf{T} \mathbf{A}_{i,j} \approx \mathbf{A}_i^\mathsf{T} \mathbf{C} (\mathbf{C}^\mathsf{T} \mathbf{C})^{-1} \mathbf{C}^\mathsf{T} \mathbf{A}_j$
  - $\mathcal{O}(m^2)$  + "analysis cost"
- Use on resource limited machines requires careful subset selection

## Example: multifidelity simulation



- Uncertainty analysis
  - $\bullet \ \ \mathsf{Random} \ \ \mathsf{parameter}(\mathsf{s}) \ \mathsf{of} \ \mathsf{interest}, \ \eta \in \mathcal{D}$
  - n samples of  $\eta \in \mathcal{D}$  to quantify uncertainty
- Multifidelity uncertainty analysis
  - High fidelity model: only  $m \ll n$  simulations
  - Low fidelity model: run all n simulations
  - Representative subset of size m from n for high fidelity simulation
- Careful selection of subset important!



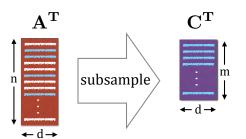
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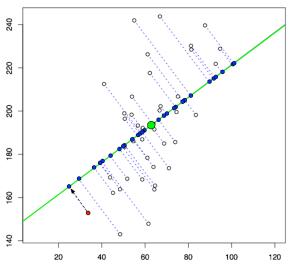
**Column Subset Selection Problem.** Let  $\mathbf{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times n}$ . Find m < n columns for  $\mathbf{A}$  - denoted as  $\mathbf{C} \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times m}$  that minimize

$$\|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{C}\mathbf{C}^{\dagger}\mathbf{A}\|_{\eta},\tag{1}$$

for  $\eta \in \{F, 2\}$ , and where  $\mathbf{C}^{\dagger}$  denotes the Moore-Penrose pseudo-inverse.

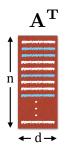


# Problem statement: visually

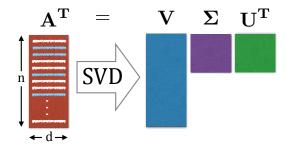


#### Related work

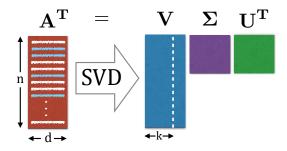
- Leverage sampling [Mahoney, 2011, Mahoney, 2010, Papailiopoulos et al., 2014, Boutsidis et al., 2014]
  - [Papailiopoulos et al., 2014] obtained a very similar bound for deterministic leverage sampling
- Greedy subset selection [Altschuler et al., 2016]
  - obtained a bound in a different form (relative to the optimal subset) for deterministic greedy subset selection
- CUR [Drineas et al., 2008]
  - [Drineas et al., 2008] uses leverage sampling
- Nyström approximation [Drineas and Mahoney, 2005, Gittens and Mahoney, 2013, Gittens, 2011]
  - [Drineas and Mahoney, 2005] uses uniform sampling



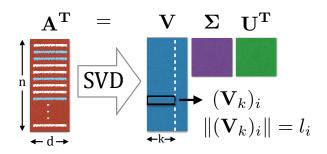
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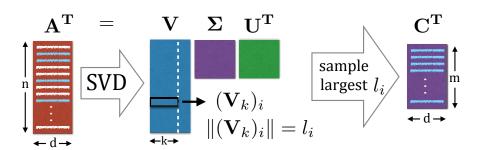
• singular value decomposition



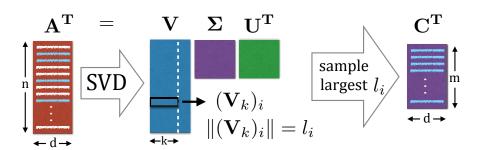
• best rank-k approximation



ullet norm of each row  $V_k$ 



• Deterministic samples largest *l<sub>i</sub>* values first



ullet Probabilistic version samples with probability  $I_i$ 

### Leverage scores

#### **Definition**

Let  $\mathbf{V_k} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times k}$  contain the top k right singular vectors of a  $d \times n$  matrix A with rank  $\rho = \operatorname{rank}(\mathbf{A}) \geq k$ . Then the (rank-k) leverage score of the i-th column of  $\mathbf{A}$  is defined as

$$I_i^{(k)} = \|[\mathbf{V_k}]_{i,:}\|_2^2, \ i = 1, 2, \dots, n.$$
 (2)

Here,  $[V_k]_{i,:}$  denotes the i-th row of  $V_k$ .

Leverage score bound

$$\|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{C}\mathbf{C}^{\dagger}\mathbf{A}\|_{\zeta}^{2} < (1 + 2\epsilon) \cdot \|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{A}_{\mathbf{k}}\|_{\zeta}^{2}. \tag{3}$$

for  $\zeta \in \{2, F\}$ ,  $\epsilon \in (0, .5)$ , where  $\mathbf{A_k}$  is the best rank-k approximation to  $\mathbf{A}$  [Papailiopoulos et al., 2014].

# CSSP Objective: data scale also important

$$\begin{split} \|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{C}\mathbf{C}^{\dagger}\mathbf{A}\|_{\eta} \\ \|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{C}(\mathbf{C}^{\mathsf{T}}(\mathbf{C}\mathbf{C}^{\mathsf{T}})^{-1})\mathbf{A}\|_{\eta} \\ \|\mathbf{U}\boldsymbol{\Sigma}\mathbf{V}^{\mathsf{T}} - \mathbf{W}_{\mathsf{d}}\mathbf{W}_{\mathsf{d}}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{U}\boldsymbol{\Sigma}\mathbf{V}^{\mathsf{T}}\|_{\eta} \\ \|(\mathbf{U} - \mathbf{W}_{\mathsf{d}}\mathbf{W}_{\mathsf{d}}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{U})\boldsymbol{\Sigma}\mathbf{V}^{\mathsf{T}}\|_{\eta} \end{split}$$

where  $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{U} \boldsymbol{\Sigma} \mathbf{V}^\mathsf{T}$  and  $\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{W} \boldsymbol{\Psi} \mathbf{H}^\mathsf{T}$  are the respective SVDs.

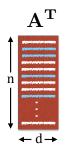
- Indictates the "unwhitened" data points  $\Sigma V^T$ , not  $V^T$
- This informs the core idea of an augmented leverage score

## Proposed: augmented leverage score

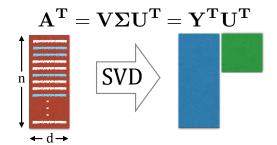
#### **Definition**

Let  $\mathbf{Y_k} = \mathbf{V_k} \mathbf{\Sigma_k} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times k}$  contain the top k singular values multiplied with the right singular vectors of a  $d \times n$  matrix  $\mathbf{A}$  with rank  $\rho = \operatorname{rank}(\mathbf{A}) \geq k$ . Then the (rank-k) augmented leverage score of the i-th column of  $\mathbf{A}$  is defined as

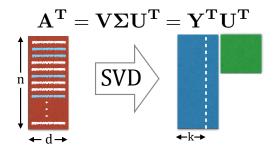
$$\hat{l}_{i}^{(k)} = \|[\mathbf{Y}_{\mathbf{k}}]_{i,:}\|_{2}^{2}, i = 1, 2, \dots, n.$$



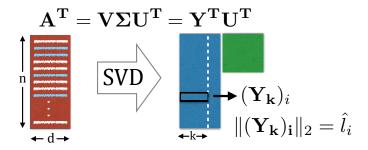
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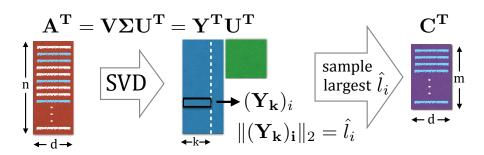
ullet singular value decomposition, combine  $oldsymbol{V}^Toldsymbol{\Sigma} = oldsymbol{Y}^T$ 



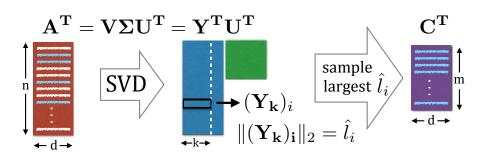
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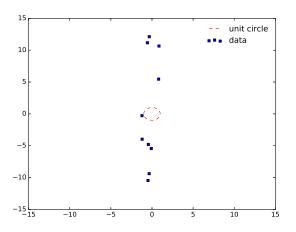


• Augmented samples largest  $\hat{l}_i$  values first



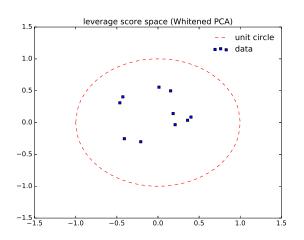
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# Leverage score: visual example



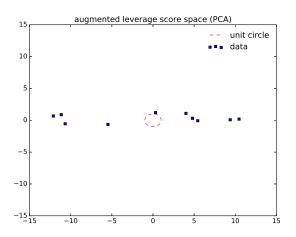
• samples from Gaussian with covariance  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$ 

## Leverage score: visual example



- $\bullet \ V_k^T = \pmb{\Sigma}_k^{-1} U_k^T \pmb{A}$
- Norm sampling based on a whitened rank-k PCA projection

## Augmented leverage score: visual example



- $\bullet \; \Sigma_k V_k^T = U_k^T A$
- Norm sampling based on an (unwhitened) rank-k PCA projection

# Augmented Leverage Score Sampling Algorithm

Input  $\mathbf{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times n}, k, \theta$ Compute  $\mathbf{Y_k} = \mathbf{V_k} \hat{\mathbf{\Sigma}_k} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times k}$ for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$   $\hat{l}_i^{(k)} = \|[\mathbf{Y_k}]_{i,:}\|_2^2$ end for Sort  $\hat{l}_i^{(k)}$  in place Find index  $m \in \{1, \dots, n\}$  such that:

$$m = \arg\min_{m} \left( \sum_{i=1}^{m} \hat{l}_{i}^{(k)} > \theta \right).$$

If m < k, set m = k.

Output  $S \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$ , s.t. AS has the top m columns of A.

# Bounds of augmented leverage score sampling

#### Theorem

Let  $\theta = k \cdot \frac{\sigma_1^2}{\sigma_k^2} - \epsilon$  for some  $\epsilon \in (0, 0.5)$ , and let  $\mathbf{S} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$  be the sampling matrix from Augmented Leverage Score Sampling Algorithm, then, for  $\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{AS}$  and  $\zeta = \{2, F\}$ 

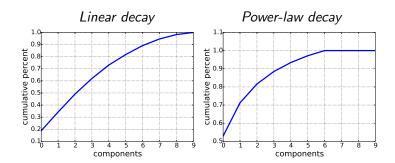
$$\|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{C}\mathbf{C}^{\dagger}\mathbf{A}\|_{\zeta}^{2} < \frac{\sigma_{1}^{2}}{\sigma_{k}^{2}}(1 + 2\epsilon) \cdot \|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{A}_{k}\|_{\zeta}^{2}. \tag{4}$$

## Experiments: synthetic data attributes

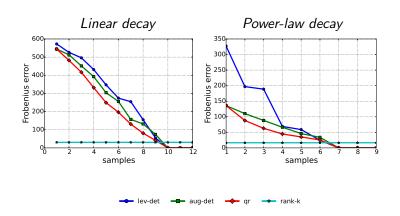
name	n	d	k
Synthetic linear decay	1000	10	9
Synthetic power law decay	1000	10	6

- *n* number of columns
- d dimension of each column
- *k* number of PCA dimensions to preserve 90% of spectral energy

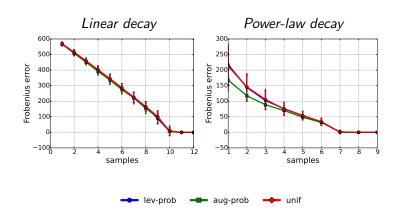
### Experiments: synthetic data spectra



## Experiments: synthetic data deterministic results



## Experiments: synthetic data probabilistic results

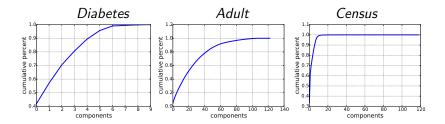


### Experiments: real data attributes

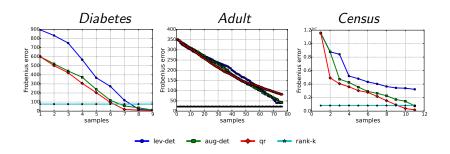
name	n	d	k
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Adult	16281	123	73
Census	2273	119	8

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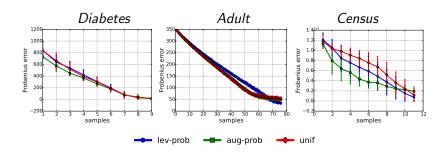
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#### Conclusion

- Proposed the augmented leverage score motivated by the CSSP objective
- Provided an initial error bound for deterministic augmented leverage score sampling
- Shown empricial results comparing the method on a variety of data sets
  - advantages for data sets with sharp spectral decay
  - shown advantages in both deterministic and probabilistic settings

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 ${\sf Questions?}$ 

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